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# Trackmen At Ann Arbor In Michigan AAU Meet

## Schlademan Takes Big Squad For Clash With Outstate Foes

By WALLY SCHRAMM

Circling the track oval at Yost fieldhouse in Ann Arbor tonight will be 35 wearers of the Green and White, who will represent Michigan State in the first Michigan AAU indoor track and field meet since 1943.

"Rather than worry about taking the team crown we will concentrate on individual performance and competitive results," stated Coach Karl Schlademan. The veteran mentor is pointing his squad for the silver anniversary running of the Michigan State relay, Saturday, Feb. 8. The names of Dave King, Walt Kinsbach, Sid Salsman, Lloyd Whetter, Fred Howerman, Dick Zed, Bob Carr, Al Lagron, Don Jones and Howard MacAdams have been added to the list of men who will make the trip.

Coach Scott Miss West—King replaces miler Bill Scott in the invitational two mile relay. Scott will be unable to participate due to an aggravated leg injury. Howerman, freshman pole vaulter, had been on the injured list a week with a pulled muscle in the back, originally slated for the 60 yard dash event has a muscle injury also and will not make the trip.

Kinsbach and Zedel will run the one mile open. Salsman competes in one mile relay quartet which includes Jack Danetti, Bob Schlademan and Bob Fraser. Jones and MacAdams with record-setting Fred Johnson are expected to draw their full share of action in the meet following the performances they turned in at Saturday's dual meet with the State.

Johnson's Triple Threat The versatile Johnson will run the 100 yard hurdles and 60 yard dash in addition to his broad jump specialty. The fleet Negro broke the record for the 60 yard dash in the 1946 dual meet with the State. Johnson's triple threat is expected to draw the full share of action in the meet following the performances they turned in at Saturday's dual meet with the State.

Wayne Top Timber Topper Another outstanding Spartan is the Hill Mayhew, winner of the 100 yard hurdles last season. Mayhew will race in the 100 and 65 yard highs in the Ann Arbor meet. Both events are expected to draw the full share of action in the meet.

A featured event of the meet will be the two mile relay with MSU, Ohio State and Michigan being the top contenders. Reports from Ann Arbor show that over 300 men from Michigan and outstate schools have been entered. Schools sending squads include U. of M., Ohio State, Wayne, Western Michigan, Michigan Normal, Baldwin-Wallace and Miami (Oxford, Ohio).

## ND. State Foils Cross Today

Six men and seven women, under the direction of Coach Charles Schmitt, will face the fencers from the Notre Dame this evening at the Women's Gym.

The Spartan team is pointing toward their first victory of the season after bowing to Wayne last season. Schmitt has rearranged his lineup in search of better all-around power.

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## Wrestlers In Columbus For OSU Meeting

The Michigan State college wrestling team will clash this evening with an undefeated Ohio State crew at Columbus. The Spartans have won one and lost one.

The Buckeyes have racked up three comparatively easy wins thus far in beating Ohio University, Northwestern and Minnesota while the State boys have split even with Purdue and Indiana.

Starting for State will be a new lineup. The local squad, coached by Fredrick (Willie) has not presented the same team in any of its meets thus far. Whereas challenge bouts were responsible for last week's changes, a cold and a sprained ankle are this week's fly in the ointment.

Burl Horing, 175, and Dick Dickerson, 125, are definitely out of tonight's lineup, the former with a cold and the latter having the sprained ankle. Going to Horing's place at 175 will be Carl Nestor while Don Ripberger will handle the 121 chore.

Legg Edmund, who was a doubtful starter because of a bruised rib, won his challenge match against Bob Gans. Thursday afternoon, 5-7, and will also be ready for tonight's Columbus meet.

Pat Sullivan did not attend practice Thursday and his match with John Dowell was forfeited so that Dowell will be another starter.

The remaining part of the State team will be Gene McDonald at 121, Don Johnson at 145, Gayle Mikles at 155 and Bob Madigan in heavyweight division.

## INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

TODAY'S GAMES

Independents

12:00 Anat vs. Elsworth House

12:20 Unholy Five vs. Feath. M.

1:20 Rangers vs. Hot-Ten-Tots

1:40 Kiboshers vs. Hawks

Queens

2:40 Quonnet X vs. Quonnet A

3:00 Quonnet H vs. Jen. Hill Raz

## Puck Enthusiasts Will Meet Today

A meeting sponsored by the Skating Club was held Wednesday night for all men interested in playing ice hockey. The response was considered poor by the hockey enthusiasts considering that the State News had received the names of 200 men interested in the sport.

Another meeting will be held at 1 p.m. today in Jensen fieldhouse lobby. All men interested in playing are asked to attend, bringing any hockey equipment they may have. Weather permitting there will be a short practice session.

THEN vs. NOW

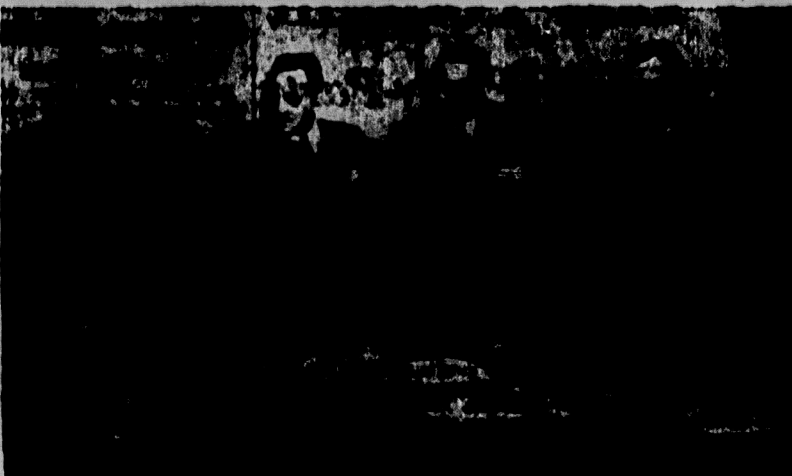
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## All-American Football Conference Owners Meet



Owners of football franchises in the All-American Conference conferred in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York. Seated left to right, are: Don Moody, part owner of the Cleveland Browns; Anthony J. Moras, San Francisco 49ers; Ben Lindheimer, Los Angeles Rams; Jim Crowley, Chicago Rockets; and Sam Con. Brooklyn Dodgers. Standing, left to right, are Bob Griss, part owner of the Cleveland Browns; James F. Brad, Buffalo Bills; Robert Rosenborg, Baltimore; and Don Topping, New York Yankees.

## Hapless Wayne Five Faces State Tonight

By BUD LAWSON

Wayne University's Tartar cage squad invades Jensen fieldhouse tonight to give Michigan State's luckless cagers a chance to snap a five game losing streak.

Michigan State trounced the Wayne team earlier this season 52-25, but tonight's meeting will see the Tartars out to capture Spartan scalps, with Wayne playing the roll of the inspired underdog.

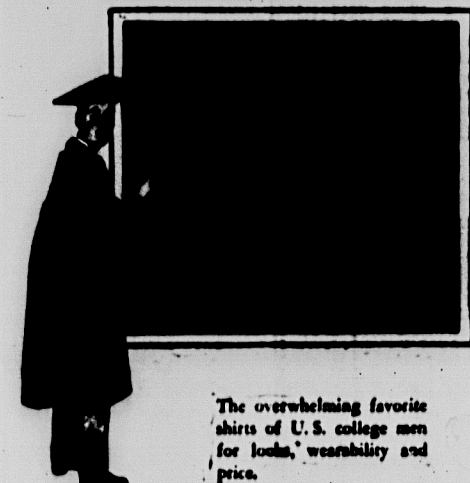
Michigan State suffered an 86-20 drubbing at the hands of Kentucky last Monday, in their fifth straight loss. State enters tonight's and seven more, while Wayne has had to come from behind to win last eight games winning only from Western Reserve.

Wayne will have a very decided height disadvantage, with an unusually small team wearing the Wayne colors this year. Also Wayne, five foot ten inch coach, is the Tartar pace setter.

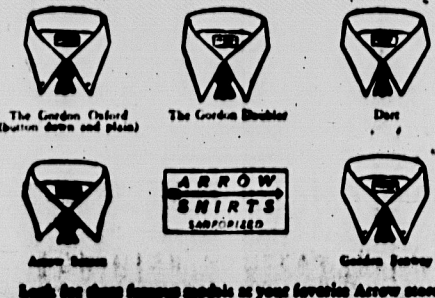
Coach Ben Van Ahtyne said today that his cagers were tired from their strenuous road trips and that he would make every attempt to relieve his overworked regulars in tonight's game. The Spartans leave Sunday afternoon for a Milwaukee clash with Marquette.

Offensive fundamentals stressed in practice this week will be exploited in practical application tonight. Featuring improved pass play by the centers, Veterans Fred Hone, regular center, who hasn't made a home appearance since January 6 against Marquette, will be ready to bolster the pivot position.

Bob Geahan, sharpshooting forward, currently pacing the Spartans offense with 149 points, needs just 102 points to tie the all time Michigan State individual mark of 251 set by Sam Fortino last season. Geahan needs to average 13 points a game for the remaining eight games to shatter Fortino's record.



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## Patterson Says 'No' To Blanchard, Davis

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—The three stars—many regard Three West Point football greats—Felix Blanchard, Glenn Davis and Harry Paine—were thrown for a big monetary loss today when the War Department flatly rejected their requests for furloughs to play pro football.

With a clamor of opposition to their requests rising on Capitol Hill, Secretary of War Patterson acted swiftly. He not only turned them down but virtually tabooed them for overseas where, he said, "There is a shortage of second lieutenants."

Thus, when another gridiron season rolls around, the famous trio may be far from the roaring crowds and the big money.

The three stars—many regard Blanchard and Davis as the country's greatest one-two gridiron combination—had asked for four months full leave following their graduation next June.

Patterson's mention of a need for lieutenants abroad could mean that Blanchard, Davis and Paine might not even see a professional game, let alone play in one.

It also was in line with a suggestion by chairman Andrews (R-N.Y.) of the House Armed Services committee that the three be assigned to occupation duty in Germany or Japan just like many another "Shavetail."



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