One of the valued attributes of a democracy is freeone of speech. Certainly a college student body should armit its membership every opportunity to come of speech. em of the membership every opportunity to express their riews on any and every subject. It is not unreasonable, news on an expect that college students will exhibit suffeient maturity, and judgment to base their expressions on facts that are easily obtainable.

I am continually impressed by the good thinking and the fundamental soundness of the conclusions of most of the lundary State college students on subjects that they ive careful thought to.

In a community of intellient citizens one of the obli-rations of each is to base his sublic statements on facts; nd if he feels urged to make speech or write for publiation, it is not unreasonable expect that some effort be nade to ascertain the factual asis of his assumptions.

In yesterday's State News ppeared a letter signed Three of Many" which iners that our dormitories rere paid for by state ap-

ropriations. All of our dormitories exept Wells hall and North all were built with funds orrowed from banks, insurnce companies, and other nvestors. There was a 45 er cent grant from PWA or Campbell and Abbot halls



JOHN A. HANNAH ... college president ...

nly. The dormitory revenues must pay all costs of opertion, pay the interest on the debt and retire a portion of he debt each year. Mayo, Williams, and Mason in total nd 55 per cent of the cost of Abbot and Campbell are being paid for over a period of years by the students who Caravan, Nelson; College Caravan, Caravan,

Increased costs of food and labor have upset this year's ormitory budgets so that for the first time our margin etween revenues and costs will not meet expectations in pite of the larger number of students in each hall for e winter and spring terms.

During the past several days students have come to he asking verification or otherwise of a variety of wild parsons and Romberg.

and Study of Physical Word, that the corsage ban will be parsons and Romberg. nd groundless rumors, no doubt founded on careless tatements like the one here referred to.

Michigan State college is sincerely interested in helping very student to make a success of his college experience. failures for any reason reflect discredit on the institution. rowded housing, lack of text books, and every other ondition that might contribute to inferior college work re problems that the college is more concerned with King said. liminating than the students are.

Free and open discussions are encouraged, but let us ase our assumptions on facts whenever possible.

From President Hannah MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

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EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JANUARY, 17, 1946

Hatch to Play Feminine Lead In Winter Term Production

Bookless Vets NeedOldTexts King Stresses

In an urgent plea to Michigan State students who might have books which To Postpone could be used by bookless veterans, Tom King, director of the office of veterans' affair, has Mardi Gras asked for help in supplying the necessary equipment.

King said that any student who has one of the requested books should turn it in at the Union desk immediately. All books will be paid for at the regular rate, and arrangements will be made to make them available to vetand their authors are listed as

McMillian Handbook of English, Kielzak; Training for Efvan, Hudson, and Introduction of Social Science, Vol. 1 and 2, by Atterbury-Auble.

Others are Poultry Husbandry, Turk; First Principles of Land- year scape Architecture, Halligan; Dic-tionaries (Webster and Winston), en senior, reminded the group

ment, McKenney; Business Or- Plan Revision of the books urgently needed, resentation.

Mitter, and Atlas, Goode.

time the stone was being remov-

him may be accredited the plaque and stone, which is less

than one-quarter of the original

half-way rock, which now stands

Slack Reveals Details

Of Latest Rush Plans

For Sorority Parties

turned in to the PanHellenic of-

fice Friday night as soon as pos-

Coeds going through rushing

on the campus.

last night.

Paul Geisenhof Announces Cast

Audra Hatch, Kalamazoo sophomore, will play the leading role of Regina in the term play, "The Little Foxes," director, Paul Geisenhof, of the speech department, announced yesterday.

Council Votes

Annual Water Carnival Postponed Indefinitely; Formal Vote To Be Cast

Student council members voted last night to defer the eran students at once. The books Mardi Gras until spring term Leading Lady on the basis that the Feb. 221 late will be too close to the J-Hop h has been postponed until Feb. 15 Difficulties in obtaining reasons for the delay

Plans for the annual water arnival were also deferred since the lack of help and equipment Jadl; Soil Science, Miller and make the pageant impossible this

rigidly enforced at all open col-Psychology of Personal Adjust- lege dances during the year.

ganization and Management, Pet- Miss Fisher asked all members erson and Plowman; General to discuss the proposed revision chemistry, Young and Porter; in the Student council constitu-Conservation in the United tion with their respective orga-States, Gustofson, and Essentials nizations, and to get suggestions of Accounting, Paton, are more for improving the method of rep-

She mentioned the types of Concluding the list are College representation which have been Algebra, Hart; College Algebra, used in the past - election or pe-Descriptive Geometry, tition by division, class or school and said that the council con-

> The group met at a dinner meeting given in honor of the junior and senior class, officers, who automatically become members of the council.

Ballot Booth

Council members will serve in see balloting booth tomorrow See COUNCIL, Page 4

Crowe Announces

The term's first all-college mixer will be held Jan. 25 in the College auditorium from 9 p.m. until 12 midnight, Dean S. E.

Crowe announced yesterday. This dance is part of the college sponsored series and students will be admitted by their activity coupons. It is being given to enable the new students and old to get acquainted.

The mixer will be an informal stag-drag affair. Rosemary Howland and her orchestra will play the music.

Guth Takes Top Place In Oratory Contest

The rushing party scheduled for Friday night at 7:15 has been changed to 6:30 because of First place in the women's or-Students in the early days of the Cinderella Spin. Miss Slack Guth, Ovid senior. She spoke on the preference dinners should be

two years ago in the Pi Kappa the preference dinner between land, O., in which she won second

The play will be presented Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, Feb. 27, 28, and March 1, in Fairchild theat-

The winter term play is a drama by Lillian Hellman which ran in New York in 1939 when Tallulah Bankhead starred in the

The production is sponsored by Theta Alpha Phi, national honorary dramatics fraternity, and will be produced by the departspeech and dramatics. Prof. C. H. Nickle of the speech department will design the set-

The leading lady, Miss rlatch, has acted in studio theater plays during the past two years vice president of that organization.

The role of Horace, hosband of Regina, will be taken by Wil-liam Butt, graduate student in speech from Yale. He was last een at State in "High Ter" in

Regina's brother, Oscar, be played by Ted Brink, East Grand Rapids sophomore. He appeared last year in 'Kind Lady" and "Pygmalion" Her other brother, Ben, will be done by Richard Finuean, Lansing

The role of Oscar's Birdie, has been given to Mary Randelph TePoorten, junior. Leo, son of Birdie Oscar will be played by Keith King, East Grand Rapids fresh-

The part of Alexandra, daughter of Regina and Horacc, stitution committee was open to be portrayed by Dorothy Ann stitution committee was open to any proposed idea for fair representation on the student governing body.

Dyc. Birmingham senior. William O'Brien, Lansing junior, See PLAY, Page 4'

Blett Urges Vets To JoinLocal Post As Problems Rise

The need for membership in the American Legion is great if veterans are to meet the problems that confront them now and problems that will continue to arise in the future, according to Robert Blett, Grand Rapids sophomore.

For the information of nonmembers, a membership desk will be open for the remainder of the week in the lower deck of the Union.

It is the policy of the American Legion for all members to take an active part in the post where they reside, Blett said.
To do this, veterans should

write a card or letter to the adjutant of his old post and ask him to transfer membership to the Red Cedar Post No. 402, Department of Michigan, in care of Robert Blett, Adjutant, 335 East Grand River, East Lansing.

atorical contest held in the Union Tuesday night went to Doris Outh, Ovid semo...
The Cultural Lag."
On "Decentralizative City

Doris Guth represented State

Pres. Mary Slack revealed last minute PanHellenic plans for the formal rushing season

Speaking on "Decentraliza-tion," Margaret Cline, Bay City sophomore, took second place.

TIME TABLE

TODAY-

Alpha Epsilon Rho, 7/p.m. Union ballroom

FTA and Elementary Ed club 7 p.m., 407 Union annex

Delta Gamma Mu, 7:15 p.m. Women's gym

Today's lampus

. Second Childhood

Working on the re-modeling in hall yesterday, one workman as noticed gleefully breaking aster from a wall with his ham-Some passing student mockly questioned him: "Having a d time, bud?" "Darn right," returned, "I've been wanting do this ever since I was a

ADIO ROUNDUP

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IS MORNING-

00-Early Morning News in the Popular Manner Music Room Melody

30 The Bookman (Prof. B. J. Knittle) 15_Organ Moods

30—Headline Edition 45—Strike Up the Band

S AFTERNOON-

The Novelty Bazaar Geography in the News (Prof. E. C. Prophet) -Back to Peace 500 Songs and Harmonies

Columbia Masterworks 00 Campus Vignettes 15-Listen to the Band

MSC Legend

Rock Marks Half-Way Rest

By MORTON SMERLING

On the walk that runs south- where the stone was located, now west from the Union there is a 2521 East Michigan, Lansing, be- the stone with a plaque on it bear-ing the inscription "The Half-Way Rock.'

In his fortieth annual class re- Stone Removed In his fortieth annual class reunion in the early 1900s, the late
Francis Hodgman, of Climax,
feeling the sentiment of a large lege and college historian at the
The term's first all-college tween the capital building in ed, heard what was happening

Lansing and the college, wrote and became interested in it. To the verse "The Half-Way Rock." him may be accredited the When half the toilsome way

was passed We rested by the stone, Within whose cleft a cherry pit had

Taken root and grown; The cleft was not so very wide, just Half an inch or so. The little tree scarce touch-

ed its side Some forty years ago. The legend of the stone relates that a small bird once flew over the stone and dropped a cherry pit into a cleft of it. The

pit went to seed and grew into a

Resting Place

the college, walking from class to announced that invitations for Lansing, used to stop and rest in the shade of the cherry tree at the stone. Eventually the 'half- fice Friday night way rock' became an important sible before 12. meeting place, and it was an essential word in the vocabulary of must pick up their invitations to Delta regional contest at Cleveevery student.

Between 1927 and 1930, the lot 9 a.m. and 12 noon on Saturday. place.

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Night Editor

MSC Housing Aid Hangs In Balance for the sublime, Kappa Mary

Nothing is more evident to both MSC students and their administration than the acute shortage of housing Haslett and just recently out of and classroom facilities that exists on this campus. Tuesday this fact was made evident to a group of Michigan legislators who can be instrumental in appropriating funds for an immediate emergency building program.

Following Pres. John A. Hannah's request to the Senate finance and House ways and means committee for \$11,993,200 for an urgent construction program on the campus, the legislative committee toured the campus to get a first hand look at the building needs of the college.

They had a chance to see 387 veterans jammed into the not-so-homelike atmosphere of Jenison fieldhouse, the unsightly and uncomfortable trailer houses for married veterans and their wives, and the students packed into living quarters in the Union building and over-crowded dormitories. They learned how students were having noon and land. June graduate in '45, has night classes because of overcrowded conditions.

Some of the legislators commented that conditions were "pitiful" and the situation "disgraceful." They haven't said yet what they will do about it.

In their hands rests the decision of whether the special session of legislature, meeting in Lansing Feb. 4, will grant the college the needed funds which President Han-

He has requested that \$300,000 be added to the funds already_appropriated. Seven hundred thousand dollars has been designated for a much-needed new classroom building, \$1,075,000 for veteran housing, and \$10,618,200 for other instructional buildings including physics, science, civil engineering and agricultural engineering buildings, and additions to the agriculture, home economics and chemistry buildings how on campus.

State financial aid for Michigan State college is long overdue. The college has received no building appropriations from the legislature since 1926, yet as a state institution it has been invested with the responsibility of educating an enrollment predicted to reach 10,000 within a year in a building plant equipped to accommodate 2,800 students. The only new buildings built on campus since 1926 have been handled through federal funds or as selfliquidating projects

The college is making every effort it can to accommodate students but it cannot be expected to carry on without financial assistance from the state for a sorely needed expansion of a rapidly growing institution.

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Affairs of State

By TONI EBNER and SALLY CLARK

WHY do noses turn red? Just ask the guy who owns one. This cold weather is enough

to stir up anybody's blood, but with a big imagination it's fun. to sit back in a warm room and dream that the electric light in front of you is the Florida sun. In spite of the flurries of nature life goes on.

Wedding bells echoed this week for Amy Scoren, Detroit junior, when she went up the aisle of St. Thomas Aquinas church to

Setting aside the more solemn turned out with a new engagement ring. tem is Jack Clifford, also from uniform.

A pair of roommates are in a mutually surprised state since they both turned up with diamonds. Jean La Bonte, Marquette sophomore, is strickly a ALPHA EPSILON RHO one-man proposition from now Members and pledges o

Along with the strikes and buzz of the big city we have gotten word of other vital happenigs taking shape down near Dediamond from Walter Wikoloski, also of Detroit

Sole pinning that looms into print for today concerns Chuck med tech honorary, will be held Ruck, president of Lambda Chi, tonight at 7:30 in room 112 of Jeffersonville, Ind., junior,

Vets at Abbot hall have gone president. est election reports. Newly electsophomore, and secretary is Bob Lansing senior. Gleffe, Detroit senior, Keeper of FTA AND ELEMENTARY ED cash box is the job of George Rudd, Muskegon Heights junior. Meeting of the Future Teachers of America and Elementary Edu-

Grin and Bear It .. . By Liebty



A fine mess this country's in when even our no to our wage offers!

Members and pledges of Alpha in room 107 Union and on. Her francee is Morris Gilbert, Fpsilon Rho, national radio hon- Kellogg group will back at State after his sojourn orary, will report for Wolverine "Experiences in Communith Uncle Sam and the boys." pictures tonight at 7 in the Un-ing," according to M Other ring bearer is Jet Watkins, ion ballroom, according to Joan her, president. Ann Arbor freshman, from Eric Carter, president and Kalamazoo DELTA GAMMA MU Beu, in the navy at Great Lakes. sophomore. Pledge meeting fol-

A CAPELLA CHOIR

There is room in the college a capella choir for six tenors. All being held Monday through Frie oit. Alpha Phi Rosemary How- college men are eligible, accord- day from 5 to 6 p.m. for the ing to W. B. Kimmel of the music department. ALPHA DELTA THETA

Meeting of Alpha Delta Theta,

Union annex. Pledges are asked and Annetta Wolfe, Grand Rapids to be there at 7:45, according to Marge Yerkey, Goodrich junior,

Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish hon- INTERNATIONAL CLUB president is John Jordan, orary, will meet in room 11 Un-Hamlet, N. C., junior, Vice-presi-dent' is Bob Wescott, Detroit Connie Helmer, president and center has been

Meeting of Delta Garama Ma, national fencing honorars be held tonight at 7:15 in the Wemen's gym. Fencing practices who wish to enter the AFLA Novice tournament Jan. 26. Twenty-five points will be given

A tea which

If you can reme those good old da could just yawn well, you're an old

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BY LONELY veteran, immediately if not sooner. Date with blonde: 53" or 4", 110 lb. Intentions strictly honorable. Call "Doc", 3-9093.

MALE OR FEMALE DRUMMER interested in playing with large or-ganized dance band. Call 8-2844. 68

TO RENT OR BUY a copy of "Personal Management and Industrial Relations" by Yoder. 8-3337. 66

BLACK and white stripe Parker pen. Thursday. Call Mae Wieneke, Mason Ext. 85. Reward. 68

GET RICH QUICK. Pilot's identifi-ation bracelet Engraved "J. D. An-terson." Return to North Campbell. Shirley Marzean. REWARD. 68

ONE pair white kid gloves. Sunday, Jan 6, at Pi Phi house. Please call room 209, Mason hall.

PAIR army air co.ps pilot's wings on or near the campus. Very dear to owner's heart. If found please noti-ty State News office. Marg Poole, 69

GOLD bracelet, flat oval links. Tuesday night in Kewpee's or on Grand River Reward, Call Mary Sayles, Ext. 86

THIN thinestone bracelet between Chi Omega house and Mason hall. Call Jackie Frost, Ext. 85. Reward.

ONE grey doeskin glove. Between fieldhouse, and Wells hall Monday night. Call Bell, Ext. 609. BROWN WALLET between the Pi Phi house and library, contains check. Call Collen Rudd, 8-3020. Re-ward.

SMALL silver horse pin set with rhinestones and a ruby eye. Call Jackie Marquis. Ext. 83. 69

PERSONAL

TOM-Are you homeless or phone-less? Mary Jane and Grace. 68

MARY JANE and GRACE - Was that Tom me? I'm available, you know. Hermie.

for eight practices. NEWMAN CLUB

The informal senior party scheduled by the Newman dal for tonight, has been postpone until next Thursday, according Helen Kroll, president and Lansing sophomore.

cording to Dr. Lee

question about it.

LAST TIMES PEARL BUCK'S "CHINA SKY WITH RANDOLPH SCOTT

FRI. - SAI JAMES CAGNEY SYLVIA SIDNEY

-in-. "BLOOD ON THE SUN"

COMING SUNDAY

LOVE LETTERS

WITH

JENIFER JONES JOSEPH COTTON

Star Michigan State Tackle Back

greeted daily by returning veterans with a spartan gracticon and with pus Charley feels more optimisabout a barg-up season in

the hard-thorging tackle did a State front line cleven. Connor discharged from

at right half-



hape as he talked with a News eporter 'yesterday,' stating that

46 was the year to beat Michigan, "With so many good boys from last year's team and others coming back, this year is bound to be it," Alger grinned,

Also rumored on his way back to the Spartan campus is Russ Gilpin, whirlwind quarterback on the same club as Conner. Giloin put in two seasons as a guard with the Second Air Force team that also had on its roster, Bulldog Turner of Chicago Bears, Frank Sinkwich, Lions, and other professional stars.

State Noses Out Wayne Five: Points for DePaul Contest

It was almost too close for comfort Tuesday evening in Detroit for the Michigan State basketball players as they slid by Wayne university 43-37, after trailing at the half 20-19. The outstanding play of Sam Fortino, Ollie White

and Shorty Krall was what & pulled the Spartans through n one of their poorest per-

ave probably oach Ben Van half and then



who was havkets and four rebounds.

DePaul Friago, he will with Don

more scoring Brandt.

also plans to use a sophomore ford from Niagara Falls, N. Y., no has seen little action this as a substitute at one of the

IFC Bowling

FALE TERM STANDINGS Won ha Tan Omega ha Nu ha Alpha Epsilon i Kappa Ten i Kappa Ten i Delta Theta mbda Chi Alpha pha Epsilon Pi pha Gamma Rho Upsilon mHouse

RIGH INDIVIDUAL GAMES argh Individual Galacter of the American Friza Sigma Nu 233 A Bremer, Sigma Alpha Eps'n 217 Septince, Phi Kappa Tau 208 en Schultz, Delta Sigma Phi 205 American Friza Chi 205 Marcha McCallat Theta Chi 206 American FarmHouse 201 eredith Yarling, Sigma Nu 200

WOMEN'S

By GLORIA OSTER .

WAA competition Tuesday evening, Joyce Alarie scored 13 of Captain of Teams her team's 17 field goals for 26 Ball and Reavely captained points in one of the most out- Spartan mat teams in 1923 and standing individual performances 35, respectively this season.

kids. Rushing parties and the regular Tuesday evening lecture kept the evening's activities to a minimum.

know you've been waiting for the latest badminton results, so here they are.

In block 1 Nan Vandervoort moved up into the top position th grabbing by winning her three recent matches, with Edna Beyer close behind as a result of her two out

Ruth Holm is pacing the field in the second group with her perfect 5 for 5 record. Also undefeated is Marion Duncan, Block Beyer was 3, who won each of her four tamous "Iron matches to take the lead

In the fourth block it's Audry his winter he Wilson and Mary Kay Babcock it his stride in the top places. The remaining p his spot to divisions are being headed by Jean Long, Lou Coolman, Heien for ou h DePaul's high- Nussdorfer and Sara McDonald, the hearts of all present and past

d Gene Stump's S' Natators Face forts. Waldron excellent defension in the second sec

Making their first home ap- of winning. pearance of the winter swimming season, the Spartan natators will face the University of Illinois at 3 Saturday afternoon in the Jen- To Win Column ison fieldhouse pool. Illinois is fresh from a win over Illinois

one victory over Northwestern. Leading the Illinois squad will shutout over Alpha Epsilon Pi. be Jim Haulenbeck, a free styler Big gun in the FarmHouse at-back from last year's squad. A tack was Bob Amerman who freshman, Dick Houcok, will also bowled over enough pins for a aid the Illini in the distance 487 total. Following on the heels events, while Tom Barber, for- of Amerman was Herman Lung Lost mer Spartan diver, will perform who came up with a 478.

against his old teammates. is undecided who to swim. How- each. Dave Schmidt and Dick ard Patterson, star backstroker, is Zobel were the pin topplers for in the hospital with the flu, but willard Cooley, former star, returned from service yesterday to don the togs of State. He will be a big aid in the backstroke department. in the hospital with the flu, but the Phi Delt keglers coming up don the togs of State. He will be

Athletic Director Ralph Young announced that all seats for the Illinois meet and also all home swimming affairs will be reserved for stu-

Collins Coached Two Triple-Win Mat Champions

(This is the second in a series of two articles concerning the career of Michigan Stite varsity wrestling ceach, Fendley Collins by the State News mat expert,

By KEN CLARK

In the early thirties Collins took a pair of farm boys, Stanlev Ball, 121 pound three-time NAAU champ, and Gordon Reavely, three-time NAAU WHEN the Eager Beavers bas. heavyweight champ, and developed ketball team thoroughly oped them from "green" kids inthumped th eSpots, 34-4, in to the great wrestlers that they

It may be truthfully said that In the only other scheduled Coach Collins is not only a game the Purple Passions won a builder of champion wrestlers 2-0 default victory over the KD but also a builder of character.

> All freshman and sophomore men interested in winning their numerals as track managers, report at Jenison fieldhouse track between four and six Wednesday or Thursday afternoon and see Coach Karl Schlademan.

He has a unique way of being associated with his men both while they are here at State and

Corresponds With Matmen

The coach has corresponded were serving the armed forces and has kept them up to date on affairs at State. It was through that a memorial was sugponent, Van-more scoring Brandt Wells and Elaine MSC wrestlers. This fact is borne out in a letter recently received from Dale Ball, a letter winner of the 37-8 and 39 mat teams Ball said, "Coach Collins is one of those rare individuals. He thinks more of the individual vellare of his boys than he does

FarmHouse Returns

The FarmHouse bowlers re-Tech, while State swimmers have turned to the victory column on

Phi Delta Theta and Alpha Coach Charles McCaffree still Gamma Rho split with two points with 450 and 461, respectively. George Webb held the AGRs together with his 494.

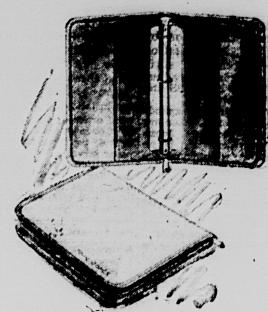
Sigma Chi picked up three points from Psi Upsilon with George Lawley who knocked over enough maple for 515 and Bob Ballard for 504, leading the way. The Psi Us were led by Jim Graves who hit for a 475 count.

What is done for another is done for oneself.—Paulus.

Liebermannis

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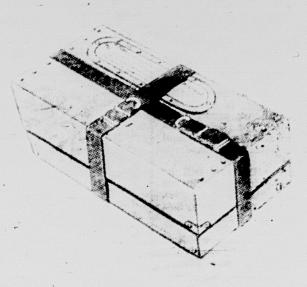
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Eisenhower Plans Speech Men to Vote On Formal Dress On Demobilization Snags

Johnson Proposes Draft Program

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 (P) - Senator Johnson (D., Colo.) proposed today that single men up to 45 and "lots' of 4-Fs be drafted to provide army replacements overseas. The War Department announced, meanwhile, that Gen-

eral Dwight D. Eisenhower will address the nation by army and back home as quickly radio on the demobilization as possible." He added that alproblem. The chief of staff ready 1,600,000 soldiers are will make a 15-minute broadcast at 9 p.m. Friday over CBS and possibly other networks.

If the draft is greatly expanded until May 15 and voluntary enlistments are increased, John-son said, "then there will be no years service. need to continue selective service beyond May 15, when it will ex-

Army's Plan

the War department order yesterday that by April 30 all en-listed men with 45 points or two the army's plan for a force of 1,500,000 by July 1 "can be cut down by af least 500,000 men." and a half years service be discharged or be aboard ship en route home.

Johnson, chairman of a Senate military subcommittee assigned to look into demobilization, outlined his views to reporters after its initial hearing

The problem of huge army surpluses, scattered over many Pa-cific islands and in Europe and Africa, arose as Atting Secretary of War Kenneth C. Royall testified. He said many soldiers are required to handle and guard these supplies.

By next July 1 when the army plans to cut down from a present 4,200,000 to 1,500,000, Royall Royall said, it may be necessary to abandon millions of dollars worth of surplus property to get men

Congress Anxious

Royall declared the War department is just as anxious as Congress to "get boys out of the

- THE -WOMEN'S WORLD

HOME EC

Miss Ruth Morrison will speak on teaching opportunities in foreign countries at an open vocational Home Ec meeting tonight at 7:30 m room 1 of the Home Economics building, according to Jeanne Mosson, Lake Odessa sen-ior and president of vocational Home Economics students. **ORCHESIS**

Pryouts for Orchesis will be today from 4 to 6 p.m. in the dance studio of the Women's gym, according to Marilyn Burley, East Lansing senior, president. HMCD HOME ECS

HMCD major's group will hold a meeting at 7:30 this evening in the nursery school. Miss Shirley Newsom will speak on professional ethics

WOMEN FLYERS

An important meeting of the Women's Flying club will be held at 9 tonight in room 115 of the Union annex. All members are asker to attend, according to Terry Des Rivers, Detroit fresh-

COUNCIL

(Continued from Page 1) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. when men students will vote yes or no on the question of whether to have open formal dances at State.

A committee was appointed to see Pres. John A. Hannah and the college faculty meeting to propose a recommendation that veterans be given physical edu-cation credits for their years in

As the ruling now stands, veterans do not take physical education courses, but have to make up the credits in other lines. The three-member committee is headed by Jack Deetz, Saginaw fresh-

Expert Horticulturist Speaks At Conference

Dr. J. H. Gourley is the main speaker for the annual conference of fruit growers meeting in the Horticulture building Tuesday, yesterday and today.

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Formal Dress

Are You in Favor of Having Open Formal Dances?

YES

The above blank is a reproduction of the formal dress ballot to be used in tomorrow's voting of all men students. The vote will be sponsored by Student council.

PLAY

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The roles of Addie negro house maid and will be done by Shirley East Lansing senior, an Morgan, Lansing fresh Caswell has appeared before in "Kind L."
"Ladies in Retirement while a prisoner of w. in prison camp show men in the cast are ver this war.

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Serious Drama

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