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RECAPITULATION

With the last regular classes for the academic year ending today, this number of the Michigan State News is the final one to be issued until the first week of school next fall.

The present staff of the paper is ending its first term of publishing the paper. During this period many things have been attempted, new methods tried out, some adopted, others eliminated. Primarily we have tried to give the student body of Michigan State all the news of the campus, express our sincere opinions, uncolored by prejudice, of events occurring. Great effort has been expended in making the paper financially stable and independent from debt.

Many difficulties have been encountered, problems presented. Some have been met and

solved, others remain to face us next fall. The business staff has materially improved the circulation system as those living in private homes in East Lansing will know. These subscribers have received their paper on the day of publishing instead of one or two days later. This department of the paper has also demonstrated their ability in maintaining the publication on a sound financial foundation, which condition will be absolutely necessary with the cut in subscription fee to be faced next fall.

Criticisms have been prevalent regarding the amount of advertising in our columns. This has been unavoidable. Some issues run short and the deficit has to be made up in following numbers. Few students realize the size of the business end of a paper. Every week expenses running from \$250 to \$300 have to be met, a monthly cost of over \$1,000.

The editorial staff has been proficient in providing some 6,000 words of news material twice weekly, arranging and preparing it for the press. Every issue has been out on time. Occasionally there have been achievements, outstanding in our mind being the announcement of the new president, which was written, set up, printed, and on the streets twenty minutes after the word was issued.

Numerous complex situations have arisen during the past term which we believed should have attention in our editorial column. Often it has been dif-

icult to determine the attitude to be adopted. A strong comment has been on as accurate information was obtainable and for the best interests of the student body and the college. Next fall we will continue our journalistic work toward further improvement and serve the student body to the best of our capabilities.

FRESHMEN HAVE CAP AND GOWN

(Continued from page 1)
Theatricals of the freshmen were a success. This was suggested by the attendance and the enthusiasm of the audience. The attitude of the freshmen certainly allayed the fears of the older students. The freshmen seemed to be a family unit, and they were very friendly. The freshmen were very well dressed and their behavior was very good. The freshmen were very well liked and they were very popular. The freshmen were very well liked and they were very popular.

gling pitifully from their hands, they gave up the fruitless search and went home.

COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES TO END ON JUNE 18

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The 20th annual commencement exercises, Monday, June 18, the seniors, speaker members of the faculty, those to receive advanced degrees, and the state board will gather in front of the gymnasium at 9:45. Forming in line behind the band, the procession will make its way to the demonstration hall where ushers will seat the dignitaries while those receiving degrees will be placed immediately in front with guests seated behind.

The commencement address is to be delivered by Dr. Eugene Davenport, an alumnus of this college with the class of '78, now dean and professor emeritus of agriculture at the University of Illinois. His subject will be "Education in a Democracy."

After another number by the Michigan State band, conferring of degrees will take place with President Robert S. Shaw awarding the diplomas.

The commencement ceremonies will close with the recessional, "Hail America," played by the band, and events of the school year of 1927-28 will be ended.

EXPECT LARGE CROWDS TO ATTEND ALUMNI DAY

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The baseball game at 3 o'clock with the University of Michigan will be followed by the annual sunset supper at 5:45 in Demonstration hall. Jason Hammond, '86, general chairman for Alumni day activities, will be in charge.

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BASEBALL TEAM SHUTS OUT HOPE BY 11-0 SCORE

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U. OF M. NEXT

In a slow game played on the Spartan diamond Thursday afternoon, the Michigan State baseball team defeated the Hope college nine 11-0. Two double plays by the Spartan infield one in the seventh and one in the ninth, furnished a little excitement for the fans. The game was previously scheduled to be played on Wednesday afternoon but the rainy weather prevented this.

Jerry Byrne shut out the Hope college men in great shape. The Michigan State right hander allowed but three well scattered hits and struck out 11 batters.

Michigan State scored in the first inning increasing their lead as the innings went on. With one out Eggert walked, Rinehart singled and Eggert scored on a single over second in the first inning for the Spartan tally in the first frame.

The third inning proved to be a big one for the Green and White wearers when three hits, one error, and a sacrifice counted for three runs. State also scored in the fifth, sixth, and eighth.

The visitors really threatened only once. This was in the fifth inning when errors by McCauley and Eggert allowed two men to get on base with one out. However, no damage was done because the leading runner whiffed at the plate while Byrne whiffed another. The side was retired when DeLoak flew out to Byrne.

Double Plays Feature

McCauley and Mary Eggert pulled a pretty double play in the seventh inning while Crall, Eggert, and Hoisington pulled one in the ninth. The first one was the fastest of the two. With one out and a man on first, Klay drove a would-be hit through the box. McCauley ran over toward second base, making a fine stop, then turned and tossed it to Eggert, who threw it to Hoisington to complete the double killing. It was the prettiest play seen here this season. With one out in the ninth and one man on base, Haink grounded to Crall who hurried the ball to Eggert who in turn threw it to Hoisington, ending the game.

Hoisington, State first baseman, led the hitting with three singles out of four trips to the plate. State's Macier and Max Crall also did well at bat.

Couch Kobs started a new infield lineup in the game Thursday. Crall was kept on the sidelines while McCauley started out at third base. Eggert covered short and Watkins second.

This combination worked fairly well but the Spartan coach decided to put Crall in the game in the sixth and shifted Eggert to second. McCauley taking short. Hoisington was on first as usual, while Hayden performed behind the bat for the first seven innings. Pevic caught the last two innings. In the outfield Rinehart, Macier, and Davis chased flies.

The Kobsmen only have two more games on their 1928 schedule, these being with the University of Michigan baseball nine. The Michigan team this year are West's national championship and will meet the Spartans at Ann Arbor on Friday, June 15, while they will prove to be a big attraction on the annual Alumni day program to be held here on Saturday, June 16.

AWARD PRIZES IN LITERATURE CONTESTS

(Continued from page 1)
Poetry was judged by Miss Ruth Lechlitter of New York, Prof. Will T. Hale, associate professor of English at Indiana University, and Prof. John B. Nykerk of Hope College.

These interesting and absorbing essays were Prof. E. T. Rankin, department of English of University of Michigan, George Spraul, department of English, Western State Normal, and Prof. Samuel B. Sloan, department of English, University of Iowa.

W. A. A. MAKES FINAL ATHLETIC AWARDS

Coads have received the final awards of spring term at the close of the W. A. A. sports season. The old English 8, representing 1,000 points earned in the various sports offered by the association, has been given to Margaret Longmeyer, Margaret Stohager, and Henriette Scovell. The monogram, containing the girls' class numerals, has been awarded to Dorothy Adams, Annie Becker, Isabel McIntyre, Ruth Preston, Gladys Traynor, Eunice Wims, Elizabeth Burge, and Dorothy Holden.

Appointment to honor teams also is made every term. This is the choosing from the various class teams the girls excelling in that particular sport. Isabelle King, Marjorie Marks, Jeanne Stokes, Helen Farrow, Margaret Stohager, Marjorie Woodworth, Alice McWood, and Audrey Glenn made the honor swimming team. For baseball, Winifred Kalkbrenner, Gladys Traynor, Zelda Devine, Erma Trank, Alice Hunter, Doris Kain, Marie Bostelman, Ruth Fender, and Dorothy Bowditch were chosen. The archery team consists of Isabelle King, Annie Becker, Dorothy Adams, Florence Nugent, and Barbara Dell.

SET TRY-OUT DATES FOR ATHLETIC SOCIETY

Dates have been announced for try-outs for membership in the Sigma Delta Psi, honorary athletic fraternity. Those who desire to enter the tryouts should see Mr. Young or Mr. Rortt in the director's office at once. Tryouts which are to be held at 4:30 p. m. are as follows: Friday, June 8, 100 yard swim, college pool; Monday, June 11, 100 yard dash, shot put, and high jump; Tuesday, June 12, 220 yard low hurdles, broad jump, and baseball throw; Wednesday, June 13, pole vault, mile run, and football punt.

SEND SIX TRACKMEN TO N. C. A. A. MEET

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This national meet, while has been making excellent time lately. In the mile, his time of 4:22 last week at central Intercollegiate meet shows Brown likewise made very good time at the same meet when he won the two mile run in 9:35.7. If they can improve on these records, or even run at the same rate, they are fairly sure of places up in front in their respective events. Clark in the mile and Willmarth in the two mile run also stand a pretty good chance of coping places.

The pole vault will have such men as Barnes of the University of Southern California, Gary of Yale and many others who are capable of better than 12 feet. McAttee's chances of a place in this event are good if he will stay up in the 13 foot class. Last Saturday he won from Roy of Notre Dame and Glaser of Marquette by going 11

feet, and when he tried 13 feet he just missed. Henson will be State's representative. He will put up for both the 100 and 220, especially in the 220, although he is running against some of the best college sprinters in the country. Paul Smith and Tom represent State in the shot put. Although they made any outstanding showing under the strap, they may under the strap, they won the shot at legitimate meet last year. Those earning numeral sweaters in human baseball this spring are as follows: Dwight W. Brown, Keith Byrne, Clarence Callahan, Stanley Cornwell, John Gafner, Edward Gibbs, Gordon Hoy, Harris Kahl, Wendal Knisel, John Langdon, Stanley Leary, Gerald Maskrey, Stephen Maire, Daniel Prendergast, Don Ridler, William Rinker, Edward Scott, Leonard Turpe, John Van Dam, and Roy Warner. William Peck, a junior, received the managership award.

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Jennings, '30. Service went to Walter Ayrault, '29 and C. Monroe, '30. Freshman tennis numerals: Willis Pondington, '29, O. Knox, '31, Lyle Shadler, '29, Franklin Sherer, '31, Burdette, '31, and Gerald Finlay, '31.

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