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YOST SPEAKS AT UNION SMOKER

Michigan Coach Stresses Need of Character Growth as Requisite for Winning Teams; Tells Men of College Benefits They Desire Are in Direct Proportion to Effort They Put Forth.

"You will never get more out of college than you are willing to put back in—whether it be scholarship, athletics, loyalty or any other phase of college life."

This was the theme of Coach Fielding H. Yost's talk to the men of the College at the smoker sponsored by the Union on February 24. A record attendance for such gatherings greeted the first appearance of the Michigan director before a State audience on other than an athletic mission. As Yost himself put it: "This is the first time I have had a friendly invitation to visit this college."

The well known coach expressed himself as glad to accept the invitation of Director Young and the Union. For good measure he brought with him Harry Kipke, noted athlete and native of Lansing.

Yost's message was not entirely football. Although his general theme may have been upon his favorite sport, it was the manner in which he compared it to the game of life that struck home to everyone. The philosophy he has absorbed in his long service to sportsmanship was a notable feature of his talk.

"You must give to get" said Mr. Yost. "Service is the forerunner of achievement. Whenever an athletic prospect comes to Michigan and expects to be engendered with the supernatural just because he may appear on Michigan teams we have a very serious problem on our hands. It is difficult to make some of these men understand that it is through hard work that results are achieved and not by means of magic."

"To receive we must give. We get only in the measure with which we give. If we want successful athletics we must all help to build them up. If we want a real Union we must all give it our unbiased support."

"You can't skin through college any more than you can through life. No one is waiting to hand you something on a silver platter. Get on the right road and stick to it. There are no short cuts on the road of life. You cannot expect to leave loopholes and then proceed to forget them. Everything you do must be accounted for. Take inventory of yourself as you go along."

"Football is like the game of life. You should not toot your horn too loudly before the showdown comes. You may have occasion to regret it."

"Football is a wonderful mind builder as well as muscle builder. Football teaches cooperation, team work, clean living and sportsmanship. It teaches you to accept defeat as well as take pride in victory."

"Don't stand and watch the parade go by. Get into the procession yourself. Anyone can watch a parade. Two years ago I saw a great parade down at Champaign. I hope I shall never have to witness such a spectacle again. It taught me a great lesson. It showed me where I had overlooked one of the greatest phases of football coaching. Last fall people told me I was going to see another great parade when Minnesota visited Ferry Field. But one had sufficed. I was prepared and Michigan was in the parade."

In his characteristic short sentences, full of snap, pep and enthusiasm, it was no problem for him to hold the attention of his audience and put his message across. Every word was awaited by the crowd.

Balancing this part of the program were Dean Giltner and Howard Rather, '17.
These men, with their typical wit and congeniality, royally entertained those who were present. Professor J. F. Cox of the farm crops department ably filled the position of master of ceremonies. Larry Skel­enger, '26, entertained with some of his popular songs while Coach Burhans had two boxing matches to lend variety to the occasion.

The entire affair was a substantial proof of the mission of the Union, on the Campus and in the life of the students and faculty. Every speaker mentioned the fact that the Union had a function on the Campus that was as noteworthy as athletics or any other activity.

Prior to the smoker Yost and Kipke were dinner guests at the Union at which the athletic board and college coaching staff were present.

**PHONOGRAPH SOUGHT FOR UNION BUILDING**

Recent improvements in phonographs has opened up a possibility for the Union Memorial building in its continuous program of events.

During the past week the central Michigan Hoo Hoo club staged a banquet in the Union. At this time a representative of a prominent Lansing merchant demonstrated the new Brunswick "Panatrope" to the diners, under actual conditions in the ballroom. So successful was the test that it is now conceded to be suitable and excellent for dances staged in the building.

With such an instrument, or a similar one, the music phase of Union activities will be greatly enhanced. Such an instrument will not only be of great service for dances but for general use in the building, in the cafeteria and for informal gatherings. Orchestra expense has always been a very great one in the building. Although such a phonograph may never entirely replace an orchestra, the fact remains that it will always be suitable for a great deal of the music which the Union must otherwise hire.

A redeeming feature of an improved phonograph is that the best orchestras in the country will be available for parties. Paul Whiteman, Ray Miller, Isham Jones, Waring's Pennsylvanians and many others will be on the job to help put the party or dance across. The possibilities of such an addition are so great that everyone feels that those using the building will greatly enjoy the innovation.

As such a machine costs about $600, an amount which the Union is not in a position to assume, it has been suggested that general alumni contribution toward a "Phonograph Fund" be requested. About 3,000 alumni read The Record each week. Donations of any amount, no matter how small, will help swell the fund. If the fund goes over the top the surplus will be used in the purchase of the latest records and a suitable library file for them. A brass plate will be placed on the lid of the phonograph, stating the manner in which it was presented to the Union.

Through the courtesy of the Lansing agents for the Panatrope, the machine was used at a matinee dance on George Washington's birthday. Everyone expressed satisfaction over the innovation, especially when the calibre of orchestras presented was considered.

The fact that the new models in phonographs can reproduce music in the volume and tone of the original presentation makes the machine very valuable for such uses as it would find in the Memorial building. It is adaptable for dinners, dances, smokers and get-togethers and whatever other form of entertainment is staged.

To insure proper credit make checks to "Phonograph Fund, M. S. C. Association."

J. F. Kelly, dean of administration at the University of Minnesota was scheduled to speak before the members of the faculty on February 26 and 27. He was to talk on subjects pertaining to college curricula and their relation to the individual student.
TRACK MEN SENT TO ILLINOIS GAMES

Director Young sent six of his track men to the Ninth Annual Indoor Relay carnival at the University of Illinois on February 27. Seven events were entered as follows:

75-yard dash: Grim, Alderman, Zimmermann.
300-yard dash: Grim, Alderman, Zimmermann.
Running broad jump: Alderman.
1,000-yard run: Ripper, Van Armen.
1,500-meter run: Ripper, Van Armen.
75-yard low hurdles: Van Noppen, Zimmermann.
75-yard high hurdles: Van Noppen, Zimmermann.

ELDRIDGE, ’99, LAUDED FOR HIS ENTERPRISE

The February 14 issue of the Spokesman Review, Spokane, Washington, contains an interesting sketch of the life of Arthur S. Eldridge, ’99, now a resident of Spokane. The article is in the nature of a tribute to Eldridge for the constructive work for which he has been largely responsible in the civic and industrial progress of Spokane.

Eldridge attended the College for two years after which he went into construction work in the east. During this time he superintended the building of a large breakwater at Buffalo. Later he became associated with J. D. White and company, going to the Philippines on construction work for that firm.

After several years in this type of work, Eldridge settled in Portland, Oregon. Here he went into building construction, erecting many business blocks in that city. The Hawthorne avenue bridge in that city also testifies to his engineering skill.

Soon afterwards he secured the northwestern agency for Buick motors, establishing his main sales offices in Spokane. Today he is president of the Eldridge-Buick company of that city.

In Spokane he is widely known as “Pop”.

KALAMAZOO NORMAL DEFEATED ON TRACK

It took the 880-yard relay to bring victory to State in the dual indoor track meet with Western State Normal on February 20. Before the final event the score was 42 1-2 to 38 1-2, State.

Every event was hotly contested. State was superior in the distance work and had a shade on the sprints. Tillotson came through on the shot put without trouble. A surprise of the meet was the defeat of Grim in the 440, Chickering of Normal beating him out.

In the final relay the work of Alderman, Grim, Lord and Farley was matchless, finishing ten yards ahead of Normal.

Pole vault: Shaefer and Morrow (Western) first, Cawood (State) third. Height, 10 ft. 6 in.
40-yard dash: Grim (State) first, Alderman (State) second, Covington (Western) third. Time, 4.6.
40-yard low hurdles: McDowell (Western) first, Zimmerman (State) second, Van Noppen (State) third. Time, 5.2.
One mile run: Van Arman (State) first, Belt (State) second, Rush (State) third. Time, 4:40.0.
440-yard dash: Chickering (Western) first, Grim (State) second, Weaver (Western) third. Time, 56.2.
880-yard run: Ripper (State) first, Wylie (State) second, Powell (Western) third. Time, 2:10.6.
Shot put: Tillotson (State) first, Fleming (Western) second, Burnham (Western) third. Distance, 37 ft 8 1-4 in.
40-yard high hurdles: McDowell (Western) first, Van Noppen (State) second, Miller (State) third. Time, 10.5.
High jump: Richards (Western) first, Morrow (Western) second, Kurtz (State) and Shaefer (Western) tied for third. Height, 5 ft. 10 in.
Final score: Michigan State 47 1-2, Western State 38 1-2.
According to Director Yost his appearance at the Union smoker on February 24 was in response to the first invitation he had ever received to make the Campus a “friendly” visit. It is rather unusual that the directing head of athletics at the University should not have been invited to the College over a period of twenty-five years on, as he phrased it, a friendly mission when in all of that time the two institutions have been represented in sports competition against each other in a large number of contests.

There appears to have been in intercollegiate sport a feeling of antagonism against opponents which has not been merited. In other words, reverting again to the speech made by Mr. Yost, the idea of such competition is not to teach the men on one team to hate the men on the other but to make the will to win the dominating factor in their training. It was not necessary for the men in the American army to hate the German troops individually in order to gain superiority in battle but it was necessary that they develop ability in the arts of war and create discipline among themselves so they could command that ability. In other words they fought to win not to avenge a hatred toward their adversaries. Thus it is with athletics to play to win but not so much with the idea of defeating the opposition as with that of winning for the Green and White.

It is far better to admire the good points of the adversary and be prepared to overcome them than to dive in blindly and come up short because you have not studied his tactics. Director Yost has a charming personality, a friendly smile, a kindly philosophy of life which makes him a respected leader in his profession probably quite as much as his strategy and ability to analyze character in selecting his teams. He demonstrated the former qualities to his audience and the latter he has often shown to supporters of the College.

Two great institutions should be on the friendliest terms. Presidents and professors exchange visits and have each others’ confidence just why the athletic heads should not be included in this entente cordials has not been fully explained but with the aid of the Union the first step has been taken which should lead to a better understanding all around and there is no reason why such a plan should not be expanded to include other rivals for athletic honors.

In the Campus campaign for the Union Memorial Building fund this year student pledges have been brought up to $66,000, nearly four times as much as was pledged in 1925, and the work of the various committees has not been completed. In adding to the fund the men and women now in College have given an indication of their regard for the Union, an indication of how they enjoy its benefits and how much they want its influence to be extended and its facilities bettered. To fully understand and appreciate the service the building renders will require more than one year for the average student but it is evident that the first year the building has been in use has produced sentiment which will insure its future success. As a new institution the Union was and is faced with the problem of teaching a community its possibilities and this problem is not solved without effort but from the results obtained it would appear that a fair start has been made.

Plans for the College music festival in May are rapidly being formed. Beginning with a choral concert on Sunday afternoon May 16, the festivities will end with the Chicago Symphony orchestra concert the following Tuesday.
"Close Beside The Winding Cedar"

Co-eds have organized a branch of the League of Women Voters.

Engineering students will banquet at the Union on March 2. Judge C. B. Collingwood, '85, President Butterfield, and C. E. Bement of Lansing, are listed among the speakers.

Raphael Zon, director of the Lake States forest experiment station, addressed the forestry club, February 23, on "The Part the Forests Play in the Circulation of Water on the Earth's Surface."

The Beal Botanical gardens will be enlarged as soon as the weather permits in the spring. The bureau of plant industry has offered to furnish foreign plants of economic interest to be tested out here.

Commencement exercises for all short course students will be held March 4-5. The two days' festivities will include a short course basketball game in addition to the usual dinner and commencement program.

Due to financial difficulties the Michigan State news, successor to The Holcal, has been forced to revert to the old five-column style of sheet. Last spring a six column page was instituted, but inability to secure sufficient advertising to meet the added cost has made this action necessary. A committee appointed by the board of publications recommended the measure of economy.

A total of $36,000 has been raised among the students in new pledges to the Union Memorial building fund. All of the non-subscribers had not been solicited when the campaign period ended and the work is being continued. Members of the College staff were far behind the students in percentage of subscriptions but are beginning to show renewed interest in the project.

Journalism classes visited newspaper plants in Detroit on February 27.

W. L. Mallman, '18, assistant professor of bacteriology has been granted a year's leave of absence for the purpose of studying water analysis at the University of Illinois.

Indiana university alumni and students have raised $1,450,000 toward the total of $1,600,000 needed for a stadium, dormitory and union. Students have started a campaign to raise $100,000 of the final sum needed on the campus and the alumni are challenged to produce the balance.

Because the College forestry department is now able to sell forest nursery stock to the farmers of the state at cost, heavy demand has been created. The department has already received orders for spring delivery totalling 300,000 trees. Pine, walnut and spruce seem to be most popular with the farmers.

E. N. Bates, '06, investigator in grain handling for the bureau of agricultural economics, Washington, D. C., is the author of an interesting bulletin (Miscellaneous circular number 41) on estimating the quantity of grain in bins. The circular is supplemented by a chart for rapid estimating after bin dimensions have been determined.

Branch Rickey, at one time coach of the University of Michigan baseball team, later a prominent figure in professional baseball, Lew Sarett, noted poet and member of the faculty of Northwestern university and Gutzon Borglum, sculptor who began the monumental work on the Confederate memorial in Georgia, will present three of the numbers offered on the 1926-27 artists' course at the College.
BASKETBALL TEAM WINS AND LOSES

Defeat of Carnegie Followed by Kalamazoo Victory in Final Games of Season;
Eastern Team Leads at Half But Varsity Shows Strength in
Final Minutes of Play.

Advantages in height and speed accounted for Western Normal’s victory over the varsity in the last game of the season at the College gymnasium on February 26. Before one of the largest crowds of the season State was completely overwhelmed and outclassed.

The half ended 19-4, Normal. At no time did State offer as much as a threat. During the initial period one field goal and two successful free throws accounted for the varsity score. In the second half State tightened up somewhat and with the injection of Hood into the game slowly ran up a more creditable score.

The narrow margin by which Normal defeated State at Kalamazoo recently, 30-25, may have accounted for the capacity crowd that turned out for the game. This, combined with the fact that the brand of ball put up by the varsity in recent contests has been the best of the season, seemed to give State almost even break on the pre-game calculations. But Normal was superior throughout. With over 200 fans and their school band to spur them on they were far from being alone in the College gymnasium on this occasion.

Of the sixteen intercollegiate games played during the past season, State won five and lost 11. Three of the victories were rung up prior to the fall of the scholastic axe on two of the regulars, Russo and Jagnow. Since that time ten defeats and two victories has been the record of the team.

In reviewing the season, the box scores and the teams played, it seems that the factor most lacking in the varsity was a consistent scoring machine. The State defense was at all times creditable and in no way weaker than in former years. The State guards were not only capable of covering the floor at all times but they contributed to the scoring column as well. The rank of Drew in team scoring shows that as a guard he was far above the ordinary in his scoring power, even superior to the forwards who held down berths during the season.

Of the men who represented the Green and White this season, but Hackett, Marx and Smith, all forwards, will be lost through graduation. Frederick, who was shifted from guard to center when Jagnow was declared ineligible, has one more year to play. Cole also has another year.

Hood, Lewis, Drew and Kelly have two years yet to play. It is unlikely that any of these men will be forced out via the scholarship route. Judging by the progress made by these men this season they should become mainstays next year. The rapid improvement of Lewis and the stellar work of Drew stand out as high lights on the season just ended.

The summary of the Western Normal game follows:

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A win against Carnegie tech partly compensates for the string of nine consecutive defeats that the varsity has placed on the record books since January 9. The final score of 27-22 has the appearance of a hotly contested game but the truth is that had the varsity played the game of which it is capable the score would have been very one-sided.

During the first half State played loose ball, without organization or successful offense. The half ended 14-8, Carnegie. In the second period the varsity slowly cut down the lead of the visitors until the count was even up. At this juncture Kelly was sent in and with his usual energy and fire he succeeded in waking up the Green and White. However, the game was too far advanced to pile up a score and when the count stood 27-22 the game was over.

Carnegie had a weak defense which gave little or no trouble when State did get under way. The guarding of Kelly, Drew and Cole was noteworthy. Each of these men also contributed to the box score, Kelly sinking two long shots as his contribution. An outstanding feature of the play was the foul shooting of Carnegie, ten of its 22 points being collected in this way.

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All The Old Stars Will Be At The Gymnasium at 8:00 P. M. on Saturday MARCH 6 FOR THE Alumni-Varsity Basketball Game The Big Event of the Season FRIMODIG MILLER EVA KURTZ FOSTER SPRINGER BROWN KUHN RICHARDS What a Lineup!!
FIFTY YEAR CLASS WORKS ON REUNION

Members of the class of 1876 are planning for a record reunion attendance this spring. According to Jonathan Taylor, who has been acting as secretary of the class, it is expected that eleven of the twelve surviving members will be present. It has not yet been decided as to the date of the reunion, some of the members want to have it while College is in session so that they may see the institution in operation while others are favoring the Alumni Day plan. With the class of 1886 the golden anniversary class members are the first to complete their general arrangements and it is probable that the older class will have the greatest percentage of representation for the year.

MARRIAGES

MERICK-SHAUXESSEY

Wendell S Merick, '04, and Catherine Shaunessey were married on February 2 at Chicago. Merick is president of the Merick Construction company and consulting engineer for the Phipps Industrial Land trust.

NURSERIES

THE CORYELL NURSERY
GROWERS OF HARDY NURSERY STOCK
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NECROLOGY

FLORENCE FARWELL STRONG

Myron S. Strong, '15, writes in: “This is to inform you that on February 3, I had the misfortune to lose my wife, Florence Farwell Strong, instantly killed by a truck while crossing the Dixie highway at 60th street in Miami, Florida. I brought the body to Chicago for the funeral service and interment was made in Memorial Park cemetery at Evanston, Illinois. I shall return to Florida in about a week, address drawer R, Route 23, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

CLASS NOTES

'89

Gager C. Davis has moved to 5501 Monte Vista street, Los Angeles, California. He adds: "I close my office in the Van Nuys building March 1 and am going to take life a little easier, spending part of my time traveling. The first trip will be in May, when Mrs. Davis and I will go east by Panama, to be at Harvard when our son Robert graduates in June. Margaret, who is a student at Pomona college, will probably meet us there and the whole family return home by way of the Canadian Rockies. Sorry we cannot visit M. S. C. this trip and see the recent developments there, as it has been ten years since I was on the Campus. But this I will have to reserve until a future date."

'95

M. W. Fulton, Cherry Run, W. Va., writes: "Same occupation—fruit growing, only more so. Am now in charge of the Maryland orchards formerly managed by my brother and have a total of 22,000 apple trees and 41,000 peach. Just returned from the advanced school of horticulture conducted by Dr. E. C. Auchter of Maryland State university. Mr. Auchter attended the dedication of the new horticultural building at the College recently. Thomas Skeece, '24, extension forester for the state of West Virginia, will advise me in the handling of 600 acres of cut over land on our Cherry Run property. C. P. Close, '95, lives at College Park, Maryland, where the horticultural school was held. I had a very pleasant visit with him."

'07

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The new church, with large student parlors for men and women, and an auditorium seating 1,400, will be dedicated May 16th, Deo volente.
growing institution (not the jail). Am advising M. S. C. folks to come to New England. Even though they might not wish to make it their permanent home they will find the 'playground of America' very much worth visiting. And we like company Carl A. Smith, '16, is now manager of the Manchester Dairy System, Manchester, N. H."

'C. G. Bullis, U. S. S. Marblehead, c-o Postmaster, N. Y. C. writes: Made a cruise to Australia and New Zealand last summer and now, after a short sojourn in Boston for the holidays, we are back at Panama for a short war game. Expect to be back in Boston in May."

A clipping sent to the office announces the appointment of John A. Smith to the position of city forester of Lemoyne, Pa., effective March 1. Smith's address will be 853 Walnut street.

Summer L. Hall, 1704 Euclid avenue, Charlotte, N. C. says: "Am at the same job of state distributor for the Warford Auxiliary transmission in North Carolina, where the first declaration of independence was signed and where the deciding battle of the Revolution was fought at Kings' mountain. Otherwise, everything is the same and business is booming. Would be glad to see any Staters who are passing through on their way to Florida. Most of them return and invest in N. C. resort property, 'The Land of the Sky.'"

'09

H. H. Miller has moved to 42 Harriet street in Tonawanda, N. Y.

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J. H. Barr is now connected with the Oakland county road commission. Address 41 Miller street, Pontiac.

R. E. Yeatter is now living at 1021 E. Huron street, Ann Arbor

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I. F. French lives at 230 Bostwick avenue, Grand Rapids.

Paul V. Howard, Kalispell, Montana, writes:

'15

Arda Strong Boucher, San Mateo, California, writes: "See very few people of State. However, had the surprise of my life when Mr. and Mrs. George Caldwell from Monterey dropped in for a call."

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Postal authorities advise that R. A. Paton has moved to 510 E. Washington in St. Louis, Michigan.

Earl Millison, who has been associated with the U. S. D. A. bureau of agricultural economics, has been transferred to the bureau of pomological investigations. Along with this transfer has come an advance from junior assistant to assistant. His present work comprises the study of transportation and cold storage of fruits and vegetables. His address is box 7, Lamanda Park, Calif.


Zera C. Foster resides at West Palm Beach, Florida, Northwood station, according to postal authorities.

Linton Carter has severed his relations with the U. S. forest service and now has a position with the Dizer Color company of Birmingham. He is assistant to William C. Utley, w’ho, vice-president and treasurer of the company. Carter’s address in Birmingham is 113 George street.

O. W. Kotila now lives at 900 Ross avenue, apartment 1, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Don Morton can be reached care of the Bonnie Burn sanitarium, Scotch Plains, N. J. “Am laboratory technician for this large sanitarium situated 24 miles from New York city. Well up in the mountains where the air and scenery are equally delightful.”

W. A. Koessel lives at 1200 W. Saginaw street, Lansing.

Robert Thayer teaches school at Bremen, Ohio, mail reaching him general delivery.

Mary Welch lives at 1231 Olivia street, Ann Arbor.

O. D. Dansman is again residing at 204 Real street in East Lansing after a short absence.

Phelps Vogelsang has moved to Polk City, Florida.
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