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Lois Harwood, '26, Assistant Director of Food Service

BIG STATE ROAD SHOW
Demonstration Hall and Grounds
M. S. C. Campus
October 28-29-30, 1930

Michigan State College is co-operating to make the annual State Road Show an exhibition of interest. Every road commissioner, engineer, state, county, city official and contractor will visit this Show.
The aim is to afford an opportunity to inspect the latest in road building machinery assembled in

ONE GREAT DISPLAY

Entertainment features provided.
Leading manufacturers and distributors are planning exhibits.
Arrangements by H. J. McKinley, Manager, Secretary Kent County Road Commission,
1500 Scribner Ave., N. W., Grand Rapids

Under Auspices MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION of ROAD COMMISSIONERS and ENGINEERS
LISTENING IN

Significant is the statement credited recently to President Wilbur of Stanford University, now Secretary of the Interior, about the college of today that our alumni may well heed.

"The American college as such is on the wane. The old four-year course has served its term. It is dropping out of the picture. The American university has added to it its professional schools, so that the A. B. degree is something you get as you go by now into business, into engineering, medicine, law, political life, anything that requires, as democracy now requires, a superintendence.

So the old A. B. degree is going to pass from the picture with its four-year course, its sharp class organizations, and that sort of thing. "And two things are certain to happen."

"Certain American colleges are becoming universities, and they are the great American universities. Some of the American colleges are becoming junior colleges trying to cover that period and cover it well, wondering just what will be done to mark that period. And a certain number of American colleges will fasten in for the four-year period and do such a good job in some chosen field, in some chosen spot, that they will go on for a considerable period of time."

Is Michigan State among the "certain number"? This is a reasonable and just inquiry for alumni provided they turn the question inward as well as outward. For the educational future of Michigan State rests not alone with the faculty and administration officers. It rests, also, in a very large measure, on those whom she has trained. If these care sufficiently they can insure the future. The primary obligation rests on the educated men and women of Michigan State heritage. They can—and it is a reasonable expectation that they will perpetuate their own.

Once again let us whisper in your ear, "come back for the Homecoming game October 18." For all old varsity men there is no other day of the year when you will meet so many of your old friends. The students will give you a program par excellence! There is the big game with Colgate! There is a stadium with good seats for your entertainment. There is Michigan State among the "certain number." There is a reasonable expectation that they will perpetuate their own.

Population of Michigan is officially announced as 4,842,260 by the Bureau of Census. This is an increase of 1,173,868, or 32 per cent, since 1920. Michigan maintains its rank as the fifth most populous state. This state enjoyed the third largest numerical gain between 1920 and 1930 and its percentage gain was third. In numerical gain it was exceeded by only New York and California.

THE CONDITION of E. H. Ryder, dean of the liberal arts division, who underwent a serious operation at Ford hospital in Detroit early this summer, is greatly improved. It is reported that he will be removed to his home on Evergreen avenue this month.

The Dunbar Forest Experiment Station, in northern Michigan, was used for a 4-H club camp this summer, eighteen boys staying there with their teachers for a week. They studied forestry and surveying under the direction of the forestry department.

Coach James CROWLEY spent his vacation touring the western states, visiting Yellowstone National park and other places of interest. The balance of the summer he spent with Miles Casteel calling on prospective students.
PUTTING IN THE FOUNDATION

THOREAU once said: "If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; there is where they should be. Now put the foundations under them."

Foundations must be solid and sound to uphold their towering superstructures in safety. If your castle in the air is lofty, the more secure must be the foundations you build under it.

A savings account is the best underpinning for the air castle of your success. It is sound financially, and bank interest adds to its security.

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WILLIAM J. CHITTENDEN, Jr.
MICHIGAN STATE has started to record new activities on the pages of her history. It is my happy privilege as president of the Alumni Association to welcome the class of 1930 to our ranks and to extend to all grads the best wishes of our executive committee.

THE M. S. C. ASSOCIATION is organized specifically to advance the interests of State college. It wishes to foster the development of every department and activity of the school. The activities of the Association begin where your student days ended. Its membership is open to every person that ever attended Michigan State one term.

I AM WONDERING if we should feel encouraged by the present status of our Alumni Fund when less than 20% of our alumni body handle the burden of finance? It is my firm belief that we must first build up a large sustaining active membership and then develop projects that will create interest and thus perpetuate such membership. Our executive committee expresses its confidence in an increased alumni consciousness.
Many Alumni Groups Planning Fall Meetings
President Shaw and Faculty Members Will Attend

ALUMNI activity starts in full force with the football season each fall and many reunion dinners are now a regular part of the teachers' institute in nine districts of the state.

The following meetings have been planned by the alumni secretary for the various districts holding institutes:

- District one, Detroit. No meeting as Detroit club has other plans for later meetings.
- District two, Flint. Alumni reunion dinner Monday evening, October 27, 6:00 p.m., Masonic temple. Registration headquarters, Durant hotel.
- District four, Grand Rapids. Alumni reunion dinner, Thursday evening, October 23, 6:00 p.m., Masonic temple. Registration headquarters, Pantlind hotel.
- District five, Manistee. Alumni banquet, Thursday evening, October 2, 6:00 p.m., Episcopal church. Registration headquarters, Chippewa hotel.
- District six, Alpena. No alumni reunion scheduled.
- District seven, Marquette. Alumni banquet Friday evening, October 3, 6:00 p.m., Northland hotel. Registration headquarters same.
- District eight, Battle Creek. Alumni banquet, Thursday evening, October 30, 6:00 p.m., Presbyterian church, Maple street. Registration headquarters Post Tavern.
- District nine, Detroit. Alumni luncheon Thursday noon, October 30, 12 o'clock, ballroom floor, Room 228, Statler hotel. Registration headquarters same.

Detroit Club Active

The men of the Detroit club will join with the University of Michigan alumni club in Detroit in the third annual football rally Friday noon, October 3, at the Book-Cadillac hotel. This luncheon has become a traditional event each year prior to the Ann Arbor tilt. Committees from each club promise an interesting program, with Coach Jimmy Crowley speaking for State and Coach Harry Kipke speaking for the University. Ed. Krehl, '08, president of the Detroit M. S. C. club, invites all alumni to the weekly Wednesday noon luncheon at the main dining room of the Masonic temple. Eat at 12:15, and bowling follows.

Grand Rapids Reorganizes

The new officers of the Grand Rapids club with T. A. Steel, '21, president, and Ray L. Baxter, '19, as secretary-treasurer, announce weekly meetings at the Elks Temple cafeteria each Monday noon, at 12:15 o'clock. The officers of the club met early this month and have a new mailing list compiled for the Grand Rapids area. They have secured President Shaw to speak at their district meeting on October 23.

Saginaw Has New Idea

A general letter has been sent to members of the Saginaw club announcing that plans are being made for the club to attend the M. S. C.-North Dakota State football game at the College on November 8, securing seats in a large block and following the game have dinner at the Union before returning home. Reservations should be sent at once to William Winston, 332 Howard street, Saginaw. Seats are $2.00 each and check must accompany order.

Washington to Entertain

For the first time in the history of the Washington, D. C. club an opportunity will be given on October 31 to see a Spartan football team play within their city gates. President C. G. Woodbury, '04, of the Washington club has appointed committees to work out the details of a smoker and buffet luncheon to be held at one of the leading hotels just after the game. It is planned to have the large military band play a few selections on this occasion. Final details of the meeting will be printed in the October Recoon.

Road Show Enlarged

THE ANNUAL ROAD SHOW of the Michigan Association of Road Commissioners and Engineers will be held in Demonstration hall, October 28, 29 and 30 according to Lee J. Rothgery, '21, of the engineering experiment station.

The exhibit of road machinery, equipment and supplies, which last year attracted 3,500 persons to East Lansing, is expected to draw an attendance of 5,000 this year, Mr. Rothgery reports.

The road show is held each year with the cooperation of the College and the exhibition assists the engineering students in learning the latest details of modern road building equipment.

As much space in the show has already been applied for as there was during the corresponding period in 1929. The Union building will be used as general headquarters by H. J. McKinley, secretary of the Kent county road commission and J. W. Hannen, editor of Michigan Roads and Airports, who have charge of general arrangements.

Stanley DePree, a student of Louis Graveure in the music department, was awarded first place in the Atwater Kent radio audition in Grand Rapids recently. Mr. DePree won the contest over 18 other contestants. The young artist is well known on the Campus and in Lansing and will be remembered as the man playing the leading role in the Union open last year.
Middle Asia Satisfies Wanderlust
Desires of Carl H. Boehringer

"SINGAPORE, City of the Lion, is a contrasting city of bristling English efficiency and slow-moving milk-white bullocks," writes Carl H. Boehringer, '25, who has spent the past seven months in that city in the capacity of an assistant trade commissioner of the United States Department of Commerce.

"Singapore is a synonym for contrast, which is at times facetious, glorious, tragic, but prosaic—never. It is axiomatic to say that Singapore lies at the cross-roads of the world. Its crowded harbor and open roadstead have ocean liners, freighters, tramp steamers, junks, sampans, modern motor boats and sailing yachts of every description. Its streets are thronged with peoples of every race under the sun. One of the charms of Singapore is the fact that at any turn of the road one might see a smart negro from Zanzibar, a gaunt Arab from Aden, a wealthy Parsee from Bombay, or—a beautiful American girl just off one of the tourist ships. Singapore is China, India, Malaya, and Europe thrown together. Singapore is the heart of Middle Asia, one of the most interesting areas on the globe. Here are Indo China, Siam, British Malaya which includes the Straits Settlements, the Federated and Unfederated Malaya States, and the Netherlands East Indies, all connected by trade with Singapore. From Middle Asia come rubber, tin, copra, spices and a long list of valuable products in abundance in this tropical paradise."

Recall Vagabond Trip

Middle Asia satisfies Boehringer's wanderlust which was not killed by his vagabond trip around the world with Robert H. Powers, '26, three years ago. Incidentally, he reports that Powers threatens to hit the trial again soon on another globe-girdling tour—but this time accompanied by Owin Goodwin Powers, '26. Evidently the virus of the open road is still alive in Powers even though it has to compete with the writing of "hot" copy for advertisements.

In September, Boehringer will visit most of the important cities of Malaya and will also go to Sumatra, where the Dutch have never pacified the bloodthirsty, head-hunting Achinese. Later on he expects to go to Java and other parts of the Netherlands East Indies, including Bali, the Celebes, Borneo and Guinea. Before his three year term is finished he will also have seen most parts of Siam and Indo China, and readers will be watching for his "second installment."

Death Claims Popular Extension Worker

MRS. LOUISE H. CAMPBELL, 56, state leader of home economics extension activities at the College for the past 10 years, died Saturday, August 30, at Edward W. Sparrow hospital in Lansing following a year's illness.

Born at Beaver Dam, Wis., Mrs. Campbell came to East Lansing in 1920 to assume her duties at the College. She had previously held a similar position at the North Dakota Agricultural college, from which institution she was graduated in 1911.

In addition to her work in the home economics department she was active in a number of other organizations and during 1923 served as dean of women at the College.

Among the important posts she filled were the state chairmanship of the better homes commission, appointed by President Coolidge, vice presidency of the state parent-teacher association, and membership on the state public health commission.

Survived by Daughter

She was a member of the Peoples church, and also was a member of two honorary national organizations, Phi Kappa Phi and Omicron Nu.

She is survived by one daughter, Dorothy, '30, who had made her home with her; one sister, Mrs. Katherine Merrill of Great Falls, Mont., and a brother, Harry H. Hathaway of Fargo, N. D. Funeral services were held from the Peoples church and the body was sent to Fargo for burial.
Campus and Faculty Prepared for Opening Session
Important Staff Changes and Policies Announced

Faculty and campus are rapidly getting into shape for the opening of Michigan State's seventy-fourth session on Monday, September 29, following the usual three days of orientation for the Freshmen and general registration on the previous Saturday.

Some forty additions have been made to the College staff in filling vacancies created by resignation or in providing for needed expansion, while extensive improvements have been made or are under way on the Campus.

The most important addition to the physical asset is, of course, the new group of barrie south of the river, which will allow the unsightly farm structures surrounding Kedzie chemical laboratory to be removed this fall. Contractors have also started the new dormitory for women, just west of Arboratum, while the new animal pathology laboratory just east of the veterinary building, is well under way.

The Campus as a whole is perhaps in better condition than at any recent time. Many of the walks have been repaired, trees have been pruned, shrubbery planted and the roadways improved. The continued summer drought has had its effect on the usual fine grass. The interiors of many offices have been repainted while all the dormitories and college residences have been reconditioned.

Food Service Changed

Of special interest to many alumni is the announcement that the home economics department will have entire supervision of all food service and boarding clubs on the campus. The major change made in this connection is the granting of Miss Louise I. Clemens, '13, a leave of absence from her classroom work, to become director of food service for the Union Memorial building. She will be assisted by Lois Hartwood, '26, who will be directly in charge of the dining room and group banquets.

New R. O. T. C. Commandant

Foremost among the new additions of the faculty is Lieut. Col. Dorsey R. Rodney, who will assume the position of commandant of the R. O. T. C. unit, succeeding Colonel Edward C. Davis, who has been detailed to the 65th cavalry division at Chicago. Lieut. Col. Rodney was born at New Castle, Delaware 50 years ago. He was appointed to the United States military academy where he graduated in 1903. Since that time he has served various cavalry units in the United States, Mexico, Philippine Islands and saw service in the World War. He comes here from the 4th cavalry unit at Fort Meade, South Dakota.

Additions to the R. O. T. C. staff associated with Lieut. Col. Rodney will be Captain James A. Kilian, a cavalry officer who succeeds Captain Ross Larson, and a graduate of the University of Missouri, and 1st Lieut. Russell E. Bates, a graduate of West Point, and a recent graduate of the Coast Artillery school at Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Miss Edva V. Smith has been advanced as acting head of the home economics extension division, succeeding Mrs. Louise Campbell, deceased. Miss Oena Stantz, of Purdue, succeeds Miss Smith as extension specialist in home management.

Dr. C. E. Millar has been advanced as head of the soils department, succeeding Dr. M. M. McCool, resigned.

Miss Lydia Lightying succeeds Miss Helen Grimes as associate professor and acting head of the department of physical education for women. Additions to this department will include Miss Hazel Jones, instructor in physical education, and Miss Josephine Garvin, instructor in swimming.

Samuel H. Dwight, '17, who received his master's degree here in June, has been made an instructor in the physics department, and Russell Davis, '28, becomes an instructor in the chemistry department.

Miss Irma Gross, who has been on leave of absence at the University of Chicago, returns this fall as associate professor in the home economics department.

SPARTAN CLUBS

ANN ARBOR CLUB

Having delayed our material until too late for the August issue we want to catch the September number with a notice that the Ann Arbor bunch held their annual mid-summer frolic on the evening of July 30, at the Woman's League building.

Over 30 State people attending the University summer session were present to greet Professor Lloyd Emmons of the mathematics department, who spoke briefly on the physical changes of the College plant, the new courses of study and of the changes in the faculty personnel.

Discussing the developments of the institution in recent years Professor Emmons pointed to the building of the new library, the establishment of the School of Music, the new home economics building, the development of the liberal arts division, the gift of the Union Memorial building and the beautiful Beaumont Memorial tower as indicative of a larger cultural center being developed at East Lansing.

He brought the sentiments of President Shaw just a little closer to the people attending when he mentioned that the president's chief concern was the welfare of the student, physically, morally, spiritually and intellectually.

Among those attending the dinner were the following:

Horseless Buggy Wins

HOW would you like to set out to break the world's automotive speed record, over the course at Daytona Beach, mounted on the horseless buggy herewith illustrated?

Not very well, probably. In the first place, you'd have to bend at an uncomfortable angle to reach the low steering wheel. And few present-day drivers would know what to do with the stirrups which held the feet of the driver of this contraption.

However, it's the car which held the world's record in 1903—a speedy racing model by Reo, with the engine exposed and the driver likewise, for there was no wind protection. Horace Thomas, '01, engineer for the Reo corporation, was the daredevil driver of this speed king, dubbed the "Pirate," in those days, and he it was who took it down the course at Daytona Beach to make the measured mile in 42 seconds, and establish a world's record. Eighty-six miles an hour was fast traveling, mounted on a car as light as this one!

The Pirate was a queer machine consisting of four light pneumatic racing sulky wheels supporting a frame of spider lightness. On this was mounted a four cylinder engine and two rocket-like gas tanks, a radiator and other necessary parts. Young Thomas perched at the rear, his feet in stirrups hung from the rear axle and his hands on the low steering wheel; and thus mounted he bettered the world's record, previously established that same year by Alexander Winton, by fourteen miles per hour.

Alumni Elect Clark

THE DAPPER GENTLEMAN with the rotund face, shown herewith, is one of the new members of the executive committee of the M. S. C. Association, having been elected treasurer in the June election. This worthy alumnus claims Detroit as his home where he is managing director of the research and biological laboratories of Parke, Davis and company.

Born in 1881 in Livingston county, Michigan, and reared in a good old-fashioned way on a farm, he went through the district school, through high school and finally landed at the then known Michigan Agricultural college in 1899. Here he specialized in bacteriology during the last year of his course, and exhibited such a grasp of the subject that he decided to follow it up as an occupation. Receiving his degree with the class of 1904, he remained at the College as an instructor in bacteriology for one year.

Makes Advanced Progress

Entering the research department of Parke, Davis and company July 25, 1905 he proved himself possessed of such a combination of scientific and business abilities that in 1910 he was appointed assistant director in charge of the manufacturing division in biology. He remained in this position until 1918 when he was made junior director of the medical research and biological laboratories.

In May 1928, upon the retirement of Dr. E. M. Houghton, he was appointed managing director of research and biological laboratories, which position he now holds. The research laboratories consist of 22 complete sections, with research in bacteriology, chemistry, mycology, pharmacology, physiology, veterinary pathology, parasitology and allied subjects. The biological laboratories consist of the Detroit laboratories and Parke-dale farm, Rochester, Michigan, maintained for the production and testing of biological products used in the practice of human and veterinary medicine.

Enjoys Outdoors Life

Furthermore, this busy business man has a hobby. During his leisure hours he derives the greatest pleasure at his wooded farm south of Howell, Michigan, enjoys the great outdoors, hunts, fishes, and incidentally is developing a small orchard.

He is a member of the Detroit M. S. C. Alumni club, the Detroit Athletic club, the Detroit Yacht club, and belongs to the following scientific organizations: United States Public Health Association, the Society of American Bacteriologists, the Michigan Academy of Science, the United States Livestock Sanitary Association and the National Tuberculosis Association.

His name?—Oh! yes, Lawrence T. "Stub" Clark, '04.
SCHOLASTIC RATINGS IMPROVED

For the thirteenth consecutive year the women students at Michigan State College have carried the leading scholastic honors, with the Sigma Kappa's regaining first place over the Alpha Chi Omega group. The scholastic averages printed below with a comparison for the year 1928-29 are compiled by the registrar of the College annually. For a number of years the women's standings have been considerably higher than those credited to the men, and the women's sororities and societies stand at the top of the list by a generous margin.

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Women: A equals 1; B equals 2; C equals 3; D equals 4; X equals 5; F equals 6.

Mumford, '91, Honored

MEXICO, "cradle of wars," has set out to restore an industry which in the more troubled times of 20 years ago proved its undoing, and it has summoned Herbert W. Mumford, a Michigan State graduate with the class of 1891, and a nationally known authority to help do the job.

Mr. Mumford, now dean of agriculture at the University of Illinois, was recently appointed with two other American agricultural authorities to serve on a commission which will study the livestock, educational and other phases of the republic's farming industry and make recommendations for their development.

Back in 1911 money accumulated by the Madero family of Chimualua from stock raising supplied the sinews of war for the overthrow of the Diaz government. That benevolent dictator, who ruled between 1876 and 1910, is credited with having done more for the progress of Mexico, one of the world's richest treasure lands, than had been achieved by the republic in all the centuries of its previous history.

Now, stock raising in the rich republic is not as prosperous as it once was. Mexican officials realize, however, that the industry can be made just as a patent a force for building up good government as it was for tearing it down 20 years ago. Through the help of one of M. S. C.'s famous Mumford brothers and the two other members of the commission, Mexico hopes to bolster its livestock raising business and build up its agricultural education system after the pattern of agriculture offered by the colleges in the United States.

Has Served Before

In naming Herbert W. Mumford as one of its counselors, the Mexican government has selected one of the foremost livestock authorities of the United States. He was one of the first, if not the first, authorities in the country to recognize the importance of marketing studies in experiment station work.

HERBERT W. MUMFORD, '91

He was one of the first to recognize the inadequacy of the results from the usual livestock feeding trials in animal nutrition work. It was he who inaugurated the practice now common with all experiment stations of using carload lots instead of just a few animals in these feeding experiments. Mr. Mumford has served on many committees during the past few years and has carried his investigations into Germany, Argentine, Prance, Great Britain, Belgium and Holland.

Serving with the Illinois dean on the Mexican commission will be director Fabian Garcia, of the New Mexico Agricultural experiment station, and Dr. John W. Gilmore, an agronomist of the college of agriculture, University of California.

It is the business of the head of a college:

To see that the faculty are well fed.

To see that the practical courses are really practical and that the cultural courses are cultural.

To see that able and ambitious students are not hindered from advancement by lazy and incompetent students—or instructors.

To see that the professor whose talent is teaching and the professor whose talent is research have equal honor and opportunity.—E. E. Glosson.
"Close Beside the Winding Cedar"

The Campus trees have been repainted. New aluminum labels have replaced the weather-worn zinc labels that were almost thirty years old. The labeling was done by the forestry and botany departments in cooperation with the landscape architect’s office. Many of the trees were left unlabeled so that they could be used for examination purposes in the classes in tree identification.

Again, according to Miss Elida Yakeley, registrar, the number of Chips Off the Old Block in the freshman class indicates that Michigan State men and women still have confidence in the sort of educational and social standards maintained at their alma mater. Indications are that the total enrollment for the fall term will nearly equal that of last year.

And now again we see the annual miracle of thousands of otherwise normal men demonstrating the fact that no matter his age nor business responsibility or his summer’s mishie achievement, a college man is just a football fan in the fall.

Lansing and East Lansing aerial fans have followed the competition of the national air tour contestants with unusual interest because of the fact that Art Davis, ’23, has been among the leaders from the start. Davis is determined to push his trusty Waco to the front before the tour is completed, thereby winning the Edsel Ford trophy for his interesting collection.

The forest nursery at the College has been enlarged a little this summer; by the closing of the old Woodbury road. Every available square foot of space in the nursery, however, is now planted with trees. 7,000,000 in all, which leaves no room for sodding crops. Over 1,600,000 trees were shipped from the nursery this year for planting in the state. With the development of tree planting along the roadsides for snow breaks and the increasing interest in forest planting, it is thought that the shipments next year will be well over 2,000,000 trees. The nursery is one of the show places of the Campus.

Groups of boys representing various 4-H clubs fostered by the extension division under A. G. Kettunen, ’17, used the College herds for competitive judging in preparation for the contests at the state and county fairs. During the month of August many auto loads of “future farmers” and their local leaders were Campus visitors.

Rain which fell in East Lansing last week brought some relief to pastures and lawns, and also brought a relief from the warm spell which prevailed here during the early part of the month. The rainfall which measured .18 at the weather station was the heaviest since July 12 when 24 inches fell, according to D. A. Seeley, ’06, meterologist.

Officials of Purdue university, including President E. C. Elliot, visited Lansing recently where they conferred with Governor Fred W. Green and M. B. McPherson, of the state tax commission, relative to certain lands in Luce and Chippewa counties given the university by Chase S. Osborn, former governor. Timber on the property approximating 3,000 acres is now being cut off, causing a drop in values. President Elliot sought a reduction in assessed valuation of the university’s holdings. While in Lansing President Elliot and his party were guests of President Shaw and Secretary Halladay on the Campus.

As the Record goes to press, W. A. Davenport, superintendent of buildings and grounds, has several crews of men putting the finishing touches on dormitories, offices and laboratories, preparatory to the opening of classes on Monday, September 29. The State Highway department, has completed curb and gutter along the Campus roads and the maintenance department is spending much time getting the eight inches of new gravel in its place before the rush of the football season. Superintendent Davenport has been moving “heaven and earth,” at least a great amount of earth, to bring the slope of the lawn in front of Ag hall down to the level of the new road bed.

Plans are being made to charter a special train for the trip to Washington for the Georgetown game, October 31. At the present time the band hopes to make the trip with the team and fans. L. L. Primodig, ’17, assistant athletic director, is negotiating for a one-way fare for the round trip, although the route and details are not completed as yet. The special train will leave Lansing Wednesday night, October 29, arriving in Washington on Thursday noon. This will allow the team time to practice under the floodlights at the American league baseball park, where the game will be played on the following night. The train will leave Washington Saturday night, allowing everyone ample time for sight-seeing.

After being closed for repairs and decorations since the close of the summer session the Union Memorial building was opened to the public on September 9. A new floor in the cafeteria and the decoration of the walls make this portion of the building more attractive than ever. All cement floors have been painted throughout the building while extensive repairs and alterations have been made to the kitchen equipment.

Over on Abbot road and Grand River avenue in East Lansing’s business section, new and larger electric signs proclaim the growth of the College City, and every night a full-time policeman testifies that the old town has made some advances since the old hose cart occupied a place under Williams hall and later in the power house. Yes, the city even boasts of an up-to-date fire truck and all the equipment.

Step on the starter for Homecoming! The date—Saturday, October 18.

Alumni headquarters for Homecoming, October 18, will be on the main floor of the Union. Do not fail to stop in and register and see who else is here. Headquarters will be open all day except during the game. The Union will check everything free, except babies.
Coach Crowley Rallies Spartan Gridiron Forces

Meiers or Fatchett May Replace Smead at Center

"Hit me hard!"
"Watch those arms and dig those toes in on some fast jabber steps."

Words of this nature ring in the ears of hundreds of spectators as Coach Jim Crowley and "Judge" Carberry pass out their battle-cry to the Green and White charges in the pre-season drill days on the Spartan gridiron.

Unusually warm weather during the early part of the camp led the coaches to postpone the more strenuous sessions to the second week. From then until now the daily bill of fare has been pretty stiff despite the weather, hot or cold.

Solving Center Problem

The past week has found Coach Crowley and his assistants on their way toward the solution of the center problem. It begins to look as though two sophomores have jumped ahead in the race for the injured Captain Harold Smead's position. Francis (Buddy) Meiers and Elwyn Fatchett are the favorites with the former conceded the edge by sideline watchers. Meiers, a very likely looking sophomore, is admittedly faster than Smead's position. Francis (Buddy) Meiers or Elwyn Fatchett may replace Smead at center.

The big Blissfield sophomore carries around 185 pounds and has a sturdy physique that makes him look as a real hope. He has played center all through high school while Meiers has been a backfield man during his previous playing years.

The Spartan line, outside of the guards, will carry more than the average amount of weight this season. Nearly all the candidates for tackle are heavy. Don Ritler and Lester Eko, letter winners on last year's team, go well over 200 pounds while Ralph Brunette, a very likely looking sophomore, weighs just about 200. Cecil Fogg and Harold Haun, a pair of veteran ends, are close to the 190 mark, while Jake Fase, another wing, is not far behind.

Backfield is Fast

The Spartans had a speedy backfield last fall, but the 1930 edition looks even faster. Abie Eliowitz, Detroit sophomore, is admittedly faster than either Schau or Danziger, the occupants of that berth last fall. Eliowitz carries 185 pounds of weight, steps along with the halfbacks and possesses unusual defensive ability. Gerald Breen, Holland speed merchant, is leading the halfback candidates. Momett, Nordberg, Warren and Lafayette are all fast.

Roger Grove is generally believed to be the man who will lead the Spartans in their games. While Coach Crowley has not announced his plan for filling Smead's vacancy as captain, it is thought he will appoint a leader for each game. Grove's two years as quarterback apparently fit him for the duties. He is heavier this year, has improved his forward passing immensely during the summer and his punting, always a feature of his play, is up to standard. Sam Schwartzburg, Detroit sophomore, is a likely understudy to Grove.

Touchdown Spirit Prevails

Ask any Spartan athlete how things are going and he will promptly reply, "Things look better this year." Not only the athletes themselves, but the hundreds of sideline fans like Crowley's methods of early drill. He gives them plenty of football but at the same time does not believe in getting the boys all tired out before a game. He watches the body exercises with a shrewd eye. He visits the training table at the Union nearly every day and knows that his charges are receiving the proper diet. He has the confidence of the boys, the alumni and Lansing fans.

State has a tough schedule this year and may not win all the games. What the Spartans are out to do is to score touchdowns, not see how long they can hold an opponent. With that spirit, whether in victory or defeat, no one can raise his voice in protest.
RAWDEN-FISK

Cecil Rawden, '26, and Virginia Piske, both '28, were married August 2, 1930, in Lansing. They will reside in East Lansing. Rawden is a member of the firm of Flint Tree and Landscape Gardening company.

EDWARDS-MACKLIN

Harold W. Edwards, '26, and Edith Macklin were married in the Peoples church, East Lansing, August 2, 1930. They are living in Lansing.

On Sunday afternoon, September 27, the Elks and State Journal baseball teams will play a benefit game at the Lansing city ball park for Captain Harold Smead. Alumni and Spartan fans are urged to attend.

Word has been received that Howard Minier, '30, captain of the varsity golf team last spring, has added another title to his list. He won the Battle Creek city championship from a strong field recently. Earlier in the year Minier won the western Michigan amateur championship and gained entrance to the Michigan Golf association tournament at Charlevoix although he lost out in the second round of play.

SMead Gaining Slo\n
RE\n
ports reached Coach Crowley this week that Captain Harold Smead was out of danger, following the amputation of his leg. Smead, residing in Paulkner hospital, Jamaica Plains, Boston, received a large floral tribute from his teammates at the close of the first practice session Sept. 10.

He has been able to sit up in a wheel chair a few minutes each day and if recovery is very rapid may be brought to Michigan in time to witness the Ann Arbor game.

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IN AN EFFORT to save the double row of elms through the city of East Lansing, Phelps Voglund, '25, forester of the State Highway department, has inaugurated a plan to install 10-inch tile in the three boulevard blocks running through the business district. The state has asked the city of East Lansing to provide the water for filling the tile each week during the summer months.

The tile will be placed about five feet underground, the installation being done so no roots of the elm trees will be disturbed. The row of elms were planted in the fall of 1878 and the spring of 1879, and Dr. Beat in his history of the College mentioned the "roadside elms" many times.

MARRIAGES

BUCHANAN-LAIRD

J. R. Buchanan, '27, and Isabel Laird, 28, were married at the Peoples church in East Lansing, August 9, 1930. They are residing at 602 W. Rankin street, Flint.

GREENMAN-THOMAS

Roy Greenman, '30, and Eva Thomas were married in East Lansing July 26, 1930. At present they are located at Devils Lake, Michigan, where Greenman is employed by the State Highway department.

HESSELT-COLLINS

G. Burton Hersee and Dorothy Jean Collins, '26, were married July 30, 1930, in Lansing. They will make their home in Milwaukee.

STEPHENS-TERRY

Harper A. Stephens and Ellen Terry, both w'32, were married June 23, 1930, in Lansing. They are both students at the College.
ALUMNI AFFAIRS

1875
William L. Carpenter, Secretary
637 Seward Ave., Detroit, Mich.

O. E. Angstman is a lawyer in Detroit with offices at 817 Penobscot building. He lives at 1826 Chicago boulevard.

1876
Kevin D. Brooks, Secretary
710 S. Park St., Kalamazoo, Mich.

J. D. Starnard gives his address as Route 1, Box 221, Phoenix, Arizona.

Russell A. Clark is an import and export agent in the iron and steel business, with offices at 424 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh. He lives in Pittsburgh at 1132 Murrayhill avenue.

1878
Frank E. Hobson, Secretary
Law Dept., M. C. R. R., Room 503, Detroit, Mich.

James P. Lewis lives in Kansas City, Missouri, at 3406 Lexington.

Richard H. Gulley is proprietor of the Beacon Mercantile service at 810 West Iowa street, Urbana, Illinois.

Henry Valentine Clark is a Presbyterian clergyman in Bloomington, West Iowa street, Urbana, Illinois.

Richard H. Gulley is in the insurance business at Traverse City, Michigan.

1879
Ray Sessions, Secretary
419 Grandview St. N. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Charles P. Davis is living in Fort Collins, Colorado, at 411 South Howes street.

Willard L. Thomas gives his address as Afton, Michigan.

1881
Charles McKenny, Secretary

Amos W. Troupe is division surgeon for the St. Louis Southwestern Railway company, and lives at 917 W. Fifth street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

Clarence R. White is manager of industrial relations for the Chicago By-Products Coke company at 3500 S. Crawford avenue, Chicago. He lives at 134 N. Waller avenue.

1882
Alice W. Coulter, Secretary
457 Union Ave. S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.

H. S. Hackstaff writes from Los Angeles: "I hope to be able to drive my Packard east and be in Lansing next June. Am still sole owner of the H. S. Hackstaff company, carbonic gas, and my business is in excess of 1929, notwithstanding adverse reports of business conditions. Passed my 72nd milestone in June. Still going strong. Hope for many more years of activity."

Jefferson R. Irish has retired and is living at 695 N. 18th street, Salem, Oregon.

Lewis Blynn Hall gives his address as The Shack, R. 1, Bensenville, Illinois.

1885
R. B. McPherson, Secretary
Howard J. Hall is professor of English at Stanford university, California, and lives at Los Altos.

1892
George E. Elwin, Secretary
367 Abbot Road, East Lansing, Mich.

Albert H. Gillett is principal of the high school at Creswell, Oregon.

1893
Luther H. Baker, Secretary
305 Delta St., East Lansing, Mich.

William W. Tracy, Jr., is an associate horticulturist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and is located at Twin Falls, Idaho.

George W. Benjamin is in the insurance business at Traverse City, Michigan.

1895
Arthur C. McNamara, Secretary
1214 Center St., East City, Mich.

J. G. Veldhuis writes from Wolfe Point, Montana: "I enjoyed the reunion in June and all the other visits and reunions that I was privileged to attend in Michigan during my short trip there. Hope we will be able to have another such reunion in 1955."

John P. Churchill is works manager for the Mosher Steel and Machinery company at Dallas, Texas. He lives at Stoneleigh Court, Dallas.

1896
William K. Clute, Secretary
608 Central Trust Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Clifton H. Briggs says that he is a retired chemist, and makes his home at 5234 Sheridan avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

George W. Williams is director of factories for the Creamery Package Manufacturing company, 1243 W. Washington boulevard, Chicago. He lives in Oak Park at 341 S. Humphrey avenue.

Orson P. West gives his address as 711 Mary street, Flint, Michigan.

1897
Hubert E. VanNorman, Secretary
Care Box B-380 Madison Ave., New York City

Albert T. Cartland gives his address as 613 E. Main street, Lowell, Michigan. He is a pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Charles F. Herrman is a merchant tailor at 612 S. Second avenue, Minneapolis. He lives at Interlachen Park, R. 1, Hopkins, Minnesota.

Sadie Champion Savage (Mrs. Emmett L.) lives in Columbus, Ohio, at 281 14th avenue.

1898
D. A. Soley, Secretary
East Lansing, Mich.

Bertha Baker Heath (Mrs. E. F.) is business manager of the Department of Public Baths, Newark, New Jersey. She lives in Newark at 328 Park avenue.

Charles W. Loomis is in the poultry business in Somers, Connecticut.

Clara M. Steele teaches household arts in Albany, New York, where she lives at 382 Park avenue.

Robert T. Williams is a civil engineer in Sanford, Florida. His business address is 108½ Park avenue, and he lives at 320 Oak avenue.

1899
S. Fred Edwards, Secretary
801 Jonas St., Lansing, Mich.

Edward Gagnier is a designer for the Republic Steel corporation at Youngstown, Ohio. He lives in Youngstown at 442 W. Delason.

Philip S. Rose is editor of the Country Gentleman magazine. Rose lives at 640 Ardmore avenue, Ardmore, Pennsylvania.


1900
Bertha Malone, Secretary
81 Waverly Ave., Holland Park, Mich.

Charles W. Bale is chief engineer for the Potter Refrigerator corporation, Portland, Oregon. He lives in Portland at 481 E. 18th street North.

John R. Thompson is principal mechanical engineer in the bureau of valuation of the Interstate Commerce commission, Washington, D. C. He lives in Washington at 1431 Whittier street N. W.

1901
Mark L. Ireland, Secretary
Quarters 331, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

Hugh P. Baker left the National Chamber of Commerce on September 1, 1930, to accept a position as dean of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse university, Syracuse, New York.

Arthur H. Hayes is employed by the Mt. Vernon Bridge company, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. He lives at 110 E. Gambier street.

George E. Chadsey gives his address as the Chaslonet Hotel, Washington, D. C.

George D. White is divisional director for the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company and is located at Newark, New Jersey. He lives at 370 N. Mountain avenue, Montclair.

Lt. Col. Mark L. Ireland writes from Quarters 331, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii: "My present assignment is that of Quartermaster of the Hawaiian division, also of the post of Schofield Barracks. This is the largest military post in the army and the only one
having a complete division in it. There are two infantry brigades of two regiments each, one field artillery brigade of three regiments, the 3rd Engineers, the 11th Medical regiment, 11th Tank company, 11th Signal company, 2nd Chemical company, 11th Ordnance company, 11th Ammunition train, 11th Motorcycle company, Hawaiian division quartermaster train, headquarters and military police company, headquarters of special troops, Hawaiian division headquarters, 5th Bakery company, school for bakers and cooks, school for farriers and horses, 18th Pursuit group, and 6th and 19th Pursuit squadrons. The post is located in the center of the Island of Oahu, about 850 feet above sea level and about 22 miles from Honolulu. At one corner of the reservation is Mount Kaala, 4030 feet high. The reservation runs from the crest of the Koola range along the northeast shore across the central valley to the crest of the Waialae range along the southwest shore. Some ten miles away at Waialua on the north shore we enjoy salt water bathing all of the year around. In the uplands here we are in the pineapple region, with plenty of sugar cane somewhat closer to the shores.

"A few doors away are the family of Capt. Ernest John, 35th Infantry, until recently an assistant to the professor of military science and tactics at Michigan State. In the upper post, or 19th Infantry area, is the family of Capt. Louis J. Lampke, supply officer, 19th Infantry, who was in the class of 1907 at Michigan State and who played on the varsity team as guard and fullback in the season of 1909. His home is still in Saginaw, Michigan. His daughter, Margaret, was married recently, to 2nd Lt. Vachel D. Whittley, Jr., 19th Infantry, after the experience of having Capt. Lampke's house burn five days before the wedding and having to re-equip themselves completely with clothing and almost completely with house furnishings.

"I expect to be relieved and sail with my family 2 December, 1930, arriving at San Francisco, 8 December, leaving there 12 December, passing through the Panama Canal and arriving in New York City 30 December, 1930. Uncle Sam has not yet revealed what my new station will be, but we are hoping that it will be somewhere on the Atlantic coast, reasonably near New York and the New York Harbor.
George Brown, Secretary
East Lansing, Mich.

Herbert R. Beckwith is with the Belle City Manufacturing company, Racine, Wisconsin, makers of agricultural implements, threshers, cornhuskers, etc. He lives in Racine at 1428 S. Main street.

Leroy Dordand in the government inspection service with the U. S. department of agriculture with offices at 212 U. S. Customs House, Galveston, Texas. He may be reached at P. O. Box 117.

Christopher M. Granger is with the United States forest service, and at present is located in Portland, Oregon. After the first of the year he may be reached in Washington, D. C.

Leroy N. Hayden is a member of the firm of George H. Ruhling & company, practicing and consulting civil engineers. 900 Lawyers building, Detroit. He lives in Detroit at 18915 Puritan.

Helen Andrews Stoffer <Mrs. G. O.) lives at 363 S. 20th street, LaCrosse, Wisconsin.

Earle A. Towne is chief engineer for the Union Steel Products company, Albion, Michigan. He lives at 514 Division street.

A. W. Wilson lives at 105 Glengrove avenue west, Toronto, Canada.

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Harry H. Musselman, Secretary
East Lansing, Mich.

Ernest J. Shassberger is manager of sales analysis and research for the Olds Motor Works, Lansing. He lives at 820 N. Capitol avenue.

Orlando W. Stephenson is professor of methods in the social studies at the University of Michigan. He lives in Ann Arbor at 502 Third street.

Eugene I. Wilcox is farming near Potterville, Michigan.

Lloyd E. Wood is a mechanical engineer with the Western Electric company, Inc. gives his address as 5653 Ridge avenue, Chicago.

1909

Olive Graham Howland, Secretary
213 Forest Ave., East Lansing, Mich.

Frank H. Dains lives in Lansing at 215 Strathmoore road. He is a plumbing and heating contractor.

C. W. Edwards, who runs the experiment station at Guam for the United States government, was on the Campus in August in the course of a trip to Washington and intermediate points.

Edwin B. Hulette is in the paint manufacturing business under the name of Yates, Hulette Paint company, and has two shops, one at 2355 Folsom street, San Francisco and the other at 671 S. Daly street, Los Angeles. He lives at 3727 Rock Glen avenue, Eagle Rock.

Benjamin Jerome is quality manager for the H. H. Franklin Auto company, Syracuse, New York.

S. F. Knight is sales engineer for the Mead Morrison Manufacturing company, 1343 Monadnock building, 53 W. Jackson boulevard, Chicago. He lives at 6646 Stoney Island avenue.

Roy R. Lyon is a building inspector with offices in the City Service building, Clinton street, Detroit. He lives at 2639 S. Liddlesdale.

Charles W. Mason is research associate in psychology for the American Association of Museums, Washington, D. C.; assistant curator in charge of adult education at the Buffalo Museum of Science, and part time lecturer in industrial psychology, evening session, at the University of Buffalo. Mason lives in Buffalo at 223 Minnesota avenue.

Albert Sobey is director of the General Motors Institute of Technology at Flint, Michigan. He lives at 2001 Chevrolet avenue.

Ethlyn Hudson White (Mrs. G. C.) is teaching home economics at Copemish, Michigan.

1910

Mrs. Minnie Johnson Starr, Secretary

Benton Cataline lives at 701 W. Hamilton avenue, Flint, Michigan. He is an engineer with the Buick Motor company.

Gordon Cavanagh is valuation and

Howard H. Douglass is plant superintendent of the Ira Wilson & Sons Dairy, of 3253 Tillman avenue, Detroit. Douglass lives at 3554 Commonwealth avenue.

Hugh E. Lynch is city planning consultant in Grand Rapids, Michigan. He gives his address as 146 Griggs S. E.

William G. May is district manager for the Allis Chalmers company, 1720 First National Bank building, Cincinnati, Ohio. He lives at 6536 Iris avenue.

Harry Olin is in the grocery business in Lansing at 815 Baker street. He lives at 1600 N. Genesee drive.

James E. Shaw lives in Detroit at 12850 Mark Twain avenue.

William J. Thome is civil engineer for the R. C. Mahon company, 8650 Mt. Elliott avenue, Detroit. He lives at 14911 Fairfield avenue.

1913
Robert E. Laree, Secretary
East Lansing, Mich.

Howard E. Hewitt is teaching in Hillsdale, Michigan, and lives at 160 Oak.

1915
Rolan W. Sleight, Secretary
Laingsburg, Mich.

Kris P. Bemis may be reached at 307 Deering avenue, Portland, Maine.

Anna Cowles Herr writes from 39 Maple avenue, Flemington, New Jersey: "I imagine commencement was a great success. The program looked fine. Indeed I can hardly credit the old College sporting a horse show and all. Wish I were near enough to enter ours. We have two lovely Kentucky bluebloods and a new Irish hunter that jumps five feet nine without a flurry. Of course we'll all land in the poor house but expect to take our horses with us. Virginia Langworthy received her M. D. from Cornell Medical school June 21, graduating with beaucoup honors, and has the much-coveted internship at Bellevue hospital in New York beginning July 1. Ryman sailed July 1 for Europe with his mother. She is a gold star mother so Ry went with her to give her a little independent trip through France and Germany and England. I did not go as our little boy was still in quarantine with a nurse with scarlet fever. Elda Robb is going to Yale next year to study for her Ph. D. She has been with the nursery school at Columbia."

1917
Mary LaSelle, Secretary
420 W. Hillsdale St., Lansing, Mich.

Harold Clemetson has been transferred from the Alpena to the Lansing area of the State Highway department. He is living in Holt.
1921
Maurice Rann, Secretary
1406 Osborn Road, Lansing, Mich.
Charles E. Watson is a designing engineer for the Chicago Surface Lines, and may be reached at 4536 S. Johnson avenue, Western Springs, Illinois.

1928
Karl Davies, Secretary
306 E. Court St., Flint, Mich.
Karl Davies sends in the following news: "Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Maxfield (Marion Ullrey, '29), and daughter, Joyce, age 14 months, moved June 20 from East Lansing to 4319 Webster street, Dear Park, Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Maxfield has taught chemistry at M. S. C. for the past six years and is now employed as a research chemist by Proctor & Gamble." Davies continues: "Would also like to hear from M. S. C. for the past six years and is now employed as a research chemist by Proctor & Gamble." Davies continues: "Would also like to hear from any one who might come to me. I would like to be swamped with mail but as yet I'm not."

George H. Wilson is principal of schools at Onaway, Michigan.
Irene Austin Hardesty (Mrs. John O.) gives her new address as 215 Parker avenue, Waverly Hills, Clarendon, Virginia.

The following letter is from Jim McElroy who is assistant mechanical engineer on a project for the Soviet government, and who may be reached at Cheliabinsk, Siberia, U. S. S. R., care Cheliabinsk Tractorstroy: "Arrived in Cheliabinsk on the 18th (June) and am now busy at work on the tractor plant. We had a very pleasant crossing of the Atlantic, sailing from Montreal the 15th of May on the Montcalm. No mal-de-mer at all. Spent five days in Paris and am anxious to stop on the way home and see more of it. From Paris we went to Berlin by air, making the trip quite easily in 6½ hours flying time—with an hour for lunch in Cologne, where we had the first good coffee since leaving home. France, Belgium and Germany were very easily distinguishable from the air, and as we landed in Berlin we saw many ships on the field ready to take off for most any place one could want to go over here. In this connection, the rest of our party traveled by train between Paris and Berlin and it took them 18 hours. We stayed in Berlin for three or four days and then to Warsaw, Poland, which is a beautiful city and to us much more interesting than Berlin. Our next stop was Moscow where we stayed nearly ten days before coming on here. Saw the many and sundry museums in the city, and went to see the Russian ballet. Believe me, everything else of a like kind is an imitation after seeing it. Moscow, by the way, is one of the most interesting places we've seen thus far. Positively everyone works. Cheliabinsk is two days and two nights from Moscow on the Trans-Siberian railroad via Sverlof, from which place we traveled overland by Ford and Packard here, through miles of birch and pine. The time honored way of closing a letter to you seems to be 'That the latch-string is always out to M. S. C. folks' which holds true here also."

1929
Phil Olin, Secretary
46 Delaware Ave., Detroit, Mich.
L. E. Skellenger has moved to Newington, Connecticut.
Horace T. Helfrich gives his address as 48 Breed street, Lynn, Massachusetts. Horace is with General Electric company.
Herbert F. Hoffman is farming at Almont, Michigan.
Gwendolyn Packwood may be reached in East Lansing at 132 Division street.
W. Earl McConnell is a field engineer for the Sparks-Withington company of Jackson, and gives the Olympic hotel as his address in San Francisco. M. Elizabeth Gillis gives her new address as Moscow, U. S. S. R., Bolshoi Gnezidkovsky. 10. Giprovzetmet, Bureau Wheeler.