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## Today's Campus

### Real Life Dolly?

The driver of a campus model was one better than the curvy young girl and got himself a ride, dummy to tote around in the rumble seat of kid's jalopy. Someone was keeping about to notify the campus gestapo until they noticed the pair of shapely legs sticking out from under a blanket. A little too good to be true.

### Major Problem

Now that the snow is practically off the ground again, that almost mid-summer interlude of last Wednesday is just a pleasant memory. But two campus instructors are slightly worried about the robin they saw, calmly searching for worms in the sunshine. Was it left over from last season or is it an early edition of the next, they wonder.

### Cools Prevail

#### Students Represent Six Countries, 37 States

Winter term registration figures released this week by Regent H. S. Linton, show that some are in the majority of the 2,200 civilian students enrolled at Michigan State. Michigan enrollees are scattered over states and six countries, and out-of-state representation has now have the lead by an enrollment of 230 to 225.

Michigan tops the states, with Wayne and Ingham having the largest county totals. New York leads the other states with 110 students, followed by Illinois with 49 from Indiana and 34 and 12 respectively from Ohio and Wisconsin.

Foreign enrollment for this term includes four students from Canada, three from China and one from Nova Scotia. Three Latin American countries have students enrolled at State, with one from Panama and two each from Cuba and Puerto Rico.

### News in Brief

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP)—Gen. Mark Clark, commander of the British army, came under German gun-fire today during a visit to the Anzio bay head south of Rome but suffered injury although several shells near him were hit.

In a broadcast from Alton, Ill., he said that when the enemy opened fire, Gen. Clark dropped to the deck and later helped care for wounded men and afterwards went right ahead with his inspection and conferences with British commanders as if nothing had happened."

DETROIT, Jan. 28 (AP)—A Ford Motor company spokesman reported tonight that 1,700 of the 2,000 night shift war workers at the Highland Park plant had gone on strike.

The spokesman said a shop committee man of the United Automobile Workers (CIO) union had been called into the labor relations office to explain the strike in a restricted area.

## Nazis Suffer Double Loss Near Rome

### Allies Smash Attacks on Bridgehead, Down 28 German Planes

ALLIED HQ., Algiers, Jan. 28 (AP)—Allied land and air forces have dealt the Nazis a crushing twin defeat in the battle for Rome, smashing an enemy assault on the British-American bridgehead and destroying 28 German planes in furious sky fights over the landing beaches, the Allied command announced today.

The Nazi debacle in the air and the repulsing of the heaviest enemy attack so far against the week-old bridgehead came as German prisoners declared that the German 10th army to "stand or die" on the Cassino front, some 80 miles from Rome.

(The German-controlled Paris radio in a broadcast recorded by the British ministry of information in London said: "German military quarters are expecting another Allied landing in Italy shortly." Increased Allied naval activity has been observed. Besides the fifth and eighth armies another army is to participate in the battle for Italy.)

The site of yesterday's ground clash, in which British troops routed elements of the German 29th armored division, was near the little village of Carroceto, 10 miles due north from the Allied beachheads at Anzio.

Despite this German effort and a previously reported counter-attack by units of the Hermann Goering armored division, near Littoria, 10 miles east of Anzio, the Allied invasion holding was being slowly but steadily enlarged, latest official word from the area said.

### Republican Attempts to Force Decision on Fourth Term

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Senator Bridges (R-N.H.) laid plans today to force President Roosevelt's hand on a fourth term decision through legislation requiring that the names of presidential candidates be printed on the ballots which must be mailed early to let service men vote.

Bridges said he would suggest Monday that the Democrats advance their national convention to a date early enough to list the ticket on overseas ballots.

The federal ballot form in the administration's bill carried blank spaces for president, vice-president, senators and congressmen. The voter either could write in the name of his candidate, or could simply designate the party for which he is voting.

Republicans argue that this pattern would give a break to the Democrats should President Roosevelt seek re-election because he has so long been associated in the public mind with the presidency.

### Former Instructor Dies

Mrs. Edith MacDermott Lawrence, the first instructor in what is now the Home Economics division, died at her home in San Fernando, Calif., Dec. 17, according to Glen O. Stewart, director of alumni relations.

Miss MacDermott held the title of professor of domestic economy and household science from 1898 to 1898. Stewart said.

## Lets to Announce Queen Choice at Annual Dance

One of the highlights of the weekend's social affairs will be the Vet ball tonight in the Union ballroom. The dance, which will be semi-formal, has been definitely declared a closed affair, according to Publicity chairman Hilda Stroop, Howell minor. Flowers will be optional.

Dancing will be from 9 to 12 with the music of Gene Devine with decorations keynoted by medical corps insignia. Climaxing the evening will be the crowning of the Vet queen at intermission. Voting for the queen closed Thursday, but her identity will not be disclosed until the coronation.

The seven Michigan State women who are competing for the title are Dorothy Roberts, Columbus, Wis., freshman; Florence Welsh, Grand Rapids junior; Cecelia LaMotte, Howell, Ind., junior; Betty Grosjean, Detroit sophomore; A. J. Meiser, Detroit freshman, and Shirley Robillard, Rochester freshman.

Patrons for tonight's dance will be Prof. and Mrs. E. C. Larson of the chemistry department, and Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson of the education department.

Dee Clyde Cairy will preside as master of ceremonies and will entertain with a magician act.

## Yank Planes Hit French Targets

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP)—American Liberators, supported by forces, raided mystery targets by Thunderbolts and fighter RA in the Pas de Calais area of France without the loss of a single American plane today following last night's heavy British bombing attack on Berlin.

London experienced a brief air raid alert tonight, its tenth in the war, and seventh thus year. The all-clear sounded within a short time and no gunfire was heard in the center of the city.

Berlin still simmered among hundreds of fires from the RAF attack which drove home a 1,500-ton blow, one of a series of hard punches which apparently is necessary to finish off the Nazi capital.

The RAF heavy bombers also rocked Heligoland, the "German Gibraltar" in the North sea, with a diversionary assault last night.

Other regions in northern France were attacked as well as the Pas de Calais area.

That the uprising was for "national recuperation and affirmation of Argentine sovereignty."

## Colored Pictures of Wildlife to Be Feature of World Adventure Series



SAM CAMPBELL  
... animal lover ...

## America Vows to Punish Japs for War Atrocities

### Torture of Yank, Filipino Prisoners of War Brings Demand for Isolation of Nips from Civilized World After War

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Enraged as never before, America tonight vowed merciless vengeance on every one of the Japanese who tortured and murdered the unforgettable heroes of Bataan.

Even the calm, judicial Secretary of State Hull was moved to use such words as "demons" and "fiendishness" as he gave the official promise that the butchers of Nippon would be brought to account.

No one knows yet exactly how many of the U.S. and Filipino troops were brutally slain but Palmer Hoyt, former director of OWI's domestic branch, declared that most of the 30,000 who surrendered met their deaths from deadly beat, thirst, starvation, and other forms of torture.

### News Kept Secret

Hoyt was critical that the ghastly news had been withheld from the public for two years. Two reasons were given today for making the information public now. Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said there was no longer any point to keeping the veil of secrecy.

Instead, Early declared that there was no hope of the Japanese allowing further relief supplies to reach the captives.

The OWI said publication was decided upon in the belief that it might bring some improvement in the Japanese attitude toward prisoners.

### Japs to Be Punished

Secretary Hull revealed that the government is compiling all information possible about prisoner treatment and said the criminals will be punished when the war ends.

Hull also said that this government has collaborated with Britain on the subject of war prisoner treatment. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told commons in London today that thousands of British troops have died as prisoners of the Japanese after being compelled to live under incredible conditions without adequate shelter, clothing, food or medical attention. Britain, like the U.S., will not forget, Eden vowed.

### Cases Cited by General

The Tokyo government gave assurance two years ago through the Swiss government that it followed the international laws on treatment of prisoners and civilian internees.

A week after they made the pledge, however, General Douglas MacArthur accused the Japanese of mistreating the prisoners on the Philippines and cited cases.

## TIME TABLE

### TODAY—

- Alpha Phi Omega, 2:30 p.m.  
Sunporch, Union
- Tea dance, 3 p.m.  
Ballroom, Union
- Epsilon Chi, 3 p.m.  
Faculty dining room, Union
- Movie, 8:15 p.m.  
College auditorium
- Vet ball, 9 p.m.  
Ballroom, Union

### TOMORROW—

- Christian Fellowship, 5 p.m.  
Bethel Manor, 435 M.A.C.

### MONDAY—

- Phi Delta Theta, 7:30 p.m.  
Room 112, Union annex

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## Weekly Letter to Men in the Service

(This open letter to men in the service is a weekly feature of the Michigan State News, describing the outstanding events on campus. Clip it out and mail it to a friend in the service.)

Jan. 29, 1944

**D**EAREST Johnny,  
I've always said it's wonderful how much a girl can accomplish when she owns a car. And I was right, too. Here our old buddy Neva Ackerman got herself crowned Blue Key sweetheart last Saturday night when she owns a quarter interest in Blossom. Maybe that proves she's got something else, too.

There's a regular epidemic of queens this term! The next to be announced is the Vet queen who will reign over the Vet ball tonight. Seven women have been nominated, one of whom will be the four-star feature.

Big news last night was the aircravt's choice for Stamp queen, Kay Wattles. Alpha Chi senior from Huntington Woods, was crowned as the pre-pre-fighters favorite last night at the Tailspin ball. They must have had a tough time choosing, but I think they did a good job.

Orchess has pledged up 13 girls women after what sounds to me like excruciating tests. I admire grace, of course, but sometimes I can't get all worked up over twisting my feet around my neck—even if I could.

Aren't you sorry you aren't around this year—AWS has granted 1 a.m. permission for coeds on Saturday nights now. Of course, there's always a catch, but not such a big one this time. Friday permissions will be reduced to 12 a.m., but the Saturday privileges will extend through spring term which ought to make the local male genre pretty happy.

Union board, always popping out with new ideas, is featuring something new along the tea dance line. The various dorms are taking turns presenting programs during intermission. Campbell hall will be the first on the list and you know how you were always able to discover wonderful talent in those dorms.

As I always say, there is nothing like a "CC" ration of love.

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## Allied Planes Hit Rabaul 24 Days

ADVANCED ALLIED HQ, New Guinea, Saturday, Jan. 18 (AP)—Twenty-two Japanese planes have been shot down on the 14th day of raids this month to hit the stronghold of Rabaul headquarters announced today.

More than 100 planes from Swainsboro bases delivered the attack Wednesday and four were lost. Allied planes have missed only two days this month in smashing at the northeastern New Britain fortress. The enemy losses announced today raised the total accounted for so far this month to more than 380.

Harrasing attacks were continued at Rabaul against Lexington airbase and the town of Madang by torpedo bombers and dive-bombers.

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## CAMPUS CHURCHES

By EILEEN OHLER

### ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

Masses will be said at 8, 10 and 12 tomorrow morning. January rosary devotions are held daily at 5:10 p.m. and there is a special mass for men in service at 8:10 p.m. every Friday. N. P. club will entertain soldier and civilian Catholic students at Resurrection High School auditorium in Lansing from 2:30 to 6 p.m. Sunday.

### MIFFLIN AVE. NAZARENE

"Revival Demands and Prayer" will be Rev. C. A. Burch's topic at the 11 a.m. service tomorrow. Sunday school is at 10 a.m., young people's hour at 6:45 p.m. and the evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m.

### CHRIST LUTHERAN

Rev. E. L. Woldt will preach on the subject "What Manner of Man Is This?" at the 10:45 morning service with communion. Gamma Delta will meet in the Union at 8:30 p.m. for a social evening.

### PEOPLES CHURCH

"Wanted: A Philosophy of Life" will be discussed by Dr. N. A. McCune at the worship services at 8:30 and 11 a.m. Student supper is at 5:15, vespers at 6:15, at which Dr. H. L. Hunt, head of the zoology department, will discuss "My Motive for Living," and the student fireside at 7 p.m.

### COLLEGE LUTHERAN

Communion services in the F. Lansing State theater will be at 10:30 a.m. with Rev. William Young preaching on "Why Hypocrites in the Church." Bible class is at 10 a.m. Helen Wissmetzki will be the guest speaker at the Lutheran student club meeting at 4:30 p.m. in the Union.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The discussion at 11 a.m. services in the East Lansing Masonic Temple will be on "Love." Sunday school will be at 9:30 a.m., and the Wednesday evening service at 8 p.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

The theme of Rev. John M. Vander Meulen's sermon at the 11 o'clock service tomorrow morning will be "Laundry Out into the Deep." Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m., young people's meeting at 4:30 p.m. and the Fellowship hour at 7:30 p.m.

### ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

Hours of mass tomorrow are 8, 10, 12:10, 1:10, 10 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. Confessions are heard Saturday from 3 to 6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:15 p.m. There are daily masses at 8:30, 10, and 12:45 a.m.

### ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Rev. G. A. Brinkman will preach at services at 9:30 and 11 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Sunday school will be held at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

### Engineers Will Hear Dr. Shao Chang Lee

Engineering council will sponsor a joint meeting of the student engineering groups on campus Tuesday evening. The cooperating members of the ASCE, ASCEE, AIEE, and ASME.

Prof. Edward E. Kinney, faculty adviser of the council, announced that Prof. Shao Chang Lee would address the group. Lee will speak on China tomorrow.

The meeting will be held in the faculty dining room of the Union at 7:30.

### Naval Units Hit Marshalls

PEARL HARBOR, Jan. 28 (AP)—Seventh air force bombers resumed the air offensive in the mid-Pacific yesterday by blasting Nauru island west of the Allied-held Gilberts in a daylight raid and by hitting Wotje, Maleolap atolls in the enemy-held Marshall islands.

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Gamma Delta Sunday, 4:30 p.m.

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Lutheran (Radio) Hear Sunday 12:30 (Mutual)

# Kay Wattles Crowned Air Queen Spartans at War

**Major Johnson, 310th Pre-Flight Officers Officiate at Crossed Saber Ceremony; Queen to Review Saturday Parade**

Chosen from a bevy of campus beauties, Kay Wattles, Huntington Woods senior, last night was crowned queen of the 310th aircrew detachment's military ball at the College auditorium.

Through a portal of crossed sabers, Miss Wattles received her crown from Maj. Paul Johnson, commanding officer of the detachment.

In keeping with the patriotic theme of the ball, the crowns for queen and her attendants were of war stamps, and bouquets were presented to the review by the squadrons which were represented.

#### Queen Attendants

Along with the queen, Jean Barnes, Flint freshman; Jacque Sullen Jackson, sophomore; Jack Meenan, Louisville, Ky., senior; Marie Cully, Buffalo, N. Y., sophomore; Marcella Gibson, Lansing, and Sylvia Leathers, West Lansing were given war stamps.

During the Saturday mass review of the squadrons, Miss Wattles will present to squadron E's banner the honor pennant that the squadron won at a previous meeting.

#### AST Dance Planned

Scheduled for tonight is the second AST dance to be held in demonstration hall. Music will be furnished by the AST band. Tickets for the dance will be sold all day at the Union Inn according to Lt. Robert E. Smith, special service officer.

#### Golfer Marjorie Row Wins Doherty Trophy

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 28 (AP)—Successful Marjorie Row of Andover, Mass., who can hold her own with most men when it comes to hitting a golf ball for distance and accuracy, won the second Doherty trophy tournament for women amateurs to-

day. She disposed of her chief competitor in earlier rounds, and had no difficulty in downing George E. Wilcox of Miami in the 18-hole finals, 7 and 6.

The curly-haired blonde, who was Michigan state champion before she moved to Andover four months ago, was an even women's par for the first 18 to take a further lead. She eased up a little in the afternoon, but still had enough strokes for her game.

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#### U.S. Statesmen to Reconsider Spanish Policy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—The state department announced tonight that it is reconsidering general relations between Spain and the United States "in the light of trends in Spanish policy."

Pending that reconsideration, the department said, loading of Spanish tankers with petroleum products for Spain have been suspended.

The Spanish government has shown a certain reluctance to satisfy requests deemed both reasonable and important by the state department, and concerning which representations have continuously been addressed to the Spanish government for some time past," the announcement said.

It then listed several points on which Spain has failed to satisfy the Allies, including:

1—Certain Italian warships and merchant vessels continue interred in Spanish ports.

2—Spain continues to permit the export to Germany of certain vital war materials such as wolfram. Tungsten ore used in making armor-piercing steel.

#### Student Trio Helps Direct Aircrmen

BY A. S. CHAS. GELLERMAN

Comprising the 310th's wing staff known to the detachment as the "Big Dogs" are A. S. A. Jack Stream, A. S. John J. Freed and A. S. Thomas M. Rickman, wing commander, lieutenant and supply officers, respectively.

The trio set the policy for the pre-pre-flight students as to management of the nine squadrons and also act as liaison agents between the tactical command staff and the students.

Student Lt. Col. Stream is not a novice at the job of handling men, having had two years of previous service, and upon close scrutiny of his shirt, faint outlines of first sergeant's stripes can be noticed.

A. S. Freed, of Chicago, was sent with a signal corps crew to a Tennessee camp where he spent the greater part of his army life before entering the air forces.

Coming into the army air forces in July, 1942, Student Major Freed completed an airplane mechanics school in Texas, transferring later to a B-17 specialist school in Seattle, Wash. Upon graduation, he was attached to the army transport command as a crew engineer on a "fort."

In 1943 Student Major Rickman joined the Canton, N. C., state guards and progressed so rapidly that in 1940, at 17, he gained the distinction of being one of the youngest staff sergeants in the United States army. Six years in the army have taken him through many camps all over the country.

Considering the possibilities of the air forces as a career, the staff agreed that rank and station would be the governing factors.

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DICK Nahstoll, '40, president of Student council while at State, was recently promoted from ensign to lieutenant, junior grade. Lieutenant Nahstall is stationed at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Cpl. Bob Gormley is on campus today. He is with the air forces at Peterson field, Colo. Corporal Gormley was a former boxer at State and is in the physical training department.

Recently commissioned Lt. George White is now at Baileys Field, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Cpl. Emil A. (Bang) Miller, '39, is in the special service section where he is in charge of the army institute education program.

Pvt. Jerry Wosinski is with the ASTP unit at Princeton university. Pvt. Dave Lucia's new address is the ASTP at Durham, N. H. Pvt. Eddie Fliszewski, former footballer, is at Fort McClellan, Ala., and so is one-time freshman boxer Peter Zentz.

Pvt. Ed Mencotti of Spartan football and boxing fame, has been shipped from Truex Field to an unannounced destination.

A. C. Robert L. Harris is now at Tulare, Calif. Cadet Harris was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity while at MSC Warren Card, '45, is in pilot pre-flight training somewhere in California. Herb Whitaker, freshman from Alma, left for active duty last week.

Capt. Darwin C. Dudley, '39, is athletic officer at the army air forces technical training command at Sioux Falls, S. D. He is a full-fledged army pilot and is looking forward to combat action. The Sioux City papers have frequently lauded the fine athletic program Captain Dudley has laid out. His brother Don, with the class of '42, is a lieutenant in the army and is flying in Texas.

Capt. Thomas C. Ortey, '35, who represented Michigan State on the 1932 U. S. Olympic team, is in the cavalry at Fort Riley, Kan.

Staff Sgt. Willard J. Fager is still in the southwest Pacific. He was at Pearl Harbor when the Japs attacked.

A. C. William Croinwell, '41, formerly stationed at Beloit college, Beloit, Wis., is now in California.

Taisto C. Filppula, '43, is one of the ASTP trainees at the University of Wisconsin where he is specializing in German, just so he will be able to tell Hitler what he thinks of him.

Lt. (Eng.) Robert W. Hills, '40, is at Quonset Point, R. I., where he is in charge of athletics, transportation and assistant in communications. He has had some experience dropping bombs on submarines while on patrol duty.

Staff Sgt. John J. Casavola is now with the marines at Cherry Point, N. C., after spending some time at Texas A. and M. college and at the naval research laboratory in Washington, D. C.

Two ex-Statesmen, Cadet Richard N. Philleo and Cadet Walter K. Gest, have reported to Carlsbad army air field bombardier school, Carlsbad, N. M.

#### AST Gagers Compete in League Games

Competing in the AST basketball league, teams from the Sigma Chi house, North hall, Phi Delta Theta and Psi Upsilon battled it out last night in Jenkins gym.

Chalking up close scores in the contest, Sigma Chi took the lead in the last two minutes of the game to take a 32-28 victory from North hall.

The Phi Delt-Psi U game was equally tight, with the Phi Delt coming out on top with a 26-25 score gained in the fourth period.

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## Russians Threaten German Leningrad-Pskov Railroad

Supply Line Cut as Reds Approach Estonia

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP)—The Red army cleared the Germans from all but one beleaguered center of resistance along the great double-tracked Leningrad-Moscow trunk-line today and rolled steadily westward from Lake Ilmen to cut the Germans' important Leningrad-Vitebsk supply line, leaving them but one major rail route out of the north.

The virtual clearing of the Leningrad-Moscow line—the Russians already were fighting in the streets of the last German-held town of Chudovo—was announced by Premier Marshal Joseph Stalin in a special order of the day.

### Victory Salute Ordered

The premier-marshall ordered a victory salute from Moscow guns to mark the achievement which, when the line is repaired, will once again permit Russia's two largest cities to exchange supplies and men.

The Leningrad-Vitebsk railway was cut in at least two places between the junctions of Rastavkiy and Dno, said the daily Moscow communiqué, reported by the Soviet monitor. This left the Germans the Leningrad-Pskov-Warsaw railway as their only rail retreat route from the north.

Announcement of the virtual clearing of the Moscow-Leningrad railway indicated that the Germans had held even a smaller stretch of the line than had appeared from recent Soviet communiqués.

### First to Oust Germans

With the official announcement by Leningrad's generals that the German tenaces at the city's gates had finally been torn loose and the victory won, a new stage of the Leningrad offensive had begun—a battle to oust the Germans from northern Russia.

Part of this job was in the hands of Gen. Kyrill A. Meretskov and his Voronezh front fighting north and west of Lake Ilmen. They were moving due west, forming an angle open

which the Leningrad front was pounding the Germans. Not only were they in position to cut the Leningrad-Vitebsk escape route for the Germans but were expected to move even farther west in an attempt to cut the Leningrad-Warsaw line north of Pskov.

### Named Naval Head



Shown above is Adm. SIR BERTRAM RAMSEY, who has been appointed commander-in-chief of naval units in General Eisenhower's forces being organized for a European invasion.

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### Enlarged Lecture-Concert Series Meets Approval of Student Body

By EMILY KALLEED

Union board's spotlight parade dance, featuring Louise Campbell hall, will get today's social program off to an early start this afternoon in the Union ballroom from 3 to 5:30.

At 4:20 Campbell residents will present a short program in this first of a series of Saturday afternoon dances featuring women's dormitories.

Musie will be furnished by Gene Devine's orchestra. Dates are not required, according to Betty Simpson, president of the board.

Tonight the Zeta Tau Alpha and Alpha Xi Delta sororities are combining their term parties in the Little Theater.

Jean Woodruff, Wyandotte sophomore, Zeta Tau's social chairman, and Alpha Xi's social chairman, Peggy Smith, Royal Oak junior, are planning the event.

Potter House is also having its term party at home tonight, featuring dancing and a treasure hunt, according to social chairman, Carolyn Kirk, Plymouth freshman.

### Women's Sports

BY DOTTE VON DETTE

Feature of the basketball clinic to be held today from 9:30 to 12 in the women's gymnasium will be a game between Michigan State college and a team from Central Michigan College of Education, according to Thelma Bishop, of the women's physical education department and chairman of the affair.

The clinic will begin with a panel discussion of rules, officiating and competition. Dorothy Parker, physical education instructor, will act as chairman of the discussion. A demonstration of techniques and officiating will finish up the program with Michigan State students demonstrating.

Officials will be Bonita Cresswell, teacher of physical education at Patterson junior high school, and Miss Parker. Jane Rader, college instructor, is in charge of hostesses.

The emphasis of the program is to encourage intramural officials ratings for high school and college students.

Bowling scores reported from last night's contests in the tournament show that Sigma Kappa defeated the Kappa Sigma annex, 42 to 43, while Kappa Delta triumphed over Alpha Chi Omega by a score of 59 to 52. Benson house defeated Epsilon Phi, 134 to 141.

### Bill Passed to Freeze Social Security Tax

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—A freeze of social security tax rates, strongly opposed by President Roosevelt, was approved today by a joint committee adjusting senate and house versions of the new revenue bill.

Employers and employees covered by the act will continue to pay 1 per cent payroll taxes throughout this year under the freeze. The rate had been scheduled to double automatically Jan. 1, but a stop-gap resolution held the projected rise of 60 days.

As on two previous occasions the move to block the increase developed in the senate. Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) led the fight, contending the social security reserve fund is from five to 11 times larger than the estimated drain upon it in any of the next five years.

Because of a steel shortage nearly all buildings in Brazil, including apartment houses, are being made of reinforced concrete.

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specific reactions.

**Auburn Arnold**, Toledo senior, and Ann Bottoms, Ga., sophomore, both said that she always

that there is not a loss.

She says the programs

terribly entertaining.

Students should make

of their opportunity.

"We need more of

Miss Bottoms said.

the light music easier

type. College gives

chance to develop

operas and ballet.

**Students Appreciate Concerts**

**Brian Mayeda**, Toledo freshman, remarked,

ing programs like those

mund Romberg and his

son were a "royal

**Jerome Dunham**, Toledo senior, felt that the Dec. 15 program was inspiring.

He believes that music is

ular.

"We can read in the

lot of things as the

of the news," Bob Young

Wauwatosa, Wis., senior,

ROTC, said. "But they

give us the opportunity

good musical backs-

## INFORMATION

### CATHOLIC STUDENT ACTS

The XP club of St. John Aquinas parish invited Catholic students to a meeting yesterday tomorrow at the high school auditorium from 2:30 to 6 p.m. Music was furnished by the ASTP.

### WOLVERINE PROPS

Underclassmen can see the proofs for the Wolverine magazine at the Hub studio, according to Doris Englehardt, classmate.

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