

## Bout Feet

Somewhere switched rubbers with Karl McDonel, secretary of the college, the other day, and because they're three sizes too large, he's been forced to stuff paper in the toes. To add to his embarrassment, Registrar R. Linton clipped a paper sail to each rubber, and wrote, "Sail on."

## No Scashbuckling

That chivalry does sometimes when a man gets to be a little gray is attested by Alpha Gamma Lorraine Burkland. Blonde Lorraine took a header on the ice yesterday, and while she lay on the ice three professors passed by. One said, "Say, that girl fell down." The second said, "So she did. I wonder if she hurt herself." The third one said, "No. I don't think so." They walked on by.

## Cheap Skates

Mortar Board women are trying to promote cheap skates around campus next term, and if you're interested in roller skating, they ask that you bring back your equipment at the end of March prepared to do considerable rolling. Skates will probably be held on the tennis courts, with music and lights, the women reported.

## Post-War Report Gets No Cheers

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11 (AP) — The National Planning board's momentous program for re-amping the national economy after the war and giving greater social security to all got the silent treatment from congress today. For the most part, the regulators simply displayed no interest.

One of the few to comment was Senator Wagner (D-N.Y.), author of the national labor relations act, who told reporters he was in general agreement with the welfare, employment and security recommendations of the report.

## Russian Press Says Standley Criticized

MOSCOW, March 11 (AP) — The Russian people were informed last night and today that Admiral William H. Standley, the American ambassador, had expressed the opinion they were not getting the full story of United States aid to the Soviet Union in its war against Germany.

A dispatch of Tass, official news agency, quoted the announcement of Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles that the state department had not been consulted by the ambassador prior to his statement and said, "Washington regards the Welles statement as a condemnation of Standley's position."

## Morgan's Condition 'Grave'

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP) — The office of J. P. Morgan was announced late today that the condition of the financier, in Boca Grande, Fla., "has deteriorated during the day and is regarded as grave."

## UNDER THE WIRE

LONDON, March 11 (AP) — French guerrillas announced in an unprecedented communication from inside France today that they had killed more than 100 Germans and wounded hundreds of others by blasting a troop train at Chagny-Sur-Saone and had carried out 300 attacks during the month ended Jan. 20.

## Briton Relates Destructive Might of RAF

Sinclair Tells Commons Bombers Smashed 2,000 Factories

By E. C. DANIEL

LONDON, March 11 (AP) — The British, now pushing their monthly bomb-sowing rate to the high level of 12,000 tons, have wrecked 2,000 German war factories, cut Nazi steel production by 1,250,000 tons annually, and driven at least a million Germans from their ruined and roofless homes.

This recapitulation was given to the house of commons today by Sir Archibald Sinclair, the air minister.

And, he emphasized, this was only a part of the story, for his was an account only of the forces under his supervision—the RAF—and did not include the details of the enormous damage wrought by the cooperating U. S. air forces.

These Americans, he told the house, were themselves "home-ward and homeward fighters."

Sir Archibald's report was an account of the unprecedented growth of an aerial striking power which he declared now has accomplished these among other results:

1 The Germans have been forced, in an attempt to combat the devastating effect of these manifold raids, to keep twice as many fighter planes in the west as on the Russian front.

2 More than 10 per cent of the planes thrown by Germany in weak reprisals against this country have been shot down in the past three months—a rate of loss generally considered prohibitive to the attacker.

3 An eventual 24-hour air cover for Allied North Atlantic shipping has been made possible—with helicopters to be used by the British over shipping convoys, it was disclosed by one of Sinclair's aides—as are special tank-buster and fighter-bomber squadrons so that when the invasion of Europe comes "the whole resources of the RAF will be united with those of the army."

## 84 Rescued by Argentine Vessel in South Atlantic

BUENOS AIRES, March 11 (AP) — The sinking of the U. S. freighter Stagbound by three torpedoes in the south Atlantic and the rescue of 59 crewmen and 25 members of the armed forces were disclosed tonight in an Argentine foreign office announcement.

The Argentine embassy in Brazil informed the foreign office that the Argentine freighter Rio Colorado had picked up the 84 men and landed them at Rio De Janeiro March 9.

## Hannah Defines Men's Status, Tells Women of Responsibility

Says Coeds Must Train Themselves for Parts in War

By NEVA ACKERMAN

Women today are faced with a greater responsibility than any other generation of college students, Pres. John A. Hannah told an audience of 2,000 at the women's convocation yesterday.

The president's talk centered about the responsibilities and the duties of women in continuing with college work. "We have one common obligation—to do everything we can to win the war in the least possible time," he said.

## Urges Fitness for War Effort

Any wise woman will fit herself for some field that will help in the war effort and that will be valuable to her after the war, he pointed out.

Women should continue in their present course of study, adapting it in the best possible way to the war effort, he emphasized. "This is no time for any woman to do less than she can," she should take a full load of credits and do it as well as she can.

## Locks to Women for Leaders

Women have a great opportunity to produce the leadership and background to win the war.

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## British Peril Nazi Flank as Allied Ring Tightens

ALLIED HDQ. IN NORTH AFRICA March 11 (AP) — The British eighth army threatening to turn the southern flank of Marshal Rommel's Mareth line in Tunisia has inflicted "heavy casualties" on attacking Axis troops, and the fight is continuing amid the wreckage of many enemy vehicles, a supplementary Allied communique said tonight.

This was another Rommel attempt to push back an Allied ring gradually squeezing him into a pocket, and it appeared to have been no more successful than the smashes against General Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's forces last weekend when the Axis lost 52 tanks.

"In attacks on our forces near Ksar Rhilane heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy and many vehicles were left burning," the communique said. "The RAF gave very effective support during the day. Fighting continues."



PRES. JOHN A. HANNAH  
... with envy and regret ...

## Reds on Defense in Violent Battle at Kharkov Base

LONDON, Friday, March 12 (AP) — Outnumbered Russian troops killed 1,200 Germans and destroyed 36 tanks yesterday in the violently unfolding third battle for Kharkov, but a midnight Moscow bulletin spoke ominously of an "unequal engagement," and said "The Germans are bringing up more fresh reserves."

The German high command said its counterattacking army—estimated by Moscow to number 375,000 men in the Kharkov-Donets area—had reached the northern and western edges of the key Ukraine stronghold which the Nazis lost Feb. 16.

"West of Kharkov," said the Moscow communique recorded by the Soviet monitor, "our troops repulsed violent attacks of the enemy. The Germans are bringing up more fresh reserves. The Germans are trying at all costs to break through to the city."

## Meat Ration Ordered

WASHINGTON, Mar 11 (AP) — Secretary of Agriculture Wickard tonight officially ordered rationing of meat, butter and other edible fats and oils, cheese and canned fish "on or before April 1" and estimated that the meat ration "will be in the neighborhood of two pounds, more or less," a week.

This does not include meat eaten in restaurants where ration coupons will not be necessary.

## Senior Ball to Close Formal Season Tonight

By BARBARA DENNISON

Michigan State college social life will be only a memory and a thing of the past after the 1943 Senior ball in College auditorium tonight. Jerry Wald and his band will play for the last formal all-college dance of the year, which will be held from 9 to 12:30.

Although many senior ROTC students were ordered to report to Detroit today to be inducted into the ERC, a sellout of tickets was expected.

Scenes from college life will be depicted in the seven backdrops which have been constructed by Jane Holmes, L. A. '43, and which will be displayed one at a time behind the band. Sigma Chi fraternity, second place winners in the Interfrater-

nity sing, will provide intermission entertainment.

The only pre-dance activity scheduled is a dinner dance at the Alpha Gamma Rho house.

Senior ball chairman, Ed Sewell, will attend the dance with Mary Starr, L. A. '44, whose gown will be blue marquisette trimmed with black lace and velvet.

Phil Althen, decorations chairman, will be with Shirley Knowlton, H. E. '43, and finance chairman Joe Borkowski will have Dorothy Felker, L. A. '44, as his guest.

Jean Jackson, in charge of invitations, will be escorted by Ban Dietrich, Eng. '43, and Betty Gibson, reception chairman, will be with John Schleuter, A. S. '43.

Publicity Chairman Ellis Brandt will attend the dance with Peggy Middlemiss, L. A. '45, and Carol Denman, '42, will be the guest of Bob Conley, chairman of the patron committee.

Ted Ross, in charge of entertainment, will escort Vida Solensten, L. A. '46, and Bob Roat, chairman of the band committee will attend with Virginia Lee Lannin, H. E. '46.

A comparatively quiet weekend is predicted as the term comes to an end. The only other activities scheduled include a Student club party tonight, which co-chairmen JoAnn Cline, A. S. '46, and Harold Schick, Ag. '45, will attend together; and a Delta Sigma Phi radio party tomorrow night.

## President Urges Departing ERCs to Defend Ideals

By AL BERGLUND

Pres. John A. Hannah received a tremendous thunder of applause yesterday morning when he finished speaking to some 4,000 men of Michigan State college, telling them that it was their duty not to forget the ideals for which they are going to fight.

Hannah, in his last address to almost a third of the college, said, "I regret to see you go, but more than that I envy your vigor and your youth, and I know that you are going to do your job well."

## Classifies Reservists' Status

Hannah then clarified the status of all members of reserves, and men who are under the jurisdiction of their draft boards, senior members of the college ROTC, and disabled men saying that his information was based on the latest information from army and navy officials, some of it "less than a half-hour old."

He reiterated the announcement that men would remain at home at the end of the term and be inducted into the ERC April 13-27, and said that Scott field Ill., would be added to the three previously announced induction

See page 4 of today's State news for a summary of President Hannah's announcements concerning various campus groups

centers. Men will be mailed their induction notices through the college. Junior ROTC students will learn where to report from the induction center in their notices.

## AAF Ground Crews to Return

Later in the day Hannah said that members of the air forces ground crew should return to classes for spring term, since under present plans the army does not intend to call them to active duty immediately. Pre-veterinary, medical and dental students will return to classes as civilians also, Hannah stated.

Air force cadets will live in Mason-Abbot hall, army engineers and senior ROTC men in fraternity houses. The latter two groups will eat in the Union. The remaining civilian men will live in off-campus houses.

"If the restaurants in East Lansing cannot handle them, the college will assume responsibility," he said. All fraternity houses will know by tomorrow whether or not they are going to be taken over by the army.

**State News Notice**  
Because of approaching final examinations and the recess between winter and spring terms, the Michigan State News suspends publication with the issue of Saturday, March 13. Publication will be resumed on Tuesday, March 30.

## TIME TABLE

**TODAY—**  
Student club, 8:30 p. m.  
Little theater, Home Ec bldg.  
Householders' assn., 2 p. m.  
Spartan room, Union



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## THINKIN' OUT LOUD

BY SHELDON MOYER

NOW lookit, Moyer... you're going to have to do this sooner or later, and it might as well be now... Sure you don't want to do it... but there's no use postponing it any longer... You know you've been thinking about it for days... All different sorts of ideas have been running through your head... But now you can't think of anything, can you?

Wonder who ever started this idea of an editor having to write a "swan song"... Lotta people go places and do things, but they don't have to take down their hair, making little curtsies as they bow out here and there... Besides what makes you think you want to be nice about the whole matter?

But you've gotta get started, Moyer... Tradition is tradition, and your time has come... Now what are you going to say?... Are you going to tell a bunch of persons they're "stuparoots" or are you going to be nice about the whole matter... After all, four years of college does produce a number of unpleasant situations... And wouldn't this be the spot to get them off your chest?

On the other hand, you know as well as anybody else that Michigan State college has been good to you... The people who were pleasing to you and those for whom you hold a deep respect and admiration far outnumber those who gave you a pain in the neck... Yes, perhaps it would be well to forget about this other group... After all they always were rather small and insignificant in your own mind.

But, gosh, Moyer, did you ever stop to think that you always weren't right, and perhaps you were at fault sometimes... No, you didn't, and that's a fault of a lot of us... So when you consider the persons that you have known at Michigan State... Well, go ahead and admit it... They were a helluva lot more magnanimous than you ever realized.

Yes, Moyer, Michigan State has been good to you and a lotta other persons who are winding up for the duration... You've had fun and worked hard with these students and faculty members... And as you look back on it now, even the pleasant memories far outnumber the unpleasant ones.

Perhaps when you get yourself tied down to a typewriter to write that "swan song" you could enumerate some of those pleasant memories... And maybe say some nice things

about persons... but the more you think it over, the longer would be your list.

Really, Moyer, it takes a lot to convince yourself what a swell place and what a swell bunch of people you're leaving... Take for instance, the State News staff... They never did stop working... a grand bunch of guys and gals... then there was the guy that sat on the left of you... You copied your notes from him... And the guy on the right of you... He kept you awake.

But you're not getting anywhere... You've got a "swan-song" to write... You could tell what you learned in college... but that would entail facts and figures... Or you could tell all that you didn't find the answer to... And that would include the whole Graduate Senior exam.

It seems as though there must have been something outstanding that will stick with you... perhaps it's something you learned but didn't carry out... it might be good advice for those that leave with you as well as those that stay behind... You know what you want to say, but how to say it?

If you could get yourself down to saying what you mean, it might sound something like this... That whatever you do, wherever you are, whatever might be the problem in front of you... Don't make an issue out of the little things... Sure they count and mean a lot at the time, but letting your emotions get away from you is poor... Hold out for the important things... They are the ones that count.

Well, Moyer, your cup runneth over, but you're only thinkin' out loud in a disconnected, distorted manner... Wouldn't it be much better if you left all your thoughts unsaid?

(So the managing editor of the State News sat down at his typewriter and wrote the shortest column of his career. This is what he said:

"Thanks to everybody and goodbye. But as the boys down at the poolroom used to say, 'I'll be seein' yah.'")

**OPA Lists Ration Change**  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 11 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration today increased the next coffee ration by 16 per cent.

The one pound of coffee to be obtainable with stamp No. 26 from war ration book I may be consumed within the five weeks between March 22 and April 25. The current ration of one pound must last for the six weeks ending March 21.

## Spartan's At War

By AL BERGLUND

LIEUT. REGINALD REYNOLDS, '36, from East Lansing, is now stationed somewhere in England, according to word recently received here. Reynolds was transferred from Clayborn field, Ohio. Phi Tau Art Davis, an Engineer who became a commercial pilot, has now been promoted to captain's rank in the air transport command.

First Lieut. Don Williams, '40, who graduated from a quarter-master unit of the Camp Lee-Va., OCS, was recently promoted from second lieutenant in North Africa, where he is now stationed.

In Cairo, Egypt, Lieut. Harve Seeley was one of the men in the Middle East bomber command to be awarded an army air medal in a big ceremony. Seeley is a '40 grad from Mason.

Cadet John Garland, East Lansing, is half way through his pilot training at Perrin field, Texas, and will soon be awarded his wings. Garland has done quite a bit of flying before going into the army.

Among men from FarmHouse fraternity in the service is Lieut. Bob Gay, stationed in Seattle. Capt. Jim Kelly—all these men are fraternity brothers—who belonged to Excalibur while at school, is stationed with the infantry in North Africa.

Going up the scale, Maj. Nevil Pearson, former State Newsmah, is also in Africa, along with Capt. Andy Johnson, '40, flying with one of the first pursuit squadrons to land in Africa on Nov. 7.

Dick Christian, '41, is with the American ambulance corps there, and according to his last letter he saw most of the action from Alexandria west across Africa with the New Zealand army.

### BOX SCORE

Spartan Victory Loan Fund	
Mardi Gras	\$500
Tea Dances	18
Newman club	10
W. A. A.	50
Alpha Omicron Pi	5
South Williams dorm.	25
Officers' club	60
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$668</b>

### Predicts Tax Bill Win

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11 (AP)—Backers of the Ruml pay-as-you-go tax plan took heart tonight and began to predict a victory in the house, after Representative Martin, Republican leader, and his steering committee threw in their support.

Martin predicted to newspapermen that "an overwhelming majority" of house Republicans would vote for the bill.

### Japs Raid Oro Bay Again; Lose 14 of 40 Aircraft

ALLIED HDQ. IN AUSTRALIA, Friday, March 12 (AP)—The Japanese, who had raided a small ship at Oro Bay three days earlier, sent 40 bombers and fighters over that Allied point again yesterday, but met a strong interception and lost possibly 14 craft.

Of the attacking force of 24 bombers and 16 fighters, two bombers and 12 fighters were shot out of action by an Allied defending force, of P-40s and P-38s. At least nine Japanese zeros were definitely destroyed and six others were listed as probable victims.

## Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



"If they're going to let the soldiers help with the bareness, it's only fair they give us furloughs to put up some preserves!"

## The Test of a Real Man, Says Hannah

This is a reprint of the poem by Rudyard Kipling which was quoted by President Hannah at the end of the men's convocation yesterday. President Hannah said it would be well worth reading for every departing student to obtain a copy. Here it is:

IF  
"If you can keep your head when all about you are losing theirs  
and blaming it on you,  
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you but make allowance for their doubting you,  
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,  
Or being lied about don't deal in lies,  
Or being hated don't give way to hating, and yet don't look too good nor talk too wise,  
If you can think and not make thoughts your aim,  
If you can meet with triumph and disaster and treat those two imposters just the same,  
If you can bear to hear the truth you have spoken twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,  
Or watch the things you gave your life to broken and stoop and build them up with worn-out tools,  
If you can make one heap of all your winnings, and risk it on one turn of pitch and toss,  
And lose and start again at your beginning and never breathe a word about your loss,  
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew to serve your turn long after they are gone,  
And so hold on when there is nothing in you except the will which says to them 'Hold on,'  
If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue, or walk with kings nor lose the common touch,  
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,  
If all men count with you but none too much,  
If you can fill the unforgiving minute with 60 seconds worth of distance run,  
Yours is the earth and everything that's in it,  
And which is more, you'll be a man, my son."

### Hitler Rallies Axis

ANKARA, March 10 (AP)—Adolf Hitler in the past few days has sent notes to all his southeastern European allies setting forth details of Germany's new "total war effort" and demanding that these allies should make similar efforts.

### CLASSIFIED ADS

#### FOR RENT

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## Victory in Final Relay Event Gives Sigma Nus Track Crown

By Chuck Bigelow

By winning the 880-yard relay, the Sigma Nus broke a deadlock with the SAEs in the interfraternity track championships yesterday to annex the title the fifth straight year.

The victory gave the winners 32 points to 30 for the SAEs. It was the second year that the same two teams were tied until the last event.

The only race yesterday afternoon, the relay, provided some of the keenest competition in recent years. The opening lap saw the fleet-footed Russ Gilpin take the lead over Karl Hagen, SAE. Coming into the stretch, Gilpin had a five-yard lead and passed the baton to John McKnight, who increased the lead over Jim McGaw, SAE. The third lap found Dick Kieppe holding his own over the best of the fast traveling Pete Secor.

Going into the final lap Jim Pingel clinched the title for the Sigma Nus when he led SAE Bob Freeman to the tape. The time of 1:39.4 is slightly over eight seconds slower than the varsity mark of 1:30.7.

The SAE club took firsts in the shot put and in the mile run, while scoring two seconds in the hurdle events. Chief scorer for the Sigma Nus was Jim Pingel. His firsts in the 220 and 440 plus his last anchor on the relay gave his team the margin of victory.

Final team scores are: Sigma Nus, 32; SAE, 30; Sigma Chi, 13; Phi Delta Theta, 8½; ATO, 8; Delta Chi, 3¾; Phi Kappa Tau, 3; Delta Sigma Phi, 2¾; AGR, 1; and AEP, 1.

## Detroit Boss O'Neill Inspects Park Where Tigers Will Train

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Mar. 11 (AP)—Amid surroundings far removed from the sunny south training grounds of other years, the Detroit Tigers officially pitched camp here today and by nightfall the playing personnel consisted of three men—Outfielder Dick Wakefield and Pitchers Hal Mander and Tommy Bridges.

Bridges, dean of the Tiger mound corps who is starting his 14th year in the American league, came in unexpectedly from Lakeland, Fla., pre-war home of the Tigers, and his description of Florida weather conditions didn't make the Tigers too happy.

Manager Steve O'Neill inspected Bosse field, the Evansville park where the Tigers will work out. His inspecting was done from the stands since he didn't have his rubber boots along.

The park is 2½ miles from Hotel McCurdy, where the Detroit players are to be housed, and that means they'll either walk or ride the buses.

## Fencing Champ



Pretty Muriel Calkins, University of California at Los Angeles coed, is Pacific coast women's open foils champion. Here she practices for a meet.

## State Track Team Will Go to Chicago

In one of its last meets of the indoor season, the Spartan track squad will journey to Chicago Saturday to enter in the 15th annual Illinois Tech. relay games.

Coach Karl Schlademan will only be taking a small team of 12 men. Saturday he will be without the services of Bob Bodoh, up and coming sophomore sprinter from Dearborn, and Bob Carrier, junior hurdler from Detroit, who have left school prior to being inducted into the army air corps. This will leave Schlademan short handed in the dashes with only Hughie Davis remaining, since Bob McCarthy has been out due to an injury.

The squad will leave this afternoon and return Sunday.

## State Will Enter Seven Wrestlers in NAAU Tourney

### Annual Tournament Will Be Staged in New York

Seven Spartan wrestlers will enter the national A. A. U. tournament in New York City on Friday and Saturday, April 9 and 10 since the national intercollegiate have been abandoned for the duration, Coach Fendley Collins announced yesterday.

Collins stated that he would take seven of his best men to the national meet with plans for topping off the season with a title winning team. No men would make the trip who are not in top condition and able to withstand tough tournament competition.

Members of the varsity who are to make the trip have not been announced with an uncertainty arising from the squad members who will leave with the ERC in April.

Workouts will continue for tournament trainees throughout the spring vacation, Collins said. An effort will be made to put the State matmen in the best condition of the year for a successful sweep of the national meet.

### All-College Teams Picked by Writers

The State News all-college intramural basketball teams will appear in tomorrow's issue. The first, second and third quintets and honorable mention selections were chosen by Pat McCarthy and John Pichurski, who covered the fraternity and dormitory leagues, respectively. The all-independent selections by Gus Higgins, who was recently called by the army air forces, were also included in the all-college choices.

These writers were aided in picking the teams by the coaches in the three loops and the officials who refereed the games.

### Wings Drop Toronto to Take League Title

DETROIT, March 11 (AP)—The Detroit Red Wings clinched the National Hockey league championship tonight by defeating the Toronto Maple Leafs, 2 to 1, on Don Grosso's goal with four minutes to play.

Before 10,730 fans who showered the ice with paper after the winning marker, the Wings came from behind after Billy Taylor had notched a first period goal for the Leafs. Rookie Les Douglas matched that in the middle period, and then at 15:51 of the last period Grosso smashed Sid Abel's rebound past pudgy Walter (Turk) Broda.

The victory gave Detroit a five-point lead over the second place Boston Bruins, who have only two games or a possible four points remaining. It was Detroit's fourth league title in 10 years, the last of which came in 1937.

## Notre Dame to Meet Pitt on Gridiron

PITTSBURGH, Mar. 11 (AP)—Notre Dame and the University of Pittsburgh have agreed to meet on the gridiron here September 25, opening the football season for both teams, Athletic Director Jimmy Agan of Pitt announced tonight.

"Our arrangement is for one year, but may be extended for a longer period," said Hagan.

The University of Buffalo has established a course in military German.

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## Highlights of Men's Convocation

### ENLISTED RESERVE CORPS (ALL EXCEPT SENIOR ROTC, VETS, PRE-MEDS, PRE-DENTS, PRE-VETS)

These students will be inducted at the rate of 270 men per day, April 13-27, at either Fort Custer, Fort Sheridan, Camp Grant or Scott field. They are requested not to enroll for spring term, but to stay at home where induction notices and a college transcript including this term's grades will be sent to their home address, or any other forwarding address which is left with the registrar's office. All students are ordered to take college transcripts to induction centers with them. Junior ROTC orders also will include traveling orders for place of assignment after induction center.

### SENIOR ROTC STUDENTS

Students in this category will move into fraternity houses next term, will live under military discipline, will be fed in the Union building, but will be required to pay their own tuition for the term. They also will be required to pay their own board until they are inducted on or about April 13. These men will be eligible for intercollegiate athletics.

### AIR CADETS AND ENGINEERS

About 1,500 air force men and 500 engineers will become students on campus next term. They will live in dormitories and fraternity houses, will be under military discipline and will be fed in the Union.

### OPERATION OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE DURATION

Michigan State college expects to offer enough courses in all curricula so that civilian students, including women, will be able to make normal progress toward their degrees.

### STUDENTS UNDER SELECTIVE SERVICE

Deferments are being granted to all students in engineering courses, bacteriology, chemistry, geophysics, mathematics and physics who can complete their courses prior to July 1, 1945.

### VETERINARY, PRE-VETERINARY, PRE-MEDS, PRE-DENTS

Veterinary students will not be inducted until the end of spring term. Those who have not resigned commissions may do so if they want to receive government pay, room, board and uniform when inducted. Pre-vets, pre-meds and pre-dents in the ERC will remain as civilians until end of spring term. ERC students who have been classified in these deferrable classifications can find name on bulletin board in administration building.

### NAVY, MARINE AND COAST GUARD RESERVISTS

Navy V-5 students may continue through summer term if they can graduate by then. All other navy, marine and coast guard students will remain here until the end of spring term. Men in V-7 needing only one term to graduate after July 1 will be given the option of being permitted to remain in college.

### MALE CIVILIAN STUDENTS

About 1,500 male civilians are anticipated for spring term. They will find adequate housing facilities in East Lansing. If private eating facilities in East Lansing are not sufficient for civilians, the necessary facilities will be provided by the college.

### FRATERNITY AND COOPERATIVE HOUSES

Those houses not selected by the army will be notified by Saturday. They can be pooled for use by civilian students.

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and maintain a secure peace, the president stated. Women must have the ability to come through with the ideals necessary to preserve our present culture, he continued.

Much of the president's speech was devoted to discussion of social problems next term concerning the men in uniform on campus. The soldiers are to be treated just the same as men in college now, he declared.

### Soldiers Will Be College Level

They will not be any different from any student who might have been here in ordinary times, Hannah explained. They will all be at least high school graduates and many of them will have come from other colleges. They will not differ in social background from our present group of college men.

They will be allowed to attend every social function within their military hours, he pointed out. There will be no USO. "This college will not be an army camp . . . no 'little Custer'."

## Congress and FDR Extend Lend-Lease on Anniversary

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11 (AP)

—President Roosevelt capped a celebration of lend-lease's second anniversary today by signing into law a bill extending its life for one year.

With a view to making the most of the momentous law's anniversary, the senate had rushed the measure through by an 82 to 0 vote only 24 hours after the house approved it 407 to 6.

The anniversary also brought a declaration from Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet ambassador, that the Russian people are fully aware and deeply appreciative of lend-lease aid and a report to congress by Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., that aid extended by the United States under the act aggregating \$9,632,000,000 in its first two years and is rapidly expanding; the administrator also reported that aid received by the United States has reached "substantial proportions" and will continue to grow as more American troops go overseas.

### Dorms Contribute Profits to Victory Loan Fund

Profits from the Dorm Drag, held Feb. 27, will be given to the Spartan Victory Loan fund drive, Flossie Wilkins, chairman, revealed recently.

Total profits for the affair amounted to \$115 and were divided among the four women's dorms, Campbell, Williams, Mayo, and North hall. Each of the dorms is contributing its share of the money to the loan fund.

## She's Appreciated



Motion Picture Actress CAROLE LANDIS (above), 24, displays the Eagle Squadron insignia (top), U. S. Air Force (second from top), French Foreign Legion (third down, left), Grenadier Guards (third down, right) and RAF (bottom) insignias during a press conference in New York after she returned from a four-month tour of American fighting fronts where she entertained U. S. forces.

## Schuster Leads MSC Symphony Orchestra in Versatile Concert

By JOAN MEYERS

In a program providing such variety as to demonstrate its musical strength as a unit and the versatility of its members, the M. S. C. symphony orchestra presented a brilliant performance under the direction of Alexander Schuster last night in College auditorium.

The orchestra opened its first concert of this year with a bright and vigorous ballet by Beethoven, "Overture to Prometheus." The second number featured solo violinist Julius Stulberg's splendid interpretation of the graceful and poised "Concerto No. 3 in G Major for Violin and Orchestra," by Mozart.

For their most serious composition of the evening, the orchestra played Brahms' "Symphony No. 4 in E minor," in four movements. Solo parts were admirably performed by clarinetist Leon Kniaz and flutist Irving Travis.

The gay, dance-like "Rumanian Rhapsody," by Enesco, relaxed the program. The composition sparked with familiar gypsy folk melodies and dances.

An audience of about 600 persons enthusiastically applauded the entire orchestra, directed by Schuster, and soloist Julius Stulberg for a program high in entertainment qualities.

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