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### His Death Will be Felt Keenly

Michigan State college has suffered in the death of Prof. Lewis L. Richards, a loss which will be felt deeply.

As head of the music department here for thirteen years, Professor Richards has done much for the advancement of the department and of the college as a whole.

When he came to Michigan State college after having been in concert work from 1918 till 1927, there was no music department here at all. It was then known as Institute of Music.

From that size, the present music department has evolved. Climaxing the department's growth has been the completion of the new music building.

Professor Richards has given so much of his time and energy to that building, which now stands as a memorial to him.

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### Election Stage is Set

Interest in college elections has taken an upward turn during the past week.

Two Student council meetings held this week lasted a total of about six hours, with all time being devoted to a revision of election rules.

A group of students, made up largely of Independents, presented a new set of election rules to replace those of last spring. These students drew up their proposals, mimeographed them, and presented them to Student council members.

Some rules were direct changes from the existing ones; others were almost identical.

Then the debate began.

Unexpectedly, however, all interested parties showed a remarkable restraint throughout the meetings, and all demonstrated a willingness for thorough discussion, and then, if necessary, compromise.

The biggest bone of contention was whether or not to allow each candidate to spend an amount for electioneering. Five dollars was named as maximum, but the council decided to limit means of advertising, and consequently, the cost.

Result of the meetings is a set of rules drawn up to the best of council members' abilities. There are loopholes, of course, since rules were made by amateurs without the aid of legal advice.

However, the interest shown by presentation of new rules and the manner in which questions were debated should be heartening to every political student and every officeholder on campus.

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### Quotable Quotes

"I am much impressed by the need for providing a broader education for all our professional men, whether they receive their higher degree from the faculty of arts and sciences or from one of our professional schools. I think the reform should start in the college, but the movement should not stop there. It seems to me those most concerned with liberalizing our higher education today should regard the college and the professional school years as one unit. Only thus, I believe, can we effectively broaden and improve the education of our professional graduates." Harvard's Pres. James Bryant Conant believes there's something wrong with today's artificial divisions in higher education.

"In the interests of the economic less fortunate democracy, higher education and the state would be much better served if grants to institutions were abolished except under the most extraordinary circumstances and scholarships on a merit basis set up for individual students to be used by them at the institutions of their choice within the state." Dickinson college's Pres. Fred P. Corson has a new method for distributing state aid to higher education.

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**  
OTTAWA AT SEYMOUR  
8, 9:30 and 11 A.M.  
Rev. C. W. Brickman, Rector  
Rev. J. A. Stantibus, Curate

## The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—Inside facts regarding Summer Welles' trip to Europe—which starts today—is that it was conceived on the spur of the moment. Roosevelt didn't know, and his Under Secretary of State had no idea up until two or three days before they announced it, that anyone would take a trip on behalf of peace.

The President, however, was convinced that things were bound to break very badly in Europe by spring, and he wanted to head it off if there was any way conceivable possible.

So the Summer Welles trip was calculated to be something like the public peace messages which Roosevelt sent to Hitler, Mussolini, et al, before Munich and after the Polish crisis, by which he sought to postpone war. Similarly, the Welles pilgrimage is intended to hold out enough hope for peace to stave off civilian bombings, mass attacks u. on the Westwall, and other horrors from which so far this war has been free.

Even if there is no peace, Roosevelt hopes the Welles mission may start Europe talking, and the longer they talk, the longer is postponed the bitterness bound to engulf both sides if war becomes really intensive.

Roosevelt is superstitious about too much advance preparation. He thinks that the usual parades and important diplomatic moves should be avoided. The invitation banquet will be held at the house tonight with Marion Koopchik in charge.

Marion Chester has moved to practice home to the rest of the term.

**BACKGROUND OF PEACE**

While this was the immediate springboard to the Welles mission actually there is a much longer and more important background. That background can be divided roughly into three parts.

1. Roosevelt's genuine dream of peace, a dream toward the fulfillment of which he has worked consistently since before the war broke.

2. Roosevelt's fear that even with the United States on the side, the world's discontent over economic will turn New Deal reforms topsy-turvy. After all, since the present entanglement of Indian cotton and Chinese purchases, which will hurt millions of Southern farmers, while aviation factories in the North and West will declare high dividends.

3. Roosevelt's fear that eventually, and despite the neutrality act, the United States will be drawn in. This last worry is more acute at this moment than appears on the surface, and is one important reason for the timing of the Welles pilgrimage.

**TWO NEW WAR FRONTS**

All the confidential information received by the state department points to the probability of major hostilities starting on two new war fronts this spring or summer.

These fronts are not a new Scandinavian attack by Sweden and Norway against Russia, a British and French attack upon south Russia, and the Balkan fields through the Caucasus.

Welles will report on what the Allies intend to do about these two situations. At present the Swedes have told the state department that it will be impossible for them to stay out of war, and that they are ready to come to the defense of Finland immediately if they can count on some support from France and Britain.

This is why Roosevelt in a conference with the war and navy last week, favored the immediate release of overseas United States warships to Sweden. He wanted them sold now, before Sweden became a belligerent and it was too late.

This also was the main subject of conversation at the Daladier-Chamberlain meeting last week. Daladier urged that the Allies support Sweden, thereby creating a new front which might distract Russia, and would worry Germany.

Also under discussion is an attack by General Wiegand's army of the Levant, now in Syria, against the Russian oil fields. Cutting off Russian oil would paralyze the Soviet army.

Wiegand's army is now 300,000 strong and among the finest troops in France. It has just been augmented by 30,000 Afanas. All are confident that they could make short work of the Soviet army in the Caucasus.

Here is something significant: both of these proposed new fronts are aimed not against Germany, but Russia. This is in line with the old agreement clique inside the British cabinet, which thinks the way may be turned around so that Germany in the end will be found fighting on the Allied side against Russia.

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### BUCKSHOT

TRAINERS AT SOME OF THE LARGEST UNIVERSITIES CLAIM THEY USE FROM 14 TO 16 MILES OF ADHESIVE TAPE DURING THE FOOTBALL SEASON?

HEADIN' AROUND THE WIND END, TAPAZ!

FRANK HIRKEY, WEIGHING 152 POUNDS, PLAYED AT YALE FOUR YEARS AND IT IS CLAIMED THAT NOT A PAR WAS CAUGHT AROUND HIS END!

CHICAGO WAS THE FIRST TO USE NUMERALS ON UNIFORMS, ON HIS GAME, 1913.

LEWIS GACY

HERB JOESTING.

MINNESOTA'S ALL-AMERICAN FULLBACK OF 1926-27 WAS NEVER THROWN FOR A LOSS IN HIS ENTIRE COLLEGE CAREER.

With the Modern Greeks

By MARY LEE SCHROOLEY

KAPPA ALPHA THETA

MOTHER'S club met at the Theta house yesterday for a bridge luncheon.

Alma Margaret Hemmings and Ann Beyers were back last weekend for a visit.

KPI DELTA THETA

There was a radio party recently. Members entertained their dates at dinner at the house Sunday.

KPI KAPPA TAU

Bud Stevenson, Russ Holcomb, Ed McMunn, and Jack Metcalf, plums, were back for the formal party last Saturday night.

KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA

Winter term social dinner dance will be held at the Hotel Olds train ballroom tonight. Guests for the dance include Peg Montgomery, Jean Johnson, Shirley Cook, Amelia Forder, Dorothy Miller, Eleanor Bresler, Rosemary Thompson, and Charles the Devil.

JERRY ROBINSON has transferred to Ypsilanti.

ALICE GAMA DELTA

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WE GAVE IT

that Alpha Chi Sally Denman said she gave it to her friends face to take a Sigma Nu pin from Hans Deppel. But you don't have to feel sorry for them. That's because he is the Alpha Chi sweetie cartoon drawing and one Chi more or less is nothing to him.

OLD TWINS PIA REID

of the Kappa Sigma house just delivered her card to Marge Nixon over at the Theta house the other night. It looks like this is the first winter this time.

A SIGMA SU

by the name of Fred has Quint

Editor State News

I see by Tuesday's paper "that the Union grill sells more cokes" than any other grill in the northern midwest states.

I invite anyone who can look at things impartially, thinks logically and unemotionally, and arrive at their opinions on the basis of honest fact, to read this, then think it over.

Are students in other unions?

I have a right to infer from the preceding paragraph that they are not, because larger colleges with larger Unions must sell less cokes or our record would not stand.

A student, you for instance walks into the Union. By the time the ice has melted from your shoes, so that you are no longer in danger of falling, you have met an acquaintance. Having an hour free, together you look for entertainment. What is there to do? Play ping pong? Shoot pool? Read a magazine? No! Listen to a radio? Well, yes, if that noise in the grill is a radio. You choose the grill. Why? Where else is there to go?

A faculty member walks into

the Union. As with the student,

he seeks to relax for an hour with a fellow-faculty member.

What is there to do?

I will say only that in the faculty room of the Union are two billiard tables, one pool

table, two ping pong tables, a large console radio, a lounge and a large table full of magazines.

For the last several days the

phone has been ringing at 4 a.m.

waking up the whole house. But

when the receiver is lifted there's a chick heard, and if not that, a bawdy laugh comes from the other end of the line and that's all.

The bawdy-eyed girls in the

house are doing some amateur

steuthing but so far nothing but

some embarrassing situations have turned up.

H. L. W.

Rollins college recently sponsored

an economic conference for

leaders of the citrus industry.

BULLETIN

Because of the death of Prof.

# Finns Beg For Supplies As Russians Break Through Lines

## Irish Army Uprisers Arrested by British In Bloody Riot

### Canadian Governor-General Dies From Other Worlds

Though the doughty Finns still claim the upper hand in their war with Russia, several pleas for quick aid from other nations came out of Helsinki this week. Requests for and stressed the need of more material assistance in the form of planes and other fighting equipment. Receiving of aid or a fight to inevitable extinction are cited as Finnish alternatives by Kosti Kallio, president of the republic.

Still claiming to have inflicted heavy losses on Soviet troops, 72 tanks destroyed on Monday, the Finnish high command admitted, for the first time, in mid-week, that Russian troops had actually captured Mannerheim line positions.

Rioting and bloodshed broke out in the streets of Belfast, northern Ireland, early this week as Irish Republican army sympathizers demonstrated against the British government. Many were injured and 20 were arrested by police. As of the 13th, no satisfactory organization, to unite northern Ireland, still under British rule with more southern Irish republicans.

**KELPSMUIR DIES**

Canada mourned this week the death of Governor-General Lord Tweedsmuir. Said to be Canada's most popular governor, Lord Tweedsmuir died as a result of a damaged brain artery complicated by a fall in his home. He was popularly known by his common name of John Buchan and was the author of many books.

Possibility of further controversy over United States shipping was seen this week as Germany claimed a "theoretical" right to allow American ships enroute to Allied ports or combatant control stations, either voluntarily or under compulsion. Entering Gibralter will cancel neutrality of United States ships, making them liable to attack, the report pointed out. Allied forces in the near east have been brought to a total of 20,000 men this week as troops from Australia and New Zealand disembarked at Egyptian ports. Long as the war spreading eastward in the spring and protection of the Suez canal seem reasons for the reinforcements.

### Here at Home

Legislation enabling the extension of \$20,000,000 loans to Finland and China through the individual agency of the Import-Export Bank was passed midway in the week by the Senate and is now before the House docket for consideration. Without naming either nation, the Senate approved extension of such credits to be used in each country for non-military purposes.

**He Oughta Know**

Harry C. Koch, Detroit associate traffic engineer, apparently supports the city council contention that traffic situation on Grand River and Michigan avenues needs more traffic lights. Meanwhile he is being criticized for sending Under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles to Europe for conferences with Belgian and Italian governments. Making a third-term play for re-election, he is to leave today, is to speak to the president on the European war situation.

**Lewis Offers Plan**

A plan for reuniting the CIO and AFL was offered early this week by President John L. Lewis, the CIO. He suggested that March 15 be set as date of the merger. The plan was generally regarded as more a political move than anything else as it differed little from previous peace suggestions.

Breaking snowfall records, an eight-mile-an-hour blizzard hit England late this week, taking some 65 lives. Eight inches of snow fell in New York City and ships were torn loose from moorings along the coast.

### Michigan Pick-ups

Lansing's new \$950,000 water-treatment plant was opened to the public this week. Dedication ceremonies for the ultra-modern building were attended by Col. F. C. Harrington, national WPA administrator.

Many a hard rap was tossed New Dealward at week's opening when Republicans attended Lumen's birthday banquets. Main Michigan event was the dinner in Grand Rapids which gave Senator Arthur Vandenberg's presidential campaign a strong boost.

## Military Ball Headlines Parties

By JEAN BILLIS

Despite a threatening bomb overhead, military men and their guests danced gayly last night to Frankie Trumbau's orchestra and "sax" at Masonic ballroom, Lansing.

Leaders of the grand march were Norm Henderson, president of Officers' club, and Emily Telford, who wore a neat formal of aqua blue pointed up with a tulle skirt. Gaily following were the coed corps sponsors escorted by the cadet colonels of the respective divisions.

In a pink net fashion with iridescent sequins at the waist and on the straps, Ruth Taylor, honorary cadet colonel, was lovely. Her guest was Art Tompsett.

**JEAN PACK CHOOSES BLUE**

Pale blue in metallic bodice and wide crisp skirt, set off Jean Pack's blondness. With Jean cavalry sponsor, was Bob Hyard.

Betty Nonnenmeyer, coast artillery sponsor, who was with Wilt, Jim, Betsy, chose full-skirted white taffeta topped with a jacket trimmed in brilliant Virginia light gold. Cavalry sponsor, whose formal was aqua crepe designed in Greek lines, with pleated skirt and bodice, had Dr. Frank Heckett as her guest. Sophistication describes Dorothy Dunn, in cerise taffeta with a belt suggested by a large bow and roses and rows of ruffles down the skirt back. Bonnie Ruggs escorted her.

Frances Schirmer, Jones Kelly, was with Shirley Van Auken in smooth formal in black velvet.

**NORTH HALL DANCES**

Putting aside thoughts of snow and ice, North Hall girls took their turn on a "Southern Getup" last night with Hawaiian lei favors, sunbathing programs, and an ocean scene backdrop on the stage leading atmosphere to the Little Theater ballroom. Ann DeCamp's orchestra played.

Chairwoman was Peggy Tracy and Margaret Lippoldt, Peggy with Bob Schaefer from University of Chicago, and Margaret with Ernest Eick of Swan Creek. With Glen Walker, president, was Bob Shedd of Newberry.

**TWO PARTIES IN OLDS**

Downtown at the Hotel Olds were two parties last night. Guy Ekblaw's orchestra played for Kappa Sigma fraternity men and their dates who danced and dined in the main ballroom. With George Warner, chairman, was Nancy Jane Brown, former State student from Detroit. Bob Bingham Kappa Sigma house president, took Anne Betsy, who wore green silk jersey with gold-trimmed brown suede jacket.

In the Olds American room decorated for Valentine's, Sigma Kappa girls gave their winter term formal. Frances Bates, house president, in red taffeta with back tailless, was there with Stanley Kinney.

**TONIGHT'S PARTIES**

Tonight formal will be given by Alpha Gamma Delta sorority at Olds Hotel by East and West May dorms; by Delta Chi fraternity at the Olds, and by Pi Kappa Phi fraternity in Union ballroom. Glee organization and 4-H and Alpha Phi sorority.

## Medicine—A Place For Women Says Dr. Louise Schnute

By Joyce Mallman

"There is a definite place for superior women in the field of medicine," states Dr. Louise Schnute, woman physician at the college hospital.

A woman, in order to be successful as a doctor must be more intelligent and efficient in general than the average male doctor, for the handicaps are great, Doctor Schnute explained.

In the South, for example, there is a prejudice against women holding high positions in hospitals, although throughout the remainder of the country there is more leniency within the profession itself.

Many women are attracted to the field because of the glamor created by the serious import of the work, and by the glorification imparted to it by the movies and current novels.

Doctor Schnute says one reason women find difficulty in entering the field that interests them is that one or two medical women have entered hospitals and thereby ruined chances for others who may wish to follow. Too many women become doctors and nurses only as a hobby, because they

## Council Election Rules

Complete election rules as amended by Student council are as follows:

(1) No advertising shall be allowed other than that prescribed by Student council herein contained.

a. Posters may be placed in the Union by candidates who shall turn them in to the secretary of the Union board and shall be displayed under direction of Union board.

b. Cards shall be uniform in size and eight inches by 11 inches of white color.

c. A picture, three by four inches, may be attached to the left hand upper corner.

d. No restrictions shall be imposed as to style of printing or substance contained upon card, provided that nothing shall be contained in the information which can be construed to encourage the voters to vote a straight ticket or which pertains to another candidate.

e. All information must be true.

f. Uniform lists of candidates shall be drafted and placed in the six dormitories and at strategic points on campus prior to primary and final election dates.

g. Student Council coordinating with State News shall finance and publish a two-page election section of issue of State News preceding primary and final elections. One page shall consist of pictures of candidates, editorial and election data. The second page shall be evenly apportioned among candidates who may use the allotted space for presentation of their individual platforms and qualifications, subject to editing by State News.

h. No pooling of space shall be permitted by candidates.

i. There shall not be an distinguishing or otherwise defacing of public or private property by any candidate, individual or organization in student election.

j. No individual or organization may use the name of any candidate in any of the means of advertising stated above without the knowledge and written consent of the candidate.

k. Check lists of eligible voters may be used by any organization on election day provided:

a. Regulations as set forth in Article I are complied with.

b. Persons or organizations using check lists may not use them on the floor on which the election is being conducted.

l. Each voter must identify himself or benefit of the polls by presentation of his or her student identification card with the picture attached.

m. Only members of the Student Council and its faculty advisers shall be present when the votes are officially tabulated at the close of the elections.

n. The Student Council election board will be present at all times while the polls are open, shall enforce the above rules and receive and investigate all complaints as to violation of said rules.

o. All charges of violations of the above rules shall be heard before an open meeting of the election board, and if the evidence is deemed sufficient by a majority of the election board, the evidence shall be forwarded to the Student Council and the person or persons named in the charges shall stand trial in an open hearing before the Student Council previously announced to State News.

p. The election board must withhold all election or office in question until such complaints or violations have been investigated and settled.

## This Woman's World Through Coed Eye

### W-A-A Sportlights

The intra-mural swimming meet came to a glorious close Tuesday, February 13, with the Independent teams piling up a score of 1318. Kappa Kappa Gamma's followed with 904. El Cetera 525, N. Williams 488, Alpha Phi 400, C. Omega 373, Kappa Alpha Theta 270, Sigma Kappa 9, Alpha Gamma Delta 75.

### YW Snow Tea Scheduled

High point crawl swimmer was Sue Urquhart, Chi Omega. Denis Anderson, Alpha Phi, won high point back crawl, and Jo Brugman, Kappa Kappa Gamma, won the 30-yard breaststroke. Frances Bush of the El Cetera team won the 80-yard free-style race.

In the form events, Sally Baker, Kappa Alpha Theta, won the snow tea to give faculty wives by Dr. H. C. A. Saturday, February 14, from 3:30 until 5 p.m. in People's church.

The tablecloth will be decorated with white over silver paper with a small tree of silver paper for centerpiece. Dean Marie Dye and Mrs. Ward Galters will preside. A tree from the music department will entertain.

Mrs. H. S. Shaw, Mrs. H. B. Dicks, Mrs. J. C. Lamont, Mrs. F. T. Mitchell, Mrs. E. L. Anthony, Mrs. W. L. Mallman, Mrs. N. A. McCune and Miss Emma Suter of the advisory board, will be in the receiving line.

Ruth Clark, general chairman, announces the following committees: Invitations, Helen Badertables; Refreshments, Helen Hayes; Entertainment, Anna J. Morris; Music, Anna Jean Robertson.

### S-W-L Patter

The social service group will meet in the Lansing Y. W. C. A. Saturday, February 24. This will replace the regular Wednesday meeting. All members who are interested have been invited to attend according to Stella Bellasses chairman.

The dramatics group is still rehearsing for a play, "The Stutter Girl," which will be presented at the general meeting March 6. Doris Bell of the speech department will attend the rehearsal Wednesday, February 21, to give advice and help with the directing of the play.

Publicity, art and radio group will hold a joint meeting February 21.

### Geology Students To Go to Jackson

Three bus loads of Paul Justice Zinn's geology students will study glacial geology of Michigan on a field trip to Jackson and through the 14th Hill district Saturday, February 24. Professor Zinn has chosen this territory because of its representative traces of the glacial period.

A field trip to Grand Ledge to study river erosion, weathering of rocks and brick manufacture will be taken.

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## Where's My Paper?



That was the chant of some 6300 students this Tuesday, when press trouble caused late deliveries of the morning paper.

More than 75 calls from fraternities, dorms and individuals flooded the news office between 8 and 9 A. M., demanding the paper.

*A paper demanded is a paper read.  
A paper read means profit to its advertiser.*

*Advertise in the*

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## Spartan Sportfolio

By DON ANDERSON

**That** 56-19 defeated plastered Michigan State's swimming team the other night by Wayne is a good illustration of how quickly a situation can be reversed.

Two years ago, State made a trip to Detroit and beat Wayne rather badly. In fact, previous to last year, the Tartar school didn't amount to much from the tank angle. The Detroiters had a team and that was about all. Now, a bare two years later, they beat a State team rated the best here in years, a team which had swamped Ohio Wesleyan and Purdue before meeting Wayne.

Not only did Wayne win, but they "poured it on" so to speak. The Spartans were able to take only one first place and but two second places. The first place was scored in the 440 yd. relay against a second string Tartar aggregation.

**It is rather baffling to account for this sudden reversal in form. Can it be that Wayne has suddenly gone out after swimmers? If so, there should be plenty in the Detroit area to satisfy them. Wayne county is full of topnotch swimmers.**

After the Tartars beat Ohio State last week, Jake Daubert, generalissimo of Spartan swimming forces, called them the best.

### BULLETIN

**East Lansing high school eagles won their eighth game in 11 starts by defeating Everett high 40-13 at Everett last night.**

team in the country. We would rather imagine that this statement will not be too pleasing to the University of Michigan, which has enjoyed a monopoly on such affairs in these parts for a good many years.

**The fact remains that the Spartans represent a serious threat to the Wolverines' supremacy. It is our private belief that were the two teams to meet, Wayne would not come off second best. The Spartans have a team composed entirely or at least mainly, of sophomores. That's a pretty fair foundation for future years. By their senior year, those Wayne young stars should be terrific.**

It's also our guess that Michigan State tank fortunes will take a dip upwards after the new pool in the fieldhouse is available. Such a layout is bound to attract topnotch swimmers. The present State pool is not a regulation one, being both narrower and longer than the approved dimension. Needless to say, the places is rather severe handicap on the Spartan splehcess when they compete in pools of regulation size, and the elimination of this situation should help to raise the tank standard at State Hills.

**Strong Bench Sitters**

Jake Daubert has always said that he could produce a team which would rank favorably with any if he were given those swimmers which annually sat on the bench for teams in the Michigan class. That is a good indication of the type of first teams which such schools possess.

The emphasis on swimming has been somewhat stronger in recent years in our opinion. As is the case with football, schools are going out after their swimmers, and as swimmers are just as human as football players, you can't blame them for taking the best offers.

## Mason Quint Wins Again

Supremacy in Block 4 of the dormitory league was decided Thursday evening in the gymnasium as undefeated Mason 4 Abbot 17 in a close and take 11-10 game. Dan Lee, with 5 points and Harry Paddock, with 4 counters, led the Mason aggregation to victory. Bill Gates held scoring honors for Abbot 17.

Wells D also continued its winning streak by taking Abbot 13 to the tune of 16-6. Although the score of the game at the half stood 6-4, the Wells quintet put on a spurt later in the game to turn in a one-sided victory. Verberg of Wells D accounted for 6 of the winning points, while Hiller scored two field goals for Abbot 13.

Featuring the high scoring of George Busch, with 12 points, and Bob Lynn, with four field goals to his credit, Abbot 15 triumphed over Mason 8 by a 15-5 score. High point man for Mason was Ken Tanner who sank three from the playing floor.

Seven games are scheduled for the dormitory basketeers on Monday, February 19. In the gymnasium at 8:15, Wells A meets Mason 2; at 8:55, Wells B meets Mason 3; and at 9:35, Wells F will encounter Abbot 12.

# Eleven State Trackmen Entered In Illinois Relays

## Meet is Expected To Attract Five Hundred Stars

### Roy Fehr May Defend 1,000-yd. Crown

By Joe Simek

Eleven of Coach Ralph H. Young's crack trackmen will take part in the 15th annual University of Illinois Relay Carnival at Champaign today. The first of the midwest indoor extravaganzas, the meet has attracted more than 500 stars from 31 schools.

Young has entered Ed Mills, Dick Frey, Bill Mansfield, and Roy Fehr as a four-mile relay team; Walter Arrington, Les Bruckner, Starr Keesler, and Milk Schell in the all-around championship; Danny Rosenbaum in the 300 yard dash; Pete Hawrylew in the pole vault; and Barry Ryan in the broad jump.

If there is sufficient time after the four mile relay Captain Fehr will defend his 1,000 yard crown. In winning last year, the Spartan ace rang up a new meet record as well as a new varsity mark.

### PLACED THIRD

After competing in seven events for the all-around championship in the afternoon, Arrington will pit his skill against the specialists in the open high jump and broad jump. Last year he placed third in the broad jump and the fine form he has shown in setting a new varsity high jump mark may place him in that event. Starr Keesler will also broad jump after his afternoon chores.

At Tuesday night's encounter when Michigan's distance runners outclassed State's forces, the Wolverine four mile quartet will be the team to beat. The Spartan miler's are capable of averaging 4:25 per man which also rates them as a leading contender. Portable radios are awarded to members of winning relay teams and first place winners in the open events. A solid gold watch goes with the all-around championship.

Travel notes: Bob Morris and Bob Phillips took a short sightseeing trip about New York city one morning, and turned up last night had to call a cab to find their way back to the hotel.

Society note: Everett MacDougall, manager was among those present at the Metropolitan opera one night. "Mac" also attended Maurice Evans' Handel while the rest of the team took in a hockey game.

In Philadelphia, the Spartans were adopted by a lady fan. She sat behind the players' bench during the game, and from time to time advised the officials of their errors to no small extent. Finally officials came over to the bench and advised her to sit back up in the pews.

Coach Collins' coaching, which has thus far bowled over four formidable opponents, are not expected to have the much trouble with the Furniture City pretenders, but will be taking nothing for granted as the prospects for an undefeated season grow brighter each meet.

Later Friday afternoon, Coach Collins announced the following matmen who would start in their respective weight classes: Arthur Larson, 121 pound division; John Fabian, 128; Bo Jennings, 136; Bill Maxwell, 146; Homer Higbee, 156; Alex Peterson, 165; Bill Farmer, 175; and Alex Haddad will compete in the heavyweight class.

### Fencemen Cross Swords at Case

Led by Capt. Jerry Richardson the Michigan State fencing team will invade Case School of Detroit for a fencing meet this afternoon at 2:30. The Spartan swordsmen have had a good season so far this year, winning seven in eight meets.

In the opinion of Coach Charley Schmittner the Spartans should win today without any trouble. While the Case team will be a fairly easy one to down they will have a stronger team than Western Reserve which has been defeated twice at the hands of the Michigan State fencers this year. This will be State's second meet with Case

on a spurt later in the game to turn in a one-sided victory. Verberg of Wells D accounted for 6 of the winning points, while Hiller scored two field goals for Abbot 13.

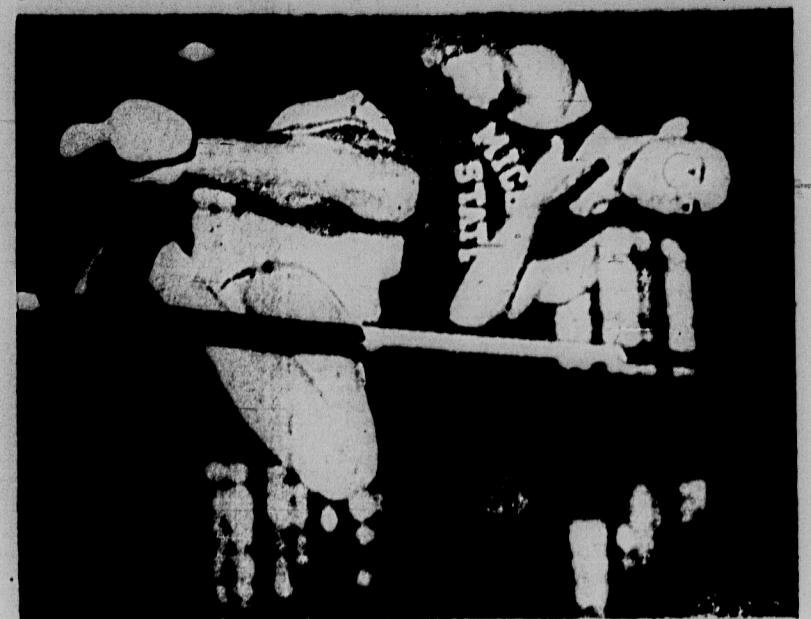
Featuring the high scoring of George Busch, with 12 points, and Bob Lynn, with four field goals to his credit, Abbot 15 triumphed over Mason 8 by a 15-5 score. High point man for Mason was Ken Tanner who sank three from the playing floor.

Seven games are scheduled for the dormitory basketeers on Monday, February 19. In the gymnasium at 8:15, Wells A meets Mason 2; at 8:55, Wells B meets Mason 3; and at 9:35, Wells F will encounter Abbot 12.

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## Spartan Jumper Seeks All-Around Crown



Clearing the high jump bar above is versatile Walter Arrington who will be Michigan State's leading threat to capture the seven-event all-around championship at the Illinois Relays this afternoon. The

Spartans will gain some sort of reputation as "iron men," as no less than four of the eight men entered in the grueling grand are State men. The other three are Les Bruckner, Starr Keesler, and Milk Schell.

Arrington amazed the Illini

fans last year by getting up from a 15 minute knockout at the end of the dash, which was the first event on the program, to win second place. Besides the dash he easily won his specialties, the high jump and the broad jump, and placed second in the high hurdles. Only a poor showing in the pole vault and the half mile kept him from setting a new carnival record.

Last year the negro star competed in the meet after a two-day notice, with no previous work in the pole vault or conditioning for the grand. Meets thus far this season have shown that his jumping is as good as ever and that he can run with the best in the sprints and the hurdles. He has brought out his shot put mark over the 42 foot mark and last fall he improved his vaulting.

Starr Keesler finished in last after being stopped by the hurdles. A letterman in the pike vault and the broad jump and a better than average sprinter and half-miler, he will again find difficulty with the high barriers and the shot.

Big Les Bruckner, who is planning a coaching career, believes that knowing how important in teaching. After two years of varsity quarterbacking, he switched to tackle to learn line play.

Known as a weight man on the track squad, he has shown ability in several events and is taking a what at the all-around.

The sophomore entry, Mike Schell, who can hold against Temple on the gridiron, came to State with a reputation of a one-man track team, and got as a football star. In the state high school meet here two years ago he was a sensation in the pole vault, broad jump, and high jump.

In high school he was a star in six events, and only the hurdles are new to him.

Two other entries in the all-around will be remembered by Spartan fans. Dave Rankin's great pass catching was instrumental in Purdue's football victories over State, and Archie Harris, Indiana's huge negro, set the stage for the touchdown that tied State with his pass receiving.

State's seconds were collected by Lee Grant in the 200-yard breast stroke event and Leonard LaFrance in diving. Wayne swept the first two scoring positions in all other events. Coach Leo Mans' crew, which turned back a potent Ohio State team earlier this year, was recognized as extremely strong and flashed plenty of balance.

After today's meet State's swim candidates are in a tight race for this position four of whom are left-hand throwers. Guy Main, reserve first sacker last season, has had some varsity experience at this position.

Other infield positions are covered by experienced letter men. At second base, George Owen, regular keystone sacker last season, is favored. LaRoy Hanson, sophomore from Beulah, and Carl Reiher, junior from Pontiac, are also working for the second base slot. Norman Duncan, varsity letterman last season at shortstop, is the only experienced man in

uniform, at this position, while Casimer Klewicki is the letterman expected to hold down third base. Harold Mayes, Harrison, Fravel and Robert Sayers are all in the running, however.

The pitchers are rounding into good shape, with a dearth of sore arms. Robert Hall and George Monroe are the varsity letter men in uniform, with Paul Derrickson, the third letter winner, just beginning to work out following his tonsillectomy of a few weeks ago.

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### Infielders Report for Diamond Drills

With the regular season but about six weeks away, the varsity baseball team is beginning to round into shape, with infielders, pitchers and catchers working out nightly in Demonstration hall.

Practice consists mainly in working with individuals, with infielders practicing under actual game conditions to gain the field experience necessary for good play. Batting form is also being studied and analyzed closely.

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# State Wrestlers Clash With West Virginia

## Spartans Are Favored

By BOB ASTLEY

Scenes change in the wrestling picture when Michigan State's bevy of matmen forsake their usual midwestern rivals to play host to the invading Mountaineers from West Virginia at 8 o'clock tonight in the Jenison Fieldhouse.

Their undefeated record blasted sky-wide by a powerful Michigan eight last week, Coach Fendley Collins and his injury riddled grapplers will strive to improve their weaknesses during the remainder of the present mat session in preparation for the national collegiate tourney next month.

### ARE FAVORITES

The Spartans will enter tonight's fray as favorites, somewhat of a change from their underdog role of late. The locals had little trouble turning back the Mountaineers in last year's battle, and despite the fact that Coach "Whitney" Gwynne has four returning lettermen, the State lads are expected to experience slight difficulty in repeating their 1939 win.

Collins will start tonight's ensuing fusillade incidentally the mat team's final home appearance, at nearly full strength for the first time in some three meets. Foremost grappler recuperated from a shoulder ailment is Jim Orr, 165 pounder, who was undefeated until a leg injury forced him to the bench following an Ohio State encounter. Orr is fully

recovered and his reapperance in the Collins fold should add power to the Green and White forward line.



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