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Blue Key Party in Union tonight with Bronson Scruby's music.

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Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Somewhat colder tonight with lowest temperature 8 to 10 degrees. Warmer Saturday afternoon.

## Spartans to Engage Texas A & M in Final Game This Saturday

State Winds Up Most Successful Season in Decade With Aggies in San Antonio; Thirty-three Men Named for Last Road Trip of Current Year.

By TOMMY WARNER  
Winding up the most successful football season in the decade, the Spartans entrained Wednesday for their final game of this year's schedule with Texas A. & M. in San Antonio this Saturday. The 1934 season is the only season which reaches the current one; that year they lost only one game and that to Georgia Tech by the close margin of one point, but they also drew with Michigan and U. of D.

Injuries, which have dealt the severest blow to the Spartans this year and which have been more prevalent than in previous years have gradually increased since the opening of the season. Bachman's team goes into the game Saturday with Kurt Warmben and Ed Klewicki still below their early season form and with injuries of a more or less serious nature affecting a great share of the regulars and first string substitutes. The latest additions to the list have been Al Aggt and Dick Edwards, two of Bachman's reserves who have seen much service this year, particularly since the injury of Kurt Warmben.

This year the Spartans have taken to the road in their games with teams throughout the United States and this game marks their final and most auspicious trip. Bachman named 33 men to make this trip to the South. Previously the team had made two invasions of the East, meeting Manhattan and Syracuse and one other into the Midwest to engage Kansas.

Bachman expressed grave doubts as to the Spartans' chances prior to the departure of the team on Wednesday although consensus of opinion lies largely with "State" aside from the many injuries which have dogged the squad during the season. Coach Bachman was concerned over the wide difference in weather conditions which will undoubtedly be encountered when the team plays in San Antonio.

## COUNCIL SENDS TWO TO BOSTON

Armstrong and Kelley to Represent State at Student Convention.

At the regular meeting of the student council held Tuesday night, Robert Armstrong, president of the group, and Charles Kelley, vice president, were appointed delegates to represent Michigan State at the annual convention of the National Student Federation of America to be held in Boston, Mass., during the Christmas holidays.

Boston college will be host to over 200 student representatives from approximately 84 colleges throughout the country. At these sessions many famous educators and political notables are scheduled to be a major part of the program. Individual groups of students meet for the purpose of discussing problems of student government and exchanging ideas for improvement.

Last year the convention was held in Washington, D. C., where the delegates were received at the White House. The council decided to leave the vacancy in the co-chairmanship of Green Circle, made by the resignation of Marian Goodchild, to the discretion of the latter organization. Paul Kindig, a former representative, was selected as a member to the band committee for next term, of which C. O. Wikana, college treasurer, is the chairman. Tom Otley was appointed by Armstrong to investigate the possibility of having a college ice-skating rink this year. A new by-law was passed to the effect that any member of the council who has three unexcused absences in one term will be dropped from membership. Excuses will be given only in case of illness or absence from the city.

**17 Days Before Christmas**  
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## FIRST CONCERT IS PRESENTED BY ORCHESTRA

Small Crowd Enthusiastically Receives Offerings of Local Musicians.

PIANO TRIO FEATURED  
Richards, Owen, and Mack are Assisting Artists in Opening Recital.

Approaching professional exactness and form, the first concert by the faculty and student musicians was presented before a small but responsive audience in the Michigan State gym. The program was the first of a series of four which will be presented by the music department in conjunction with the college orchestra under the direction of Michael Press. Featured on the presentation which was enthusiastically received were Lewis Richards, Mrs. Ruth Mack, and William Owen. The three played the intricate Bach triple concerto with a finesse and grace which would have pleased any concert audience.

The concert of three pianos has been an outstanding feature often heard in the metropolitan of the music world and State students last night were treated to an impressive reproduction by the three guest artists. In former years there have been heard in a single faculty concert. As soloists with the orchestra an opportunity was given to hear those artists in their larger work.

Michael Press showed last night why he has been the guest conductor for the leading symphonies throughout the country by directing the orchestra with an unmitigated grace and punctilio. Richards also gave evidence of the talent of "He gets away with it, so it is all right."

Literary material representative of college students in fifteen universities makes up the current number of The Literary Workshop. There are critical comments by Granville Hicks, Prof. James M. Purcell, Jack Conroy, Bernard Conacher, Prof. Robert G. Berkelman, Stanley D. Mayor, and Edgar B. Shestunoff. In line with the magazine's policy, those critics concentrate their attention on the student material which appeared in the immediately preceding issue of the publication.

Stanley D. Mayor, editor of Fantasy, takes issue with the editorial opinion that college students seem lost in a romantic fog, most of their work becoming trivial, flaccid with abject love affairs and majestic wish-fulfillments. Mr. Mayor contends, "The editors are too pessimistic. They should not feel that student poetry is occasionally adolescent and sophomoric. Abusive love affairs are the theme of poets from seventeen to seventy, and they are handled worse by seventy than by seventeen. The latter at least has youth, spirit—grand assets in any poetry."

## Art Professor Succumbs To Pleas For Interview

"Dad" Scheele Has Earned a Name for Himself in the Realm of Art Work.

By MILTON KAPLAN  
Affectionately called "Dad" by his friends, Mr. Arnold Scheele of the art department is well known in the world of artists. He has recently sold a picture in Rochester, New York, and another of his paintings, "Peace" is being exhibited by a church in Lansing. One of his best known pictures is a painting of Mount Robeson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. The picture was used by the Canadian National Railways for publicity purposes and at present hangs in the faculty club room.

His interest in art dates back to his early boyhood on an island in Lake Erie. One summer the wife of a physician came to the little island for her vacation. Interested in art, she formed a class in which Arnold Scheele was one of the students. It is interesting to note the tremendous affect this had on his life.

Years later after taking his bachelor's and master's degrees at Oberlin college in preparation for the study of medicine, he enrolled at Johns Hopkins university. After arriving at Johns Hopkins he suddenly decided to give it all up and study art. For the next four years he divided his time between the life of the students.

## Blue Key History Is Told By State News Reporter

National Service Honorary Enters Tenth Year on Michigan State Campus; Founded at University of Florida in 1924.

By JAMES WILLIAMS  
As Blue Key, national honorary service fraternity passes into its tenth year of service as a national organization on numerous campuses of state colleges and state universities, and as it approaches its eighth year of existence on Michigan State's campus, it is thought to be of interest to present some interesting facts concerning its inception, national expansion, and its history on this campus.

Proceeding the University of Florida-Drake football classic in the fall of 1924, it was suggested by Major Riley of the University of Florida that fathers of students, as well as alumni, should be encouraged to visit their Alma Mater once a year and see its work and progress.

In making preparations for the Drake game, Major Riley enlisted the aid of a number of students, and this group functioned so well that he banded them together for the purpose of aiding the university in such ways as might prove acceptable and helpful to the administration.

It was soon discovered that the only time students leaders could meet was at luncheon or dinner. As a result, it was found that the group was unintentionally organized and functioning in university and student life very much like Rotary.

Only on very rare occasions is found such a program as will be presented tonight in Grand Rapids as 7:30 by members of the Michigan State college music faculty. Prof. Lewis Richards, head of the department, is an internationally known pianist and harpsichordist. Michael Press has gained world recognition as a violinist and as a conductor. Fred Patton sings the best of the operatic and concert repertoire roles. Alexander Schuster has an illustrious European European concert career for qualification. Leonard Falcone as a band director has few living superiors; he can also take time out to perform creditably on the euphonium and Mrs. Ruth Mack and William Owen, pianists, are two of the youngest members of the faculty of M. S. C.

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An aggregate of more than \$30,000,000 a year in scholarships is doled out by 125 colleges and universities in the United States.

## FOOTBALL BUST SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SATURDAY

Michigan State Alumni Will Fete 150 Prep Gridmen at Annual Event.

SPEAKER YET UNNAMED  
Remington to Name All-State Selections at Annual Affair.

Detailed work on the 15th annual high school football bust sponsored by the Central Michigan Alumni Club of Michigan State college has been going forward at a steady pace and will be fully completed before the date of presentation, Saturday, December 15, according to E. R. Proulx, assistant liberal arts dean, who is general chairman of the event. One difficulty has been encountered by the program committee, headed by Howard Cooper, and that is the securing of a suitable speaker for the evening banquet. John F. Macklin, former football coach at State, "Red" Grange, professional football star, "Patsy" Clark, coach of the Detroit Lions, and Malcolm Binney, editor of the Detroit Free Press, have all been considered a possibility but with no success to date. Announcement of the speaker should be made very soon, according to Proulx.

An Annual Event  
The football bust, as sponsored by the alumni group, has been an outstanding event at State for the past fifteen years. To it are invited 150 men who have been superior upon the high school gridiron of the state during the past season. They are chosen by Richard E. Remington, famous football authority, half from the group of 150 are picked from the first and second ranking mythical all-state high schools. The members who will compose the two teams for the 1934 season will be announced officially at the banquet here on December 15 by Remington, who will be one of the speakers of the evening. Remington's selections, which are made with the maximum of study and authority, have come to be recognized throughout the state as being official.

Other honored guests on that evening will be the State varsity football squad and the freshman football team. During the course of the program, varsity awards and fresh numeral presentations will be made.

Proulx has received from Remington the list of 150 men who are to be invited, and the invitation committee headed by Earl Hotchup is now engaged in contacting these men and arranging for their transportation to East Lansing. It is usually fixed so that a Michigan State alumnus residing in the home town of the man invited can accompany him to the banquet.

Committees and their respective heads which have been working during the past week to complete the arrangements are: Finance (Continued on page 3).

## Grange Lectures Have Short Course Meet Here

Annual Gathering is Held in Agricultural Hall for Three Days; James C. Farmer, South Newbury, New Hampshire, is Principal Speaker.

For the past three days, December 5, 6, and 7, Grange lectures of the state of Michigan have been holding their third annual short course at Michigan State college. All meetings have been held in Agricultural Hall and discussions have been conducted by staff members of the college and by state and national Grange leaders.

The principal speaker of the short course has been James C. Farmer, a lecturer representing the National Grange who came from South Newbury, New Hampshire. Farmer has addressed the assemblies and conducted discussions on each day of the short course. The other important Grange man who contributed to the gatherings was C. H. Bramble, master of the State Grange. Farmer's topics on the three days were "The Call of the Lecturer," "The Oath Ahead," "The Grange Today," "Special Grange Programs," and "Weaving." Bramble confined his addresses to a discussion of affairs of the State Grange.

Members of the college teaching staff and extension department took an active part in the entire short course. Ernest L. Anthony, dean of agriculture, appeared on the program Wednesday afternoon and extended greetings from the college to the short course students. He was followed by several staff members later in the day. Prof. A. H. Nelson of the journalism department led a discussion on news writing. L. P. Waldo, professor of English was the discussion leader for the subject of book reporting, and C. H. Nickle of the English department conducted a round table on amateur play production. Following these men, Eben Mumford, head of the sociology department talked on "Discussion Methods for Adult Groups," and P. G. Lundin, of the boys and girls' club department, led the group in a program of recreation.

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## BEGIN BUILDING OF NEW POST OFFICE

Contractors are Allotted 250 Days to Complete Structure.

Pouring of cement for the new postoffice, being built under the federal public works program, started Monday. Gross-Sorenson company of Flint are the building contractors.

Allotted 250 days in which to complete the building, Victor Erickson, construction superintendent, believes that the structure will be ready for use sometime in June.

While not as pretentious as Lansing's new federal building, the East Lansing postoffice will have a face brick exterior with stone trimming, and a floor space of 2,200 square feet. A new high of 25 men worked on the structure Monday when pouring began, but on the average 12 to 15 men are working daily.

Materials being used in the construction of the building are coming from several localities, including Detroit, Chicago, Indiana, and Lansing. The Hegar-Cove company is supplying the lumber, and the electrical work is being handled by Barlow-Fowler of East Lansing. Loveworth studio is in charge of the photography work.

## HONORARY BACTY FRAT INDUCTS FRI.

Sigma Alpha Beta Holds Formal Initiation at Hunt's.

Sigma Alpha Beta, honorary bacteriological fraternity, will hold its formal initiation this evening. Those to be initiated are William Audry, rank Meiers, Virginia Ross, Robert Pennell, Jane Branston and Harvey Ohmer.

The program will begin with a banquet at Hunt's Food Shop at 7:00 o'clock. The formal initiation will follow the dinner. Dr. DeHaan of the psychology department will then give the main speech of the evening on "Philosophy for Scientists." Norman McCullough, a former member of the honorary, will come from Detroit to act as toastmaster for the evening. In addition to all members, all instructors of the department and their wives will be guests.

The city of Genoa, Italy, present a very rare collection of all the documents and proofs of the Genoese origin of Christopher Columbus to Dr. David Allen. Robberson, president of Goucher college, Baltimore, Md., in celebration of Columbus day.

## Ziegel Appoints Hop Committee of 1935 Junior Class Formal

Chairmanships Given to 11, Assisting Positions to 31 as Third Year Men Begin Arrangements for Annual Winter Social Highlight.

Seven chairmen and two pairs of co-chairmen were named today by Fred Ziegel, junior class president, to head the eight committees that will sponsor the 1935 edition of the winter social classic, the J-Hop. The ball, band, and price of the party will be announced later after the committee men have conferred on the matter.

To manage the group network, Ziegel appointed as general co-chairmen, David Ireland and William Kirkpatrick. The other committee heads are: Music, Robert Saunders; Tickets, Richard Colina; Finance, James Sargent; Publicity, David Clear; Decorations, Dunstan Story and Earl Stump; Reception, Fred Bentley; Programs and Installations, David Baird; Favors, Harold Leever.

## JOURNALIST TO ADDRESS CLUB

Alderton, State Journal Sports Editor, Will Tell of Texas Trip.

The Michigan State college Press club will meet next Tuesday evening in the Union building at 7:30. All students who are interested in journalistic work, whether or not they are members of the State News or Wolverine staffs, are invited to attend the meeting and become members. George S. Alderton, sports editor of the Lansing State Journal, will address the meeting and plans for an active winter term will be discussed. Alderton will have a very interesting talk for student journalists. He has had much newspaper experience, and along with his duties as editor handles all Michigan State sports reporting, and acts as a sort of publicity agent for college athletic teams. He should have some very interesting sidelights on the Texas game, from which he will return with the team Tuesday morning.

At the last meeting of the club Robert J. Coleman, director of radio station WKAR, addressed the group on the vast use of radio advertising.

The Press club sponsors the High School News Service which sends items to prominent high school alumni from the papers of the club. Several projects for the club have been suggested, and one will be presented at the meeting Tuesday. Membership cards will be issued to those students who pay their dues. Next term meetings will be held regularly every two weeks, presenting varied programs of interest.

The Press club was founded slightly over a year ago to take the place of Pi Delta Epsilon, old journalistic honorary, and is headed by Bob Martin. Other officers are Barbara Bradford, vice president, Dorothy Langdon, secretary, and Carl Nosal, treasurer.

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## 'Y' BREAKFAST WILL BE HELD

Theme of Gathering Will be Faculty and Student Relations or Campus.

The December "Y" breakfast for all members of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Sunday morning, December 9 at 9 o'clock in the student center of Peoples church. As a new approach to the Y. M. C. A. of the campus, the theme of the gathering will be "Relations Between Students and Faculty on Our Campus," with three designated faculty men and a like number of picked students presenting four-minute speeches on the topic on the value of faculty-student relations and how they may be improved.

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### Blue Key Party to Furnish Social Highlight on Campus Over Quiet Week-end; Scruby's Band to Play

Tonight will be the big night for State Society Steppers this week-end, what with the Blue Key party being staged at the Union to the tunes played by Bronson Scruby and his boys.

Saturday night will furnish entertainment to various fraternities men and women at the Hesperian house where there will be a fall term party. At the Hermian house and at the Phi Delta Theta house where an open house and a fall term party respectively will be in full swing shortly respectively will be in full swing shortly after nine o'clock. Representing sorority entertainment will be the Sigma Kappas who will wind up their social obligations of the term with an open house Saturday night, while Phi Kappa Tau will stage a pledge party Saturday. The Hesperian party will be closed, with admission by ticket only.

**Alpha Omicron Pi**—The Alpha Omicron Pi girls are planning to drive to Ann Arbor Saturday to attend a Founder's Day luncheon at the chapter house there. The Detroit chapter will also be present, as it has been the custom for the three chapters to celebrate this occasion together.

**Delta Alpha**—Esther Ostrum of Lapeer, was a guest at the Delta Alpha house Wednesday evening.

**Alpha Xi Delta**—The active members of Alpha Xi Delta are going to have a slumber party Saturday night.

**Chi Omega**—Xi Gamma of Chi Omega will honor Mrs. H. H. Halladay with a formal tea Sunday, December 9, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the chapter house Mrs. Halladay, Mrs. R. E. Olds, Marjorie Chapman and Marie Verhelst will be in the receiving line. Mrs. D. R. Rodney, Mrs. G. Leininger, Mrs. A. J. Clark and Mrs. C. P. Halligan will pour.

Chi Omega announces the formal meeting of June Hill, 38, of Battle Creek.

Charlotte Skene of Ventum, LaRue Durex of Gaines, and Frances Ann Both of Grand Rapids were guests at the house last week-end.

**Kappa Kappa Gamma**—Dean Conrad and Mrs. Conrad were dinner guests at the Kappa Kappa Gamma house Tuesday.



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### THREE DORMS PLAN PARTIES

Co-ed Christmas Parties Will All Furnish Presents for Red Stocking Club.

The Christmas plans for the three dormitories are all different, and what is more, they all sound very interesting. The Women's building is planning to have an Open House Saturday, December fifteenth. This will be preceded with a birthday and Christmas dinner combined. At the dinner the girls will have their Christmas tree, each girl having drawn a name and purchased a ten cent gift. After these are opened, they will be rewrapped and put back under the tree to be given to the Red Stocking club for distribution at the needy homes. The social chairman, Grace Anderson, is appointing the committees for this.

Thursday night at ten o'clock, the West Mary Mayo girls are going to have their chance at Santa Claus. To help him out, the girls have drawn names and each one will buy a ten cent gift. These will also be given to the Red Stocking club, after the girls have unwrapped them. To finish off the evening, refreshments will be served. Eleanor Bishop has been appointed to take charge of the party.

Fifty poor children are to be the guests of East Mary Mayo at a party given Saturday, December fifteenth, from two o'clock to five in the afternoon. The girls are very enthusiastic about this party, and with the proper cooperation, it will be most successful. Each girl will be asked to buy one or two ten cent gifts. These will be placed on a tree, with the name of a child on the tag. Margaret Konop is managing the party. She has appointed Margery Beulow as chairman of the arrangements, Nonie Smith, entertainment, Ruth Robinson, stockings, Irene Malcolm, gifts, Pauline Taylor, names, Bette Hatch, collection of gifts, Margaret Phal, refreshments, and Margaret Markle, tree trimming. The girls will find the names from a charity organization, and arrangements will be made for bringing them and taking them home.

Religious Council members will be guests of the Campus Girls' Assembly at the home of Barbara Lou Brattin, 538 Grove street, a week from this Sunday morning.

The active chapter of Mu Phi Epsilon will be entertained by the alumnae club of Lansing at a Sunday night supper there Dec. 9. Marjorie Hoyt, president of Mu Phi Epsilon announces that they will not hold a musical in December as there are so many other things planned during that month.

**Home Management House No. 1**—Home Management House No. 4 is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Miller as dinner guests this evening. Marion Beals and Betty Jerome are in charge. Marguerite Potter is general manager of the house this week.

**Practise House No. 5**—Mrs. Keizer, house-mother at Alpha Xi Delta, is a dinner guest tonight of the house, and of Susan McNeil, a member of Alpha Xi Delta.

The two Home Management houses are planning a joint Christmas party for Friday night, December 14, when they will entertain

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as guests the girls who resided in the practice houses the first half of the term. Doris Davis and Dorothea Withers from No. 6 and Mary Lou Seely from No. 4 compose the committee in charge of arrangements.

Plans so far include a buffet supper with the Christmas spirit carried out in candlelight with a Christmas tree, and a Santa Claus.

Mrs. L. B. Scholl was hostess to 38 members and guests of the Kate Marvin Kedzie club at her home on Sunset Lane Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Halligan was leader for the program, which was presented by Miss Joyce Mallmann, who played two piano numbers, "Liebesfreud" by Kreisler, and "Sonata, First Movement" by Hadyn; Grace Nahstoll, who also gave piano numbers, "Sonata No. 1" by Haydn, and "Impromptu in A flat Major" by Schubert; and Miss Irene Philip who played Chopin's "Ecolaise" in C. Sharp Minor.

The guest soloist, Miss Frances Pearl, concluded the program with a group of contralto solos, "Per la Gloria" by Monocini, "The House that Jack Built" by Homer, "Stanchen" by Brahms and "O Primavera" by Tirindelli. Mrs. Scholl was her accompanist.

### Christmas Tree Question Starts Holiday Warfare

Mayo Co-eds Sulking Because Coop Girls Grew Festive Tree in Their Own Yard--There is No Santa Claus.

Christmas comes to the campus with the lighting of the big evergreen tree in front of the Women's building just before exam week. It has been true, in these many years.

But this year there is a discordant note in the campus Christmas carol. Mary Mayo co-eds are putting up their lips and saying, "Please, Santa Shaw, can't we have a Christmas tree too?" Santa Shaw thinks of how many things he could do for his little children with the three hundred odd dollars the college spends on the one Christmas tree every year, and shakes his head, "Well, maybe you could have a small one."

But the Mary Mayo girls are answering that they don't want a small one; they want a big Christmas tree like the one the Women's building has. And the Women's building girls are retorting that the tree isn't their tree; it is for the whole college, a campus tradition. But the Mary Mayo girls maintain that they don't walk by the Women's building very often at night, and they want a tree where they can see it lighted.

Numerous suggestions have come forth, such as giving the

Christmas tree to Wells Hall to end the argument, or sticking a Christmas tree on top of the tower where everyone could see it from the library. But there are too many people to be considered too. They enjoy the campus Christmas tree as much as the students do, and perhaps more, because they see it all during Christmas vacation when the students are away.

That is, the townspeople see the tree if they go by the campus for the purpose. Several people have suggested that Christmas and Christmas trees are things to be shared with everyone, and that the ideal location for the Christmas tree would be a place where the students and townspeople could all see it without going out of their usual walks. There are evergreens on the boulevard in front of the Union, and one of these would be best situated to spread Christmas cheer to everyone, it has been suggested. A Christmas tree in that position would still be on the campus and carry out the campus tradition; and it would also stand as a gesture of good will and friendliness from the college to every passer-by, student, townsman, and motorist.

State Theatre Previews

STATE THEATRE BOOKINGS  
"The St. Louis Kid," starring Jimmy Cagney, Patricia Ellis and Allen Jenkins, Friday and Saturday.

Jimmy Cagney as an Irish truck driver between Kansas City and Chicago is into one scrape after another. He becomes acquainted with Patricia Ellis through an accident, and then gets a job driving a milk truck through picketing farmers. He gets into a scrape over the death of a farmer and is jailed while Miss Ellis, the only witness, is kidnapped. Cagney manages to escape and with his pal Allen Jenkins frees the girl in a whirlwind finish.

"THE WHITE PARADE" Starring Loretta Young and John Boles, Sunday, Monday. Loretta Young is cast in the role of a young nurse who has decided to devote her life to alleviating human suffering. Through a deception she becomes acquainted with a wealthy polo player who falls desperately in love with her and urges her to give up her work and marry him. She decides to wait until graduation to give him her answer, but when the time comes she realizes that her love for him is not as strong as her love for her work and decides to remain at the hospital.

Complete committees are as follows: General co-chairmen, David Ireland and William Kirkpatrick; music, Robert Saunders, chairman, Jane Lentz, William May, William Locke, Ruby Burnier, tickets, Richard Colma, chairman, Matilda Adair, James Hughes, Gordon Dalgligh, Marian Bowditch, finance, James Sargent, chairman, Victor Bielski, Carl Nosal, Win. Gentner, Dorothy Smith, publicity, David Cleary, chairman, Virginia Taggart, Katherine Campbell, John Warner, Stuart Melville, decorations, Danstan Story and Earl Stump, co-chairmen, Margaret Keop, Margaret Farley, and Helen Krone, reception, Fred Bentley, chairman, Kurt Warmben, Lorraine Salf, Marjorie Chase, Walter Easler, programs and invitations, Dave Baird, chairman, Ruth Johnson, Irving Bartling, Irene Farley, George Lott, favors, Harold Leaver, chairman, Daniel Reek, Wilma Wagenvoort, Helen Anthony and Louis Zarza.

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Oh, Shakespeare! Oh, Keats! Oh, Milton! Oh, noble gentlemen who faded away in days gone by to create the world's literature. How you must shudder in horror and with a hopeless sigh turn over in your graves when you look upon us, the earthly beings of today, who took your place at writing the aspirations of the race.

The masters of old must wonder at us--we immortal creatures who dare to extend the poetic license to the extent of making "glamour" rhyme with "Alabama." The Bard of Avon must faintly remember saying "What fools we mortals be," but even now, wonders how it could possibly be so true.

Keats must pause to marvel at the sensuous and the imaginative feelings that enabled him to write "Saint Agnes Eve" are the same that inspire modern lyric writers to discourse on "I Can't Dance Cause I Got Ants in My Pants."

The Blind Poet of England must wonder just how far we are from Panderemonium as he looks out with his all-seeing eyes upon a world that appreciates little else but that.

Oh, noble gentlemen of letters. We, too, marvel at this monstrosity of "literature." We agree that it is truly a crime against the gods, but like Tiberius, we must say, "A crime against the gods is for the gods to attend to."

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### DEBATERS WILL TRAVEL AGAIN

Team Will Make a Two Week Trip Through East and Atlantic Coast.

Plans for the debate team's annual trip were announced today by Professor J. D. Menchofer, men's debate coach. The team will travel east to the Atlantic coast and will be away for nearly two weeks.

The team will leave after final exams at the end of winter term and will be gone until Thursday of the first week of Spring Term. The first debate will be with the Ontario college at Guelph, Ontario. After this they will cross back into the United States for their second debate with Syracuse university. They will then proceed to Boston where debates are scheduled with Harvard and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The week-end will be spent in New York City where the team will meet New York university and Fordham. On the way home they will debate with teams from Dartmouth and Western Reserve at Cleveland.

Last year the team went to Lexington, Kentucky for the National Pi Kappa Delta tournament. This contest is held every other year and in the alternate years, the State team takes a road trip. Next year a team will be sent to the national tournament at Houston, Texas.

### COLLEGE BULLETIN

All Ohio State alumni on the campus are invited to the Ohio State Day meeting to be held Friday, December 7, in the porch room of the Union at 7:30 p. m.

All Pershing Riflemen report to the Union in complete uniform at 12:45 Sunday afternoon.

Blue Key Party in the Union ball room tonight at 9 o'clock. Bronson Scruby and his orchestra will furnish the music. Admission 40 cts. per person.

Junior sophomore council and freshmen councilors meeting Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock on the Union porch. The following should attend: Mary Ballard, Edith Johnston, Marjory Kidder, Virginia Lyon, Ruth Martin and Betty Ziegler.

Campus Girls assembly will meet in the student parlors of Peoples church from 12 to 12:45 Sunday noon. Mrs. Thomas Gunson will speak on "Keep Learning and Growing." Mary Barden is chairman of the morning's program.

The American Chemical society, college division, will hold its next meeting Thursday, December 13 at 8 p. m. in the chemistry lecture room. Dr. N. F. Hall of the University of Wisconsin will talk on "Heavy Hydrogen and Heavy Water."

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The University of Missouri has received an invitation from the U. S. S. R. to be represented on the occasion of the honoring of Prof. Alex. Belasky, who has been professor of electrical engineering at Novocherkassk since 1910.

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### FOOTBALL BUST PLANS ARE NEAR COMPLETION

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Joseph Gwinn; tickets, Walter McComb; program, Herbert Cooper; banquet, Ray Riggs; guest reception, George Julian; seating, Barney Cox; invitation and transportation, Earl Hotchin; entertainment, Ralph Tenny; fraternity housing, George Culp; publicity, A. J. Patch, and registration, Lyman Frimodig.

A final general committee meeting is to be held Monday, December 10 to complete the last arrangements. Admission is open to the general public at \$1.75 per place for the evening banquet.

In addition to the banquet and program at night, an interesting and varied program has been planned for the visitors during the day. It will include a tour of the campus, the finals of the all-college wrestling tourney, a riding and jumping exhibit and a polo game by the cavalry department, a chemical demonstration, a swimming exhibition and the showing of motion pictures of the games between State and Michigan, Carnegie Tech and the University of Detroit. All of this program will be presented previous to the evening banquet.

The Webster chapter of Phi Alpha Delta, legal fraternity, has been transferred from the Chicago Law school to Loyola university, Chicago.

### Peoples Church Activities

"The Legend of the Graal," a Christmas miracle play written by Douglas Horton, will be given by student members of the Student Christian Union in the social hall of Peoples church, this Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The public is invited.

In the cast are: A squire, William G. Ingleson; an anchoress, Frances Miller; a villain, Donald Wright; and three children, Eva Smith, Fern Schultze, and Ann Duval. Bob Bessey is in charge of properties; Richard Haas and Allen Brumm, lighting; and Clare Pocklington, make-up.

The Student Christian Union is having its Christmas program this Sunday. Social half hour is at five-thirty with the personnel committee in charge, Hope Carr, chairman; Jean Mansfield is chairman of the supper committee.

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# Rouse Leads Cagers In Unimpressive Win Over Hornets 30-25

### Boyno City Guard Scores 12 Points to Annex High Point Honors; Spartans Make But Six Out of Sixteen Free Throws.

By BOB BURHANS

Led by Mike Rouse, the Michigan State cagers won an unimpressive victory over Kalamazoo college, 30 to 25, on the Boys Vocational School hardwood last Wednesday. The Boyno City sniper kept State in the running only through the lucky medium of six far-flung field goals to amass 12 points, nearly half of the team's market. Big Arn VanFassen played his usual steady brand of ball and had 5 points to show for his evening's labors while the balance of the team were in a lethargy as far as scoring was concerned.

The Hornets put on a lively display of basket shooting. West, Gast, and Survilla combined resources and put on a spree that gave the Baptist college a moral victory—they thought that the Spartans attack was hemmed in by the inspired playing of the down-staters and, lacking a successful scoring play, Mr. Rouse was summoned to headquarter and told to shoot them high, wide, and handsome which he did with more than average success.

From the scrummed, clean cut passing attack of the Central State fracas, the men of Van Alstyne fell into a state of ragged passing that made the on-lookers glad it was early in the season. There were seemingly more shots that wound up behind the backboard than in front of it.

State was never headed after the first five minutes of play, but the Hornets never let them get more than a two basket lead. Herrick opened the scoring with a clever shot that had looked like he was on his way for another bonanza crop of points but a bad kick hampered his activities and a later foul free ended his scoring for the night. Survilla counted with a set shot, Weiss making it 3 from the foul stripe. Frizzo found the hoop on a jump shot, Rouse made a pair, and VanFassen plunked one to end the flurry leaving 14 points in the wake. White, Herrick and Frizzo have-vested 3 from the foul circle and Garlock got one where it did the most good, ending the half with 15 points while the fast travelling Baptists wound up the opening frame clinging to 14 honest marks.

The reopening of hostilities found Rouse holding the combination to the basket in a wild spurge of leather flingings that added 9 bright points to the Spartan kitty. Then Weiss, Survilla, Gast, et al set-ably to work to make up the lost ground. They were able to accomplish the manufacture of 6 points but their attack seemed noticeably when Krickard was sent to distance via four personal fouls charged against him. Kalamazoo garnered 4 more points to run out its string. White connected with a tap-in shot and Van Fassen got 3 with a hook shot and foul too to end the game's scoring.

Perhaps the poor showing of Van Alstyne's men had some motivation behind the downfall. Reports have it that Coach Cappon of the Ann Arbor basketballeters was on hand to witness the proceedings. If this is true, a paucity of plays was used for the simple reason that the Wolverine monitor would have nothing to tell his cohorts concerning the Spartan strength. At any rate, the game was won and concentration must be aimed hereafter at the U. of M. tilt to be played in the University City on the 13th.

## Women's Group Discusses Rules For Basketball

### Fifteen Women Make Study of Rules and Methods of Court Game.

The school for women basketball officials, sponsored jointly by the physical education department and the Michigan State Recreation department, and an innovation on campus this fall has proved very worthwhile to those attending the meetings.

Each Monday night for the last several weeks, a group of about fifteen women have been meeting to discuss the new basketball rules and methods, with Miss Dorothy J. Parker of the local physical education department leading the discussion. During January ratings will be given for officials, which should be of interest to anyone refereeing games. Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the Michigan State committee on Women's Basketball will meet to give national ratings for officials. A demonstration game will be played on the basketball floor upstairs in the gymnasium at this time. Anyone wishing to attend the meeting is welcome to do so.

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## THE WINNERS

The first twenty finishers in the National A. A. U. cross-country meet and their places were as follows:

1. Donald Lash, Indiana.
2. Tom Ottey, Michigan State.
3. Eino Pentti, Millrose A. C.
4. Ray Sears, Butler.
5. Louis Gregory, Millrose A. C.
6. William Zepp, Michigan Normal.
7. Paul Mandy, Millrose A. C.
8. J. Smith, Indiana Fresh.
9. Joe Mandy, Millrose A. C.
10. J. Robinson, Indiana.
11. F. Tetzell, Millrose A. C.
12. Eddie Bechtold, Michigan State.
13. Nelson Gardner, Michigan State.
14. J. M. Dale, Millrose A. C.
15. Johnny Hamme, Michigan State.
16. R. O. Pratt, Iowa.
17. Willard Cullen, Indiana.
18. E. Hass, Iowa.
19. Robert Gardner, Michigan State.
20. M. Wegerhof, Iowa.

## NATATORS LOOK GOOD TO COACH

### 33 Varsity Men Makes Daubert Optimistic as to Outcome of Swimming Season

With 33 varsity men on his line-up, Russell B. Daubert, coach of the Spartan tank team, has his usual optimism as to the outlook for the 1935 season. Out of 33 varsity men from last year's team, seven have returned this fall, with the bulk of last year's freshman squad comprising the greater part of the new team.

There have been several changes on the squad, the most important being the shifting of Green from the breast stroke to the back stroke, and Brown to the breast stroke. These changes are expected to give the team more strength, and make way for new men in the breast and back stroke.

As yet the final schedule has not been announced, the athletic council waiting for the schedule of the colleges in the Big Ten. A meeting of the Big Ten is being held this week-end in Chicago, so that Daubert expects to announce the approved schedule next week.

The most outstanding men on the varsity squad are: Breast stroke: D. Bell, Craft, Pilkington, Darnon, Kannevski, Wooswick. Back stroke: Morris (captain), B. Brown, Bingham. Dash and middle distance: Galmoy, Bissell, Henriksen, McNayara, Mochring, Sanders, Trapp, Hagberg, Briggs, Dinsmore, Hickman, Sargent, and Wolring. In the distance events: Green, Harryman, Switzer, Pittwood. Diving: Blackmore, Clark, Winslow.

At the beginning of winter term three more men will be on the squad. They are Lewis and Zeigel for the short dashes, and Herner in the diving.

Another record turnout was made by the freshman squad when 40 yearlings reported for fall practice. Three meets have been scheduled for the first year men, with several more pending. Those who have already been signed up are: Flint Junior college, Lansing Central high school, and Lansing Eastern high school.

Carl is the only outstanding man in the breast stroke, with Hart, Spencer, Hartson and Lorrimer entered in the back stroke event. In the distance, Black, Rasenau and Taylor are showing the best form. Five distance men, Bell, Gardner, Hickey, Kinney and Simms, are also on the list. The only freshman to report for diving is J. Smith.

As there is very little competition in many of the events, all men who wish to try out for the team are requested to report to Coach Daubert at his office in the gym.

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## WRESTLERS TRAIN FOR MAT TOURNEY

### Collins Announces Openings for Meet Next Week.

With the all-college wrestling tournament just seven days off, Coach Fendley Collins is working his men every night from 4:00 to 6:00 to get them in condition for the matches.

Anyone is eligible for the tournament, and there is still plenty of room for those who wish to enter. The preliminaries will be run off on December 13 and 14 at 4:15 p. m., and the matches to decide the winners and third places will be held on Saturday, December 16 at 3:00 p. m.

## SPARTANS TO MEET TEXAS TOMORROW

### (Continued from page 1)

The coaches called off all rough workouts during the few days practice this week and were content to merely demonstrate Texas plays to the regulars and rehearse some new plays which have been designed solely for Texas. Mike Casteel, who scouted the Aggies in their Thanksgiving day battle with Texas U., reported that they were a much stronger team than actual game scores for their season would indicate. Among other things the Aggies have a strong pass offensive, perhaps one of the strongest the Spartans will have faced during the season.

Although the Spartans go into this game with only one defeat so far this season, and that at the hands of Syracuse which was one of the most powerful teams in the East this season, Bachman plans to have the team play offensive football rather than merely attempt to kick out a victory and protect their brilliant record. The Spartans will try several of their "hot" plays which have been consistent gainers during the season and in addition have been given some new plays for this game. They will also make great use of their passing offense if practicable.

Thirty-three members of the squad were named to make this trip to the Sunny South and only three of this season's veterans will listen to the game here at home. Al Agett, who injured a shoulder during practice in the past week and Jim McCrary, stellar bone-crushing fullback, and Al Baker, who was probably the fastest end on the squad this year, are the three regulars who were unable to make the trip.

The itinerary of the Spartans called for a stop-over at Texas-Kansas, Texas, to work out under conditions similar to those which they will play under Saturday night following the game and will arrive in East Lansing in time for classes Tuesday.

Three full teams, the greatest number of players to ever make a trip of such a great distance for State, have been named for this final game of the season. They are: Ed Kiewicki, Lou Zarza, Bob Altman, Hank Kutchins, George Backowski, and Herb Williamson, tackles—Buck Reavely, Howdy Zindel, Archie Ross, Jim Brake, Norman Julius Sieder and Abe Katz, guards—Sul Wagner, Gordon Dahlgreen, Bill Gilliland, Ben Demaree, Mike Wilson and Ed Jones, center—

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## NATIONAL SPORT SUMMARY

By JACK WARNER

The 1934 basketball rules have been changed for the coming season. They now call for a time out after every field goal, increasing the length of the game by 15 minutes, and producing higher scoring. Also time out until the ball on a free throw attempt hits the backboard.

Michigan State college landed two men on the all-opponent football team selected by coaches and players of the Marquette university eleven. Kiewicki, left end, and Reynolds, quarterback.

The University of Michigan has scheduled Columbia and Pennsylvania as their two intercollegiate games with return games scheduled for the 1935 season.

Lloyd Burdick, coach of the Knox college football team which made such a brilliant record this year and last, has resigned from his position. He is accepting a post with the Detroit Lions.

"Boy, am I happy!" Says Dizzy Dean, as he signs a new contract with the Cardinals. He wouldn't reveal the exact amount that he would receive, but said that he was going to hold out for \$25,000.

Ohio State is putting a funny case before the Big Ten conference officials. It seems that Jack Smith has played his allotted three years of football, but one of those years includes only three minutes of play against Ohio Wesleyan in 1932.

Joe Bazolis, Vince Vandenberg and Sam Ketchman, quarterbacks—Russ Reynolds, Red Neumann and Fred Ziegel, halfbacks—Kurt Warmton, Dick Colina, Steve Sebo, Bob Armstrong, Dick Edwards and Milt Lehnardt, fullbacks—Don Wiseman, Art Brandstatter and Paul Beaubien.

Prof. A. N. Webb, Duke university (Durham, N. C.) professor of romance languages, has recently received the distinction of being named "Officer d'Academie," an honorary degree conferred by the minister of public instruction of France.

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# State Harriers Wind Up Year With Second In National A. A. U.

### Cross-country Team Bows Only to Millrose A. C. and is First Intercollegiate Team in Meet at Iowa City; Lash Again Downs Captain Ottey in Close Race.

Michigan State harriers rounded out another successful season which brought them into National prominence by taking second place in the National A. A. U. meet held at Iowa City on Thanksgiving day last week. Millrose A. C. of New York was the winner of this meet and by taking second place State still remains on the top of the heap in intercollegiate cross-country for the entire country. Previous to this the Spartans had taken first place in the I. C. A. A. A. meet in Van Cortlandt park, in New York City.

This was the final race under State colors for three members of the Spartan team. Captain Tom Ottey, Johnny Hammer and Bob Gardner have run together on the cross-country squad for the past four years; three on the varsity and one on the freshman squad. Coach Lauren Brown faces a grave problem in filling the shoes of these veterans.

The Spartans gained revenge over Indiana in this meet for the defeat suffered in the Central Intercollegiate the week previous. This meet, over a 10,000 foot course, was held on a cold, rainy day and the course was very wet.

The Hoosier harriers annexed several honors in the A. A. U. meet by taking first place. Ottey fought a great race against Lash and came dangerously close to beating him; the time of the two men were as follows: Lash, 32:17.3 and Ottey, 32:17.8. The Spartan team took the 10,000 foot race by ten points, 47 to 37.

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