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## Today's Campus

### '46 Rate 'Hubba'

Like the fashions in millinery, the income tax report and the international picture, the MSC coed changes annually. An old-timer observed recently that in three years she has evolved from "cute" to "sharp" to "hubba-hubba."

### Say It Isn't So

Pledging triumph of the week: Psi U's report the pledging of one John Hanna, Pleasant Ridge junior. Any similarity to persons living or dead is purely coincidental.

## Captain Stassen Will Discuss Job Of Keeping Peace

Captain Harold E. Stassen, youthful ex-governor of Minnesota whose administration drew national acclaim, will appear on the lecture-concert series at 8:15 p.m. Wednesday in College auditorium.

Stassen will speak on the timely subject "Responsibilities of Victory." His belief that a global government can avoid a third world war will be founded on his extensive work at the San Francisco conference and other government work.

In 1927 Stassen received his B.A. degree from the University of Minnesota and graduated from law school two years later. This was followed by law practice in St. Paul, which led to his election as county attorney. In 1938 his reputation for leadership won him the position of Minnesota governor.

During the war, Stassen served as aide to Admiral William F. Halsey, famed for his Pacific exploits, and attended the Japanese surrender at Tokyo.

## Graduate Students To Take Examination

Graduate record exams will be given Monday and Tuesday, Paul Dressel, chairman of the board of examiners, has announced. The exams will cover the afternoon of the first day and Tuesday morning.

These exams are required by graduate schools of all graduate students. One-half of the tests will cover eight subjects in general fields. The other half will be advanced tests over the graduate's major.

## RADIO ROUNDUP

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### THIS MORNING—

7:30—Dawn Salute  
8:00—Early Morning News (Chuck Anthony)  
9:00—Good Morning Ladies (Joan Carter)  
9:30—News  
10:00—From the Music Room  
11:15—The Knapp Family  
11:30—Headline Edition (Larry Frymire)

### THIS AFTERNOON—

1:15—Novelty Bazaar  
2:15—Coleta Converse at the Piano  
2:30—For the Photographer (J. L. Beech)  
3:00—Symphonic Hour  
4:00—Tea Time Harmonies  
5:00—Song of Michigan  
5:15—Listen to the Band  
5:45—News of the World

## Weekend Doings —

Dances, Open Houses and Sleigh Rides Top Schedule of Today's Social Activities

By LIZ CORRY

Tonight's social list consists of open houses, sleigh rides, and radio and semi-formal term parties.

The Union board's weekly Party-Party will take place in the Union ballroom this afternoon from 3 to 5. It will be a stag drag affair and

Jimmy Shafer and his orchestra will supply the music for dancing. Shafer's band is just newly organized and this will mark their first appearance on campus. Before the war Shafer played with Dick Charles' band.

### Open House

Also from 3 to 5—the Kappa Alpha Thetas will hold an open house for men on campus. Toni Ebner, Grosse Pointe Park senior,

All off-campus men students who have paid fees and are registered in Wells hall can move in. Wendell Turner, manager of the dorm, said yesterday that all rooms are ready for occupancy now.

and Barbie Allen, Detroit junior, are in charge of the affair. They have stated that refreshments, dancing and card games have been planned. Mr. and Mrs. John Brattin will act as patrons at the open house.

"Heart Beat Hop" is the theme of the Alpha Gamma Delta semi-See SOCIAL, Page 4

## Radio Hobbyists Resume Activity

The radio club on campus is rapidly returning to an operating basis again. Richard Pennington, president of the organization said today that the rewritten constitution is now before the Student council and will soon reach Dean S. E. Crowe's office. As soon as those technicalities are finished, actual participation in the amateur radio world will begin again on campus.

The club, first begun in 1927 by Burr K. Osborne, ass't professor of electrical engineering. Except for a lag in interest between 1935-39, the club has been a continuing success, establishing contact with other amateurs all over the world from Russia to South America.

Membership in the club consist of those people who are interested in radio as a hobby or profession. Members build and operate their own receivers and transmitters. The club itself, is a part of the 5,400 amateurs in the United States.

There are only 10 members now in the club, and Pennington said he would like any person interested in radio to contact him. Veterans who have done radio work in service are especially invited.

## Noted Faculty Man to Speak

Noted artist, Walter Quirt, assistant professor of literature and fine arts at MSC, will lecture on "Love and Hate in Art," Tuesday evening at 8:15 in Music auditorium, according to Howard Church, head of the art department.

He is guest speaker of the college department of art and his talk will be sponsored on the fine arts lecture series. Non-Objective Art

Quirt, who came to State last fall from New York city is well known as a painter of non-objective art. He has exhibited his work in New York, St. Louis, Atlanta, and other cities. His work is represented in the Whitney museum and the private collections of the late George Gershwin and that of Madame Litvinov in Russia.

The artist will illustrate his talk with colored slides. The art department invites guests after the program to view his oil paintings which are being exhibited in the Music building art gallery until Feb. 2.

### New Yorker Magazine

According to the New Yorker magazine "His new pictures have a glaring quality that is almost frightening," but the critic finds the emotion behind it "more under control and the expression more assured."

## Legion Demands Bradley's Exit

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 (AP)—Gen. Omar N. Bradley, faced with an American Legion demand for his removal as veterans administrator, fired back tonight a heavy barrage of figures to show progress in his "short six months of stewardship."

And, answering a news conference question, Bradley said a "scrap last week over a hospital site preceded the blast cut loose at him by John Stelle, national commander of the American Legion."

The question of a hospital site at Decatur, Ill., in Stelle's home state, also came up in a telephone conversation Wednesday, Bradley said. But he added that he did not think that this talk with Stelle had "much to do with this attack."

## Spartans, Beware of the Shadow!

By MARGE LANDKAMER  
Time again for the debut of that famous weather prophet, the ground hog. His predictions, usually inaccurate, are nevertheless a great object of interest to those who believe that there's always a first time—even for being right.

February second is most likely the only hope—that-it's-cloudy-day in the year. But it will undoubtedly be fair weather with the shining sun tossing the little fellow's shadow in his full view.

This of course means six more weeks of the "wind and the snow in our hair." Naturally, all of this is of very little concern to the

ground hog. He has no classes to trudge to, no dates to trudge out on, and no goals to be constantly trudging toward. He can sleep for 42 more days—in comfort. What ground hog wouldn't attempt to spy his shadow for that?

The little busy-tailed animal is actually quite a lucky guy. Encyclopedias say each ground hog has as many as five rooms all to himself. State students will no doubt go down in history as the ones who changed the well known Ground Hog day to "I wish I were a ground hog day." Or perhaps the next step will be the investigation of aforementioned living conditions.

## Bevins Says Russia Threatens Peace

### British Secretary Demands Verdict

LONDON, Feb. 1 (AP)—Ernest Bevin openly accused Russia tonight of endangering world peace by "incessant propaganda" and demanded a straight yes or no verdict from the World Security council on Soviet charges that

Britain was jeopardizing peace by "intervention" in Greece.

In a gloves-off, cards-on-the-table session of the 11-nation peace council, the British foreign secretary declared:

"The real danger to peace is the incessant propaganda, the incessant attacks on Britain by the Moscow radio and the communists, as though there were no friendship with the British people."

### A Deeper Reason

Bevin, saying such attacks lead to suspicion, remarked he had difficulty in understanding why Russia made the complaint about Greece, and added: "I can't help feeling there is a deeper reason, known only to the Soviet government."

Bevin spoke bluntly after Soviet Foreign Vice-commissar Andrei Vishinsky told the council Russia insisted upon "quick and unconditional" withdrawal of British forces from Greece. Vishinsky charged the troops were "contributing to disorder" in an already "terrorized country."

### Accuses Russia

Bevin's statement, which included an accusation that Russia had installed a minority government in Romania, was followed by a short speech by Thanassis Agnides, the Greek delegate.

## Queen to Be Picked By Veterinarians For Annual Ball

The Medicine Ball, Veterinarian social highlight, will be held Feb. 16 in the Union ballroom. The queen will be chosen from a group of seven candidates.

The nominees are Evelyn Evans, Detroit freshman; Joyce Johnson, Royal Oak freshman; Jo Ann Klahn, Lansing freshman; Jo Mulholland, East Lansing junior; Olga Nitz, Baroda sophomore; Amy Scoren, Detroit senior; and Geraldine Raymer, Detroit sophomore.

A final election will be held between 10 and 5 Tuesday. Only members of the Vet division may vote at the polls, and the identity of the queen will be kept secret until the night of the dance.

This custom of electing a queen is relatively new compared to the traditions behind the dance. The first queen was presented to society at the 1942 Medicine ball with a coronation which included a gold and silver crown, an heirloom from Sweden. Since then the innovation has become a tradition.

The dance itself is much older. When the college originated the wheels in motion to create the Vet division in 1907, it set one of the most exclusive of the campus formal season's events.

Throughout the 39 years' existence of the ball's history it has been open only to members of the vet division. The only exceptions have been men attending the veterinarian post-graduate conferences held on campus, and these men are usually graduates of MSC.

## TIME TABLE

### TODAY—

Swimming meet, 8 p.m.  
MSC vs. Michigan  
Jenison fieldhouse

### TOMORROW—

International club, 4-6 p.m.  
International Center  
Hillel, 8:15 p.m.  
Peoples church

## Famed Artist Will Present Lute Concert

An unusual program consisting of sixteenth and seventeenth century music for three of the earliest known instruments, the lute, the virginal and the recorder, will be performed by Suzanne Bloch, well known lutenist and singer to the lute.

This concert will be under the direction of Collegium Musicum, Michigan State college musical organization, and will be given tomorrow afternoon at 4 in the Music auditorium.

### Polish Dance

Notable among the first six compositions, written for the lute, are "Polish Dance" by Mattheus Weissel, and "Fantasia" by Luys Milan. Seven selections, written for virginals, include "Prelude" by Orlando Gibbons, "Hornepype" by Hugh Ashton, and several compositions by French and Italian composers.

The third part of the program is three compositions for the recorder, "Allegro" (alto recorder) by Telemann, "Three French Dances" (soprano recorder), and "Three Ayres," of Elizabethan origin.

### Composers Included

Songs to the lute, concluding the program, are by Thomas Campion, English lyric poet and musician, Thomas Morley, John Dowland, Arien le Roy, and several other lesser-known composers.

Miss Bloch, daughter of the composer Ernest Bloch, won honors early in piano and composition and later, studying the manuscripts of early composers, she became interested in performing this music on instruments for which it was written.

## Thirty-Six Members Return To Faculty

Of the MSC staff members who served in various capacities during the war, 36 have resumed their duties at the college, a report from the president's office reveals.

Four of the 134 members of the staff granted leaves of absence were killed while serving in the armed forces.

Forty-two faculty members were granted leaves to work in various activities connected with the war effort. They have worked in numerous federal agencies including the Department of Commerce, the Office of War Information, and the Office of Price Administration. Others went with industrial concerns engaged in war production.

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## LETTERS . . . . To The Editor

TO the Editor:  
Personally I'm getting sick of hearing all this talk concerning no smoking on campus and yet nothing being done about it.

As I understand it, the Varsity club, before it dwindled to wartime membership, took the initiative to enforce this tradition. Whenever a student was caught smoking on campus he was dunked in the Red Cedar. What could be a more effective way to do it now?

If the Varsity club hasn't got the ability to take over the campaign, why doesn't the Student Council or some other campus organization do it?

Supposedly the Alpha Phi Omega, national service honorary, sponsors the campaign against breakage of the tradition. So far, all I've seen are signs pulled up and thrown about the campus.

Ignorance of the tradition is no excuse. By now 95 per cent of the students at least vaguely remember it as being mentioned previously.

People are clamoring for more student government. If this is how the students feel toward our campus and have so little concern over traditions which made it one of the most beautiful in the nation, then we had better let the administration take over. Disgusted.

DEAR Mason hall Groan-ups:  
When we were ten years old and wanted to go to two shows in one school week, Mama took time out to explain that we can't always do everything we'd like to do, even in a free country, because we don't live all by ourselves. Then she said "No," and we went into a tantrum because we were mistreated.

When you girls want so badly to do everything on a "back-home" basis, you're overlooking a few obvious facts. Haven't you forgotten that there are some 5,000 women concerned instead of just you and your sister? Haven't you forgotten that there are a good many of these 5,000 who don't smoke and two appreciate the 11 p.m. "no smoking" rule because it gives them a respite from the fog?

Haven't you forgotten that there was always one little gad-about who didn't know when to come in out of the rain, but that here there is no "mama" to administer pills to every poor, over-worked socialite?

Haven't you forgotten that as well as to hook a man, you also came to college to use your brain cells and that they and the rest of the physical body require sleep to function properly? Haven't you forgotten that the rules could be, and have been, a lot more severe, and that you're here on your own invitation and free to leave any time?

If you can be out 'til 3 a.m. every night you're home and still look fresh and lovely for an eight

o'clock housecleaning or baby tending class, we'd like your formula. And if your folks would tolerate this daily 3 a.m. deal, they're certainly more lenient than ours are. And if they are that lenient, do you think they'd permit the same all night interruption to the rest of the family if you had 20 sisters? Or 150?

You'd better warn the man before he takes that long trek to Mason hall that he won't be able to warm his toes inside if it's before 11:30 a.m. If that's going to frighten him away, he'd leave sooner or later regardless. And if GI Johnny is visiting here, tell him ahead of time that he can sleep in mornings, and see if he doesn't love you more for it.

We think the rules are as fair as circumstances permit, and we'd like to have the law-makers know that we appreciate it. When it comes time for us to vote, we'll be voting for better democracy where folks can give and take for the good of all—and we hope you'll do the same.

Jane Hansen  
Marion Haglund  
Laura Riegel  
Maxine Finkbeiner  
Sara Jane McDonald  
Elaine Somers

Robert Arkell, director of research at J. L. Hudson, Detroit, will speak to all seniors who are interested in retail and department store careers. The meeting will be held in room 101 of Home Economics building Monday at 8 p.m.

After hearing the discussion, those interested may call the placement office, Ext. 525, for individual interviews.

## CAMPUS CHURCHES

By LOIS KENT

### COLLEGE LUTHERAN

"Ye Shall Be Witnesses Unto Me" will be the topic at the service at 10:30 tomorrow morning, at which time confirmation of adults, reception of new members, and celebration of Holy Communion will take place. Bible class will be held at 10 a.m. Rev. William Young is pastor.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST

The theme tomorrow will be "Love." Services will be held at 11 a.m. in the Masonic temple. Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a.m. The reading room is open from 1 to 4:30 p.m. daily and from 3 to 6 p.m. Sunday.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The Rev. C. A. Bruch is pastor. Services will be held at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. tomorrow. Sunday school will meet at 10 a.m. and the young people's group will meet at 6:45 p.m.

### CENTRAL METHODIST

Dr. D. Stanley Coors will speak on the theme "Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will Be Done" tomorrow morning at 11. Sunday school will be held at 10 a.m.

### ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

"The Natural Law" will be the theme at the masses held at 8 and 10 a.m. and 12 m. tomorrow with Father Jerome V. MacEachin and Father Michael Mleko officiating.

### PEOPLES CHURCH

"The Man Who Loves Folks—Elisha" will be the topic discussed by Dr. N. A. McCune at the services held at 9:30 and 11 tomorrow morning.

### ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

Masses will be held tomorrow at 6, 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:10 a.m. and 12:40 p.m. Monsignor Francis J. Hardy and assistants officiating. The topic will be "Marriage Vows."

### CHRIST LUTHERAN

The Rev. E. L. Woldt will speak on the subject "Gospel Ministry" at the service at 10:45 a.m. tomorrow. Sunday school and Bible class are held at 9:30 a.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

"The Great Impersonation" will be the topic at the service held at 11 tomorrow morning. The college age group will be guests at the Peoples church at 7:15 p.m.

### CANTERBURY HOUSE

Holy Communion will be administered at 8 tomorrow morning in Chapel of Christ the King. Canterbury club will meet at 6:30 p.m. when a supper will be served to which veterans and their wives are welcome. The Rev. Richard O. Peterson, new parish assistant, will be present.

### CONGREGATIONAL

"Screw-tape Letters," a book of letters from the divine to his assistant on earth, will be read.

### PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE

Students are invited to the "Philosophy of Life" seminar, conducted Sunday evening from 7 to 8 at Plymouth house, 213 W. Allegan street in Lansing. The seminar will be in the charge of Dr. Robert M. Bartlett and the Rev. Dale Turner, ministers of Plymouth Congregational church.

## Grin and Bear It . . . . By Lichty



"I got a lotta figurin' on my tax this year!—I gotta get my wages lost during strikes to get the raise I'm entitled to!"

## INFORMATION

### HILLEL

Dr. Robert M. Bartlett, minister of the Plymouth Congregational church, will be guest speaker at Hillel Sunday at 8:15 p.m. at Peoples church in the Governor's room. His topic will be "A New Religion for a New World." All students are cordially invited to attend, according to Ruth Stein, publicity chairman.

### WOMEN BOWLERS

All women bowlers who are interested in bowling in the inter-collegiate tournament, and who do not already bowl on Saturday afternoon at the Spartan, should give their names to Miss Park-

er at the Women's gym or contact Lou Coolman at South Campbell. All names should be turned in not later than Tuesday.

### DELTA GAMMA MU

All women members should attend a meeting of Delta Gamma on Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. Resolutions for pledging will be discussed at this time, and pledges will be selected from this group on Wednesday. If you are unable to attend, but wish to be considered for pledgeship in the inter-collegiate tournament, call on Evelyn Johnson, East Main, or Elliott, Mason hall.

# Church Directory

### PEOPLES CHURCH

Interdenominational  
WORSHIP SERVICES  
9:30 and 11:00  
"THE MAN WHO LOVED FOLKS—ELISHA"  
Sixth in a Series of Great Bible Characters by  
N. A. McCUNE  
VEPERS AT 7:15  
The guest speaker will be the Reverend Arthur Cruickshank of Mason. Topic—"We Must Be the World We Want."

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- MAROON gold trimmed overshard fountain pen between Union Annex and Charles St. Call Mary Ann, 2-7435. 81
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  - MAN'S light brown felt hat, near auditorium, Thursday night. Call 4-4198. 81
- MISCELLANEOUS**
- INTERESTED in summer stock theater work? Send card with name, address, phone number and qualifications to room 312 Abbot hall. 80
- FOR EXCHANGE**
- WILL TRADE new pair of men's roller skates, new matched riding boots and breeches for portable typewriter. Call Joe Feldmann, D-1 Wells, hall. 82

# Beating The Odds

By ROGER CESSNA

WHEN big Marv Fraser drove across the finish line some 40 odd yards ahead of the Ohio State runner to win the mile relay and give the Spartans a convincing meet victory Saturday night, it was reminiscent of another "big lead, a lead that was dissipated by one of the most famous falls in track history. It all took place in the Illinois memorial stadium during the annual of the 1944 Big Ten track championships. Big names were in the order of the day, but the most prominent name was that of Claude "Buddy" Young, the little negro of Illinois who had won the mile relay at the time that Bob and Alvin of Michigan locked up the first four places in the mile run for the Spartans. He was followed by Alvin in the 440 and the 100 yard dash by Jim Kelley and Alvin in the 220. It was evident that this was to be a meet between Michigan and Illinois with the other schools only adding to the excitement.

**Around Strength**  
Seen the all-around strength of the state of the Maize and Blue began to tell, and only the Spartans' victories by Young in the 220-yard dash and the broad jump kept Illinois in the meet. Coming up for the 220 yard hurdle there was hardly a chance that anyone could even touch Young and it looked as if Illinois could shove its way to the title by winning this event and taking the mile relay in any combination of their line quarter-milers.

Then it happened. One of the May underdogs touched off to start the near-perfect run. The sun disappeared, and the rain started to slant down in sheets.

**Had Half An Hour**  
The rain on the meet delayed while the oval became flooded with six inches of water. Then the crowd and the athletes fled back to watch the hurdles and the mile relay, events which would decide the 1946 Big Ten championship. Young crashed in an inside lane in a puddle of water that splashed into his shoes, and when he cracked, he leaped into instant lead just as every- one predicted.

Followed by Jack Martin of Michigan, who closed behind, Young sailed over the low hurdles which were not even too high for his 5 feet and 7 inches. He gave him an odd broken run. Soon he had opened up 15 yards of daylight between himself and Martin.

**A New Record**  
Perhaps as he swam over the last hurdle, the colored star slipped at the last part of the race which was clear of water because of his terrific start speed. It meant his death at the end of the day, an unlabeled feat, and maybe a new record to help clinch an elusive championship.

At his back foot failed to clear the hurdle, threw Buddy Young and finally spilled him into the water. For an instant he struggled desperately to reach his feet and still gain the victory, but his legs failed to clear and Martin of Michigan stepped over the outstretched arms to break the tape, a win-

ning despite the unusual conditions. His time was 24.5 seconds, 1.2 seconds off the world's record. Young's winning would probably mean clipping either second or two off this

to complete the story the mile relay team for the Black and Blue fared poorly, and the heartbreaking fall of the winning quartet losing the laurel crown, but Buddy, through no fault of his own had a new way for Beating the

# State Swimmers Set For Michigan Meet

## Unbeaten Men Swim Today For Varsity

Spartan swimming fans who want to get seats for the torrid Michigan State-University of Michigan meet tonight better get over to the Jenison fieldhouse pool well before the starting hour of 8.

Coach Charles McCaffree predicts another full house, which probably means that over 800 spectators will fill the seats and aiseways to watch what will no doubt prove the best tank affair on the State card this winter.

**Plenty of Close Races**  
There will be plenty of close races and undoubtedly several varsity and meet records will fall due to pressing the opponents will force on one another. Most-talked-of race is the 440 between Abel Gilbert, South American ace swimming for State, and Matt Mann, III, son of the Wolverine coach.

Both men have been undefeated this year with Mann turning in better times. However, there is little doubt that the stepped up competition will prompt Gilbert onto better things and there is a very good chance that the Spartan will come out ahead of Mann.

## Abbott Keglers Open New League

The new Abbot hall bowling league got under way this week, and a record turnout of 18 teams began mowing them down in the Rainbow alleys every Monday and Thursday evenings.

Although the teams are composed entirely of war veterans who have been away from the alleys for a number of years, it hasn't taken the men long to get back in their old stride, and already they are knocking down a record number of pins.

Mike Haley, Ithaca, Mich., junior, of precinct 13, turned in the highest individual score of the past week with a 233. Don Warner, also of precinct 13, a Three Rivers freshman, was in second place with a 207. Daniel Ryan, a graduate student from Kalamazoo, is in third place with a 204.

John Aalsburg, from precinct 13, an East Grand Rapids sophomore, rolled a 203 for fourth place. The last man to enter the charmed circle with a score of 200 or better is William Peek, Jackson, Mich., sophomore, from precinct 13, who hit 200 on the nose.

From the results of the first week's work it looks as if Abbot hall competition this year is going to be plenty hot. Already the boys are ready to challenge other top-notch teams in this area.



**They're NOT SURE ITS'S LOVE BUT THEN, THEY'RE "TOO YOUNG TO KNOW"**

JOAN LESLIE ROBERT HUTTON

**STATE THEATER - STARTS SUN.**

## WOMEN'S SPORTS

By BARBIE ALLEN

FOR the second straight year Elizabeth Hammond, Niagara Falls, N. Y., sophomore, has been crowned champion of the WAA badminton tournament by virtue of her recent double wins over Margaret Wells, Miss Hammond, of the Alpha Phi sorority, was undefeated throughout the competition.

Badminton doubles tourney will begin Monday afternoon at 5 in the Women's gym.

IN the basketball round robin Wednesday, two major upsets occurred as the Eager Beavers and the Sanford 8 were defeated for the first times this season by the Winooskies and the Lonely Hearts, respectively.

The Gremblins defeated Shaw house 24-15, while the Slippery Shakers overwhelmed the Hot-foots 22-9. Willie's Terrors scored 22 points to the East Mayo team's 14 for another win.

The Abbot Spartans shut out the Shooting Stars, 2-0. Robinson house took the Purple Passions 20-11.

THE Michigan division of the Amateur Fencers' League of America, who held their novice women's foil competition last Saturday in the Michigan State Women's gym, announces that Pauline Ellwood, who is only 15 years old, placed first. Miss Ellwood is of the Salle De Tuscan studios of Detroit.

Marilyn Johnson, an MSC co-ed, took runner-up honors, while another Salle De Tuscan fencer, Monica Summerfield, took third place.

The junior women's foil competition will be held Feb. 17 in Detroit at the Salle De Tuscan studios, according to Miss Katherine Arnett, women's physical education instructor.

## On the Road

**Basketball**—Tonight in Lexington, State vs. University of Kentucky. Monday in Cincinnati, State vs. University of Cincinnati.

**Wrestling**—This afternoon in Evanston, State vs. University of Minnesota and University of Northwestern in a tri-angular meet.

## Kobs Expects Banner Year For 1946 Baseball Squad

By MARTY HANRAHAN

Although this year's baseball season is still young, the Spartan ball team is gradually working into shape and Coach John Kobs expects a banner year in 1946.

The pitchers and catchers have been loosening up for three weeks now and are beginning to show the stuff that made State's pitching staff one of the most potent in the midwest last year.

Joe Skrocki, Detroit senior, big winner for the 1942 State ball team and Keith Steffee, Sturgis junior, last year's leatling moundsman, are currently burning them in and are leading this year's crop of promising pitchers.

A regulation batting cage has been set up during the indoor practice sessions and the pitchers are currently trying to find the plate while slowly developing their control.

Coach Kobs said that within the next ten days a limited number of infielders and outfielders will begin practice. Due to the fact that playing space is limited in Demonstration hall,

## Shuttle Relaymen To Hold Spotlight In Track Carnival

All eyes at the coming Michigan State Relays Carnival will be on the Spartan shuttle hurdle relay team, already labeled by other experts as one of the most outstanding in the middle-west.

In order to field a shuttle team a track coach must have four better than average hurdlers. The event is run over a 75 yard standard hurdle course with two members of a team at each end.

One man runs the distance, whereupon his team mate at the opposite end takes off toward the original starting line. This is repeated with the other two tracksters. Not all of the competing schools will enter shuttle teams, but Ohio State is sure to after winning from State last week because a Spartan jumped the gun.

Kobs said that only those men whose playing ability was already recognized and those with considerable experience, would be called out.

Kobs is well satisfied with the way his men are progressing and says that when the spring training trip rolls around next month, his boys will be ready to meet the strongest opposition that will be offered in Dixie-land.

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# Mixed Dancing Classes Find Willing Students

## Freshmen Not Allowed In Course

By KATHIE MULL

Arm correctly wrapped around a coed's waist thrice weekly, some 39 fellows on campus are proving willing Arthur Murray proteges in the two mixed social dancing classes sponsored by the women's physical education department this term.

First reappearance of the ballroom course since the war, its reception has been tremendous and no less than 50 men students had to be turned away at registration.

Although enrollment is restricted to sophomore and upperclass women, the class is open to any

not separated for the first six weeks from their coed partners to receive "lead" instruction in Jenison gym as before.

Prof. Ann L. Kuehl, who teaches the beginning course, pointed out that since the class is for people who supposedly have never danced before, a picture of the ballroom dance as it is organized

thm," Miss Kuehl added.

According to Miss Kuehl, everything is presented rhythmically. For about the first two weeks the students dance by themselves, to get confidence. The course briefs the dancing enthusiast on two dancing forms, usually foxtrot and waltz.

### Original Steps

Always attempting to challenge her students' imagination in creating original steps, Miss Kuehl herself has an excellent dancing past.

On State's faculty since '30, she has studied at the University of California, University of Wis-

consin and received her M.A. from Columbia university. She also was a pupil of Arthur Murray in New York, Arthur Hostettler in Vienna, and at the Marzarteum in Salzburg, Austria.

Leading the intermediate students through their paces is Mrs. Wanda B. Wesslund, who has danced with Arthur Murray himself in New York. A graduate of State in '33, Mrs. Wesslund also studied in other dance studios in New York and with Phil Osterhouse in Grand Rapids.

Both of these social dancing courses are only offered during fall and winter terms.

## Shortage of Grain Threatens Nation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—A grain shortage so threatening that some officials are talking of the possible necessity of return to rationing of meat and other animal foods will come for full-scale cabinet discussion Tuesday.

This was disclosed by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson today. He talked with a representative of the White House today, after a preliminary discussion with President Truman at the White House today.

The grain shortage situation has far-reaching implications for both domestic and export supplies.



Dancing to tango rhythms in the advanced social dancing class offered for the first time on campus this term are Virginia Meek, Toledo, O., junior; Charlie Sisler, Clovis, N. Mex., freshman; Mary Lou Swartout, Allegan freshman; Peter Gerns, Canton, O., sophomore; Barbara Shipton, Grosse Pointe sophomore, and Jim Martin, East Tawas freshman.

year men students and carries one-credit compensation.

### Intermediate Section

In addition to a beginning dance section, intermediate work for the person who has danced before is now offered and takes the enrollee straight through the basic two-step to the delfoy. In this section women students outnumber men.

Also the teaching program has been revised so that the men are

and grown from birth is first presented.

"Almost without exception people have wrong ideas about steps and what the foxtrot is. I try to indicate that the foxtrot is a big family or a big form with a certain quality, rhythm, and step typical of it, but teach variation of movement instead of a step. People get lost if they think that there's one particular step they must rely on for a certain rhy-

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(Continued from Page 1) formal term party which will be held in the Union ballroom tonight. Music for the dancers will be furnished by Dick Snook and his orchestra. Joyce Howlett, Howell senior, has announced that a photographer will be on hand throughout the evening to "snap" pictures of the couples.

### Moonlight Cocktail

The Delta Zetas also have a semi-formal term party planned for tonight. They have chosen "Moonlight Cocktail" as the theme for the affair and the house will be decorated accordingly. Gene Devine and his orchestra will render the latest tunes from 9 to 12. Carroll Bratz, Adrian junior, is chairman of the dance, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Leepa, and Prof. and Mrs. Don Cation will act as patrons.

The women of North and South Williams are holding open house tonight for all men students on campus. The dorm will be decorated in a "February Holiday" fashion, and Peg Marshall, Richmond junior, has stated that refreshments will be served. This event will take place from 8 to 12.

### Hayride, Radio Party

From Mason hall comes word that the coeds of precinct 1 are sponsoring a hayride and radio party for their guests tonight. The hayride will begin at 7:30 and the dance will follow at 9 p.m. Mary Ann Bowman, Royal Oak sophomore, is chairman of this informal get-together. Chaperons will be Prof. and Mrs. Julian Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bulanski.

In honor of their pledges the

Gamma Phi Betas have planned a sleigh ride and slumber party for tonight.

Marion Vandall, Royal Oak senior, is in charge of the radio party which the Delta Gamma are giving tonight from 9 to 12. Patrons for the affair will be Prof. and Mrs. B. B. Roseboom and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bull.

As a way of concluding their "Hell week," six Delta Sig pledges will give a party for the actives tonight. The affair is under the supervision of Jack Keller, Kalamazoo freshman, and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Knittel and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Knapp will act as chaperons.

### Sun Valley Party

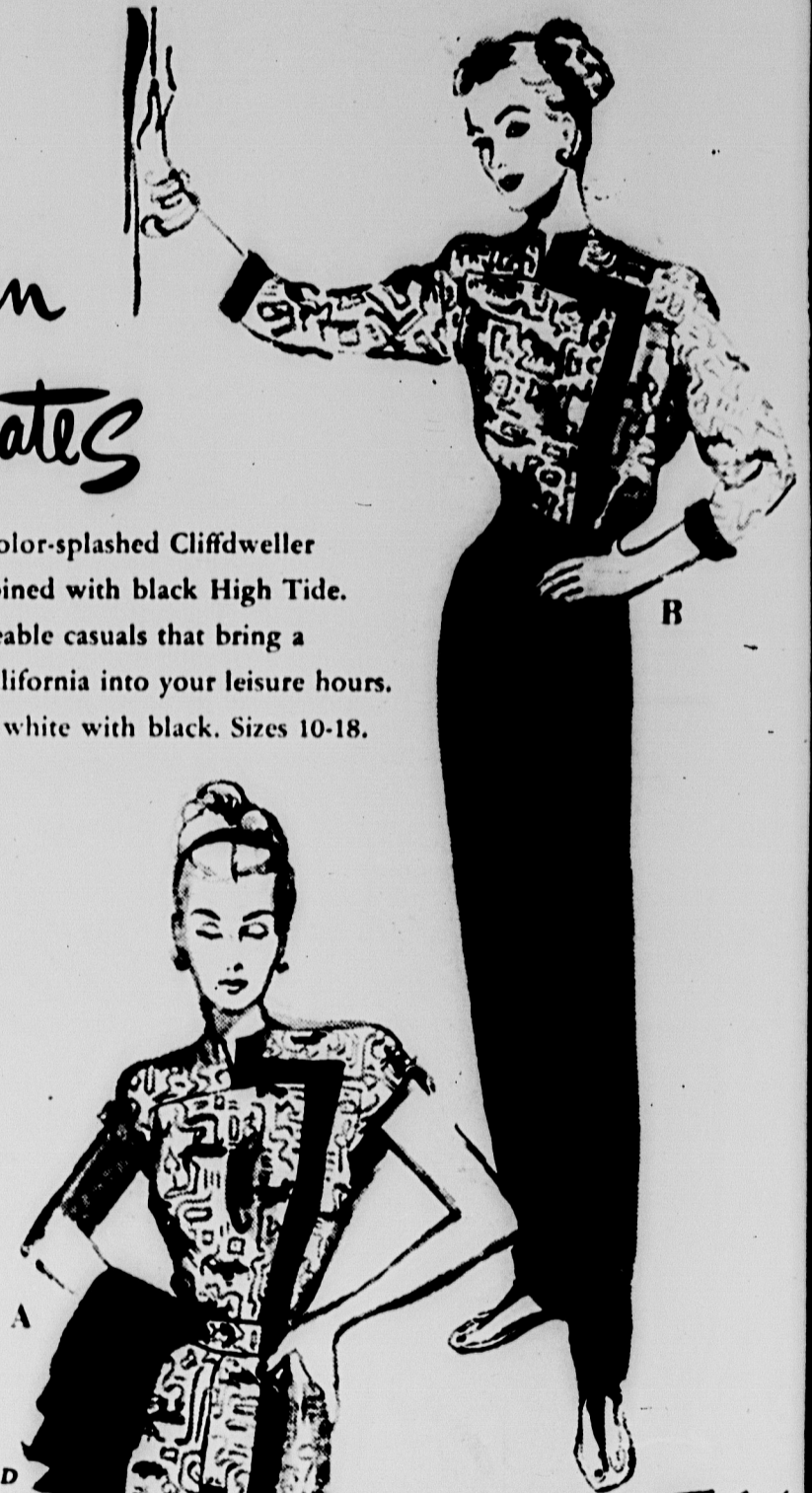
The Alpha Omicron Pis will honor the Sigma Chis, the Alpha Gamma Rhos, the Alpha Tau Omegas, and the Sigma Alpha Epsilons at a Sun Valley party in the Forestry cabin tonight. Marian Treynor, Olivet junior, is chairman of the party.

Tomorrow afternoon from 2:30 to 4 the Sigma Chis will entertain the women who have been selected as their fraternity sweetheart candidates at a tea, according to Bob Roland, Detroit sophomore. Their choice for sweetheart will be made known next Tuesday night when they serenade the winning coed. The women will be judged on their beauty, scholastic ability, extra curricular activities, and personality. Mrs. Isabelle Gonon, counselor of women, and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hill, head of farm management, will be in the receiving line.

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