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DRIVE'S OBJECT WILL BE TO ADD NEW STUDENTS

Emmons Consults Faculty Committee and Student Leaders On Question.

AIM AT HIGH SCHOOLS

Competition From U. of M. and Outstate Colleges Has Lowered Enrollment Here.

"High school graduates come to us in spite of ourselves and not because of what we deliberately do to attract students to Michigan State college."

These were the opening remarks offered by Professor L. C. Emmons before the faculty committee appointed to contact prospective students and a group of representative campus leaders who met Tuesday afternoon in Olds hall to initiate a program for increasing next fall enrollment of new students at this institution.

State's Enrollment Low. Registration marks at nearly all colleges of the nation were reported to have fallen off in greater or less degree for the past several years, but the marks reached at Michigan State have tumbled more in proportion to total enrollment than at most other colleges. This existing condition was attributed largely to the fact that out-of-state colleges, especially those of the east, have been prominent in their efforts to attract Michigan's high school graduates and draw prospective matriculants from this state.

We have many advantages to offer our students," Professor Emmons asserted, "which are equal or even superior to the attractions which these other colleges hold forth to an undergraduate. He summarized briefly work which has been carried on by the faculty committee under his chairmanship and pointed out that if future contacting is to be done in anywise near the degree that other institutions have found necessary, there must be an organized support given by the alumni association and student body.

Wayne County Lays

For purposes of illustrating the point that this college is weak on the representation of students in what appear to be local districts of the state to draw from, Emmons employed an outline map of Michigan colored by counties to show the present number of Michigan State undergraduates per 10,000 population that comes from these counties. From Wayne county it was brought out that five times more college students are attending the University of Michigan than are enrolled here. Kent, Genesee and Kalamazoo counties including the cities of Grand Rapids, Flint and Kalamazoo within their boundaries show similar increases. The plan of the committee is to work in co-operation in contacting high school seniors throughout the state with a student committee being formed in each county. Various student groups throughout the state will also be called on for assistance.

Another meeting of the committee is scheduled for this afternoon when work on appointing these student and alumni groups will be started.

Members of the faculty committee met Tuesday with Professor Emmons included A. H. Nelson, Charles W. Bachman, G. O. Stewart, Ed Yakelev and K. H. McDowell. The representatives from student organizations were Doug Michlin, University Council, Ed Koenig, Blue Key, Louis Adams, Student Council, Helen Abbott, A. W. S. Jace, Student Pan-Hellenic council, Minard Parley, Michigan State News, and Helen Hendrickson, Spartan Women's League.

DIRKS APPOINTED TO STATE GROUP

Dean of Engineering is Named on Planning Commission.

Dean Dirks has been one of the men appointed by Governor Cushman to a state planning commission which was requested by the Federal authorities. Although no definite plans have been arranged as to the duties of the commission it is devoted most of its time to the development of a land use plan. Professor Lewis M. Gram of the University department of civil engineering has been appointed head of the commission. Other members of it are Claude A. Carner, head of the department of labor and industry, Burnett J. Abbott, secretary of state administrative board, Paul E. Voelker, superintendent of public instruction, George F. Horn, director of conservation, and Murray D. VanWagoner, highway commissioner.

BY YOUR COURAGES AT THE COLLEGE FLOWER SHOP. 211 ABBOT ROAD.

To Lead Band for Military Formal



Correy Lynn

Arriving here from Chicago tomorrow, Correy Lynn and his band will furnish entertainment and music for dancing at the annual military formal to be held Friday evening. Although only in advanced military studies and bandmen, it is expected that the affair will be exceptionally well attended.

ALUMNI HEADS CONVEY HERE

Congress of State Grads Will Meet in Union Building Saturday.

An alumni college congress, which is to be composed of the M. S. C. alumni executive board, officers from alumni clubs in Michigan cities, and members of the Michigan State college faculty, will be held Saturday afternoon in the Union building at 3 o'clock.

After the meeting there will be a dinner at 4:30. In the evening the group will attend the M. S. C. of M. basketball game in the arena where a block of seats will be reserved for them.

Twenty presidents and secretaries of alumni clubs have been invited to the congress. President R. S. Shaw and the deans of the college have also been extended invitations. A committee of faculty members, headed by Prof. L. C. Emmons, who were appointed by President Shaw to make contact with high school seniors will also be present.

Clark Will Preside

Dr. L. T. Clark, Detroit, president of the alumni association, will preside at the meeting which will be divided into two periods. Professor Emmons will be in charge of the first half of the meeting and will discuss the plan of increasing the highest type of high school graduates in continuing their education at work and pointing out to them the advantages of taking that work at Michigan State. Professor Emmons and the other members of the committee will discuss ways and means that might be used to bring to the attention of the alumni that creating interest in the college is one of the ways in which the alumni can show its loyalty to Michigan State.

Spring Pre-registration Will Take Place Mar. 6

Release List of Dates for Various Divisions to Enroll and Classify.

Pre-registration for the spring term will take place at the Union March 6, 7, 8 and 9. Free may be paid any time between pre-registration and April 6. Students who do not pre-register will be required to return on March 31 to register. It is hoped that every student who expects to be in school spring term will pre-register. It will not be difficult to cancel a registration. Students will see their advisers or classifying officers and complete their enrollment slips at the times indicated below.

Agricultural Students. See Dean Dirks, 191 Olds hall. Seniors—March 1-2, 8:30-5. Juniors—See Prof. Lucas, Dairy bldg. Feb. 28. Sophomores—See Prof. Loree, Hort. bldg. March 5, 7-10 p. m. March 6, 8-5. Freshmen—See Dr. Miller, 206 Ag. hall, March 2, 4-6 and 7-9 p. m. March 3, 8-12.

Engineering Students. See Dean Dirks, 191 Olds hall. Seniors—March 1-2, 8:30-5. Juniors—March 2, 8:30-12. Sophomores—March 6-7, 8-5 and 7-9 p. m. Freshmen—March 8-9, 8:30-5 and 7-9 p. m.

Home Economics Students. See advisers between Feb. 26 and March 6. **Veterinary Medicine and Medical.**

LARGEST FARM WEEK IN YEARS ENDS SATURDAY

Great Optimism Shown by Farmers As Meet Closes.

20,000 VISITORS HERE

Officials State That Affair Sets New Record In Attendance.

The final sessions of Farmers' Week were held Saturday. With the departure of the last of the rural folk from the campus there passed into history one of the most successful of these events ever to be held. College officials were highly satisfied with the attendance and spirit shown by the visitors, especially when the sub-zero temperatures that prevailed during the early part of the week are taken into consideration.

Concluding session Friday attracted about 2,000 persons, bringing the total (around for the week) to well over 20,000. The low temperatures Monday reduced the attendance a little and approximately 1,000 farmers were on the campus. Tuesday's program attracted nearly 2,000. There were 7,000 Wednesday evening and 9,000 Thursday at general meetings held in demonstration hall.

Huey Shows, Says Shaw

College officials were very much pleased with the relations to the program prepared for the farmers. The Farmers' Week, now concluded at Michigan State college, was undoubtedly the largest and most successful event of its kind ever held in America. President Robert S. Shaw and Saturday. The tens of thousands of visitors, manifested great interest in the various programs, stock sales and conferences, accompanied by a spirit of cheerfulness and helpfulness which was well for the future. The committee in charge of arrangements, composed of more than a dozen members of the staff, is to be congratulated on the make-up of the 48-day celebration of events. The atmosphere of the week was one of the most successful of any held at the college. The generous publicity and assistance given by the press of the state and friends of the institution, although attendance during the week was larger in total, as were more cheerful by the mood home and country, and the record of the week, which was the result of the agricultural program.

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Leahman, Granger Wins

The final drama scene in the afternoon and the Grange spring contest at noon were the features of the concluding program Friday. Grange drama of Indiana, won the dramatic competition held in the State theater. Paul Larcher, "The Song of the Sea," David Lindstrom was the winning presentation. Members of the cast were: Mabel J. Allen, Mrs. Charles Brown, Karl Christen, Irene Wheeler, Kendal Watkins, Granger Allen, Thelma White and Lottie Benson. Mrs. Mary Stockman of Lansing directed the group.

Grange county also won second place with a presentation of "Trifles" by Susan Glaspell of the Newark play.

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Music Division Presents One Hundredth Concert

Recital of Zimbalist Marks Milestone in Presentation of Department.

It is probable that few of the 1,500 patrons who heard Eren Zimbalist at the college gymnasium Monday night were aware that this concert was of unusual significance in the history of the college music department. The event marked the 100th presentation in the series of recitals and recitals given by the department since its reorganization seven years ago.

Among the presentations which make the total of 100 are numbers on the Michigan State college concert course, concerts by the Michigan State college military band, appearances by the college glee club, chorus and orchestra, the annual memorial day and Christmas programs and notably the production of the opera "Orpheus."

Famous Artists on Program

The concert course alone has brought to East Lansing a total of 43 famous artists and organizations. This total includes three symphony orchestras, three string quartets.

Each year the Michigan State college military band under direction of Leonard Falcone has given a series of open air concerts which have attracted thousands of listeners.

In these concerts the band has presented many such representative compositions as the 1812 Overture of Tchaikovsky and the Boerhaave Ravel. The men's and women's glee clubs have been heard in annual concerts and also with the chorus in the presentation of Haydn's "Creation" and the oratorio.

Feature Student Recitals

A most valuable contribution to the total of concerts given have been the recitals at which advanced students of the artist faculty are presented to the public. These recitals have featured many unusual compositions. The high excellence of these programs has brought appreciative audiences to hear them. With the century mark having been passed the music department now embarks on its next period of concert presentation with confidence.

It was further pointed out that the college has made a series of arrangements for the remainder of this year which will place the total number of concerts well on its way to the next hundred.

RECORD CROWD LAUDS CONCERT

With the annual sense of a week away the committees in charge of arrangements announce that decorations and programs have been decided upon and plans are nearing completion rapidly.

Decorations for the affair will be carried out in black and white. They are promised to be strictly simple in design and will be both novel and unique. Robert Farrow, chairman of the decorations committee, announces that complete decorations for the hall are not finished as yet but the arrangements will be complete in keeping with the remainder of the affair.

Special entertainment is being planned by Art Kessel and his Kessel in the Air. No final word has been received as to whether feature artists will be present with the orchestra. Section of the concert will be featured at the party. They include "Hells Bells," "Doodle Deo Deo," and many other popular dance tunes.

Guests and Patrons Listed. The publicity committee for the concert has announced the following: Russell McCormick, chairman; Dave Cline, Max Andrews, Robert Nelson and Max McKewen. This committee will have charge of all publicity for the concert for the remainder of the year.

Richard Meyer, chairman of reception, announces the guest and patron list for the annual party which includes as guests: President and Mrs. R. S. Shaw, Secretary and Mrs. H. H. Halladay, Dean Elmerich, Conrad, Lunt, Col. D. H. Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilkins, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Emmons, and Prof. and Mrs. H. Young. Patrons for the affair will be Dean and Mrs. H. B. Drake, Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Peterson, Prof. and Mrs. O. J. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Francklin and Prof. and Mrs. C. L. Allen.

A longer and more serious strain was played by Zimbalist in his second offering when he brought forth from his golden toned violin the Concerto in E Minor by Chopin. The Andante expressive, Andante and Tempo primo of this concerto was played.

Playing transpositions of his own Zimbalist ended his recital in a lighter vein playing his Improvisation on "Japane" suite, Polish dance, Kuraku Kuraku and Fantasy of Rimsky-Korsakoff's, "La Coo d'Or."

Zimbalist was accompanied by Theodore Sautenberg. An audience of over 1,400 heard the recital. Playing his only concert in New York this season Zimbalist will appear at Carnegie Hall, February 16.

LAND BANK APPRAISERS MEET HERE THIS WEEK

Preparations for handling an expected increase in applications for Federal Land Bank loans from Michigan next spring are being made by calling a series of meetings of appraisers in the state according to Leo T. Crowley, general agent for the St. Paul bank. The meeting for Lansing and vicinity is being held here at the college today and tomorrow.

Appraisers will be given an intensive course in appraisals, farm management and soils. The staff of instructors will include three Michigan men now connected with the bank: A. H. Catlin, Garfield Farley and Frank Trull.

The meetings scheduled for other portions of the state are at Jackson, Feb. 5 and 6; Lapeer, Feb. 12 and 13; Grand Rapids, Feb. 15 and 16; Pleasant, Feb. 18 and 19; and Traverse City, Feb. 22 and 23.

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Vilhjalmur Stefansson

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Stefansson Speaks to Capacity Crowd Here On Arctic Air Travels

Noted Explorer Says Travel by Plane Would be as Comfortable Through the North as Through the South; Refutes Arguments Against Arctic Route.

Sixty per cent of the world's important nations are in the northern hemisphere and communications between them is necessarily shortest via the arctic route. Vilhjalmur Stefansson, noted explorer, told a capacity audience at the Peoples church Tuesday night in his lecture, "The Northward Course of Empire."

Proposing airplane lines across the arctic, Stefansson, who has spent 10 winters and 13 summers in the polar regions, refuted one by one the arguments usually offered against such a procedure.

Travel by plane would be as comfortable through the north as through the south, he declared, recalling that exhaust heating of planes has been successfully demonstrated. The Canadian Pacific railway was opposed for the same reason; now their coaches maintain normal temperatures during regular runs through below zero blizzards.

Forced landings, Stefansson asserted, would be less common than in the United States. The safest flying he said is done in the tropics, the second least dangerous in the arctic region, the worst here in our own country. Probably the most dangerous run of any, he said, is that from New York to Cleveland. If a pilot can master the obstacle encountered on that run he is qualified to fly anywhere.

Less Accident Hazard

But in case of an accident, landing conditions, would be about the same as those found in Montana and Manitoba, where the weather is more severe than inside the arctic circle. According to observations made by Dr. George H. Soper, Wilkins, there is a good landing site on an average of every 100 miles, where a plane may alight with ease. In the summer the same conditions would prevail for passenger-carrying craft because of the long lakes formed by the melting snow and preserved by their frozen beds, which make drainage impossible.

Citing the experience of Wilkins and Ben Eilen on an arctic flight during which the fliers were forced down three times, then abandoned their frozen plane and walked over the ice 150 miles to shore Stefansson challenged, "The worst arctic record you can do is to stay in the arctic." He said the worst record he had of a little time through his own carelessness. Still he maintained that there will be no record as one of the milestones of aviation.

Plane Carries Heavier Load. Another feature of polar transportation, economically important, lies in the established fact that a plane can carry a heavier load in the far north because cold air is heavier. It is estimated that a plane can carry 25 per cent more at 50 degrees below zero than it can at 30 degrees above. Stefansson told his audience. (Continued on page 5)

SINGING TO START IN CO-ED CLASSES

Fresh Women Will Learn College Songs at Gym Lectures.

In co-operation with the movement to increase student spirit on the campus, the women's physical education department will sponsor group singing at one of the freshman gym lectures in the next lecture. The music department has been asked to cooperate in leading the singing of college songs with the understanding that all freshmen should know and sing the songs of the alma mater.

In commenting on this innovation for freshman gym lectures, Dr. Lightner remarked, "We are not a singing school as many colleges are, but the gym lectures will be a fine place to reach a large group of the students."

Other plans for freshman gym lectures this term include a style show to be held near the end of the term, and perhaps a demonstration of the proper dress for various occasions by the W. A. A.

M. S. C. GRADS FORM CLUB AT MIDLAND
Fifty M. S. C. graduates in Midland are planning to organize an alumni club in that city.

Elmer Kirk, chairman of the organization, discussed plans with Glen O. Stewart, alumni secretary, at the week. A meeting which Mr. Stewart will attempt to hold in Midland the first part of February to organize the alumni group into a club.

Proposed activities of the group include choosing a student from their district to receive the alumni scholarship award. They also intend to arouse more interest in Michigan State in their county and urge high school graduates to enter M. S. C.

Other members of the committee in organization are Fred Reynolds, T. H. Caldwell, Wallace Rowley, C. Cropper, R. D. Lowry and Helen Hart.

Sweet Rocks at 25c pair, and Knit Caps at 50c.—The Quaint Shop, 545 M. A. C. Avenue.

One of the most significant facts (Continued on page 4)

Michigan Cagers Play Statemen Here Saturday

State Quintet Conquers Wisconsin 23-22; Loyola Snowed Under Here 36-15

Michigan Wolverines Rated Stronger Than When Spartans Defeated Them Earlier in Season; Close Game Predicted for Saturday Night.

ANOTHER MAJOR tilt is on the books for Ben VanAlstyne's Michigan State basketball quintet this week when their old rivals, the University of Wisconsin, invades Demonstration hall here Saturday night for their second clash of the season. The game will start at 7:30 p. m.

A great contest is forecasted with the rivalry running high. The Spartans handed their Ann Arbor enemies a 26-15 defeat earlier in the season in the Yost fieldhouse, owing to the fact that the Wolverines have been playing an improved calibre of ball lately, they are apt to be a troublesome foe to the Spartans, fresh after their victories scored during the week, are aiming strong for the Wolverines and to go into the game slightly favored.

A record crowd is expected to attend the tilt. The Michigan military band will play at the game.

Wolves Look Strong

The Wolverines have not been so well in the Big Ten loop as last season but have a strong club with stars such as Allen, Potosky, Rebeck, Oliver, Radnos, and Tomango. They won but two of their six contests in the Western conference.

The Spartans took a thrilling and hard-fought victory Monday night at Madison, Wisconsin, defeating the University of Wisconsin cagers, 23-22. Their second victory of the week came over the Loyola of Chicago five here on the home court Saturday night. The Spartans won that contest handily, 35-15.

Madison the Statemen demonstrated to the Badgers just how much shooting fouls could be in making a victory. The visitors were charged seven charity tosses and of them were converted. Herick dropped four from the foul line, Rose netted two, while VanAlstyne was credited with the other.

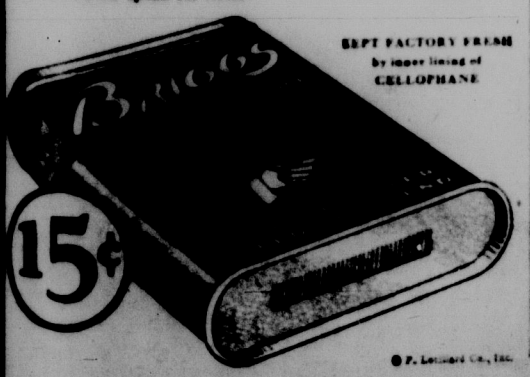
VanderRoest Rescues Games

The Spartans lead a 12-20 lead at the half but the Badgers came on strong and tied the score at the early in the second period. The five minutes remained to play on the Wisconsin men forced VanAlstyne to shoot a 17. Bob Herick, flashy defense man, stepped into the fray and crashed through with a point, two from the foul line, and the Spartans out in front 21-18. But Rose and VanderRoest slipped through the State lines and grabbed the lead with a field goal. Only seconds remained when Nick VanderRoest, a place in the corner, faked out, then crashed in under the hoop and in a jump shot to turn the tide.

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KOBS SHAPING PLANS FOR '34

Outlook is Bright for a Winning Team; Many Veterans Returning to Fold.

The coach of M. S. C. baseball, John Kobs, predicts an excellent baseball team for 1934, and he has plenty of basis on which to make such a prediction. Although he does not intend to lose a game in the event that one should be lost Kobs says it will be entirely the coach's fault. However the coach cannot be condemned for losing one game because the best of teams lose.

There are but two pitchers left from last year's squad, these being Fiedler and Parker, but there are a number of sophomores who should go a long way in building up a fine pitching staff. A few of these are Krombholz, Harkin, Burg, Altman, Osthouse and Conners. The catchers remaining from the 1933 squad are Captain Morris, Kiewick and Krieger, who should be greatly assisted by two sophomores, Shaler and Adams.

Coach Kobs has had his pitchers and catchers working out in Demonstration hall for the last few days and they look in very good shape. In the infield there will probably be a battle for positions because of the number of good men who have reported or are expected to report. Groat, A. Rouse, Fager and McCann, members of the team by the likely looking members of the "33" front line, some of whom are Glaza, Gilman, Bartling, Nagel, Clark and Kehl.

Outfield berths seem to rest with the sophomores, since graduation left only Carry from last year's regulars. McCurdy will be back after 180 days and is expected to prove of great value. Those sophomores who have reported are Brown, Welsh, Clark, Turrell, Soltan and Lewis, but there are still many who have not reported as yet.

Regardless of how good a team and coach are, they need the support of the student body, so Kobs expects the people on this campus to stand behind his team this spring and he assures them that they will be well rewarded.

Nick To Rescue

WISCONSIN	FG	FT	TP
McDonald	1	3	5
Smith	0	0	0
Bender	0	1	1
Demark	3	0	6
Prebock	1	0	2
Steph	0	0	0
Krahe	0	1	1
Power	3	1	7
Hamann	0	0	0
Locke	0	0	0
Totals	8	6	22

STATE	FG	FT	TP
VanAlstyne	1	1	3
Parchetti	0	0	0
VanDerRoest	1	0	2
Butsue	2	0	4
Herick	3	4	10
Rouse	1	2	4
Totals	8	7	23

Score at half: State 13, Wisconsin 8.

Personal fouls: Wisconsin—McDonald 2, Demark 2, Stege 1, Herick 3, VanAlstyne, Rouse, Butsue 1, Prebock 1, Krahe 1, Power 1, Hamann 1, Poser 1. Michigan State—0.

High Team Match

1. Spills 2624
2. Dunks 2693
3. Dunks 2691
4. Turkeys 2680
5. Errors 2574

High Team Game

1. Spills 911
2. Dunks 864
3. Errors 805
4. Dunks 809
5. Errors 808

High Score—3 Games

1. DeVries 662
2. Werner 632
3. DeVries 605
4. Bowman 587
5. Werner 587

High Single Game

1. Wheeler 344
2. DeVries 242
3. Patch 238
4. Werner 234
5. Hopper 228

Individual Averages

G	TP	AV
1. DeVries 15	2967	200
2. Werner 15	2789	190
3. Hopper 12	2215	185
4. Sheedy 12	2307	184
5. Bowman 12	2728	182
6. Friedman 15	2711	181
7. Patch 15	2709	181
8. Kettunen 12	2138	179
9. Crawford 15	2644	176
10. Hendrick 15	2592	173
11. Dennison 3	515	172
12. Roseboom 15	2554	170
13. Krombholz 15	2485	166
14. Westveld 8	1341	166
15. Stalsett 15	2478	165
16. VanAlstyne 3	460	165
17. Pearson 15	2424	162
18. Bremer 12	1948	162
19. Gaston 15	2497	160
20. Davis 15	2396	160
21. Herbert 12	1912	159
22. Wheeler 15	2377	158
23. Ballard 9	1413	157
24. Miller 6	919	154
25. Maroney 12	1834	152
26. Hoffman 9	1331	144
27. Lundin 15	2152	144
28. Davenport 6	861	144
29. Bell 9	1280	143
30. Nevins 15	2131	142
31. Gilnes 3	627	142
32. Clark 12	1681	141
33. Probst 1	141	141
34. Nelson 3	419	138
35. Kimball 2	270	135
36. Duncan 6	770	128
37. Wizeck 1	118	118
38. Prophet 12	1362	114

AUSTIN ADDRESSES CHILD CLUB TODAY

Dr. E. L. Austin of the liberal arts division will be the speaker at a meeting of the Lansing Child Study club Thursday afternoon in the blue parlor of the Lansing Women's club house. The meeting will begin at 3 o'clock, and the address will be on "Adolescence."

Hostesses of the afternoon will be Mrs. E. A. Baker, Mrs. Collins, Thomson, Mrs. A. E. Howell, and Mrs. H. V. Astley.

Spartan Spark Plug

By DOUG GRAHAM

Characterized by some fans as the real spark plug of the Michigan State basketball squad, Robert Herick, flashy junior guard, has been one of the main cogs in the Spartan attack this season.

A smooth ball-handler and excellent passer, Herick is a leading man in the State offense. Besides being a fine ball feeder to the forwards, his speed and fast-breaking have enabled him to become a formidable point-getter. In the Wisconsin game last Monday he demonstrated his shooting eyes by netting ten points. So far during the season he has scored 62 points, led only by the sharpshooting Maurice Byusse at center.

Smart Defense Man

As a defense man, Herick is not in the least bothered with his medium stature. His main forte is scrapping for the ball under the basket—and he generally comes out with the ball.

Herick got his start along the athletic paths at Jackson high school where he participated in three sports, basketball, football, and golf. It was while he was a member of the Jackson cage team that Herick got one of his biggest thrills in sports. That thrill came when his team went to fourth place in the National Intercollegiate championships at Chicago in 1929.

Herick came to State as he says, "because there was no other place to go." It might have also been an interview with Ben VanAlstyne, State's respected cage mentor, that led him to enroll in the Spartan institution. He did not compete in any of the freshman sports, preferring to devote his time to picking up his studies.

As a liberal arts student, he is majoring in journalism and admitted that he wished to follow newspaper work. Before entering college, Herick had written sports for the Jackson Citizen-Patriot and Jackson Tribune while acting as sports editor of his high school paper, the Reflector. He also was listed as a member of the State News sports staff last year.

Like Golf Best

Herick names golf as his favorite sport. Last spring he was one of the low-scoring members of the State golf team. Though he failed to get away to a great start early in the spring, he generally shoots around 80.

When asked to name some of the greatest basketball games he had played in, Herick was quick to select the recent State-Notre Dame tilt which the Spartans dropped after three hectic overtime periods. He also mentioned that he got a big thrill beating Michigan at Ann Arbor this year and admitted a secret yearning to hand the Wolverines another smarting blow this coming Saturday.

His favorite shot is from just outside the foul circle—a shot which he has developed to perfection.

In his spare time, Herick is employed in the stores room at the gymnasium.

NATIONAL SPORT SUMMARY

By TOM O'BRIEN

MIAMI, FLA.—Shagging Joe Knight, a southern lad from Cairo, Ga., fought Maxie Rosenbloom ruler of the light heavyweight division, to a draw here Monday before approximately 25,000 spectators. Young Knight tore into the title holder in manding advantage but a whirlwind of the early rounds, piling up a com-

plete victory. The champion a draw. NEW YORK.—Henri Cochet, former king of the amateur tennis world and now a professional, arrived here aboard the Santa Clara to start his world championship series with Bill Tilden and Ellsworth Vines beginning at the Madison Square Garden, Feb. 19. In answer to queries of reporters, Cochet stated that the United States had an excellent chance of regaining the long sought Davis cup.

LINCOLN, NEB.—William Tilden came within one match of squaring his hardbarring duel with youthful Ellsworth Vines by pouncing out a three set victory here Tuesday, 6-1, 5-7, 6-1. Tilden has now won seven of the matches and Vines eight.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.—Lieut. Thomas Hamilton will succeed Edgar Rupp, Miller as head football coach at the United States Naval academy, it was learned through reliable sources. Tuesday, Miller will remain at the academy as civilian coach, paying particular attention to the line.

Powell Crosley, wealthy radio and refrigerator magnate, was elected president of the Cincinnati baseball club in the second reorganization of the club within three months.

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WESTERN TRIMS FROSHERS 31-21

Central State Teachers Quintet Meets Yearlings on Friday.

By HARRY WISMER

Michigan State's fighting freshman cagers dropped their second game within ten days to Western State's whirlwind quintet by the score of 31 to 21. Marked superiority from the foul line was the deciding factor in Western's victory. In the last half alone, Western State converted 16 times out of 19 attempts, while the State frosh scored a majority of their points from the field, not being fortunate enough to receive many free trips to the foul circle.

Hal Walitz and Stan Neuman, the two giant forwards who wreaked havoc with the State guards two weeks ago, were well bottled up by Ronny Garlock and Al Rouse and found difficulty in breaking loose for shots. They were each held to one bucket by the two State guards, Ike Arnold and Slim Preeland, center and guard respectively, did most of the damage from a scoring standpoint for Western.

The scoring efforts of Tom King's men were well distributed throughout the squad with no one man totaling over four points. Spence Rogers, State's eagle-eyed forward and leading scorer to date, found difficulty in locating the hoop although he played a bang-up defensive game. Rogers' contribution to State's total was two well placed field goals.

Joe Smith, a flashy guard from Amsterdam, New York, and a regular guard for the State yearlings up to date, was unable to play due to a painful leg injury. Smith has reported out for practice again this week and is anxious to office more get in action.

Summary

WESTERN	FG	FT	TP
Walitz	1	3	10
Smith	1	2	3
Arnold	1	1	3
Neuman	2	1	7
Preeland	3	1	7
Retherford	0	0	0
Powers	0	0	0
Werner	0	0	0
Simms	0	1	1
Chapel	0	1	1
Slaughter	0	0	0
Totals	9	16	34

STATE FROSH

FG	FT	TP	
R. Rogers	2	0	4
Kuhne	1	2	3
Flake	2	0	4
Garlock	1	1	3
Boas	0	2	2
Weiman	1	2	4
Rolar	0	0	0
Hendrickson	0	0	0
Brenner	0	0	0
D. Rogers	0	0	0
Zenke	0	0	0
Totals	9	9	21

Western 31, State Frosh 21.
Michigan State Frosh 8, 13-21.
Referee: Bob Black, W. S. T. C.

LOST—Wrist watch without band at J-Hop. Finder call D. Montemery, Ac-Theon House, 2-1615, Howard.

Wendell Genson to Fight Tonight in Detroit

Southern Trip a Success; Wittenburg, Ohio Northern Beaten.

Wendell Genson, Michigan State bantamweight boxer who sailed through the first divisional trials in the Golden Gloves tourney left for Detroit early this morning to compete in the finals of the tournament sponsored by the Detroit Free Press. Genson is scheduled to enter the ring tonight to meet some opponent in his class drawn from the ranks of Detroit or eastern Michigan boxers. The fight will start at 7 p. m. in the Naval armory.

Genson has been training daily at the gym and is expected to have a lowers a good chance to go a long way in the state championship, after his good showing in the local milling.

FENCERS MEET TOUGHEST FOES

Spartans Face Notre Dame, Purdue on Trip to Indiana.

Spartan fencers meet their toughest opposition of the season when they meet Notre Dame and Purdue on successive nights on a trip to Indiana this Friday and Saturday. Notre Dame has an inexperienced team which has started competing only in the last two years but Purdue has been turning out individual conference champions for the last decade.

State's chief weakness is in the sabre department. On their southern trip last week they dropped 25 per cent of their sabre bouts in two meets. The foil team, made up of Captain Glass, Bristol and Lachar, can be expected to win a majority of their bouts, and the epee team of Lutz, Bristol and Glass should split better than even if the left-hander Lutz can get his eyes in again. So far he has not been up to last year's form.

Applying should be better in sabre after last week's experience and with the support of Lutz and Bristol the sabre division may stand out in it. If it does, victories in both meets can be expected.

If the people who took penance at the last "State Night" will return them to the Union desk no questions will be asked. The penance are personal property of girls in Green Spahs.

Ohio Northern was really handicapped by the graduation of all but one of their team last year and had to put a team on the floor with the majority of the men facing their first meet. Their lack of experience was only apparent, but they were the best sportmen of any of the men met on the entire trip. Bristol, Glass, Appling, and Lutz came through this meet with the loss of no bouts. Lachar and Stoker dropped one each.

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