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Around the Campus

We talked a little bit in our inaugural effort along this line last issue about the assistance of alumni in collecting interesting material for the RECORD.

Oddly enough, a mistake in that same issue emphasized an old newspaper and magazine maxim that the best way to get a response from the readers is to make a mistake.

Back on the Days of Yore page, the magazine's (and college's) historians made an incorrect identification on a picture of athletic captains of about 40 years ago. We heard about it, but quickly, from something like a half a dozen readers. Glen Stewart says a few also dropped him a note of correction.

We do appreciate the assistance of those who wrote in setting the records straight. It seems that the incident also illustrates something we had intended to mention last time but couldn't for lack of space. We've always believed that the older alumni are much quicker to respond to any indication that the RECORD is interested in college lore.

As you'll note elsewhere, the RECORD with this issue goes on a seven-times-ayear basis. Total page output will jump from 80 to 112 per year. Thus, we shall have more space, and we hope that we can use some of it for personal reminiscenses of college life in the days gone by.

We have a suspicion that there'll be plenty of material rolling in from some of the older classes, but the memories are still too fresh in the minds of the younger folk for them to realize how interesting their stories may be. Let's hope some of you will send along some good material to the editor.

Perhaps we ought to take a little friendly issue with one question tossed in this direction by one of those telling us about that mistake. He wanted to know if there wasn't anyone around here who hadn't been here long enough to know about W. H. Small, the man mistakenly tagged as W. H. Smith.

In this department (public relations) there's only one man who was born early enough to take in the football season of 1907-and he celebrated his first Christmas that year. And, from the alumni office, Glen was still a youngster in those days. (Notice we're not giving away any ages.)

As for the college athletic department, Frim, counting his student days, probably has been here as long as anyone. He graduated in 1917, the same year as our genial alumni director, Jack G. Heppinstall, who is considered almost an antique on the campus, came in 1914, while Frim was a student.

So, come to think about it, there aren't many around here any more who would be able to spot a mistaken identification in a picture nearly 40 years old.

Just another reason why we've got to have some help from the alumni if we're going to talk about the early days on the campus.

We note, for benefit of the alumni, a couple of signs that the times are changing.

Late in October, the college announced that women would be permitted to smoke in their dormitory rooms. Immediate result: a rush on East Lansing stores, which were soon sold out of ash trays.

And, speaking of ash trays, the campus blossomed out in many of the same, king size. The student council finally surrendered to what appears to be a definite campus trend and placed large dishpan-like containers at the entrances to all college buildings. The theory: All cigarette butts, papers, etc. are to be deposited therein. The practice: Students cooperate fairly well.

The Union, too, is ever-changing. The grill has now been expanded to include the former lounge. The former, for identification purposes, is directly under the ballroom, and above the present cafeteria. For those who haven't been around for 10 or more years, it's the site of the cafeteria in the Union building's original layout.

Part of the alterations called for cuting through the wall from the old grill to make a direct entrance to the exlounge. In the process the shiny blue sailfish the late Ralph Bennett caught on the Orange bowl excursion late in December, 1937, was moved to the college museum.

A sizable corner of the main lobby of the Union also has been surrendered to the college accounting office. Room has been partitioned off for a new general ticket office, which formerly was located in the Administration building.

But those changes are minor, compared to what is in store for the Union building. Construction will start this spring on three major additions to the building, and there will be many subsequent interior changes to conform to the new layout.

New wings are to be built to the south and east, and the ballroom wing is to be widened on both sides. More cafeteria and other dining facilities will be available. The east wing will contain 45

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transient guest rooms and 100 others for single faculty members.

In recent changes the Union lounges have shrunken in size. The new south wing will contain one general lounge, 110 by 80 feet in size, and two other lounges, one for men and one for women. The south wing also will contain 16 bowling alleys and a billiard room with 28 tables.

All in all, it will be almost a new Union building-more than double its present size.

Speaking of bowling alleys and billiard rooms, perhaps it would be well to mention the passing of Steve MaCris. We know many alumni will recall jovial Steve who ran the Rainbow alleys in East Lansing. He died recently while in Florida on a visit. Those students and faculty who knew Steve will recall him as one of the better friends of one's college days.

On the Cover

Michigan State College's new head football coach, Clarence (Biggie) Munn, who took over his new duties on January 1, bringing with him his complete staff of assistants from Syracuse.

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Bernard P. Trainor, a Chicago attorney who composed "M.S.C. Shadows." was a recent visitor on campus. He admits he doesn't know a sharp from a flat but in 1926 hummed the tune to a music major student who set it into note. Then he arranged the words.

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Fund Program Opens March 1

With the opening of the Memorial Center fund program scheduled for March 1, the Alumni Advisory Council is completing the plans for the \$300,000 project. At a recent meeting the Council approved the appointment of Dr. Floyd W. Owen, '02, as general chairman and Walter W. Neller, '28, as vice chairman of the Fund.

The project is taking on nation-wide aspects as alumni clubs in every section of the country lay plans to insure that all Michigan Staters in their areas learn of the part they can play in the building of the World War II memorial. The Memorial Center will honor those who served their country in uniform and will be dedicated to those who lost their lives. The most recent total shows that 337 Michigan State men made the supreme sacrifice.

Veteran Views Consulted

E. B. More, '16, newly re-elected chairman of the Alumni Advisory Council, has directed the council through the initial planning phase of the memorial. During the past year More's group considered many proposals and suggestions. The chapel-international house theme was selected as the one best combining the spirit of all. The thoughts expressed by war veterans returning to the college were especially valuable to the committee.

Dr. Floyd W. Owen, '02, is well qualified to undertake the head position of the Memorial Center fund. Traveling as the head of his own business organization he has visited almost every major country in the world and has directed his interest in the field of international cooperation.

Born in Maple Rapids, Michigan, he entered the college from Stanton, Michigan, with the class of 1902. While in college he was a member of the Hesperian society (now Psi Upsilon fraternity) and was secretary of the class of '02.

Owen Studied at Geneva

After graduating with a degree in agriculture he served as sales manager in the western states and in London and Paris for a number of years. For five years he was managing director of Southern Sales, Ltd., in Australia and New Zealand and made occasional trips to Japan, China, and India...

Owen then returned to the United States and after a period as president of a Detroit manufacturing concern retired to return to Michigan State for three years study leading to a Ph.D in sociology. The work included six months



Floyd W. Owen, '02

study of the League of Nations in Geneva, Switzerland.

Since then he has been active in many organizations dealing with international understanding and was instrumental in establishing the Detroit branch of the Foreign Policy Association. Although he resides in Ann Arbor he is a member of the Detroit University club, the Detroit Athletic club, the 100 year old Detroit Prismatic Club, the American Sociological Society, and the Academy of Political and Social Science.

Vice-Chairman Also Named

Serving as vice-chairman of the fund, Walter W. Neller has been associated with the work of Lansing philanthropic and religious organizations for a number

Neller was born in Ovid, Michigan, and after graduation from Lansing Central

ARCHITECT'S SKETCHES

Architect's sketches of the Memorial Center have been completed by Ralph R. Calder of Detroit but were not received in time to be included in this issue of the RECORD.

Sketches, floor plans, and descriptions of the Memorial Chapel and the International House will be included in the information to be sent to all alumni during early March.



Walter W. Neller, '28

high school entered Michigan State with the class of 1928. During his college years he was a member of the Eunomian society (now Sigma Nu fraternity), the Officers' club, was president of the Student Y.M.C.A. and treasurer of the jun-

Receiving his degree in applied science in June, 1928, he joined the Ehinger Real Estate company. In 1933 he formed the Walter Neller Company and has since continued as the president of his own organization.

Neller Activities Are Varied

Neller is on the board of directors of the Lansing Y.M.C.A., a member of the Lansing Chamber of Commerce, on the board of trustees of Central Methodist church, and is a member of the National Realty Board.

In 1931 he married Frances Winifred Harvey of Battle Creek. Mrs. Neller received her B.A. degree at Michigan State in 1928 and was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority while on the campus. The Nellers have two children, Mary Frances, age 12, and Richard,

The appointments of Owen and Neller received the unanimous approval of the Alumni Advisory Council. They will periodically report to the council the progress of the Memorial Center fund

Dr. Owen's Remarks to Alumni Club Heads

Following are the informal remarks made by Dr. Owen in acceptance of the general chairmanship of the Memorial Center Fund:

What Does It Mean?

"The Michigan State College Memorial Center-just what does this great project mean to you and me?

"The college is giving its choicest site, overlooking the beauty of the Beal Gardens, for these two fine buildings joined by a handsome cloister: an International House to promote understanding with the many foreign students and to advance our great crusade upon the most difficult and imperative human needworld order; and a Memorial Chapel for many needs but chiefly to exemplify the heroism of the 337 former students who gave their lives in World War II. The two buildings in this garden setting will be known as the Memorial Center.

"In 360 B.C. Athens, suffering from a warring world, organized the many democracies of the Aegean Sea into the Delian League with fine buildings on the island of Delos. But bankruptcy and collapse came to the League as a result of interference with the internal affairs of the member nations. Thirty years later, in 330 B.C., the next generation repeated the procedure and it lived a longer life. But the ruins of Delos still stand as proof of the need, as tribute to the effort, and as a challenge to mankind to achieve world order or perish from the earth.

World Cooperation Necessary

"For over 2,000 years leagues were proposed and some were organized. The League of Nations might have had a full measure of success if our people had possessed the necessary foresight to join the effort. Twenty years of business travel all over the world so saturated me with the imperative necessity for world cooperation that I retired and returned to the college in 1927 for three years work which included six months of close study of the League in Geneva. My doctoral thesis was entitled "International Organization." 1

"Since then my time has been devoted to this objective. The International House will help to provide the knowledge, and the practice of the knowledge, needed for world undertsanding.

"We also need the Memorial Chapel as a quiet retreat for reflection, for college weddings, and as a sacred tribute to the 337 former students who gave all for us in the war just passed.

"In all my travels nothing was so expressive and touching as the magnificent memorial to the Scotch dead who fell in helping to win the first World War. It



Here, on the high ground just east of the Beal Botanical Gardens, will be erected the Michigan State College Memorial Center. The house and the old greenhouse on the left will be removed from the site.

adjoins Edinburg Castle and has a line of arches or niches around the interior, each carrying the name, colors, and achievements of a famous regiment, such as the Royal Scotch Fusiliers. Long lines of relatives and friends come, seeking the name of a loved one inscribed in the great book upon the altar of his regiment. An elderly couple enter and linger long over the name of a lost son to be close to him again while memory brings proud, but sad tears.

M.S.C. Memorial Appropriate

"Such a memorial forever transmits, by example, the higher mentalities, such as devotion to a great human cause. There are philosophical principles which seem to show how education and precept bring about a sublimation in men's minds

by which they can thrust aside personal interest and devote their lives to some great purpose, even to going forward in battle in the face of imminent death.

"The high example of our chapel will serve this devotion and nobility of spirit, this needed self consecration which we must make the crowning part of our educational process. No great achievement ever comes without it.

"Today, you and I know the world complexity and interdependence. We know that it will be one world or none. We know that the only winning weapon in our crusade is the spread of higher education and training in world knowledge. This is the meaning and the need of the Memorial Center to you and to me."

Record On New Schedule

Beginning with this issue, alumni and other friends of Michigan State College will receive the RECORD seven times a year. It is planned that the magazine will be published every six weeks from October to July.

More frequent publication will enable the staff to bring more timely news to the readers. Also, the additional space provided through the year will permit the addition of many more articles and other features now planned.

The present issue is being sent out on the same basis as in the past. It contains 20 pages, including the cover. This issue also is mailed out in envelopes as in the past.

Beginning with the next issue, now scheduled for mailing the first week in March, the magazine will contain only 16 pages. It will not be enclosed in an envelope, so readers are asked to be on the lookout for the RECORD in its new mailing form.

Despite the smaller size, on a yearly

basis the RECORD will have much more news space than in the past. In comparison with the four issues of 20 pages each, the new schedule calls for seven i sues of 16 pages each, or an increase of 32 pages per year.

Tentative mailing dates for the seven issues per year will be January 20, March 5, April 20, June 5, July 20, October 20, and December 5. There will be no issue during the summer months between July and October,

Alumni who may wish to submit material of interest for publication in the RECORD are advised that any such material should be sent in at least five weeks before the mailing date listed.

Club notes, alumni notes and other material processed by the alumni office should be sent to Glen O. Stewart or Gladys Franks in the Alumni Office of the college. Send general news and features to the editor, Department of Public Relations, Room 10, Agricultural Hall, Michigan State College.

College Needs \$7,316,038 Per Year

Michigan State College will need \$7,316,038 per year for minimum operating expenses for the 1947-48 and 1948-49 fiscal years, and \$2,526,291 in deficit funds for the remainder of the present fiscal year because of unexpected high enrollments. The State Board of Agriculture will request legislative appropriations of these amounts at the current session of the state legislature.

Of the present year's deficit, only \$886,294 is for current operating expenses, while \$1,639,325 went to provide temporary housing for the thousands of veterans enrolled at the college. The expenditure was for laying sewers, water lines and installing electric lines, heating services, streets and sidewalks to the housing projects being installed by the Federal Public Housing Authority.

The F.P.H.A. paid costs amounting to several million dollars for construction of trailers, Quonset huts, and barracks units, and rent returns over operating costs will revert to the federal treasury. The unanticipated huge enrollment this year made the original legislative appropriation insufficient for current operating expenses.

Per Capita Cost Lower

Although the financial needs for operating expenses for the next biennium are nearly twice the appropriation of two years ago, the money required for each student has been pared. The 1945 legislature made its appropriation on the basis of \$500 per year per student for an estimated 6,000 students. The present request would be on the basis of slightly more than \$400 per year per student. The request for funds from the 1947 legislature is based on an enrollment of 15,000 students. Fall term enrollment was 13,280, but this figure is expected to grow to 15,000 before the end of the school year.

Hannah said the State Board of Agriculture also will ask for \$6,233,248 to complete the building program now under way at the college. Of this amount, \$3,194,000 was promised at the 1946 special legislative session, with the assumption that it would be made available by the 1947 legislature. The original building program approved by the lawmakers was to cost \$7,000,000. Of this amount \$3,806,000 was appropriated.

Building Costs Higher

President Hannah explains that rising building costs, plus the needs for the veterans' temporary housing projects have boosted the amount needed to complete the present building program to \$6,233,248.

The President emphasized that the buildings now under construction on the campus were designed, not for 15,000 students, but to accommodate only 7,000 students, the normal enrollment of pre-war years.

When the present program is completed, he explains, Michigan State College still will lack facilities for several thousand students, who, it is anticipated, will make up the normal enrollment in the future.

With this in view, the State Board of Agriculture has made a study of requirements beyond the program now under way. Many of these, such as a new college library, are acutely needed at the present time. The board, on the basis of these needs, will ask the legislature to make available over a period of several years a sum of \$14,525,450 to construct 19 more new buildings or additions to present buildings.

Many Buildings Are Needed

Included in the proposed long-range building program are a new general library, buildings for animal industries, school and education, literature and fine arts, chemical engineering, civil engineering, general research, forestry and conservation, bacteriology and animal disease, general services, stores and garage, business and public service, college museum, farm and horse center service, sewage disposal plant, basic college, power plant and service lines, and

additions to home economics, chemistry and student health service and hospital.

Even with this building program, ample facilities will be provided only for about 8,000 to 9,000 students, and it is not anticipated that Michigan State College's enrollment ever again will drop below the 10,000 figure.

Buildings in the present program yet to be completed include the classroom, natural science, electrical engineering, agricultural engineering, power plant, physics and mathematics, home management and poultry structures.

Funds Also Aid Research

Of the \$7,316,038 to be asked for each year's operating expenses for the next biennium, slightly more than a million dollars represents offset funds for the agricultural extension service and the agricultural experiment station of the college.

Not included is money needed for offset funds for the new Hope-Flannagan federal research program. A total of \$452,-668 in federal funds will be made available for agricultural research in Michigan in 1947, if the state can provide \$267,668 in matching funds; and \$905,337 in federal research funds will be made available in 1948, if the state can furnish \$535,336 in state money. President Hannah said that state farm organizations will ask the legislature to provide the matching funds for these federal research appropriations.

Winter Enrollment Over 13,000

Winter term classes opened at 7 a.m. on Monday, January 6, with an enrollment of 13,049. Late registrations were expected to increase that figure above the total of 13,280 enrolled during fall term. At the opening of classes in September the enrollment was 12,832, with 448 more students registering late.

The housing situation on the campus is still critical. Since the opening of fall term little new housing has been made available. Red Cedar village, which includes two former army hospital barracks, is now occupied by 240 single men. A few families have been moved into the pre-fabricated army barracks, and more of these will be made available throughout the winter term.

Otherwise, no housing is available that was not occupied during fall term. Snyder hall, first of the two new men's dormitories to be completed, probably will be occupied about the middle of winter term. Landon hall probably will be ready to house about 450 women by the end of winter term.

None of the new academic buildings on the campus has been finished. However, nine classrooms have been opened in metal barracks buildings located just north of the livestock judging pavilion. As during the fall term, the college also will use two rooms in the Peoples church for classroom purposes,

The additions to the Union building have been staked out, but actual construction will not start until spring. This part of the college building program will be financed on a self-liquidating basis, and does not require legislative appro-

Fourth Generation At M.S.C.

It's an old family custom to come to Michigan State College, so it was not surprising last fall that Mary Frances Marshall, of Newport, should arrive in East Lansing to begin her studies as a freshman. She thus became the fourth generation in her line to attend the college.

Except for one year the family line extends back as far as the history of the college itself, with several breaks in time, of course. The then Michigan Agricultural College opened its doors in 1857, and the first class of seven men graduated in 1861. In the second class, entering in 1858, was one Albert John Cook, and he, with four others, made up the graduating group of 1862.

The man who later became Professor Cook was Mary Marshall's great-grand-father. He was an instructor in mathematics at the college from 1867 to 1869, professor of zoology and entomology from 1868 to 1893, and curator of the museum from 1875 to 1893. He later went to the west coast and joined college faculties there. He died in 1916.

Grandfather Lives in Owosso

Professor Cook had three sons and one daughter, all of whom came to Michigan Agricultural college. One of them, Albert B. Cook, '93, is Mary Marshall's grandfather. He lives on a farm near Owosso, and for the past three years has been a member of the Patriarchs' club.

Other children of the professor were Charles B. Cook, '88, who died a few years ago; Clayton T. Cook, '91, who lives near Owosso, also; and Mrs. Katharine Cook Briggs, '93, whose husband, Dr. Lyman J. Briggs, '93, was named one of the college's distinguished alumni at last June's commencement exercises

Returning to Mary Marshall's line, Albert B. Cook had three children, and again all three graduated from Michigan State College. Albert B., Jr., graduated in 1923, lives in Owosso and works for the state department of conservation. John C. Cook graduated in 1928, and now lives in Grosse Pointe Village.

Mary Wants to Run Airport

The daughter, Mary Frances Cook, was a member of the last class to graduate under the name of Michigan Agricultural College, in 1924. She added another alumnus to the family tree by marrying Clayton Marshall, '21. He was superintendent of schools in Adrian when Mary Frances Marshall was born in February, 1929. Shortly afterward the family moved to a farm between Newport and Monroe where they still live.

Mary Frances graduated from Monroe high school in 1946. She had not ex-



Mary Marshall, '50, at the old half-way rock.

pected to come to East Lansing this fall because of the housing shortage, but just before freshman week she was lucky enough to find a room. She started off with the intention of following her mother as a home economics major, but now she says she's going to take up business administration.

She has reasons for that, too—reasons that would have been considered fantastic in her great-grandfather's day. The family has its own small commercial airport on the farm, and Mary has hopes of some day managing the airport and allied businesses. She herself flies and holds a private pilot's license.

Half-Way Rock Now On Campus

In the picture, Mary is shown looking at one half of the old half-way rock that once stood at what is now approximately the eastern city limits of Lansing on Michigan avenue. Students of the old days recall the rock as marking the half-way point on the long journey to downtown Lansing.

In the course of time a cherry tree grew up and split the rock in two. Later, when Michigan avenue was widened, the tree and rock were removed. Dr. Frank S. Kedzie, '77, former president of the college and also the college historian, happened by during the process of removing the rock. He quickly made arrangements to have one half of the rock brought to the campus, where it now stands near the Union building.

The poem about the rock, which is on the plate pictured, was written by Francis Hodgman, a classmate of Mary's great-grandfather in 1862.

Alumnae Help Wanted

For the observance of the golden anniversary of the School for Home Economics, Dean Marie Dye is collecting letters, newspaper articles, old pictures and other historical material. This will be used possibly in preparation of a souvenir program of the event, as well as for RECORD articles.

Dean Dye is particularly anxious to hear from all alumni of the school, telling of campus life in their own day, as well as something of their life since graduation.

Material should be addressed to Dean Marie Dye, School of Home Economics, Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan.

50 Years of Home Economics

The School of Home Economics, directed by Dean Marie Dye, will observe the 50th anniversary of the teaching of home economics at Michigan State College this year. Various events through the spring and summer will mark the anniversary, but the major event is

Dean Marie Dye

scheduled for the last weekend in April or the first weekend in May.

Plans for this two-day program were discussed at a luncheon Dean Dye held in November for representatives of women's organizations and five alumnae from various parts of the state. Cooperation of these groups is sought in preparing a suitable observance of the golden anniversary.

Plan Historical Pageant

The weekend program is planned to include activities for alumnae, present students, the various organizations of the state, and representatives from home economics departments of other colleges and universities.

Friday afternoon and evening will be devoted particularly to the alumnae, serving to some extent as a reunion of all home economics graduates and former students. They will have an opportunity to see the latest developments at the college and to meet old friends. Friday evening an historical pageant will be held.

To Honor Alumnae

An important part of the two-day program will be the honoring of alumnae of the School of Home Economics who have made notable contributions in professional work or in community life. For this, Dean Dye asks suggestions from the alumnae. On Saturday there will be a formal program, at which outstanding speakers will discuss some of the important problems that affect home and family life today.

Other events will continue through the summer. A conference and workshop on home management will be held from June 30 to July 18 for professional people. Farm Women's week, sometime in

July, will be expanded to include urban as well as rural women, with the program dealing with family life. The home economics teachers of the state will hold a conference at the college August 26, 27, and 28.

Dean Dye hopes that all alumnae of the school will attend the golden anniversary celebration. A more detailed program for the two-day event late in April or early in May will appear in the next issue of the RECORD.

History of School's Progress

It was in the fall of 1896 that the first class of women was admitted to the then Michigan Agricultural College to study home economics. A few women had attended the college prior to that year, but they had joined the men in the study of agriculture.

The decision of the faculty and the State Board of Agriculture to offer a course for women was an important one to make. The committee of the faculty recommended that "a course in domestic economy be offered for ladies and that provision be made for them at the college."

The report gave as reason for this recommendation: "The success of the farmer depends as much on the interest. the knowledge and the skill of his wife as on his own. No school in this state offers such training today. It is not only the duty, it is the great privilege of the agricultural college to lead in this matter." The support of the Grange, the women of the state and alumni of the college helped bring official approval.

In that first year, 39 regular and seven special students enrolled. Abbot hall (the present music practice building) was assigned for the women's exclusive use for class rooms and dormitory. One teacher, Miss Edith F. McDermott, was in charge.

The curriculum included the basic sciences, English, modern languages, music, drawing, gardening, the fundamentals of cookery, sewing and household economy. The new courses proved popular, for at the end of the second year enrollment had increased to 82 and three teachers were employed for 1898-99.

The growth and development has been continuous since that time. The undergraduate curriculum now includes training in 10 fields, and graduate work is offered for both the master's and doctor's degrees.

Work was extended to farm women in

1914, when the first extension specialist in home economics was appointed. Today the staff of 49 leaders, specialists, and home agents reaches thousands of farm families

Research was started in 1922 in the field of nutrition. Now there is an extensive research program in foods and nutrition and some in home management, textiles and institution administration.

President John A. Hannah points out that the decision of the college to establish home economics instruction as part of its curriculum was a wise one. "The 3,268 women who have received degrees have in their own homes or in professional work made important contributions to the life of Michigan and the United States. The extension program is reaching many rural families and the broad research program will help establish new facts.

"Michigan State College is glad to recognize this year the 50 years of home economies."



Miss Edith F. McDermott



Homecoming Scenes

Alumni returned to the campus in record numbers for the annual Homecoming weekend of November 16. They saw a changed campus—it appeared so even to those who left it most recently. New buildings are springing up all over the campus to provide housing and classroom facilities for the 13,280 students in attendance.

The alumni saw a good football game—the Spartans conquered an old and honored foe, Marquette, 20-0, to mark the first in a series of three straight victories. They saw the fraternity and sorority houses decorated in old-time style—and for the first time in years the various fraternal groups were in their own houses.

Best of all, the alumni saw old friends and struck up some new acquaintances in the fast-growing alumni family of Michigan State college. From the time the first grads registered on Friday afternoon (pictured upper left) through the stag affair at the Hotel Olds Friday night (pictured upper right) until the last alumnus left the campus Sunday, it was a gala occasion that even the rain couldn't spoil.

Pictured below are the winning houses in the decorations contest. Left is the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house, which took top honors for the fraternities, and right is the Sigma Kappa house, winner among the sororities.



Munn Outlines Football Policy

By W. Nicholas Kerbawy **Editor Sports Publicity**

"I am old fashioned enough to believe that people go to college primarily to extend formal education and that college football is played by boys who want to play football."

Thus has Clarence (Biggie) Munn, newly-named football coach at Michigan State College, launched his regime that began January 1. The former All American lineman from Minnesota. whose coaching experience now spans 15 years, resigned as head coach at Syracuse University to succeed Charles W. Bachman, mentor of Michigan State football since 1933.

The amiable Munn has been familiar with Michigan State since the era of 1938-45 when he served as line coach at University of Michigan, Now installed in his new position, he found the Spartan athletic plant in its usual splendid order.

However, he and his staff of assistants, which followed him from Syracuse, has found the housing situation tough in East Lansing and at this writing each coach is in the market for a home for their families.

Assisting Munn on the varsity coaching staff are Forest Evashevski, Michigan's great quarter and blocking back from 1938-40 and one-time head coach at Hamilton College; LaVerne (Kip) Taylor, former Michigan athlete who coached Ann Arbor high to four 5-A league championships in six years before going to Syracuse in 1945; and Hugh Daugherty, a former line great at Syracuse who joined Munn's staff last year following his honorable discharge from the Army as a major.

Evashevski will coach the backfield and heads up the staff's espionage system as chief scout, Taylor will be in charge of the ends while Daugherty coaches the line. The trio succeeds John S. Pingel, Albert P. Kawal and Louis F. Zarza, staff members of the Bachman

In taking over his new position, Coach Munn has given in a quick outline his policy for Michigan State football. To Michigan State college, its friends and followers, he said: "We cannot expect to win them all, nor do we expect to lose them all. I feel that a team can be developed to represent Michigan State in a fine way."

To his football squad: "Players who master the basic fundamentals of football and who have the proper spirit will demonstrate their very best to win."

To the press and radio: "Nothing pays off quite like sincerity and frankness."



When Biggie Munn made his first visit to the campus in December he lost no time looking up Spartan football players. Here he is shaking hands with Center Bob McCurry, of Lewiston, Pennsylvania, honorary co-captain of the 1946 team. Looking on is Quarterback Russ Gilpin, of Detroit. Munn promised Gilpin lots of blackboard quarterbacking this winter in preparation for next fall's campaign.

While the intercollegiate sports world focuses its eyes on Michigan State football, here are a few of the items it is in

A brace of offensive systems that include the "T" and single wing.

Its game suits of black and gold giving way to apparel that bespeaks of the school colors, green and white.

No football player denied the right to compete in other phases of the Spartan's 12 intercollegiate sports program if said player makes a definite contribution to that phase.

Quarterbacks coming to know the coaching staff first, with periodic meetings among quarterback candidates already under way in preliminary preparation for spring football which opens about April 1.

"After all, no system of football is effective if there is no one to run it," Coach Munn explains.

Add to the list of professions suggested by family names: Jim Dye, freshman drum major of the Michigan State College band, is the son of Paul Dye, Saginaw undertaker.

Bob Geahan, a former Lansing Central star and a leading forward on Coach Ben F. Van Alstyne's basketball team, was Michigan's highest scorer while playing as a Navy trainee for the Wolverines in 1944.

Two Major Track Events On Winter Program

On two occasions, Michigan State college will be the capital of the nation's intercollegiate indoor track world with the 25th running of the Michigan State Relays on Saturday, February 8, followed by the 20th running of the Central Collegiate Conference meet on March 8. Both events will take place in Michigan State's mammoth Jenison Fieldhouse.

Athletic Director Ralph H. Young, taking first things first, announces that elaborate plans are being formulated to attract a record number of schools and athletes to the Relays on February 8. The preparedness is in commemoration of the Relays' silver anniversary.

According to Director Young, 16 events are planned in the Relays program. These include six relay events, eight running and four field. All of the events are of open class with the exception of the one mile relay for which separate divisions in the university and college class will be run.

The Relays were first organized at Michigan State as intra-state meet whereby the Spartans entertained Michigan institutions in a winter indoor track carnival. However, during recent years the meet has been expanded to attract out-of-state competition.

Sports at State

By Nich Kerbawy

Meet the coaches, Messrs. Munn, Evashevski, Taylor and Daugherty who comprise the newly-named varsity football staff at Michigan State college.

Clarence L. (Biggie) Munn, head coach, in 15 years of coaching has been attached to teams which compiled a percentage of .785 in winning 95 games while losing 26 and tying eight. A former all-around sports figure both at North High school in Minneapolis and later at University of Minnesota, Coach Munn carved a niche in sports which has stood as a beacon for the student, athlete, coach and man.

At Minnesota, Coach Munn won three varsity letters each in football and track. In football, he won All American honors as a guard for two years, placing on every team selection during his senior year in 1931 and was accorded added honors as the All American team captain on more than 90 percent of the mythical choices. In track, he not only held the Western Conference shot put record, but also shattered the 27-year-old Penn Relays record. His best toss: 49'1112". He was named by his mates during his junior and senior year as the "most valuable" football player, subsequently winning the Chicago Tribune award.

Coach Munn spurned professional football to take up coaching. He served as Bernie Bierman's assistant in 1932, '33, '34, after which he became director of athletics and head coach at Albright College, Reading, Pa. In two years, his Albright teams won 13 games, lost 2 and tied one. In 1937, he became an assistant under Coach Ossie Solem at Syracuse and the following year began an eight year tenure as line coach under Fritz Crisler at Michigan.

The Crisler-Munn combination at Michigan enjoyed tremendous success, winning 56 games, tying two and losing 14.

Munn has enhanced his position in coaching by his amiable personality, his ability to teach and direct players and the aggressive spirit he imparts to his boys. He is 38 years of age, and the family includes his wife, Vera; two children, Mike, 5, and Jane, 3.

Forest (Evy) Evashevski, backfield coach, is a former Michigan star and pre-war coach at Hamilton and Pittsburgh. He is a native of Detroit who won football and baseball honors at Northwestern high school and later was acclaimed nationally as the quarterback and chief blocker for Tom Harmon. Evashevski is given major credit for Michigan's great record which, from 1938-40, shows only four games lost.

In college, Evashevski was Michiigan's football captain during his senior year, won the Western Conference medal for scholarship, was a catcher on the varsity baseball team and president of his graduating class.

Coach Evashevski served as a lieutenant in the Navy for three years during World War II. He is married to the former Ruth Margaret Brown, daughter of former United States Senator Prentiss M. Brown, and is the father of three children, Forest, Jr., 5, James, 3, and Marian, 2 months old.

LaVerne (Kip) Taylor, end coach, a 1930 graduate of the University of Michigan, gained athletic prominence as an all-around sports figure at Ann Arbor high, both as a student and later as a coach. After winning the Chicago Alumni trophy as an outstanding foothall prospect during his freshman year Michigan, Taylor's intercollegiate career came to an abrupt end in 1927 when he suffered a fractured neck in the Michigan-Wisconsin game. Prior to the injury, he had scored the first touchdown ever made in the Michigan stadium, connecting on a forward pass play.

While in college, Taylor coached YMCA basketball and upon graduation from Michigan in 1930 he became basketball and baseball and assistant football coach at Ann Arbor high. From 1934 to 1940 he was head football and basketball coach at George Rogers Clark high school in Hammond, Ind., and in 1940 began a six-year tenure as head football coach at Ann Arbor high. His Ann Arbor record shows 37 victories against five defeats and five ties, four 5-A league championships in six years, and three unbeaten teams. In 1942, '43 and '44, Taylor was a member of Michigan's scouting staff and in 1944 and 1945 he was a member of Michigan's summer physical education staff.

Coach Taylor's family includes his wife, Josephine, and Sondra Lee, 9,

Hugh (Stubby) Daugherty, line coach, a native of Barnesboro, Pa., first attracted Coach Munn's attention when the latter was line coach at Syracuse in 1937. Daugherty won a first string berth that year as a sophomore tackle, was team captain in 1939 and is a 1940 graduate of the Orange.

Prior to joining Coach Munn at Syracuse last February, Daugherty coached and taught physical education at Trinity Prep in New York City. He had spent five years in the service, being honorably discharged with the rank of major in October, 1945. He went overseas in July, 1942, served in both Australia and New Guinea, and participated in three campaigns.

Daugherty's family includes his wife, Frances, and a two-months-old son. Denis.

Halfback George Guerre Named Most Valuable

Here's a quick roundup of Michigan State's 1946 football season which produced five victories and five defeats:

Right End Ken Balge, Dearborn junior and Center Bob McCurry, Lewiston, Pa., sophomore, were named honorary cocaptains of the team. Balge was the squad's workhorse, playing 426 minutes of a possible 600.

George Guerre, explosive halfback from Flint, was named by his mates as the team's "most valuable" player. Guerre was given the Governor of Michigan award, a handsome watch, at the annual football banquet. He ranked 13th in the nation in total offense, accounting for 1,029 yards in rushing and passing.

For the first time in three years, Michigan State failed to produce a 60-minute man, Tackle Alger Conner coming the closest by playing 59 minutes in the Spartans' 19 to 16 victory over Penn State.

Michigan State granted 99 football awards, 32 of which were major varsity letters. Nineteen of the thirty-two letter winners were freshmen.

Hal Vogler, Detroit freshman, was named captain of the Jayvee squad which won five out of nine games.

1946 Varsity Football Results

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42	Wayne	0
20	Boston College	34
0	Mississippi State	6
19	Penn State	16
7	Cincinnati	18
14	Kentucky	39
7	Michigan	55
20	Marquette	- 0
26	Maryland	14
26	Washington State	20
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181		202

Six Spartan Squads Face **Heavy Schedules**

January finds Michigan State's winter sports schedule moving into high gear with heavy firing on the basketball, swimming, track, wrestling, boxing and fencing fronts. Over 70 meets have been arranged by the coaches of each respective sport.

Coach Ben F. Van Alstyne's basketball team, which ushered in the winter season, still has before it such stalwarts as Kentucky, Notre Dame, Virginia, Ohio State, Detroit, Boston College and Michigan, the latter closing the season in East Lansing on March 1.

Two outstanding performers in swimming, Dave Seibold of Jackson and Abel Gilbert of Guayaquil, Ecuador, will pace competition in a rugged schedule for Coach Charles McCaffree's lads. Seibold won a pair of national breaststroke championships in 1945 before going to the Army and is back now to aid the Spartans. Gilbert was one of the nation's top freestylers last year.

Coach Karl A. Schlademan has both the Michigan State Relays and the Central Collegiate Conference meet, in addition to a host of other engagements, to spark activity on the track front. About the best illustration of the calibre of talent Schlademan will fling at the opposition is that of the 33 track letter winners in school, 16 passed up the sport this year: Reason: The sixteen were wartime awards winners who figure their best efforts will not stand up against postwar competition.

Bill Scott of Buffalo, N. Y., miler; Jim Milne, Detroit, high jump; Lloyd Whetter, Detroit, quarter mile; Paige W. Christiansen, Albuquerque, N. M., high and low hurdles; Hugh Davis, Lansing, broad jump; Walt Mack, Buffalo, half mile; and Jim Gibbard, Royal Oak, mile; are members of a squad of some 200 thinnies who have won a place in the MSC books as record holders in their respective events. Then, there are such standout recruits as Horace Smith of Jackson, the state Class A 120-yard high hurdles prep champion, and Bob Swain, state Class B record holder in the 100 and 220 yard dashes.

On the wrestling front, Coach Fendley A. Collins has letter winners on hand in all divisions and a pretty smart collection of recruits who bid to extend the veteran grapplers to the limit. Last year, Collins' matmen produced their usual fine season in winning five meets while losing but two and tying one. Gale Mikles, 1945 national AAU 145-pound champion is back as is Don Anderson, who has just returned from the service. Anderson and Mikles arrived together at MSC two years ago, and helped the

'Bach' Resigns



"I have made up my mind to step down," said Charles W. Bachman as he resigned last December 6 as Michigan State's head football coach, a post he has held since 1933.

"You have produced our best teams," replied President John A. Hannah in accepting the resignation at the annual football banquet. "Never before in all my experience," President Hannah continued, "have I been so closely associated with a man so imbued with the love for his work and his associates and this col-

Coach Bachman's 13 MSC teams won 70 games, lost 34 and tied 10 for a percentage of .673.

Spartans to an undefeated season.

Week of January 26 to February 1:

Mon., Jan. 27, Basketball, Kentucky at Lexington

Fri., Jan. 31, Swimming, Wisconsin at East Lansing

Sat., Feb. 1, Track, Michigan AAU at Ann Arbor

Sat., Feb. 1, Wrestling, Ohio State at Columbus Sat., Feb. 1. Basketball, Wayne at East Lansing

Sat., Feb. 1. Fencing, Notre Dame at East Lansing

Week of February 2 to 8:

Mon., Feb. 3, Basketball, Marquette at Milwaukee

Fri., Feb. 7, Swimming, Wayne at East Lansing Fri., Feb. 7, Fencing, Northwestern at Evanston Sat., Feb. 8, Fencing, Illinois at Champaign

Sat., Feb. 8, Track, Michigan State Relays at East Lansing

Sat., Feb. 8, Wrestling, Purdue at Lafayette Sat., Feb. 8, Jayvee Swimming, Michigan AAU at Detroit

Sat., Feb. 8, Boxing, Syracuse at Syracuse

Sat., Feb. 8, Basketball, Notre Dame at Notre Dame

Week of February 9 to 15:

Tues., Feb. 11, Boxing, Virginia at East Lansing Tues., Feb. 11. Baskethall, Virginia at East Lansing

Fri., Feb. 14, Swimming, Iowa State at East Lansing

Fri., Feb. 14, Jayvee Swimming, Michigan AAU Detroit

Fri., Feb. 14, Wrestling, Illinois at East Lansing Sat., Feb. 15, Wrestling. Wheaton at Wheaton, Illinois

Sat., Feb. 15, Track, Michigan at Ann Arbor

Sat., Feb. 15, Basketball, Ohio State at East Lansing

Sat., Feb. 15, Jayvee Swimming, Detroit at East Lansing

Week of February 16 to 22:

Mon., Feb. 17, Boxing, Georgetown at East Lansing

Wed., Feb. 19, Basketball, Detroit at East Lansing

Fri., Feb. 21, Wrestling, Cornell College at Mt. Vernon, Ia.

Sat., Feb. 22, Wrestling, Iowa State Teachers at Cedar Falls Sat., Feb. 22, Swimming, Ohio State at East

Lansing Sat., Feb. 22, Basketball, Boston College at East

Lansing

Sat., Feb. 22, Fencing, Notre Dame at East Lansing (tentative)

Week of Feb. 23 to March 1:

Mon., Feb. 24, Track, Marquette and Wayne at East Lansing (triangular)

Mon., Feb. 24, Boxing, Minnesota at Minneapolis Fri., Feb. 28, Swimming. Bowling Green and Detroit Tech at East Lansing

Sat., March 1, Boxing, Penn State at East Lansing

Sat., March 1, Fencing, Chicago at Detroit (neutral ground)

Sat., March 1, Wrestling, Michigan at East Lansing

Sat., March 1, Track, Notre Dame at Notre Dame

Sat., March 1, Basketball, Michigan at East Lansing

Week of March 2 to 8:

Fri., March 7, Fencing, Wisconsin at East Lansing

Fri., March 7, Swimming, Central Collegiate Conference at East Lansing

Sat., March 8, Wrestling, Kansas State at Manhattan

Sat., March 8, Swimming, Central Collegiate Conference at East Lansing

Sat., March 8, Track, Central Collegiate Conference at East Lansing

Week of March 9 to 15:

Mon., March 10, Wrestling, Nebraska at Lincoln Fri-Sat., March 14-15, Wrestling, Inter-State Meet at Cleveland

Fri., March 14, Jayvee Swimming, Michigan AAII at Detroit

Fri., March 14, Boxing, Wisconsin at East Lansing

Sat., March 15, Swimming, Michigan AAU at Jackson

Sat., March 15, Track. Illinois Tech Relays at Chicago

Week of March 16 to 22:

Sat., March 22, Track, Purdue Relays at Lafayette, Ind.

Sat., March 22, Swimming, Michigan AAU at Jackson

Week of March 23 to 29:

Fri.-Sat., March 28-29, Wrestling, NCAA at Champaign, Ill.

Sat., March 29. Track, Chicago Relays at Chi-

Fri.-Sat., March 28-29, Swimming, NCAA at Seattle, Wash.

Fri.-Sat., March 28-29, Boxing, NCAA at Madison, Wis.

Week of March 30 to April 5:

Fri.-Sat., April 4-5, Swimming, National AAU at Columbus, Ohio

Late March or early April, Wrestling, Michigan and National AAU meets to be announneed.

Days of Yore

By Joseph G. Duncan and Madison Kuhn

Correction: Athletic Captains

The compilers of this page have red faces . . . in brief, they are embarrased because of the faulty identification of an athletic captain in the last issue. "W. H. Smith, '08" should have been W. H. Small, '08. The unidentified baseball captain is Ben Ellis, '11. Our thanks to the many alumni who wrote us.

Four students saved money in 1891-92 by living in a tenant house on the Bradford farm, just east of the present Ranney Park on Michigan Avenue. Above are three of the students (left to right),



George E. Ewing, '92; Clarence B. Smith, '94; and Albert H. Gillett, '92. They and a fourth companion. Leander Burnett, '92, lived in the cottage not because of a housing shortage but because the rent charged (\$1 a student per term) was cheaper than that for a dormitory room.

In a recent letter, Dr. Smith recalls the long walks from the campus and back each noon, as well as the pleasures of their life. Because of his experience in lumber camps, he did most of the cooking with some assistance. Gillett "knew how to cook potatoes and make tea," Dr. Smith writes, "and all of us

helped with the dishes." Next door lived the Bakers whom Dr. Smith remembers as "extremely good neighbors." "Frequently when we came home to lunch or supper we would find a tin of hot biscuits, a cake, or a pie awaiting us, brought over by Mrs. Baker or one of the Baker children."

One of the "children," Helen Baker, '05, is now Mrs. William E. Morgan, operator of the Glenmoor golf course. On its present fairways, Dr. Smith worked at haying-time to supplement the 8-cent-an-hour wage the college paid student help.



No place in Michigan has been more thoroughly surveyed than the MSC campus. Students were doing it last term; they were doing it in the 'eighties. Even the co-eds participated then, as our picture on the left shows. Those pictured are P. B. Woodworth, '86; Jennie A. (Towar) Woodard, '86; E. A. Bartmess, '85; Louise Truman, w'85, and Perry G. Towar, '85. The photograph was loaned by Mrs. Woodard.

Wanted: Pictures of Class of '97

The compilers of this page would appreciate receiving some pictures that concern the class of 1897. Days of Yore in a spring issue of the RECORD will feature this class whose surviving members will join the Patriarchs next June.

To many alumni, the west entrance to the campus, pictured below, was the means by which they gained their first impressions of the college. The picture on the left is from a remarkable collection of photographs presented the college by Herbert W. Hart, '97, of Greenville, and shows the entrance in 1895.

The car line reached the west entrance that year, the north entrance a year later, and entered the campus in 1898. Even such cars as this were welcomed by students who had been dependent upon horse-drawn vehicles for visits to Lansing. Enrollment increased rapidly after 1896, in part because of the new women's course and new winter short courses. Street cars made rooming in Lansing possible when the dormitories and the few rooms in the college village had been filled.

On the right is a picture of the entrance, taken in December 1946 by the college photographer, E. N. Huby.

Motor busses have replaced the street

cars whose owners suspended operation nearly 15 years ago because of a variety of troubles. Of course, troubles were not exactly new to those cars. Ernest Van Alstine, '07, professor of agronomy at Cornell University, recalls the nights when students would set a dummy beside the tracks to stop the car part way up a hill. When the ruse had been discovered and the wheels began to spin on the greased track, the hapless motorman could meditate on the ways of college students.





Dr. F. B. Mumford, '91 Dies Following Accident

The striking parallel between the careers of two of the most distinguished of Michigan State college alumni extended even to death, as Dean Emeritus Frederick B. Mumford, '91, died at St. Charles, Missouri, on November 12 as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident.

Dean Mumford's brother, Herbert W. Mumford, also '91, was killed in an automobile accident in 1938. In many other ways the accomplishments of the two brothers made a similar pattern through

After graduation from college both men became college professors in the field of animal husbandry, Frederick at the University of Missouri, and Herbert at the University of Illinois. Eventually, both became deans of their respective schools of agriculture.

Frederick B. Mumford retired from active service as dean of the school of agriculture in 1938, but was made dean and director emeritus of the school upon his retirement. That college also has honored him by naming its main building Mumford hall, and his portrait hangs in the agricultural library.

He died from injuries received in an accident near Wentzville, Missouri, on October 14. His wife was killed outright in the accident. Dean Mumford was 78 at the time of his death, and is survived by four daughters.

Eight Alumni Are Elected To Legislature

Eight alumni of the college are serving in the current session of the state legislature in Lansing. Five of them were elected last fall to the house of representatives, and three were elected to the state senate.

The three senators are G. Elwood Bonine, '23, of Vandalia; H. D. Tripp, '16, of Allegan; and George Girrbach, M.S. '24, of Saulte Ste. Marie. They represent, respectively, the seventh, eighth and thirtieth senatorial districts.

In the house Arthur C. MacKinnon, '95, of Bay City, represents Bay county; Roy A. Jenson, '23, of Escanaba, Delta county; Albert W. Dimmers, Jr., '26, of Hillsdale, the Hillsdale district; Howard R. Carroll, '30, of Van Dyke, the first district of Macomb county, and Howard R. Estes, '17 of Birmingham, the third district of Oakland county.

Dr. R. C. Huston, dean of the graduate school, represented Michigan State College at the inauguration of Dr. Fred T. Mitchell as president of Mississippi State College in November. Dr. Mitchell was formerly dean of men at State.

Dean Griswold Dies



Dean Griswold

Dean Griswold, of the class of 1875, holder of the Kedzie cane since 1942, died at the age of 94 years at his residence in Northville on October 17. He is succeeded as the oldest living graduate of the college by Harry Wilcox, class of 1879, of Sault Ste. Marie, who will be 90 on January 28, 1947.

Mr. Griswold received the Kedzie cane at the Patriarchs' dinner during the Alumni day activities in June, 1942. He received the cane from Mrs. Scarth Inglis, of Galesburg, whose father Warren G. Reynolds, former cane-holder, had died shortly before. Mr. Taylor probably will be presented with the cane at Alumni day next June.

Mr. Griswold is survived by his widow and a daughter, Mrs. Allen Barron, also of Northville. He was buried at North-

Committee Reports

The faculty committee on improvement of teaching, headed by Dr. W. H. Combs, has prepared a report on the survey of alumni made about two years ago to determine the teaching effectiveness of the various members of the college

Questionnaires were sent to all graduates who had been out of college less than 15 years. Although many alumni were distributed throughout the world, the response was gratifying. Dr. Combs, head of the department of public administration, has summarized the results of that survey, and has submitted a detailed report which is being distributed to alumni as a supplement to this issue of the RECORD.

Board of Agriculture Accepts Gifts

Gifts totalling \$21,250 were accepted for the college by the State Board of Agriculture at its regular November and December meetings.

The Kellogg company, Battle Creek, gave \$5,500 for continuation of a study in dog rations. The project has been under way at the college since 1938.

The Detroit Free Press donated 700 bound volumes of that newspaper, valued at approximately \$1,200. They will be placed in the library.

The Ex-Cell-O corporation, of Detroit, gave \$3,000 to be used by the dairy department for a study of the adaptability and efficiency of high-temperature shorttime pasteurization of milk.

A grant of \$3,000 was accepted from the Beech-Nut Packing company of Canapoharie, N. Y., to be used in a study of the requirements of peppermint and spearmint.

The Farmers and Manufacturers Beet Sugar association, of Saginaw, gave \$2,400 for continuation of study of the mechanization of sugar beet production and harvesting.

An anonymous donor gave \$2,000 to be used on any worthy college project.

Mrs. Jacob Baker, of Lansing, established an annual \$100 scholarship to be known as the Jacob Baker Memorial scholarship.

The Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists, of Chicago, gave \$1,000 for a research project on the vacuum treatment and packaging of flowers.

A grant of \$1,600 was received from the American Electroplaters' society, of Detroit, to be used for research on the effect of impurities in electrolytic baths on the nature of electro-deposited metals and on methods for the purification of electroplating solutions.

The Duncan Hines Foundation, of Chicago, gave \$1,250 to be used for training or research relating to foods, food values, dietetics, culinary arts and similar subjects.

Two scholarships of \$100 each were established by the Rite-Way Products company, of Chicago, to be awarded to freshmen students in agriculture.

Dr. Russel B. Nye is directing the activities of his own English department as well as of several other faculty members in preparing a list of the 100 Great Books for the Detroit Free Press. The newspaper is running the articles in a series, appearing in the Sunday edi-

Following Alumni Clubs

____ By Glen O. Stewart __

More Re-elected Council Head

Members of the Alumni Advisory Council and 23 alumni club presidents and representatives attended the second annual club president's assembly at the college November 22 and 23. At the meeting of the Alumni Advisory council Friday afternoon, E. B. More, '16, presided, and reviewed the business handled by the council during the past year.

Glen O. Stewart, director of alumni relations, told of the Memorial Center plans and he in turn introduced for the first time his new assistant, Joseph H. Goundie, Jr., '41, who will be in direct charge of the Memorial Center fund program. The new fund director outlined a proposed procedure to be used in various alumni club groups.

President John A. Hannah was again the principal speaker following the assembly dinner. In a most informal manner the president told of the many things troubling the administration, the pressure of increased needs as enrollment mounts, the housing problem for students, especially the married veterans, recruiting competent staff members, housing for new staff members, places for classes to meet, library facilities and legislative budgets.

He called for more alumni understanding urging that they realize that nothing is being planned in the building program in excess of what will be required for the college enrollment after the veterans of World War II have all completed their education. In a question and answer period that followed many club presidents had an opportunity to clear up problems which had been raised by local club groups.

In addition to re-naming E. B. More, as chairman of the Alumni Advisory council for another year, four alumni were named to the council for three year terms. They included Lee O. Benner, '12, Lansing; George Culp, '33, Detroit; Mrs. Ward Ross, (Dorothy Robinson, '28), Kenmore, New York, and Harry K. Wrench, '18, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

The council approved the appointment of Dr. Floyd Owen, '02, Ann Arbor, as chairman of the Memorial Center Fund program and Walter Neller, '22, Lansing, as vice-chairman.

The meeting on Saturday forenoon, December 23, was designed as a workshop session for alumni club officers. Various types of club programs and projects were discussed and special stress was made on sound financial plans for the local club. It was felt that larger alumni groups should have separate clubs for men and women with perhaps one annual joint meeting. Ray Turner, '11, of the Washington, D. C., club gave a complete review of THE ALUMNI AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE and urged that various clubs submit their nominations for the 1947 awards on or before February 1, 1947.

Penn State Game

Playing the role of under-dog the Michigan State Spartan football team came from behind to rout Penn State in their Homecoming game, at the same time setting the stage for a vociferous alumni meeting and dinner at the Penn-Alto hotel in Altoona, Saturday evening, October 19. William Bell, '38, manager of the hotel at that time, served as chairman of events and following the dinner introduced President John Hannah, Dean L. C. Emmons, Glen O. Stewart, Director Ralph Young and several members of the coaching staff. Norm Weil, '17, and daughter, Margaret, were present from New York City, former Coach John Farrell Macklin came up from Philadelphia, a score of loval fans from Pittsburgh were there and others from many eastern points. The old grads had an exciting day as they always do when a Spartan team meets Penn State.

Traverse City

The M.S.C. Alumni club of Grand Traverse Bay area, under the leadership of Eric Sleder. '36, entertained members of the Traverse City high school athletic teams, alumni and townspeople Monday evening, December 16, at the Park Place hotel with Charles Bachman as speaker. The enthusiasm of the group for the beautiful Michigan State movies led to a request that a similar meeting be held each month with alumni and prospective students being invited from nearby cities. Bachman appeared as the guest speaker of the Traverse City Rotary club the following noon and was again presented by Eric Sleder. Bachman was accompanied by Joseph Gwinn, president of the Lansing Downtown Coaches club.

Houston, Texas

Our Lansing alumni and guests who visited Houston during the annual conclave of the Knights Templar will long remember the Michigan State gathering held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Torrey J. Bettes, '12, at 1059 Kirby drive, in Houston, on October 27. Earle E. Hotchin, '12, past national alumni president, engineered the idea for several months and the Houston folks with Bettes hospitality did the rest.

More than 50 people were entertained at an outdoor chicken barbecue dinner with greetings being extended by Mr. Bettes and Mark K. Griggs, '14, local chairman. Ralph Toaz, '26, of Lansing led the group singing and after dinner Earle Hotchin read a letter of greeting from President Hannah.

E. B. Hill, '15, gave the main talk of the evening telling of present expansion developments and plans for the future. Expressions of thanks were given by Fred England, Jr., '17, commander of the Lansing drill team, Walter Graff and Elmer Geyer, '13, of Saginaw.

In order to develop a permanent alumni club in Houston Mark K. Griggs. '14, was elected secretary and Jane Musselman Adams, '40, secretary.—Mrs. H. W. Adams, secretary.



Alumni get together at Houston, Texas.

Detroit

The turmoil of younger alumni returning to the Detroit metropolitan area has brought many changes to the M.S.C. Alumni club of Detroit. Late in the fall Coy Eklund, '39, resigned and Fred Pew, '41, was named president. To serve with the new president the board of directors named James Keith, '42, vice-president, Mrs. Charles Crook, '43, secretary, Ruth Koehler, '42, assistant secretary and John Day, '37, treasurer. The new president may be reached at 19200 Mendota, Detroit 19, phone University 1-5119, or at his office phone Cherry 8240, extension 74. New people coming into the Detroit area are requested to call the president or secretary.-Betty Stevenson Crook, '43, secretary. Phone-Townsend 6-5595.

Lexington, Ky.

With a limited alumni delegation in Lexington it was an inspiration on Friday evening, November 2, to have a total of 30 people gather at the Phoenix hotel for an informal meeting. Out of town alumni were present from Cincinnati, Louisville and Fort Knox. Glen O. Stewart, director of alumni relations, explained the Memorial Center campaign and President John Hannah told of the expansion program at the college, and the growth expected in the future. Willard W. Carpenter, '26, was officially appointed president of the local groups to plan another gathering when possible.-Albert Morley, '30, secretary, Winchester, Ky.

Knoxville, Tenn.

The fall meeting of the M.S.C. Alumni Club of Tennessee was held in the S & W Cafeteria in Knoxville, November 9. Dr. N. D. Peacock, '37, president of the group, showed the war-time sound moving picture from the campus "Michigan State College at War for Peace." Following the movie Dr. Charles E. Ferris, '90, Emeritus Dean of Engineering of the University of Tennessee entertained with anecdotes and stories of the early days at Michigan State. The group voted to present the name of Dean Ferris as Tennessee's candidate for the Distinguished Alumni Service Award.-Ray Kroodsma, '13F, secretary.

Syracuse

New Year's eve was celebrated in a different way by the members of the M.S.C. Alumni club of Syracuse. Under the direction of Richard G. Parkhurst, '43, a Spartan cheering section was organized, and the group witnessed the M.S.C.-Syracuse basketball game. When Harold C. Harr, '24, left the city, vice-president Miss Meredith Jones, '32, of the Syracuse Memorial Hospital, became

president of the club. Plans are under way for a dinner meeting March 25 or 26, when Glen O. Stewart, director of alumni relations, will be the guest speaker.—Shirley Townsend, '38, secretary.

Grand Rapids

Newly elected officers of the Grand Rapids M.S.C. Alumni club include Charles Halbert, '39, president, and Phillip D. Millsom, '41, secretary-treasurer. Included in the new board of directors are: Herbert Straight, '17, Wayne Barkwell, '27, Helen Knecht, '46, Jack Hislop, '41, Howard Swartz, '38, Leonard Osterink, '38, Cornelius Schrems, '29, Rex Ten Eyck, '36, and Helen Dutmers, '43.

The sports committee of the club is making tentative plans for a buffet lunch and smoker honoring Clarence "Biggie" Munn sometime in February.—Phillip D. Millsom, '41, secretary.

Central Michigan Reorganized

The M.S.C. Alumni club of Central Michigan, known as the Lansing Club, elected a new Board of Directors on December 17 and started big plans for an active year in 1947. Clyde Olin, '28, was named president, Ed Ryon, '32, vice-president, and Don Stirm, '26, secretary-treasurer.

The new group to be composed of men only named 12 people to the Board of Directors, and six more will be added later. They will serve for one year. Those named include Walter Neller, '28, Ed Ryon, '32, Don Spalding, '42, John Garver, '27, Don Stirm, '26, Carl Felt, '29, Richard Lyman, Jr., '26, Richard Lilley, '41, Leslie Scott, '35, Clyde Olin, '28, Jim Brakeman, '35, and Earle Hotchin, '12.

Among the activities discussed were membership campaign, movies, educational programs at the college, athletics, scholarships and smokers. The first event will be a welcome dinner for Clarence "Biggie" Munn and his assistants in the Union ballroom on January 23. Walter Neller, John Garver, Leslie Scott, Richard Lilley and Don Spalding make up the committee in charge.—Don Stirm, secretary.

Los Angeles

Announcement has just been made by President Hartley E. Truax, '12, that the Southern California M.S.C. Alumni club will hold a dinner meeting, at 6:30 p.m., February 21, at the University club, 614 South Hope street, Los Angeles. Dr. Paul Armstrong, '15, president of the California Fruit Growers association, has accepted the chairmanship of the program committee. He will be assisted by John Hunt, '14.

The officers are especially anxious to hear from anyone who has recently settled in Southern California and urge that reservations be completed for the dinner at once. President Truax may be reached at 10342 Tennessee avenue, phone Crestview 51712, while the secretary may be reached at 2107 Glendon avenue, phone Arizona 93506.—Roy F. Irwin, '14, secretary.

Ag Engineers Combat Jack Grost

Furthering the attempt to whip Jack Frost in his annual late spring and early fall attacks on fruits, and vegetables and flowers, Michigan State college agricultural engineers have developed and tested a frost damage control machine.

Here Arthur W. Farrall, head of the department of agricultural engineering, is pictured with the grotesque looking device. Oil, under pressure, heats the upright tube to red-hot temperatures. The red-hot steel throws off infra-red rays which are deflected toward the ground or crop by the pagoda-like aluminum plates.

Temperatures of plants within the protected area were kept eight degrees warmer than those outside.

Infra-red heat is thrown directly upon the plants being protected and there is no heat loss through the air.

Engineers are now improving the test model and hope to develop a commercial type heater by spring. Fuel costs may run less than a dollar per hour and the



cost of a machine that will protect an acre may not exceed \$150.



By Gladys M. Franks

Patriarchs

Howard Evarts Weed, '89, nationally known iris grower and propagator, died at his home in Beaverton, Oregon, on August 26. He received his master's degree from Cornell university in 1890 and for several years was professor of entomology at Mississippi State college. In 1900 he started a landscape architecture business in Chicago, and in 1910 moved to Beaverton where he established a large ornamental nursery. Since 1930 he had specialized in growing iris under the firm name of the National Iris gardens. He is survived by his wife, two sons, and a daughter; a brother, Clarence M. Weed, '83; and two sisters, Alice Weed Coulter, '82, and Marion Weed Neff, '91.

Fred E. Mills, '90, pioneer mrechant of Lansing, died in a local hospital on November 24. Mr. Mills had headed the Mills Dry Goods compuny since it was established in Lansing in 1905, and watched the business grow from five employees to its present staff of 75. Active in all phases of the merchandising field, Mr. Mills was a past president of the Michigan Retail Dry Goods association and several times served the organization as a director. He was one of the incorporators of the Lansing Merchants Association, Inc., which ultimately became the Merchants' division of the Chamber of Commerce. His civic interests covered a wide span. At various times he served on the board of directors of the Lansing Chamber of Commerce, the Michigan Tuberculosis association, and the Lansing Y.M. C.A. He was a supporter of the Anti-Saloon league movement, one of the first members of the Lansing Rotacy club, a member of the Plymouth Congregational church, and Lansing Lodge No. 33, P. and A. M. He is survived by his wife and four children, two of whom attended M.S.C. Lucius D., '25, and Margaret Mills Handy, '38.

1900

John W. Thomson, four-term Midland county legislator, died in Lansing on September 17. A ratired farmer and former township officer, Representative Thomson served in the 1937, 1939, 1941, and 1945 sessions. He was chairman of the house transportation committee and member of the state affairs, conservation. Michigan State College, and school for the blind committees.

1901

Roy L. Brown owns an ice cream manufacturing husiness in Dallas, Texas, and makes his home in Irving on Roite I. Box 657.

1902

Word has been received of the death of Harry G. Driskel on November 12 in San Francisco where he had resided since 1935.

1903

Homer M. Eaton, former utilities engineer in Columbus, Indiana, and Winchester, Virginia, and investment banker in Detroit, died in the latter city on October 26. At the time of his death he was associated with Charles A. Parcells and company. He was a member of the Detroit Yacht

club, a past exalted ruler of the Elks at Flint, and a member of the Woodward Avenue Presbyterian church. His wife and son survive.

1905

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Carl called at the Alumni office recently and told about a '04-'05 meeting held at the Torch Lake cottage of Harry G. Walker, '04, of Jackson, on August 25-26. Besides the Carls and the Walkers there were Paul B. Pierce, '04, of Greenville, Dayton A. Gurney, '04, and Mrs. Gurney, the former Anna Pickett, '05, of Washington, D. C. In addition to reminiscing on college days, enjoying good food and fishing, the group took a long cruise on Torch and Mullett Lakes. . . Ray L. Bowen teaches mathematics at Ferris Institute in Big Rapids, Michigan.

1906

Wedworth V. Baker, president of the Detroit Sheet Metal works, died at his home in Detroit on December 11. Mr. Baker was a member of the Board of Commerce, Marlette Lodge No. 343, F. and A. M.; Palestine Chapter, R.A.M., the Detroit Consistory, and the Moslem Temple. . . . Zae Northrup Wyant, of Lexington, Kentucky, announces the marriage of her daughter Esma Jean to Darrel H. Greer on August 26.

1908

Roswell G. Carr. of East Lansing, has been named Michigan state director of the farmers home administration, which, on November I, merged all credit facilities and services of the former farm security administration and the emergency crop and feed loan division of the farm credit administration.

1909

Between 55 and 60 former students of Professar Harry L. Kempster gathered for breakfast at the Jefferson hotel in St. Louis, Missouri, on July 24, to honor him for his 35 years as chairman of the poultry department at the University of Missouri, Following the breakfast he was presented with a Lord Elgin wrist watch and a large, beautifully bound, volume of letters from former students, associates, and friends.

1910

Elwood P. Bushnell is statistician for the Scripto Manufacturing company in Atlanta, Georgia, where he lives at 826 Courtenay drive N.E. . . . John C. DeCamp, former professor of forestry at M.S.C., and for the past five years in charge of shops and gardens at the Boys Vocational school in Lansing, has retired to devote full time to his hobby of studying the flora and fauna of various parts of the United States. He plans to spend a year in a trailer trip with his family, ultimately leading to his well-timbered homestead in the Idaho mountains near Priest Luke.

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E. G. Hulse has returned to the home office of Gar Wood Industries Inc. and lives in Detroit at 8100 East Jefferson. Apartment 309A. . . . Edna B. McNaughton received with Mrs. Truman at the White House on October 10 when the Columbia University alumni were entertained at tea by Mrs. Truman. Miss McNaughton is president of the Columbia University alumni association.

1912

Have you ever crossed the famous San Francisco-Oakland Bay bridge and wondered about those huge suspension span towers? How were they developed to carry the strain and load of present day traffic? Who was the engineer be-

hind the scene? Few people know that it was a Michigan State graduate, Dr. C. Earl Webb, '12, who carried this responsibility in 1932 and 1933.

Last month Webb's name again made news when the American Bridge company appointed



C. Earl Webb, '12

him chief enginener and moved him to the main office in Pittsburgh. For 11 years he has served as western division engineer in the Chicago office. During that time he was in charge of designing, estimating and detailing for the company which is a subsidiary of the United States Steel corporation. Webb is a member of numerous professional and honorary engineering societies, having served as president of the Western Society of Engineers from 1943 to 1945. He was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Engineering at Michigan State in 1940 and served as president of the M.S.C. Alumni Club of Chicago from 1942 to 1945. He is a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity.

1913

R. Emmett Shanahan, a long-time resident of Grand Rapids where he engaged in manufacturing and insurance work, died at his home in that city on November 29. Mr. Shanahan was a veteran of World War I, a member of the Holy Name society, Knights of Columbus, and of numerous insurance groups. He is survived by his wife, two sisters, and a brother.

1914

Brig, Gen. Ernest H. Burt has retired from active duty and he and Mrs. Burt, the former Lela Mead, '17, are living in Harbor Springs, Michigan.

1915

Wilbur A. Baril, vice president in charge of sales and a director in Borden's Chicago milk division, died in that city on November 3. Mr. Baril Joined the Borden company 30 years ago as a laboratory chemist. He was a member of the Lake Shore club and the Sunset Ridge Country club. His mother, a sister, and two brothers survive. . . . Charles H. Hatch, of Rock Hall, Maryland, who has maintained a private professional engineering practice since 1944, has assumed the duties of managing director for the United States' participation in the eighth International Management Congress to be held in Stockholm, July 3-8, 1947. Along with these duties he is also executive secretary of the Na-

tional Management Council of the United States and acted as its official representative at meetings in London last June and in Stockholm in September.

1916

Arthur H. Atzenhoffer is plant manager in the range division of Gibson Refrigerator company, and he and Mrs. Atzenhoffer (Marion Leonard. 15) live at 101 Baldwin Lake drive, Greenville, Michigan. . . . Norma Loewe Stimson graduated (B.A. in psychology) from the University of Buffalo, magna cum laude, in June 1946—Phi Beta Kappa too is now studying for master's degree, and employed as acting psychologist at Martha Beeman clinic in Niagara Falls, New York. . . . G. Ray Warren is located in Caribou, Maine, as federal supervisor, under the production and marketing administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, of potatoes in the state of Maine. This year's crop approximated 76,000,000 bushels.

1917

C. C. Hood is advertising manager for the Curtis publishing company's new magazine, "Holiday," and has offices in the Fisher building in Detroit. . . . Howard Sheldon is senior designer for the North Carolina State Highway and Public Works commission, and lives in Raleigh at 123 W. Park drive. . . . Leon F. Smith is service manager for the Ford-Allen company, 14401 Ford road, Dearborn.

1919

Dr. LeMoyne Snyder, medico-legal advisor of the Michigan state police, recently announced his association with four other prominent crime detection experts in the formation of a super detective agency, Scientific Evidence, Inc., in Washington, D. C. The new agency will combine specialists in every phase of detective work. . . . William H. H. Curtis is master mechanic with the Republic Aviation corporation at Farmingdale, Long Island, and lives in Verona, New Jersey, at 27 Overlook road.

1920

Roscoe A. Mosher, prominent insurance executive in Lansing, died in a local hospital on November 18. Active in civic and fraternal affairs, Mr. Mosher was a former member of the city board of park and cemetery commissioners, former president of the Lansing Council of Parent-Teacher associations, a member of Capitol Lodge 66, F. and A. M., Capitol Chapter 9, R.A.M., and Lansing Commandery 25, K.T. He was a veteran of World War I, and at one tme served as president of the Lansing Association of Insurance Agents. He is survived by his wife, a son Robert, w'44; a daughter Margaret, '46; a brother Dr. Walter F. Mosher, w'11; and a sister, Mabel Mosher, '08.

1923

Hester Bradley teaches science and vocational agriculture in the rural agricultural school at Richland, Michigan. . . Dr. B. W. Lefene may be reached in care of the Student Health service at Kansas State college, Manhattan. . . The medal for merit was posthumously awarded to Col. Egbert M. Rosecrans, former adjutant general and state director of selective service for Michigan. He was cited for extraordinary fidelity and exceptionally meritorious conduct while serving in his official capacity. . . W. D. Wallace is superintendent of the newly organized community school at Unionville, Michigan.

1924

Charles D. Miller, member of the Miller Dairy Farms company of Eaton Rapids, was killed December 14 when his private plane crashed in a landing attempt near the Miller airport. He is survived by his wife and two children; his father, Dennis G. Miller, w'91, and his brother, George F. Miller, '17, associated with him in the company; and a sister. . . . Thomas Skuce is regional work relief specialist with the UNRRA in Tientsin, China.

1925

H. Ivan Sippy, who received his M.S. with the class, was discharged from the Army Medical Corps in May, and has resumed his practice in the specialty of internal medicine with offices at 250 E. Superior street, Chicago. . . L. J. Vincent has moved from Lake Odessa to Centreville, Mich-

igan, where he is superintendent of schools. . . . Elmer B. Wedge is land and public service director for the National Housing agency in Atlanta. Georgia, where he lives at 525 Spring Valley road N.W.

1926

Classmates and other friends will be grieved to learn that Gavin A. Brown was killed on October 7 in an automobile accident in Colorado, After three years service in the United States Naval Reserve, Mr. Brown was discharged in October, 1945, with the rank of lieutenant senior grade. At the time of his death he was regional sales manager for Kaiser-Frazer corporation with headquarters in Denver. He is survived by his wife, the former Jeanette Kennedy, '28, and two sons. . . . Carl S. Bittner recently accepted a position as horticulture specialist at Pennsylvania State college, at State College. . . . Russell Horwood, associate professor in the dairy department at M.S.C., is on a year's leave of absence to teach agriculture in the G.I. university in Japan. . . . Reva Huntoon and Dr. Walter W. Denig were married on July 25 and are making their home in Monroe, Michigan, at 21 W. First street.

1927

Edith Comstock and William R. Zapf (DePauw Univ.) were married November 28 and are making their home in Frankfort, Michigan. . . . Leonard Morse, who has been state director of agricultural occupations and senior training officer of the Veterans Administration in Michigan, has been transferred to the branch office in Columbus. Ohio. as area supervisor in the agricultural department. He and Mrs. Morse (Estelle Howell, '28) live in Columbus at 36 Governor place. . . . Dr. J. W. Patton, nutritional and veterinarian medicine consultant, left early in November for Shanghai, China, where he is on the UNRRA staff. . . . Captain James D. Salmon, who served overseas as a chaplain in the Army, was separated from service in October and is living in San Francisco at 2592

1928

Discharged from the Army in July as a lieu-

Approximately 400 advanced military students selected sponsors for the R.O.T.C. and its eight units during fall term. Chosen honorary colonel of the entire regiment was Mary Anne Smith, of Grand Rapids. Pictured left to right, are: Irene Linck, quartermaster corps, of Ravenna; Mary Elizabeth Hanson, signal corps, of Detroit; Doris Baird, field artillery, of Ionia; Ardis Westman, coast artillery corps, of Detroit; Miss Smith; Rachel Bailey, air corps, of St. Louis, Michigan; Peggy Martin, infantry, of Flushing; Phyllis Bainbridge, cavalry, of Fenton; Sue Littlefield, military police, of Eaton Rapids.



tenant colonel, M. G. Farleman is located on R. 1, South Haven. Michigan, as entomologist for the California Spray-Chemical corporation. . . . Willard G. Sweeney is director of laboratories for the County of Nassau Department of Public works, with offices in the Old County courthouse annex in Minneola, New York. . . . Jay Prescott teaches in the territorial schools in Palmer, Alaska.

1929

Clare M. Armstrong is employed by the U. S. Forest Service in Juneau. Alaska. . . . Leonard Johnson is sales manager and vice president of the Limestone Products company in Menominee, Michgan. . . . George Macier is employed by Ross Roy Inc. in Detroit where he lives at 1666 Burlingame. . . . Harold McAtee is located at 865 S. Cleveland, St. Paul, Minnesota, as special representative for Kelly Springfield Tire company. . . . Kenneth and Dorothy (Chinnick, '31) Schepers live in Saranac, Michigan, where he is assistant vice president of the State Savings bank.

1930

A son. Gary Eldon, was born November 10 to Norman and Josephine (Graff, '33) Strong. . . . Donna Werback was separated from service as a major in the WAC on May 1, and is living in East Lansing at 900 Wildwood drive. She holds the army commendation ribbon with oak leaf aduster.

1931

LaVerne Roberts, who has his law offices at 531 Tussing building. Lansing, was re-elected circuit court commissioner for Ingham county in the November elections. . . Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Yarger of 523 Dunlap street, Lansing, announce the birth of twins, Robert Lynn and Roberta Louise, on September 11.

1932

Romain A. Howlett was recently transferred by the H. J. Heinz company from Holland, Michlligan. to Pittsburgh, where he is in the process engineering department working with vinegars. He and Mrs. Howlett and their five children are living on Route 2, Valencia, Pennsylvania. , . . . A daughter, Rebecca Gene, was born September 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Halden Hudson (Norma Streeter) of Wayland, Michigan.

1933

A son, Craig Owen, was born October 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Owen McDougall (Leona Alexander) of 1828 S. Logan street, Lansing. . . . Rowland Blair is staff officer in charge of timber management for the lower Michigan national forest, and has headquarters in Cadillac, Michigan. . . . Irma Caswell McCandlish writes that she and her husband, William, former short course student at the College, and their son, Stephen Allen, are living on a dairy farm near Goodrich, Michigan, . . . Leah Stewart Houser, and her husband, Paul, who is a candidate for a Ph.D. degree at M.S.C., are located at 7402 Columbia avenue, College Park, Maryland, where both are on the sociology staff ut the University of Maryland. . . . Andrew McElroy is located in Stockholm, Sweden, with General Motors Overseas operations. . . . George and Harriet (Hubbell, '32) Melling live at 4289 Buena Vista. Detroit, where he has been appointed chief engineer at Snyder Tool and Engineering company. They have two children, six year old George III, and Judith Ann, four, . . . Charles and Lucile (Foster, w'30) Morrill are living at 112 W. Pennsylvania. Urbana, Illinois, where he is associate professor of veterinary pathology at the university. . . . Major John T. Sinclair has returned from Tokyo where he has been serving as a military government officer with General MacArthur's headquarters, and is now with the United States Department of Agriculture in Washington. D. C., where he lives at 204 Elmira street S.W.

1934

John S. McCollough died at his home in Ottawa, Illinois, on September 12 following a four-day illness with polio. Mr. McCollough, who had recently started his own construction business, is survived by his wife and three daughters. . . Captain Leonard E. Montgomery is stationed in Seoul, Korea, and is the American government's official "head" of the Korean Forwarding company, working under the military government department of transportation. . . Dr. Kenneth Wood is associated with Dr. Lawrence Pratt with offices at 2206 David Broderick Tower, Detroit.

Frank DuByne is sanitation engineer for Central division of Campbell Soup in Chicago, and he and Mrs. DuByne (Florence Wroten, w'34) and their three boys are living at 5252 Blodgett avenue, Downers Grove, Illinois. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Stocking (Louise Noble), of 27 Southworth Street, Williamstown, Massachusetts, announce the birth of Kathryn Holly on June 10.

1936

Clarence Boonstra, foreign service officer, may be reached in care of the Manila Pouch, Department of State, Washington, D. C. . . . Bernadine Kraus and Vernon S. Mutch were married on June 11 and are making their home in Marlette, Michigan. . . . H. L. Irons, who received his M.S. with the class, is professor of biology and head of the biology department at Shaw university in Raleigh, North Carolina. . . . Edgar and Janet Westerweel White have moved from Portland to Coos Bay, Oregon, where they live at 474 Park. Mr. White is with an insurance agency.

1937

Following 45 months of service as an army doctor, 22 of which were spent in the South Pacific area, Frederick W. Brown has opened offices in the Tussing building in Lansing. . . . D. J. Hankinson has accepted a position as associate professor of dairy husbandry at A and M College of Texas, and he and Mrs. Hankinson (Clarinda Winegar, '38) are making their home in College Station. . . . James Heyda, who received his M.A. with the class, is assistant professor of mathematics and astronomy and director of the local observatory at Franklin and Marshall College in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. . . . Edith Johnson and Dean Avise were married on September 22. Mrs. Avise is assistant state club leader with offices in the Court House in Marquette. . . Virginia VanAtter Siglin and Charles E. Schmittdiel were married on April 23 and are living in Detroit at 15810 Sorrento.

1938

Lt. (jg) John K. Coolidge, recently released to inactive duty, has been awarded the Silver Star medal for gallantry and intrepidity in action in the Southwest Pacific area. . . . Josephine Gardner and Richard A. Good were married on September 5 and are making their home at 4104 Queensbury road, Hyattsville, Maryland, where both are on the faculty at the University of Maryland. . . . R. Ernest Leffel, retired as colonel in the Army on August 31, is office manager for J. H. Tillotson, contractor, in Denver, Colorado, where he lives at 1365 Rosemary. . . . Walter Lucck is a partner in the Flint Excavating company, and lives in Flint at 1807 Welch boulevard. . James McGillivray is a teacher of languages in the United States Department of State's cultural center in Bogota, Colombia, South America. . George Patterson is vice president of the Southeastern Lumber Company Inc., of Lothair, Kentucky. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pearson, of 1310 Westview, East Lansing, announce the birth of John LeRoy on October 23. . . . Nancy Ann was born November 30 to Robert and Jane Anderson Refior of 1185 Latham road, Birmingham. . . . Gregg Lynn was born July 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Giles Cornell (Marjorie Suesz) of 1902 Kent street, Jackson. . . . Penny Jean was born October 1 to Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson (Laura Tell) of 13943 Roselawn avenue, Detroit. "Bîllie" adds: "Our first and second additions are Laurie Ann and Michael George."

1939

Grant Baker has joined the Pacific-Alaska division of Pan American World Airways as a copilot on the big trans-Pacific Clippers operating out of San Francisco. . . . Paul and Katherine (Finlan, '44) Burt, of 505 N. Clippert, Lansing, announce the birth of Michael Paul on August 8. . . Charlotte Davies and Andrew K. Traxler were married on June 8, and are at home in Lansing at 1411 Keeney court. . . . A daughter, Judy Elizabeth, was born November 13 to Bert and Elizabeth (Taft, '41) Hartelius. . . Capt. Hudson C. Hill, of the 503rd Parachute Regiment, is one of the few survivors from the jump on Corregidor, for which he was awarded the Silver Star medal. He is now an instructor in parachute packing at

Placed High In Berlin Meet



A recent contestant in the Inter-Allied track and field meet held in Berlin's Olympic stadium was 1st Lt. Robert E. Barron, w'44, of Escanaba. This international sport meet, the biggest event of its kind in Europe since 1936 when the last Olympic games were held in the same stadium, was witnessed by more than 120,000 spectators of all nations. The best soldier athletes of eight allied countries participated, striving to win the coveted gold awards that accompanied each event.

Lt. Barron was entered in the polevault finals of this historic meet and contributed greatly to the success of the American team by finishing the event in third place, clearing 12 feet 2 inches. He is currently assigned to the 349th Infantry, 88th Division.

He won an alumni undergraduate scholarship in District 30 in 1940 at the time he graduated from Escanaba high school. the Airborne Regiment at Fort Benning, Georgia. With this background how else could be and Mrs. Hill, the former Elizabeth Hicks, announce the arrival of Constance Elizabeth except as the "First Novice Jump, B Day, August 20, and Drop Zone, Fort Benning, Georgia." . . . John A. Lacey. of Ashland, Ohio, former lieutenant in the U. S. Navy, was one of three scholars of Chinese culture recently awarded scholarships to the University of Chicago. The scholarships, under the auspices of the Chinese ministry of education, were established at the University of Chicago and five other universities last year to promote and strengthen the cultural relations between China and the United States. . . Frances Minges and Capt. George Delmerico were married on June 16 and are living in Riverside apartments, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

To Roberta Applegate goes the distinction of becoming the first woman press secretary for the executive office of the state of Michigan! Her appointment was recently announced by Govern-Elect Kim Sigler and she assumed duties on December 16. A reporter with the Lansing bureau of the Associated Press, Miss Applegate covered all activities of the Ingham county grand jury, of which Sigler was former special prosecutor. . Thomas and Helen Duckwitz Baker, and their two children, Helen Ann and Freddie, are now living at 705 Atkinson street, Detroit, . Sunday, November 24, their third child, William Eric, was born to Robert and Mildred (Erickson. (38) Buzenburg, of 1015 Ratone, Manhattan, Kansas. . . . Lela Coonrod is in Japan as a civilian employee of the War department, and may be reached through APO 500, San Francisco. James A. LaDu and Harriet L. Oborny were married on October 5. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cassell Jr. (Sarah McGarry) of Union. West Virginia, announce the birth of Harrison Schiller III on May 27. . . . David Bruce was born July 29 to Dr. and Mrs. E. Sheldon Padwee of 661 Bloomfield avenue. Bloomfield, New Jersey. . . . Harry B. Parks is traffic field assistant for the Bell Telephone company in Lansing where he and Mrs. Parks (Doris Larner) make their home at 226 W. Maple. He was recently appointed to the Naval Reserve division in Lansing and holds a lieutenant's commission in the Naval Reserve. Edna Schultz, of 3539 S. Hoyne avenue, Chicago, works with the Quartermaster Depot as restaurant manager. . . . Robert F. Stone and June Nickerson, '41, were married on September 7 and are making their home at 6989 Smith road, Tecumseh, Michigan. . . . In cleverly worked out form of a regulation order of worship, Rev. and Mrs. Willard S. Thomas, of Blissfield, Michigan, announce the birth of Willard Samuel Jr. on October 24. . Mr. and Mrs. Arno D. Brown (Ruth Welch) of 296 W. Randall road, Muskegon, announce the birth of Darrel Wayne on August 27.

Fred and Mary (Bowers, '40) Backstrom, of 399 W. Webster avenue, Muskegon, announce the birth of Frederick Kenne on June 19. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Myron B. Bonk (Marthagene Biggs) of 2439 S. 7th street. Milwaukee, announce the birth of Myragene Elizabeth on October 10. . . . David Lawrence was born October 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Black of 204 Vermont avenue, Oak Ridge, Tennessee. . . . Elected one of the five vice presidents of the American Legion at its convention in San Francisco was Lt. Martin B. Buckner of Flint. . . . Dale Fallon, who received his M.A. from the University of Buffalo last June, is teaching history at Sampson College, one of New York state's three emergency colleges. Mrs. Fullon, the former Sybil Lull, and small Diane Elizabeth are with him on the campus at Sampson, . . . Thalia Felice was born July 25 to Don and Shirley (Palmer, '42) Johnson, of 5325 S. Genesce road, Grand Blanc, Michigan. . . . Twins, Eric Lynn and Erin Louise, were born October 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Starr Keesler. Formerly on the short course staff, Mr. Keesler is director of student housing at the college and they are living in Building 702, Apartment 103, Cherry Lane, East Lansing. . . . Christine Elizabeth was born August 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keyes of 1305 George, Lansing. . . . Robert O. Olson, manager of Indian Lake State park at Manistique, and Ruth C. Hagberg of McKeesport, Pennsylvania, were married on September 26. . . . James Rook is assistant chief safety engineer for the state department of labor and industry in Lansing and he and Mrs. Rook (Elizabeth Wagner, '40) and their two children live in Mason at 320 E. Elm. . . . Capt. Robert E. and Marie Toth Young, of Fort Sill, Oklahoma. announce the birth of Mary Irene and Martha Ann on October 28.

A daughter, Sandra Ann was born November 14 to R. L. and Ruth (Frost, '43) Amundsen of 503 W. High street, Fenton, Michigan. . Warren Barber and Betty Stabler (D'Youville College) were married on August 17 and are making their home at 311 Bisell avenue. Buffalo, where he is chemical engineer in the duPont Cel-O-Seal plant, . . . Robert Bogan and Jcan Williams, '44, were married August 31 and are living at 2102 Dexter avenue, Ann Arbor, while he is taking graduate work in chemical engineering at the university. . . . John B. Clausen of Williamston, a former major in the army, was recently presented with the bronze star medal Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rateliff (Barbara Grabill) and their small daughters, Jo Ann Mary, three, and Patricia Louise, born July 6, are now living at 77 Heartsill Ragen Courts, Fort Smith, Arkansas, Richard Jay was born November 22 to Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Goldsmith of 5401 Georgia ave-Washington, D. C. . . Bette Harvey McClaugherty is now living in Guam where her husband is a chief petty officer in the Navy. Her letters home tell of attending the war crimes trials there, . . . Catherine Jackson is chief therapeutic dietitian at North Side Youngstown hospital. Youngstown, Ohio. . . . A daughter Peggy was born June 26 to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Newman (Helen Ruth Smith) of 718 W. Buttles street, Midland. . . . David and Betty Jane (Youngman, '43) Overholt, of 112 N. Park street, Hastings, announce the birth of a son. Jon David, on July 16. . . . Robert Robillard manages the Oakland, California, office of E. H. Daniels Associated, industrial designers, and lives in that city at 505 E. 22nd street. . . . Mr. and Mrs. James Ross of Cherry Valley, New York. announce the birth of Larry Edward on September 3. . . . John and Mary Alice Work Stephens, of 4009 Lowell court, Midland, announce the birth of their third daughter, Vicki Ann on November 27. . . . Karen Elizabeth was born August 28 to Robert and Phyllis (Tennyson, '43) Stevens, of 606 Gunson street, East Lansing.

Cleverly written up as a clipping from a news bureau was the announcement of the birth of Linda Maren on October 2 to Frank and Jean (Frater, '44) Allison, of 744 East McKinley, Phoenix, Arizona. . . . A son, Richard Arthur, was born July 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bammel. . . Rogelio S. Boyd has received his degree in medicine at the University of Michigan, and starts his interneship in January at the Hospital Santo Tomas in Panama. . . . Loretta Culver and Orval C. Veltman were married on June 2 and are living in Oakland, California, at 2236 Tenth avenue, . . . David Gregory was born September 12 to Dr. and Mrs. Gipson D. Dibble of Holt. Michigan. . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rogers (Nancy Lee Duff) of 514 Lawrence, Ann Arbor, announce the birth of Mary Susan on May 15. . . . Harry and Evelyn (Crawford, '44) Kennedy, of Gladwin, Michigan, announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Lynne, on December 1. . . . Kay Marie was born August 19 to Hubert and Maude (Graham, '45) Marshall, of 1000 36th street S.W., Grand Rapids. Grace Miller and Winton Hath, w'50, were married June 15 and are living in East Lansing at 512 Dorothy Lane. . . . Carol Anne Raybill may be reached in care of the department of psychology at Oregon State college, Corvallis, . . . Betty Wirth is located in Martford, Connecticut, where she is concluding work on an M.A. in religious education at Hartford Seminary Foundation.

June Digby is employed in the purchasing department of the Bullock-Wilschire stores in Los Angeles. . . . Milton Hagelberg teaches vocational agriculture in Caro, Michigan, where he lives at 654 W Ruenside ... James D. House and Kathleen McGill were married August 24 and are making their home in Essexville, Michigan, . . . Emily Kalled is located at 1722 E. Hawthorne, Tucson. Arizona, where she is employed at the Old Pueblo Broadcasting company, . . . Alice Kitti and David M, Frimodig were married on March 29 and are living at 1007 Jasper, Houghton, Michigan. . . . Martha Kotila may be reached in care of the department of botany at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. . . . Alison J. Millar and H. E. VanNess were married on September 7 and are at home in North Plainfield, New Jersey, at 20 Rockview avenue. . . . Gordon Miller and Helen Barbara Shea were married June 8 and are making their home at 264 Peck road, Hilton. New York, Mr. Miller, who is employed in the engineering department of the Eastman Kodak company, served as a first lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers, and holds the Bronze Star medal. . . Keith B. Salmonson and Carol Potce were married in Ann Arbor, Michigan, on September 7. . . . Kathleen Shields is assistant dictition at St. Francis hospital in Honolulu. . . . After some time with UNRRA in Europe, Dr. Otto H. Siegmund accepted a position in pharmacological research at Frederick Stearns and company in Detroit. . . . Bruce Wangen and Janey Humphreys were married June 15 and are living at 108 E. State street, Clare, Michigan, where he is assistant engineer with John P. Goggin. . . . Robert and Loraine Huebsch Weyland, of 5275 Neckel, Dearborn, announce the birth of Judith Lee on August 20.

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Betty Amos Ellis and her husband are living at 152 Hawkeye Village, Iowa City, Iowa, where both are enrolled at the University of Iowa. . . The Silver Star medal has been posthumously awarded to Lt. Thomas C. Cook of the United States Marine Corps Reserve. Mrs. Cook is the former Vivian Muskatt, and lives in Detroit at 2975 W. Chicago. . . . Dennis Michael was born December 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hashu. . . . Joan Jellema is dietitian at the Community hospital in Battle Creek. . . . Margaret Levitte recently joined the staff at Adrian college, Adrian, Michigan, where she serves as dietitian in the college dining hall and teaches upper class courses in foods in the home economics department. . . . Patricia Anne Martin and Kenneth Chase (Cornell) were married on October 26 and are living on Lewiston road, Oakfield, New York. . . . Helen Milham and Robert Sweetland were married August 26 and are living in Kalamazoo, Michigan, at 1332 Royce avenue. . . . Iris Olsen and William A. McCleery were married on September 7 and are living at 54 Fourth avenue, Berea, Ohio. Mrs. McCleery is on the staff at Baldwin Wallace college, while her husband is a student there. . . . Lois Sheridan completed her interneship at Christ hospital in Cincinnati in August and is now assistant therapeutic dictitian at Butterworth bospital in Grand Rapids.

Darrell Coucy is stationed at the Coast Guard headquarters in Washington, D. C. . . . Barbara Coulter and William S. Greninger were married on August 24 and are living at 1314 N. Clinton boulevard, Bloomington, Illinois, . . . Dorothy Gower and John O. Corliss were married on August 25 and are at home in Burlington, Vermonth, at 107 Ledge road. . . . Janice Hopps and Brook Thomas, w'47, were married September 7 and live in East Lansing at 81915 E. Grand River. Helen Kroll teaches speech and English at the

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These Men Gave All

Roland Roegge Loeffler, 1945

Roland R. Loeffler, a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, was killed in action over Germany on March 24, 1945. Entering from Detroit, Lt. Loeffler was enrolled in engineering during 1941-43. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Loeffler, '17, his brother, Donald F., w'46, and his sister, Rae Loeffler Deibert, '44.

Gale Leland Loomis, 1945

Gale L. Loomis, a captain in the Army Air Forces, was killed in action in the Pacific area on June 1, 1945. Capt. Loomis was enrolled in liberal arts the fall term of 1941, entering from Weidman, Michigan. His parents and his wife and daughter survive.

Robert D. Mackoy, 1943

Robert D. Mackoy, a first lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, who was reported missing on December 22, 1944, in a plane accident while enroute home after two years service in the South Pacific, has been declared dead as of that date. Entering from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Lt. Mackoy was enrolled in hotel administration during 1939-41.

George Hyman Shube, 1941

George H. Shube, a captain in the Army Air Forces, was killed in action in Italy on November 28, 1943, Enrolled in physical education during 1937-40, Capt. Shube entered from Marblehead, Massachusetts. His wife and parents survive.

Donald DeLano Payne, 1931

Donald D. Payne, a private first class in the Army and holder of the Silver Star and Purple Heart medals, was killed in action in the Philippine Islands on January 14, 1945. Pfc. Payne entered from Plainwell, Michigan, and was enrolled in applied science during 1927-28, and 1929-30. He is survived by his wife and two children.

Robert Elmer Sterling, 1939

Robert E. Sterling, a lieutenant junior grade in the Navy Air Corps, and holder of the Distinguished Flying Cross and Purple Heart with cluster, was reported missing in action in the Pacific area on June 20, 1944, and has been declared dead as of that date. Lt. Sterling was graduated in engineering on June 12, 1939, entering from Pontiac, Michigan.

Albert DeForrest Wickett, 1941

Albert D. Wickett, a captain in the Army Air Forces and pilot of a plane which failed to return from a combat mission over China on March 11, 1945, was presumed dead on March 12, 1946, Capt. Wickett entered from Ann Arbor and was enrolled in applied science during 1937-40. His wife and mother survive.

Robert Henry Bower, 1942

Lt. (jg) Robert H. Bower, an instructor in aerial navigation in the Navy, is believed to have been killed on July 18, 1945, when his training plane failed to return from a flight over the Bahamas, Entering from Adrian, Michigan, Lt. Bower was graduated in agriculture on June 13, 1942. His wife and parents survive.

Philip Louis Bek, 1942

Philip L. Bek, a first lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, was reported missing in action in the Pacific area on June 13, 1943. He was later reported a prisoner of the Japanese but no further information became available and he was presumed dead on December 17, 1945. Lt. Bek, who held the Silver Star medal, the Distinguished Flying Cross, and the Air Medal with cluster, was enrolled in engineering during 1938-40, entering from Lansing. His parents and a brother, Thomas G., w'45, survive.

Albert Joblonicky, 1945

Albert Joblonicky, a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces and holder of the Purple Heart medal, was killed in action over the English Channel on May 28, 1944. Entering from Muskegon Heights, Michigan, Lt. Joblonicky was enrolled in engineering during 1941-42.

Arthur Melvin Jones, 1943

Arthur M. Jones, Jr., a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, was shot down over Germany on January 11, 1944, and was presumed dead on September 17, 1945. Lt. Jones entered from Buffalo, New York, and was enrolled in forestry during 1939-40.

No Service List

Effective with this issue the RECORD discontinues its separate service list for news of alumni in service. Items of this type, however, will henceforth be used in the regular class note section, compiled by Miss Gladys Franks, alumni recorder.

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junior collège in Flint where she lives at 607
Liberty. . . . Cherral Nowlin gives her new address as 2748 S. W. 5th street, Miami, Florida....
For his service in radio communications in the campaign for the liberation of France, Gordon Putnam has been awarded a citation and the Croix de Guerre with bronze star. . . William D. Robbins and Rosemary Warren were married on September 12 and are making their home in Fort Des Moines, Iowa, where he is completing his course at Still College of Osteopathy. . . Fern Webster is a policewoman for the city of Detroit where she lives at 634 Clairmount.

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A daughter, Susan Jeanne, was born to Robert, w'48, and Donna Andrews Godfrey, of 315 Ann. East Lansing. . . . Marjorie M. Wilson and Kenneth W. McNalley were married on October 12 and are making their home at 1610 Fischer drive, Saginaw.

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