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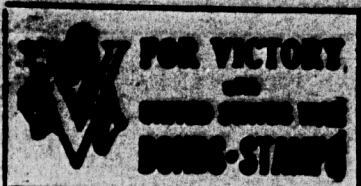
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## 6,000 Allied Aircraft Drop Bombs on Nazi Lands

### Today's Campus

#### ... Wrong Technique

Fugitives from justice are Joe Eys, Detroit sophomore; Bob Edgell, Elmira, N. Y., senior, and John Hickey, Niagara Falls, N. Y., senior. The men were using all their appeal to hitch a ride to East Lansing Appeal when a policeman appeared on the scene. Realizing that hitch-hiking in the middle of the street was taboo, the three raced into Sears Roebuck company and were calmly surveying the latest designs in ties when the officer strolled into the store.

#### ... No Bet, No Nothing

It is just a little too chilly to get the urge to go wading in the Red Cedar according to most MSC students, but Ed Pierce, MSC student, but Ed Pearce, East Lansing junior, decided that he would brave the cold waters for a 75 cent bet. He started across the dam confidently, only to discover that the stones were a trifle slippery. It was a matter of a moment before Pearce was floating gently downstream with the bet disappearing in thin air.

### Grant to Present Study of Wildlife in Color Movie

Cleveland Grant, wildlife lecturer and photographer, will show his color movie on American birds and big game Saturday at 8:15 p. m. in College auditorium.

After graduating from Oberlin college Grant joined the staff of the Field Museum of Natural History. Since then he has been president of both the Audubon Society of Ohio and the Chicago Ornithological society. In the past 12 years Grant has delivered more than 3,500 bird and animal lectures to over a million people. Many of his films have been released to theaters throughout the country from Paramount studios.

The movie makes a thousand-mile trip through the Rockies in quest of big game. He will show pictures of game birds, song birds, and sea birds, with a slow-motion analysis of the flight of snow geese, pheasants, and ducks.

Admission for students is by treasurer's receipt. Servicemen will be admitted free.

This will be the last lecture given in the main auditorium this term, but movies will continue to be shown on Saturday evenings in Fairchild theater.

### Japs Open New Drive to Clear Railway in Honan Province

CHUNGKING, April 16 (AP)—Japanese forces in north Honan province seeking to clear the strategic Pingping-Hankow railway have opened a new drive against the Chinese defenders of the important junction city of Chenghsien (Chengchow), the Chinese command announced tonight.

After mounting a three-pronged offensive yesterday in the region of Chungmow, 23 miles east of Chenghsien, the Japanese this morning began pushing southward toward Chenghsien from the southern bank of the Yellow river at the bridge above that city, a Chinese communique said.

### British Troops Crack Kohima Siege Lines

#### Preparations for Final Assault on Position to Be Completed

KANDY, CEYLON, April 19 (AP)—A British relief expedition from Dimapur has cracked the Kohima siege lines and tank-supported British and Indian troops have blasted Japanese invasion forces from three positions northeast of Imphal, 60 miles south of Kohima, it was announced today.

Breaking through a series of obstacles, British troops advancing southeastward from the railway line at Dimapur established contact with British and Indian troops who had been surrounded in the Kohima "Bo" 30 miles inside India, and preparations for a final assault to relieve the garrison are almost complete, it was announced in dispatches from Calcutta.

Dispatches from two army observers, one inside Kohima and the other with the relieving force, reported the Kohima garrison had held on against a numerically superior Japanese force which attacked night and day.

The main detachments from Dimapur have advanced to within 1,000 yards of positions held by the Kohima garrison in preparation for the final nutcracker action against the Japanese, it was announced.

### Gracie Fields to Sing Nine Song Groups at Concert Tomorrow

Gracie Fields, who is appearing in College auditorium tomorrow night at 8:15, will sing nine groups of both classical and semi-classical songs. The world famous soubrette has performed in concerts in England, France, Canada, and the United States since the outbreak of the war without receiving any money from them.

In one group Miss Fields will sing "All for One and One for All," "Danny Boy," "The African Trek Song," "Don't Be Angry With Me, Sergeant," and "Berkeley Square."

The closing group will include such popular ballads as "Annie Laurie," "Love's Old Sweet Song," and "There'll Always Be An England."

Miss Fields, though born and made famous in England, now has made her home in California.

### Women Students Impress Montenegro

By EILEEN OEHLER

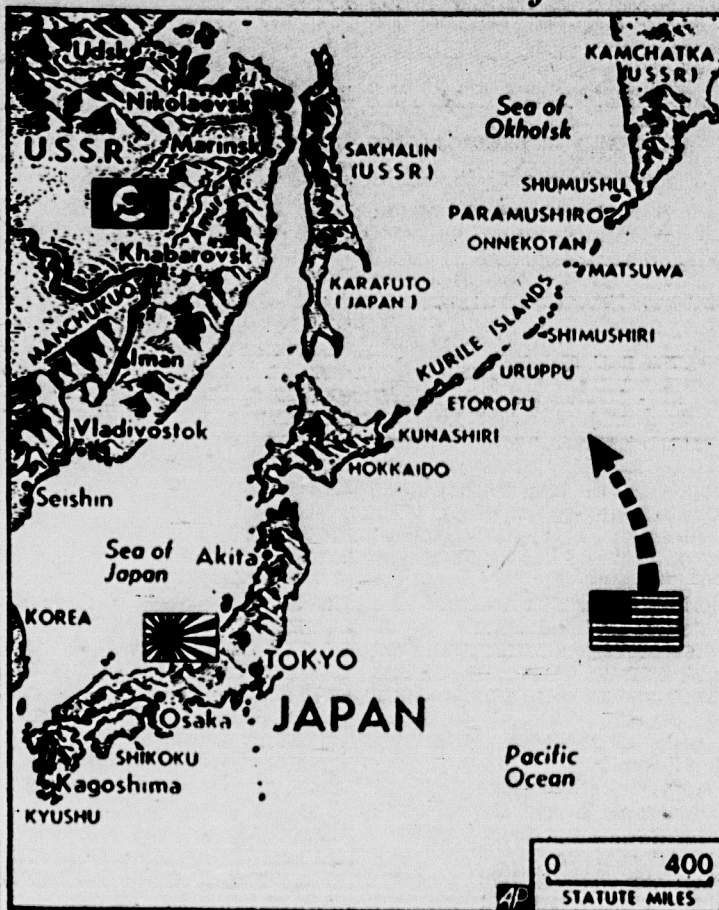
Ernesto Montenegro, Chilean journalist and author who is visiting Michigan State for two weeks, remarked at a recent interview that the students have shown a genuine interest in Latin American problems and in learning about the people of the various nations to the south.

He will conclude his series of public lectures on Latin America tonight at 7:30 in the lecture room of Kedzie chemical laboratory, when his topic will be "Latin American Problems After the War."

#### Women Well Prepared

"We must destroy the involuntary notion we all have that foreign peoples live a very strange life," Montenegro said. "When we realize that, aside

### Knox Predicts Invasion of Kuriles



Map shows Kurile chain of islands north of the Japanese homeland, invasion of part of which may be expected, Secretary of the Navy Knox said. Recent targets of American bombers are Matsushima, Shumushu, Paramushiro, and Onnekotan.

### Student Council to Choose Divisional Representatives From Petitions

Divisional representatives of Student council for the coming year will be chosen from petitions to be filed by persons desiring membership on the council, it was decided at the regular meeting of the governing group last night.

Persons in the six college divisions, Liberal Arts, Engineering, Veterinary medicine, Applied Science, Home Economics and Agriculture, who wish to petition must do so by noon, Wednesday, May 17.

Petitions should include the applicant's name, division, point average, reason for desiring the position, previous experience, class and activities. One person will be chosen to represent each of the divisions.

#### Judiciary Board to Choose

The women's dormitory representative will be chosen by the six dorm presidents on Judiciary board and the off-campus member will be elected by off-campus judiciary board. Council officers will be chosen by all old and new members Wednesday, May 31.

Persons desiring membership on Union board for the coming

year should petition the board by noon Monday, May 15, and include name, class, division, point average, activities and special qualifications. Members will be chosen May 17.

#### Engineers Functioning

Morse Bettison, temporarily representing Engineering council, asked permission for the latter to be permitted to operate as usual until limited enrollment in the Engineering division makes it impossible. He also asked that the Engineering council be allowed to elect its representatives at large by direct petition. Student council granted the request.

The council granted \$50 to CDC for use to June, 1945, and \$25 to Victory Speakers bureau when a budget for the organization has been submitted.

Mac Cropsey, Interfraternity council representative, announced that the Fraternity Advisers' association is planning a conference Monday, May 13, at which one national officer of every national fraternity on campus will be present as well as all fraternity men at State.

### American Forces Hit Hamm, Calais, Kassel Targets

LONDON, April 19 (AP)

—American and British warplanes developed the greatest sustained aerial assault of the war today, rounding out a 30-hour offensive against Germany and Nazi-occupied territories during which bombs were dropped almost continuously at the average rate of 300 tons an hour, or five tons a minute.

The Allies in more than 6,000 flights between noon Tuesday and 6 p. m. today poured 9,000 tons of bombs on selected German targets, the Americans capping the period with a blow by 2,000 heavy bombers and fighters against plane factories and parking fields near Kassel and Hamm in Germany and installations near Calais in France.

#### Air Invasion

The U. S. air forces communique referred to the offensive as "the air invasion of Germany." The more enthusiastic protagonists of air power in London began speaking of the possibility of breaking the back of the German air force in two or three weeks if the weather holds out.

The German air force apparently was driven to the earth today. Although conditions were ideal for combat and the American heavies were ferreting out some of Germany's most vital targets, the Germans put up only a token resistance.

#### Railroads Hit

The British for their part dropped a record one-night total of 44,400 tons of bombs last night on railroad installations. See BOMBINGS—Page 3

### Union Board to Offer Girl Orchestra for Informal Dance

Union Board will present an informal dance Saturday night from 9 until 12 in the Union ballroom. Virginia Ball and her all-girl orchestra will furnish music for the evening.

The orchestra, which is being presented for the first time on campus, is noted for its novelty arrangements.

The grill will be open during the dance to accommodate those present, according to Betty Simpson, Grand Rapids senior.

The dance is open to civilians and servicemen. Tickets are on sale at the Union desk and in the public relations office of the air forces in Abbot hall.

## TIME TABLE

#### TODAY—

Town Girls luncheon, 12 m.  
Town Girls' lounge  
Orchestra, 4 p. m.  
Dance studio, Women's gym  
Theta Chi smoker, 7 p. m.  
Spartan room, Union  
AYMA, 7 p. m.  
Vet clinic  
CDC, 7 p. m.  
Org. room 2, Union  
Christian Fellowship, 7 p. m.  
Room 114, Union annex  
Phi Kappa Tau, 7 p. m.  
Room 115, Union annex  
Sigma Nu, 7 p. m.  
Room 107, Union annex  
Panel meeting, 7 p. m.  
Org. room 2, Union  
Victory Speakers bureau  
7:30 p. m., rm. 15, Union an.  
APO, 8 p. m.  
Room 15, Union annex



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## THE LESS SAID . . . .

By NEVA ACKERMAN

IN ALMOST every college or university the professors are usually as well catalogued as the courses and courses are more often than not selected by professor instead of by face value. Adjectives applied to impressions of certain instructors range all the way from super and swell to stuffy and dull.

Certain profs are always a great deal more popular than others on every campus. The different ratings usually reflect on the personalities of the men in question but are also caused by a difference in the standards in measuring up a professor.

Some students judge an instructor by whether he gives them new material to make the course interesting and valuable while others judge by whether he makes it easy to get by. Still others judge by the personality he displays in putting his subject across. The selection of a "favorite prof" involves a lot more than the usual popularity contest.

At Westminster college, the student newspaper conducted a survey recently to determine the present day collegian's version of an "ideal professor" and by this poll got a reasonably accurate gauge to measure up a professor. The results of this voting probably reflect student opinion in many other schools.

In this vote it was learned that coeds prefer a man who understands "why I can't comprehend the intricate workings of a motor." The paper didn't say that the women wanted sympathy but it does imply that they would like a little special consideration. And strangely enough, she thinks the professor doesn't need to be young or good looking.

Men likewise reported that they would rather have middle aged women standing before them in the classroom than to have glamorous young graduates. The reason the men explained was that it was less distraction from the books. Apparently glamour is reserved for extra-curricular activity.

The students agreed that they appreciated a touch of absent-mindedness to keep the prof in character especially if it included things like forgetting about pop quizzes or forgetting to call for assignments.

Other requisites for the model instructor are punctuality and accuracy, an enthusiastic interest in his subject and the use of humorous incidents to brighten up dry textbook material.

College people in general would probably be in agreement with these observations but of course each person would have his or her own special qualification to make.

Some would favor the woman instructor who gets the athlete through or the men who let a pretty coed through or those who are easily "browned". But ordinarily students are interested in a prof who knows his stuff and can present it well. They like ones who can make the

course material interesting and above all be able to tell some new jokes once in a while.

Students like to be considered as persons and not as the young lady in seat 35. They are especially opposed to the prof who expects too much time to be spent on his course . . . the ones who operate on the theory that the student has to prepare only for his class.

Students are annoyed by nervous habits of the prof like playing with glasses, scrambling over his desk and punctuating sentences with uhs and wells.

Most annoying are those who keep the class over time. Instructor who are all business and have no time for a joke or a laugh, rate low as do those who never vary their course from term to term. Everyone votes down the profs who give but don't take.

All in all, students would agree that the good profs outweigh the bad. And if the reckoning did come the student wouldn't rate nearly so well if he could see himself as the profs see him.

## INFORMATION

### VICTORY SPEAKERS

Victory Speakers bureau will meet today at 7:30 p.m. in room 15, Union annex, according to Director Paul Geisenhof.

### THETA CHI

Theta Chi fraternity is holding a smoker today at 7 p.m. in the Spartan room, Union. All non-fraternity men are invited to attend. Pres. Joe Fala, Standish senior, announced.

### AVMA

AVMA will hold a meeting today at 7 p.m. in Vet clinic. Dr. Clyde Cairry will provide entertainment with several magic acts. Dr. J. W. Cunkelman will talk on the "Problems of the Clinic."

### CDC

CDC will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. in organization room 2, Union. Chairman Sally Seibert, Grand Haven Junior, announced.

### 2,200 Wolverines Sold; Orders Still Available

Two thousand two hundred copies of the 1944 edition of the Wolverine have been sold to date, according to Doug Hird, Farmington Junior, circulation manager. Yearbook sales are continuing and any person wishing to order a book may do so at the Wolverine office in the Union annex anytime after noon according to Hird.

Release of the Wolverine has been scheduled for June 5 and 6, Editor Joy Randall Rowe announced recently. The story of the way in which Spartans met the challenge of war time college in life will be told in 300 pages of pictures and stories.

## In Campus Quarters

By RO HOWLAND AND NANCY SHEPHERD

THE sudden jump from winter to summer has already drawn coeds out to back yards, fire escapes and various other places that catch the sun's occasional glimmers. Those raw, peeling faces look rather uncomfortable, but who wants to put an end to sun-decking when snow-soaking has been too much with us too long.

Everyone still has time to listen to wedding bells and those of Beverley Sprague and Lt. Mel Buschman, '43, who were married March 23 at Camp Shelby, Miss., can still be heard ringing. Beverly is now working at Pratt Whitney, in Connecticut, and Mel, formerly Spartan track star, has hit the overseas trail.

More news from the marriage mart . . . Mary Liz Kerth, '43, Chi O and Ens. Jack Woods, AGR, were married last weekend in Florida. Through one of those happy coincidences, the couple happened to meet up with Chi O Freddie MacKenzie Roberts, who is living in Florida now, and she was able to sing at the wedding.

News of only one ringing has wended its way to our typewriter via the grapevine. The gal who wears the new diamond is Donna Jeanne Bergquist, and it's the gift of Lt. Jerry Hover, '42. Jerry is now at Pittsburgh, Kan., for liaison pilot training.

Alpha Phi pledge pins are decking three new sweaters since Tuesday. The gals wearing the sweaters and the pins are Joyce Jorae, Dearborn freshman, Lois Woruen, Benton Harbor freshman and Margaret Ann Wallace, Dearborn freshman.

From news of pledging, what follows more logically than news of initiation? The Alpha Chis have nine new names on their active list, freshmen, Jane Walcott, Trenton; Rosemary deBeaubien, Birmingham; Marion Parker, Grosse Pointe; Betty Rendall, Lansing; Virginia Bailey, Grosse Pointe, and Sally Clark, East Lansing.

Sophomores Jane Kitchen, Mayville and Marilyn Zink, Detroit, were also on the list, along with Joan Hint, Oakfield, N. Y., junior.

Familiar face seen on campus this week is that of Lt. Bill King, Delta Chi, who is enjoying a ten-day leave from his army activities and visiting his fiancée, Nancy Longwell, Sigma Kappa. Bill is stationed at Camp Pickett, Va.

Kappa Deltas have been on their best behavior in the past week, while entertaining their national rushing chairman, Mrs. H. W. Mueller. She was honored at a bridge party Friday.

Sigma Kappas chose the same evening to do a bit of early browning, excuse it please, to promote faculty student relations. They entertained Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Clark and Prof. and Mrs. Joseph Menchhofer at a desert.

## Grin and Bear It . . . . By Lichty



"I'm warning you guys! I ain't never read any books on Modern Methods of Child Training!"

## — THE — WOMAN'S WORLD

### ORCHESIS

All members and try-outs of Orchesis will meet in the dance studios from 4 to 6 p.m. today, according to Pres. Kay MacCormick, Iron River senior.

### MATRIX

Matrix members will hold a meeting in room 7, Union annex, at 7 tonight, according to Pres. Neva Ackerman, Unionville senior.

### DELTA GAMMA MU

Delta Gamma Mu, women's national fencing honorary, meets tonight in lecture room B of the Women's gymnasium at 7, Pat Johnson, publicity chairman, announced.

### Nazis Launch Attack to Protect Lwow

LONDON, April 19 (AP)—In an all-out drive to save their vital base at Lwow, the Germans have launched a large-scale attack near Stanislawow in the southeastern corner of old Poland, but have been repulsed, the Russians announced tonight in a communique that for the first time in weeks failed to record some notable Red army advance.

On the Bessarabian front the Russians reported continuing enlargements of their bridgeheads on the west bank of the Dneestr river in the Chisinau vicinity, and general improvement of their positions, but without giving details.

### Edison Co. to Interview

Mattie Sharp, a representative of the Detroit Edison company, will be on campus Friday to discuss summertime and full-time jobs with college women. All interested, graduates or undergraduates, are asked to call Ext. 525 for further information.

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## Spartan Team to Play Prison Nine Saturday

Kobsmen Will Journey to Jackson for Tilt; Reo Scheduled

By JERRY KENNEY  
Coach John Kobs has succeeded in scheduling two pre-season exhibition games for his Spartan baseball nine.

The informal season will open Saturday, April 29, with a home game against Wayne university. The team will play an exhibition game with Jackson prison's team Saturday at Jackson at 1 p. m.

Tuesday the Spartans will face the Reo Motors team at Old College field. The game will start at 4:30 p. m.

### Team in Slump

Striving to pull the team out of a batting slump, Kobs had the men play another intersquad game last night. That batting practice is needed was illustrated by the fact that the first seven batters fanned.

Kobs, however, declared that his team was "as good as we could hope for." Still lacking, however, are players for almost all positions.

Newest additions to the State schedule are the dates of the games with Fort Custer and Grosse Ile. The soldiers from Custer will come to East Lansing May 30 while State will play at Battle Creek June 7 to finish up the season.

**Schedule Incomplete**  
The Spartans will meet the sailors of Grosse Ile in the second game of the season at the naval base May 2. The home game of the series will be May 19.

Ralph H. Young, athletic director, said that the schedule was not complete, but that it would be fully released in a few days.

Already scheduled are the University of Detroit and Romulus air base, in addition to Wayne university. All will play home and home series.

### Track Men to Get Help

Karl Schladehan, track coach, yesterday said that he would be out on the track north of the stadium every day from 4 to 5:30 p. m. and in his office the rest of the day to help anyone interested in running. He said that there will be some meets in June that runners may enter, if they wish.

## Victorious Russian Troops March Through Odessa



Red army troops who captured Odessa from the Germans march through the streets of the great Black sea port as residents wave. The Russians captured Odessa April 10 after driving all the way from the Volga in less than one year. The Russian drive is now knocking at the gates of Budapest and is driving the last German out of the Crimea.

## York Wins Place in 1,000-Hit Club as Tigers Lose to Browns, 3 - 1

DETROIT, April 19 (AP)—Big Rudy York joined the American league's exclusive 1,000-hit club today by belting a home run, his first of the season, but it was the only run the Detroit Tigers got as they dropped their second straight game to the St. Louis Browns, 3 to 1.

Steve Sundra, 33-year-old right-hander who is awaiting military call, pitched a three-hitter against the Tigers. York's homer was the first safety, and catcher Bob Swift singled in the fifth. The other blow was pinch hitter Chuck Hostetter's looping single in the eighth.

All told, only seven Tigers reached base, three on hits, three on walks and one on Don Gutierrez's error, the only miscue of the game.

### Take Advantage

Meanwhile, the Browns took advantage of Rookie Ruffus Gentry's faulty control to score enough runs to win. Gentry yielded seven hits before giving way to a pinch hitter in the eighth, and Johnny Gorsica allowed one hit in the ninth. Gentry walked eight and Gorsica passed two. The Browns left 14 runners stranded.

Two walks, a wild pitch and Gene Moore's looping single scored a run in the first. The Browns got another run in the fifth when Hal Epps drew a pass, advanced two bases on George

McQuinn's single and scored on Vernon Stephens' fly.

That was enough to win, but just to make sure the Browns scored again in the sixth. Milt Byrnes opened with a double and beat Roger Kramer's throw at third base on a close play after Mark Christman's fly. Byrnes scored on another fly, this one by Frank Mancuso.

### Belts First Pitch

York, starting his ninth season in Detroit uniform, belted the first pitch in the fourth for his homer into the lower left field seats. He thus gained admission to the club whose membership consists of a dozen other players now active in the league. The 1,000-hitters include teammates Cramer and Pinky Higgins. Higgins hit one in yesterday's opener with two out in the ninth.

The Tigers will attempt to salvage the last game of the series tomorrow, with Lefty Hal Newhouser opposing rookies Sigmund Jakucki or Newman Shirley. Detroit then goes to Cleveland for a four-game series and to Chicago for two before returning home to meet Cleveland.

## DeValera Enters Plea for Safety of Rome

WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—An effort by the Irish government to secure assurances from the Germans and the Allies that Rome will be spared the ravages of war apparently ended futilely today.

The attempt was disclosed with publication of an exchange of notes between Premier Eamon de Valera of Eire and President Roosevelt. De Valera's was a plea that the belligerents "seek through appropriate intermediary channels an agreement by which Rome may be saved."

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## Germans Receive Appeal to Rally Behind Hitler

LONDON, April 19 (AP)—Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels addressed an unusual appeal to the German people tonight to rally behind Adolf Hitler, who celebrates his 53th birthday tomorrow, reminding them that "even the greatest leaders of history will be faced with occasional setbacks and defeats."

In a similar but more restrained order of the day to the German army on the occasion of the Hitler birthday, Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering called for steady loyalty to Hitler even though "a thousand dangers lie ahead."

On the theme that things are not as bad as they seem, Goebbels said:

"It will not be possible to form an accurate and just idea of the individual war events and factors which have been decisive in the war until the war is over. . . . It needs a well-trained eye to discern the trend of historical developments while a war is still going on."

Suggesting that many Germans may not approve of Hitler, Goebbels recalled contemporary opposition to Frederick the Great.

Of the damage caused by the Allied air raids on Germany, Goebbels remarked that "ten years after the peace has been declared there will hardly be any signs left of the destruction caused by the enemy's terror raids."

## BOMBINGS

(Continued from Page 1)  
near Paris and elsewhere behind the Nazis' "Atlantic wall."

Aerial warfare never before has witnessed a bombardment of such sustained volume and violence, and the end is nowhere in sight. Those who have followed the European air war closely the last few months feel certain that the present pace of the attack can not only be maintained, but can be increased from British bases augmented further from the Italian theater.

**Small Loss**  
The Allied 30-hour offensive cost less than 1 per cent of the attacking force.

All today's operations cost six bombers and two fighters, the American communique said. This brought total U. S. and RAF losses for the entire around-the-clock onslaughts to 42 bombers and seven fighters.

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## RAF Planes Mine 300-Mile Stretch of Historic Danube

All Traffic Halted on Vital Grain, Oil Artery

ALLIED HDQ., NAPLES, April 19 (AP).—The strain on Nazi communications supplying German forces on the southern Russian front was disclosed today to have been increased by the mining of 300 miles of the Danube river, historic commercial lifeline of southeastern Europe.

British bombers spent several nights dropping mines along the river and shooting up vessels from Budapest to Bucharest. The Axis radio announced that all traffic had been halted on the great waterway.

The river has been the principal channel along which Romanian oil, as well as grain and other loot from the Balkans, flowed toward Germany.

### Importance Vital

Its importance to Nazi war plans has become even more vital as the Russian army pushed into Romania and Allied bombers from Italy began their methodical destruction of rail communications in Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia.

Using Wellingtons and American-built Liberators, the RAF night fliers first went in at very low altitude and dropped scores of mines along the river by parachute.

### Explode Tanker

The next night the gunners of a low-flying Liberator shot up and exploded a tanker that spread blazing oil and gasoline among some 30 other craft blocking all traffic. Crewmen said the surface of the Danube was blazing for at least 1,000 yards.

Although the operation was extremely hazardous, both because of nearby mountains and enemy anti-aircraft fire, the only loss was a Wellington that crashed into the river.

## Fresh Women to Get TB X-Rays from New Hospital Camera

A new x-ray camera has been installed in the Olin Memorial hospital and is ready for use, Dr. C. F. Holland announced today.

The camera will take pictures four by five at the cost of approximately four cents for each film as contrasted with 60 to 70 cents for the 14 by 17 pictures taken by the old x-ray machine.

All freshman women will be contacted within the next week to have their chest x-rayed with the new camera. Women living in Lansing or East Lansing are asked to get in touch with Dr. Holland as soon as possible for their x-rays.

## Town Girls Voting Will be Held in Union Today

Voting for Town Girls officers candidates will take place today at the club's luncheon meeting and from 1 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. in the women's lounge of the Union. Only members may vote.

Town Girls' board will present the following slate of officers, according to Pres. Doris Bennett, Lansing senior: Lois Banzet, East Lansing sophomore; Doris Englehardt, Lansing sophomore; and Margaret Randall, Lansing junior, are candidates for president.

Nominees for secretary are Bethany Beardslee and Dorothy Renz, and those for the office of treasurer are Connie Hutty and Nancy Wyngarden. All four women are East Lansing freshmen.

Ruth Peters, East Lansing senior, is the sole candidate for senior representative, while sophomores Doris Rinehart and Renee Scott will compete for the position of junior representative.

For the remaining office as sophomore representative, Lansing freshman Caroline Baumgras and Betty Randall are candidates.

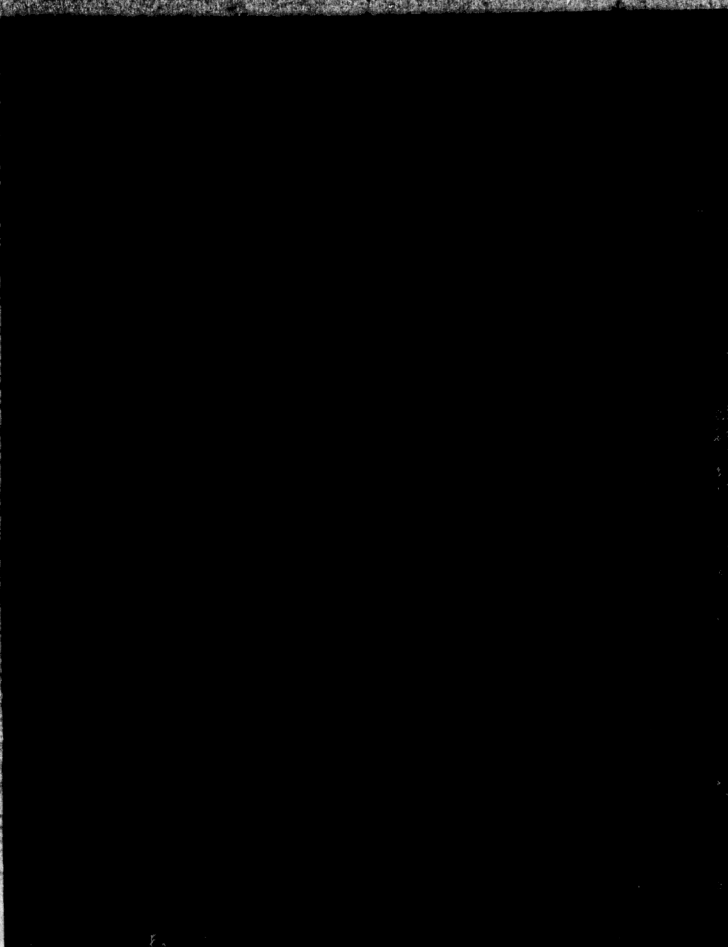
Plans are underway for an installation banquet, when the winning candidates for the above elective offices and the several appointive officers will be inducted, Miss Bennett announced.

## Students to Present Radio Production

"Make Way for the Lady" is the title of this week's Radio Workshop production, which will be broadcast over WKAR today from 4 to 4:30 p. m.

The cast for the presentation will include Barbara Chandler, Muskegon freshman; Dick Schubel, Lansing sophomore; Joan Carter, Kalamazoo sophomore; Shirley Caswell, East Lansing sophomore; Nancy Moore, Mt. Clemens junior; Nancy Blue, Detroit junior; Sid Kern, Detroit junior; Bob Kamins, Lansing junior; Bill Thielicke, Escanaba sophomore, and Jackie Meehan, Louisville, Ky., senior.

## Childers Receives Highest Award



Lt. Gen. JACOB L. DEVERS, commander of American forces in the Mediterranean theater, pins the Congressional Medal of Honor on Lt. ERNEST CHILDERS, of Broken Arrow, Okla., who single-handedly wiped out two German machine gun nests, killed five Germans, and captured one in Italy.

## Women's Sports

By DOTTE VON DETTE

NEWLY elected pledges of Green Splash, women's swimming honorary, strolled around campus Tuesday night at 7. With pots and pans as hats, wearing bathing suits over pajamas, hobbling in one high heel and one low with multi-colored ankle socks and carrying tennis rackets with light bulbs for balls, they were a study for many amateur photographers.

After being put through their paces by members, the pledges ended their informal initiation with the plunge from the balcony into the pool.

In a short social meeting later new officers of the organization were announced. Lee Hall, Lansing junior, is the new president. Other officers are: Vice-president, Dotte Von Dette, Saginaw junior; secretary, Betty McDonald, Lansing sophomore; treasurer, Althea Kraker, Beulah junior; social chairman, Doris Rinehart, Lansing sophomore, and publicity chairman, Dorothy Jury, Detroit junior.

The initiation banquet will be held tonight at 6 on the sun deck of the Union, according to Althea Kraker, chairman.

Only two softball games were played on the tournament last night. The Independents walloped the Delta Zetas by a score of 21 to 4. The Sanford and Concord houses' team arrowed under the Alpha Xi Delta with an avalanche of 27 runs against 2 for the Greeks.

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## Ann Arbor to Be Site of Spring Meeting of Women Deans

Members of the Michigan State association of deans of women and counselors of girls will meet for their spring conference at the Michigan League building, Ann Arbor, tomorrow.

Dean Sarah G. Blanding, director of the College of Home Economics at Cornell university, will deliver the opening address at 9 a. m. Her topic will be "We Still Believe in Education."

At the luncheon for members of the association and their guests, Miss Consuelo Rodriguez, Spanish instructor at Michigan State, will discuss "Secondary Education in Puerto Rico." In addition to her Spanish classes, Miss Rodriguez has also been teaching Spanish and French at East Lansing high school.

Dean Elisabeth Conrad, president of the association, will preside at the afternoon business meeting.

## Aileen Wilson to Head Home Economics Club

Election returns for the Home Economics club officers were announced last night following the counting of the ballots, with Aileen Wilson, Detroit junior, taking the presidency.

Secretary for the governing body of the Home Ec group is Grace Johnson, Robinson, Ill., freshman, and Esther Cradner, Detroit sophomore, will serve for a year, as treasurer.

Resulting from a tie for the vice-presidency between Mary Gorsline, Battle Creek junior, and Barbara Christianey, Grand Rapids sophomore, a re-election will be held from 9 a. m. until 3 p. m. Friday in the Home Ec building.

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