Starr Keesler, '41, Is Named Alumni Director

Starr H. Keesler, '41, is the new director of alumni relations at Michigan State College, having taken over the reins from Tom King, who became dean of students July 1.

Keesler at MSC Since 1943

Another new face in the Office of Alumni Relations is Jack Breslin, '46, one of MSC's all-time football greats, who replaces George Guerre, '48, as assistant director of alumni relations.

The 30-year-old Keesler first joined the Michigan State staff in 1943 as an instructor in short courses. Following a tour as an officer in the U. S. Navy in World War II, he returned to MSC in 1946 as director of college housing. Since January he has become a familiar figure to Spartan alumni all over the nation through his work as assistant director of alumni relations.

Breslin Joins Staff

Breslin won six letters in football, baseball and basketball during 1944 and 1945. The Spartan fullback won the "Governor's Award" as the most valuable during the 1944 season, captained the 1945 football and baseball teams and participated in the 1945-46 Shrine All-Star games.

In addition, he was vice-president of the Varsity Club and president of the senior class and Union Board in 1946. Breslin came to Michigan State in June from Allentown, Pa., where he was district manager for the Dodge division of Chrysler Corporation.

King achieved an outstanding organizational record during the time he served as alumni director. The number of active alumni clubs in the U. S. have almost tripled during this period, having increased from 36 in April, 1948 to 85 today. The present organization includes 50 Michigan clubs and 26 clubs in 16 other states. In the process of formation are alumni groups in Hawaii, India and China, which are expected to be in full swing by the end of this year.

Michigan State Opens Four Year Nursing Curriculum In September

A new four-year course for training professional nurses will be started by Michigan State College in September, according to Lloyd C. Emmons, dean of MSC's School of Science and Arts.

Nurses Needed in State

The curriculum is the result of a survey on nursing needs made by a special seven-man committee, headed by Dean Emmons, in consultation with hospital nursing staffs and local committees on nursing located within a 75-mile radius of East Lansing.

The course will be a combination of academic study at MSC and practical training in near-by hospitals. It will be jointly administered by an MSC director of nursing and staffs of hospitals where students will take their clinical training. The course will be offered in the Division of Biological Sciences of the School of Science and Arts, Dean Emmons said.

Student nurses will earn a total of 200 credits, 140 at Michigan State and 60 at the hospitals where they take clinical training.

Named acting head of the new curriculum was Prof. H. J. Stasfeath, who is director of the MSC Division of Biological Sciences. He will remain in this capacity until a full-time director is named.

Many Cooperate in Venture

Between 15 and 25 young women are expected to enroll in the course this fall, Dean Emmons said. Until enrollment expands, he said, two hospitals will be used for the clinical phase of the course—Edward W. Sparrow Hospital in Lansing, and Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids. Graduates in the curriculum will receive the degree of bachelor of science with a major in nursing.

Cooperating with MSC in setting up the new course are: the W. K. Kellogg Foundation, the National League of Nursing Education, the U. S. Public Health Service and the Michigan Board of Registration of Nurses.
Funds for Veterinary Building Are Approved

Michigan State College prepared itself for further economy measures in operational expenses for the 1950-51 year, following a net decrease of approximately $300,000 in legislative appropriations over last year's budget.

Operation Budget Cut

MSC received $7,213,773 to operate the on-campus teaching program, although college officials had requested a net increase of $1,062,230 over the 1949-50 budget of $7,513,254.

The Michigan Legislature insured MSC against further loss of operating revenue, however, when it set aside $910,340 to be used to make up the anticipated decrease in income due to the rapidly-dwindling veteran enrollment. It still left Michigan State with $299,841 less to operate the college than it had last year.

Michigan State also received $1,400,000 with which to begin construction on the new $2,400,000 veterinary medicine center. The Legislature gave assurances that the remainder of the money for the building would be appropriated in the near future. The building is expected to be completed in the fall of 1951.

Extension Funds Decreased

For its agricultural research and extension programs, MSC received: extension, $798,889, compared to last year's $840,936; Experiment Station, $785,000, compared to $750,000; and the Hope-Flannagan program of marketing research, for matching federal funds, $180,000, the same as was received last year.

A number of economy moves have been instituted by MSC in order to live within the operations budget, according to James H. Denison, administrative assistant to the president. Included will be the limiting of the summer program, considerable reduction in planned expenditures for new equipment, and not filling certain positions on the teaching staff as they become vacant, he said.

Open House at Shaw Hall

Draws 10,000 Persons

An estimated 10,000 persons got an inside look at MSC's Robert S. Shaw Hall for Men, largest college dormitory in the world, an open house held June 3, in conjunction with the Alumni-Commencement week-end.

The dormitory, housing 1,600 single male students, was completed this spring. It was named in honor of President Emeritus Robert Sidey Shaw, who retired as head of Michigan State College in 1941.

Streamlining of Course Offerings Brings Major Changes for MSC

Broad-scale administrative reorganization, designed to group existing areas of study more effectively and to modernize course offerings, went into effect at Michigan State College July 1.

Action included the revision of curricula in the School of Business and Public Service, reorganization of the Continuing Education Service, and the naming of department heads for the newly-created Division of Conservation.

Name Conservation Heads

Four national authorities in the conservation field will serve under Prof. Paul A. Herbert, director of the Division of Conservation. They are Dr. Terrill D. Stevens, forestry; Dr. Peter Tack, fisheries and wildlife; Dr. A. J. Panshin, wood utilization; and Prof. L. R. Shoemmann, Conservation Institute.

Dr. Stevens, who received his Ph.D. from Yale University and was a former MSC faculty member, has directed the Department of Forestry at the University of Alabama since 1947. Dr. Tack received his Ph.D. degree from Cornell University and has been on the MSC staff since 1940.

Panshin at MSC Since 1935

Dr. Panshin a 15-year member of the MSC forestry staff, received his Ph.D. degree from the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse. He is co-author of two books on wood utilization and has written numerous articles in this field for professional journals.

Prof. Shoemann, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, has been director of the MSC Conservation Institute since 1937. A prominent author in the field of conservation, he held numerous administrative positions with state and federal agencies and institutions prior to 1957.

Harden Gets New Post

An exchange of personnel between departments placed Edgar L. Harden, of the Institute of Counseling, Testing and Guidance, in the directorship of the Continuing Education Service. Prof. Harden, who received his M.A. at Iowa University in 1937, has been on the MSC staff since 1946.

Prof. Carl M. Horn, head of the Continuing Education Service since 1948, joined the Institute staff, where he will be brought into more intimate association with the public schools of Michigan, his primary field of interest.

Create New Divisions

The State Board of Agriculture also authorized the creation of two new divisions in the School of Business and Public Service. They are the Division of Business which replaces the Department of Business Administration and the Division of Hotel Restaurant and General Institutional Management, which succeeds the Department of Hotel Administration.

Leslie W. Scott, '35, manager of the MSC Union since 1946, was named director of the Division of Hotel, Restaurant and General Institutional Management. The old Department of Hotel Administration became the Department of Hotel Management and Prof. Bernard R. Proulx remains as head. Two other new departments in the division, dealing with hotel management and general institutional management, were also created, and department heads will be named later.

Scott served as assistant manager in charge of catering services for the Hotel Morrison in Chicago from 1922 to 1946, excluding three years of military service.

The Division of Business will include departments of accounting, general business, and business educational and secretarial studies. Prof. E. A. Gee, who has directed the Department of Business Administration, heads the new Department of Accounting. He will also serve as acting head of the other departments until permanent appointments are made, officials announced.
Student Affairs

It cost Robert Boston, a Flint junior, the price of an orchid to test a long-standing Michigan State College legend.

Students for years have suspected that instructors, pressed for time, didn’t read all the way through term papers.

Boston handed in one with a notation buried back on page 15. “If you read this far, I’ll buy you an orchid.”

Prof. Lucia Morgan, a speech instructor, did, and Boston did. Said Miss Morgan, “The price of an orchid is eternal vigilance.”

Another MSC student made the headline via the route of direct advertising. Arthur H. Miller, Chicago mechanical engineering student in search of a job, painted his qualifications on a big roadside sign and posted it on highway 27. He’s now with a Lansing consulting engineering firm.

Senior Class president for the coming year will be Bob Klein, of Detroit, and Robert Rombouts, Ironwood sophomore, was elected president of the Student Council.

A repeat performance, which has become traditional with Water Carnival in the past four years was the float of Gamma Phi Beta and Delta Sigma Chi. Since 1947, the Delta Sigs have taken three grand prizes in the traditional spring parade of floats along the Red Cedar river. Their theme, “Depression.”

State Board of Agriculture scholarships were awarded to two MSC seniors who had the highest scholastic average for four years study, at Senior Swing-out ceremonies. President Hannah presented them to Carol Eleanor Parker of Birmingham, and Richard E. Michel of Saginaw. Michel’s average was 2.97 out of a possible 3.00, and Miss Parker received a grade average of 2.95. Michel was only one point off the all-time record which was set last year by John H. Brown, Vicksburg, who attained a 2.98.

Commencement

Vice-President Alben W. Barkley, side-stepping political issues, had some grave words for Michigan State College graduates at commencement ceremonies.

“You find a greater challenge than any class heretofore ever met and a greater opportunity, also, than any other class heretofore ever faced,” he said.

Urging an intelligent approach to the world’s problems, he pointed out the challenge was to solve the increasingly complex problems of a modern society and the opportunity emerges from an “aristocracy of intellect” which college students have more aptitude for attaining.

More than 13,000 people heard the address and watched the awarding of a record 4,469 degrees. Vice-President Barkley received an honorary doctor of laws degree. A native of Kentucky, he received his B.A. degree at Marvin College, Clinton, Ky., studied law at Emory College, Oxford, Ga., and the University of Virginia Law School. He served as U.S. Senator from Kentucky four times until becoming vice-president in 1948.

A second honorary doctor of laws degree was awarded retired army Brig. Gen. Donald A. Stroh ’15, for “distinction and gallantry” in a life of service with the U.S. armed forces. Holding the highest military rank ever achieved by a graduate of Michigan State, General Stroh led the Eighth Infantry division in the campaigns of Brittany, Luxembourg, Belgium and Hurtgen Forest.

Two other MSC graduates, Max W. Gardner, ’12, and John W. Sims, ’18, received honorary doctor of science and doctor of agriculture degrees, respectively.

Dr. Gardner, who has devoted his life to teaching and research in the field of plant pathology, received his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees at the University of Wisconsin. He has been a professor of plant pathology and plant pathologist of the University of California Experiment Station since 1932.

Dr. Sims, an expert in the field of soils and organizational work among farm groups, was a leader in the organization of the Ohio cooperative movement. A vocational agriculture teacher, county agent, member of the MSC staff and extension specialist, Dr. Sims used his combined experience in “promoting agricultural practices.”

Achievement honors were also bestowed upon five MSC alumni who received Distinguished Alumni Awards.

Enrollment

Summer enrollment on the Spartan campus gave added proof that the serious-minded veterans, who don’t mind sacrificing vacations in order to speed up graduation, are really on the way out.

Registration of full-time students in the first session numbered 4,508, more than 200 less than last year’s 4,739. Enrollment in a half-dozen credit workshops, however, boosted this figure to near the 4,600 mark. Veterans held a bare majority of 51 per cent.

Enrollment for the second six-week term, which got under way July 26, was expected to total slightly over 2,000, as compared with last year’s 2,320, according to Registrar Robert S. Linton.
THE AFFAIRS OF STATE

Case of the State News

The Michigan State News, showcase for youthful journalistic ingenuity on the MSC campus, found itself in a lot of hot water this summer with the American Legion and college officials.

The State News, in its second weekly issue under the editorship of Ronald Linton, Detroit senior, issued a harsh editorial blast at the administration of the Wolverine Boys' State. Boys' State is an annual program designed to teach high school youths the principles of American government through the administration of a mock state.

The editorial charged that the Boys' State, as supervised by the American Legion, was "an experiment shot with narrow principles, bald-faced fascism, and militaristic ideas." "It was quite obvious," the editorial continued, "the American Legion was again blandly passing out their 'American' bill of goods which constantly reads as follows: Preserve Americanism, preserve militarism, stamp out Communism because it threatens Americanism, and stamp it out by all means available, fast, slow, fair or foul, but stamp it out!"

The American Legion convention, assembled in Sault Ste. Marie, took sharp issue with the editorial, charging that it followed "a familiar Russian Communist pattern and form," and that no one "could read it without recognizing the hand of an expert in the sinister technique of subverting our American institutions." They demanded an immediate retraction and called for an investigation by Gov. Williams and the Michigan Legislature of the individual responsible for the editorial.

College administrators, realizing that it was not a case of Communist editors, but rather an example of "scatter-gun accusations and poorly-worded logic," decided nevertheless that something should be done.

It was not the first time the college had been embarrassed by student editors, nor was it likely to be the last.

The State News, subsidized by the college and distributed free of charge to students, was suspended for the rest of the summer by the Board of Publications.

It was announced simultaneously by Prof. A. A. Applegate, journalism head, that W. F. McIlrath, veteran newspaper man who is now managing editor of the Dowagiac Evening News, will become the first full-time director of student publications at Michigan State this September. Rather than appoint a temporary director of student publications, the board decided that it would be simpler and more satisfactory to suspend publication until the new plan could be put into effect in September, Applegate said.

At that time, the State News will be brought directly under the supervision of the Department of Journalism, and will serve as a laboratory for journalism students.

Faculty Affairs

Harold E. Sponberg, assistant director of placement, picked off a coveted honor in June when he won the national U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce public speaking contest, "Speak Up For Democracy."

His address titled "This Above All," won the unanimous decision of three judges at the state finals held in Detroit, did the same in Pittsburg at a regional contest held June 2, and was selected as best at the national competition in Chicago, June 15.

"Best Symphonic Work of the Year," the annual New York Composers' press award, has been won by H. Owen Reed, member of the MSC music faculty. The verdict of the jury was, "Although other works tie rather closely for first place, the jurors chose Dr. Reed's work because of its excellent quality with respect to orchestration, as well as musical content."

A new textbook in psychology has been written by Dr. S. Horan Bartley, of the MSC psychology department. It was published by McGraw-Hill in June.

A. G. Kettunen, state 4-H leader and staff member for 25 years, received the Superior Service Award of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The award, presented in Washington, D.C., cited Kettunen for his work in building one of the nation's most effective 4-H Club programs. "Kett" joined the Michigan extension staff in 1917, following graduation from MSC.

On The Cover...

Is a sketch of the proposed Michigan State College alumni memorial chapel, as drawn by Architect Ralph Calder. Construction of the building, made possible through contributions of Spartan alumni all over the world, will begin fall. Michigan State officials want Spartan alumni to select a name for the chapel. Cast your ballot by using the form on page 15.

Dr. Margaret Ohlson, head of the Department of Foods and Nutrition, received the annual Borden Award at the mid-century dinner of the American Home Economics Association in Boston, July 13.

Cited for outstanding fundamental human nutrition research, the MSC home economist was selected on the basis of research papers published during the past three years. Dr. Ohlson also shared in a previous Borden Award, given in 1942 to a five-member group for cooperative research.

MSC Studies TV

Michigan State College is investigating the educational possibilities of television, with an eye toward offering instructional courses, and later, when licenses are available, the actual setting up of a television station.

The State Board of Agriculture appropriated funds to purchase equipment necessary to institute basic television courses in several fields. It has been revealed by James H. Denison, administrative assistant to Pres. Hannah, that the station could also be utilized for practical experience for students desiring to enter the video field, and for transmission of non-lecture material from laboratories to classrooms.

Public Relations Award

Michigan State's Department of Information Services (formerly the Department of Public Relations), won its fourth national public relations award in five years last month.

The citation for the best press relations with national magazines was presented to W. Lowell Treaster, department director, at the national convention of the American College Public Relations Association held at Ann Arbor.

The award was based on an 18-month project handled largely by Alvie L. Smith, news editor in the department.

Michigan State took first honors in the news photo category in 1946 and 1947 and in 1949 won the best sports promotional citation.
Veterans and Newcomers Will Share Honors in Spartan Football This Fall

If the results of the annual spring Green-White intra-squad football game mean anything, fullback Everett Grandelius and sophomore right halfback Vince Pisano are going to have major roles in the 1950 Michigan State grid plans.

Grandelius, a Muskegon Heights senior, mastered the switch from the left halfback spot he occupied in 1949 to the graduation-depleted fullback position so well that he won the Calhoun County Alumni award as the "outstanding player" in the spring game. Pisano, one of several candidates in the fight for the place vacated by All-American Lynn Chadnois, was outstanding for the White team and was runner-up to Grandelius for the trophy in a poll of radio and press representatives present.

**Pisano Scores White Tally**

Grandelius sparked the Green team to a 14-7 win over the White unit by scoring both touchdowns, one a 56-yard jaunt, the other on a short plunge. Pisano scored the lone White tally on a pass from Willie Thrower, but earlier in the game thrilled the 15,000 spectators with a brilliant 60-yard run before being hauled down from behind.

Munn will have a squad of 14 lettermen which will serve as a team nucleus for the season. Eight linemen and six backs are in the group headed by Capt. LeRoy Crane, who was held out of spring drills because of an injury. Besides Crane, Munn will recall quarterback Bill Carey; left halfbacks Al Dorow and Jesse Thomas; fullback Sonny Grandelius; and Bob Ciolek, a candidate for the right halfback post. Linemen include ends Bob Carey, Hank Minarik, and Dome Dibble; guards John Tolbin, John Yocca and J. C. Williams.

**Many Sophomores Shine**

As Coach Biggie Munn and his staff begin preparations for the opening of fall football drills, much time and effort will be spent readying the long list of sophomores who will be making their first varsity bid.

Twenty-one sophomore candidates, eleven linemen and ten backs, warrant top consideration for game duty this fall. Top choices among the backs are left halfbacks Don McAuliffe, Willie Thrower, and John Wilson; quarterback Leo Boyd; fullbacks Ed Timmerman and Dick Panin; and right halfback Pisano, Wayne Benson, Ray Vogt, and Jim Ellis. Leading the newcomers to bolster the Spartan line are ends Ed Luke and Ross Case; tackles Deane Thomas, Dick Koh, Bill Hughes, and John Rhodes; guards Frank Kush and Gordon Serr; and centers Dick Tamburo, Dick Abraham, and Doug Weaver.

**New Assistant Coaches Named To Spartan Staff**

New assistant coaches in baseball and football have been announced for the 1950-51 school year.

The new addition to the baseball staff is Dick Massuch, former Spartan first baseman, who completed work for his degree in physical education in June. Massuch served as student aide to John H. Kobs during the 1950 season and will begin his full-time duties Sept. 1.

**RATED BEST: Everett Grandelius, senior fullback, won the first annual award of the Calhoun County Alumni Club for his superlative play in the Spartan spring game. He is shown receiving the trophy from Glenn B. Moore, '46, past president of the club.**

Massuch won major awards in football during the 1944 and 1945 grid seasons and baseball letters in 1946 and 1947. He also brings two years of professional baseball experience to his new post.

Hal Vogler, 1949 football captain, has been appointed a student assistant to freshman mentor Steve Sebo for the forthcoming season. Vogler will fill the post vacated by Bob McCurry, three-time Spartan captain, who resigned to enter the business field.

**Kobsmen Win 19, Lose 9 In Season Diamond Play**

Coach John H. Kobs' 25th Spartan baseball team climaxed its season's record of nineteen wins and only nine losses by being selected for a berth in the NCAA District IV playoffs.

Although losing to Wisconsin in the tourney held at Old College Field, the Spartans regular season record, based on games played since returning from the annual southern training tour, was 16 wins and four defeats.

**Magi Named Captain**

Spartan teammates elected Vince Magi, Detroit centerfielder, to captain the 1951 team. State's first in Big Ten competition, Magi replaces Jack Kinney, Owosso rightfielder.

A big factor in the team successes were the five Spartans who finished over the .300 batting mark. Al Commins, a starter in every game during the season, piled up a .367 average and led his mates in runs scored and stolen bases. Charley Joblonski, a sophomore catcher from E. Rochester, N. H., appeared in 17 games and compiled a .413 average in 46 times at bat. Captain-elect Magi came through with a .348 batting mark.

For the second straight year, Jack Kinney led the team in the all-important RBI department, adding 31 this season to his 1949 record 35.

A lion's share of the credit for the team success must also go to the Spartans ace righthander Lou Bloch. Dareborn senior, Bloch won seven straight, and lost only to Wisconsin in the NCAA play-off. Tom Lawson, Detroit sophomore, was the workhorse of the staff. He pitched 70 innings, recorded 50 strikeouts, and compiled a record of four wins and three losses.

**Hot Weather Relief**

Keeping in trim and beating the heat was easy at Michigan State College during the summer months. The MSC Ice Arena, one of four or five in the nation available for hot-weather skating, remained in operation from June 24 to Aug. 12.

Professional instructors were on hand to accommodate the record crowds, and play host to skating clubs.
Relay Team Sets World's Record

FASTEST YET: These Spartan harriers make up the world's fastest two-mile relay team. Left to right are Bill Mack, Palos Park, Ill., senior; Don Makielski, Ann Arbor junior; Warren Druetzler, LaGrange, Ill., junior; and Dave Peppard, New Orleans, La., senior. Their record time of 7:31.4 set at the invitational Coliseum Relays at Los Angeles, bested the 7:34.6 established in 1941.

Michigan State College Athletes Ink “Winning Season” In Annual Ledger

By “BUD” ERICKSON, ’49

A winning way again wrote itself into the Spartan sports annual ledger, as MSC athletes swam, ran, booted and batted to victory, around the calendar.

On the football side, Coach “Biggie” Munn’s gridironers ranked among the 20 top grid teams in the nation. Their record: six wins, two losses.

Sharing the fall spotlight, MSC cross-country runners repeated last year’s win in the IC4-A and CCC indoor titles and dual competition, while the fencing team of the ledger in top order. MSC swimmers, took second place in the NCAA titlist Ohio State. They defeated Michigan for the first time in history.

In spite of basketball and hockey reverses, other teams kept the winter page of the ledger in top order. MSC swimmers won nine meets, lost but one to NCAA titlist Ohio State. They defeated Michigan for the first time in history.

Basball and track shared the spotlight during the spring quarter, with the former winning 19, losing 9 and gaining a berth in the District 4, NCAA baseball play-offs. In California, MSC’s two-mile relay team set a new world’s record at the Coliseum relays, then returned with other team-mates to compete in the highly regarded triangular meet with Southern California and Yale.

The Michigan State tennis team won the Central Collegiate crown, sported an 8-3 record, while Spartan golfers, competing against the Mid-west’s best, won four and dropped six.

It was a good year for most Spartan fans and athletes with, of course, some room for improvement. Nevertheless, more green and white than red has been inked into the ledger.

Tickets Still Available

Early rushes over, there is still a chance to see all Spartan football games this coming fall, according to Ticket Manager Lyman L. Frimodig.

Eastern MSC alums can still secure seats in the Michigan State section for the Pitt-State tussle, Nov. 19.

Newest Alumni Group Formed by Class of ’50

Michigan State’s newest alumni left the campus in June with an organization ready made from a nucleus of class leaders.

Before graduation, they created the “50 Club,” designed to serve as an active organizing group for future alumni activities of the class.

Select 50 Members

The Club has 50 members, picked on the basis of scholarship, activities, quality of their non-academic work, and tentative location after graduation, according to class president Ed Pino of Lansing.

“Members were selected to compose a cross-section of Michigan and out-of-state students who were most interested in promoting Michigan State as alumni,” Pino said.

Club Has Six Aims

He pointed out six functions: (1) to sustain contact with outstanding high school students, (2) lead local alumni groups, (3) organize class alumni activities, (4) help in tracing “lost alumni,” and (5) help college alumni officers form new clubs.

Members were selected by two class committees from more than 400 applications. It is the first such club organized at Michigan State, although it is hoped that succeeding classes will follow the lead of the 1950 graduates.

The class recently made a movie, “The Fifty Story,” a film record of senior class activities for use in “setting up new and lasting ties between graduates and their alma mater,” Pino said.

Annual Alumni Roll Call Goes Over $17,000 Mark

The $17,000 mark has been reached in Michigan State’s first annual Roll Call, according to William L. Davidson, MSC fund director.

“I would term the project highly successful,” said Davidson. He pointed out that about half of the pledges were yet to be received, and additional replies should greatly increase the final total.

Will Give Financial Aid

The Roll Call, instituted in January, is a plan designed to give financial aid to college activities not adequately taken care of in the regular budget. Funds are to be used in the purchase vitally needed research equipment; for expansion of research and extension services; a student loan fund; and the scholarship program.

More than 600 class officers participated in the drive, which will continue through the summer, Davidson said.

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Michigan State College had a carnival during the June 2-4 week-end. Close to 20,000 alumni, students, faculty and parents took part in the end-of-the-year activities which included the annual Water Carnival, Alumni Day banquets and meetings, baseball games, campus tours and the college's 92nd annual Commencement. Alben W. Barkley, vice president of the U.S., addressed the record-breaking 1950 class assembled in Jenison Fieldhouse.
Alumni activity tended toward picnics, golf parties and outings, as grads headed for the nation’s lakes and streams to beat the summer heat. Chief concern of most clubs was election of officers for the coming year.

**MICHIGAN CLUBS**

**Banquet at Standish**

Robert Marshall, ’34, was elected president of the Arenac-Ogemaw-Roscommon Alumni Club at the group’s annual banquet held June 5 in Standish. Serving with him for the coming year will be C. D. Smith, ’30, vice-president; and Ben Good, ’41, secretary-treasurer.

Approximately 40 members attended the meeting and heard short talks by Starr Keesler, director of alumni relations at MSC, and Vice-President Smith, who is the newest member of the State Board of Agriculture, governing body of Michigan State College.

Football movies and “Invitation to Learning,” newest motion picture about Michigan State, were shown. Retiring club president, Paul Pennock, ’39, was chairman of the banquet.

**Saginaw Club Holds Dance**

Rolling Green Club in Saginaw was the scene May 24 of the Saginaw County Alumni Club’s annual spring dance. Approximately 50 members dined and danced to the music of Romie Nentwig’s orchestra.

Principal speaker of the evening was Steve Sebo, ’37, freshman football coach at Michigan State. Chairman of the dance was Hazen Stevens, ’42.

**Club Forms at Alma**

Newest of MSC alumni clubs has been organized at Alma. It has been named the Gratiot County Alumni Club. First meeting was held May 22, with C. P. Milham acting as chairman. More than 60 members present elected John Baker, ’49, president; Lester J. Allen, ’23, vice-president; and Mrs. Marion Johnson, ’36, secretary-treasurer.

**Clubs Hold Elections**

More than 30 members of the MSC Manistee Alumni Club met May 9 to elect officers. Named were Tom Stege, ’49, president; Duane Butterfield, ’48, vice-president; and Robert Harper, ’24, secretary-treasurer.

Dinner guests of the club were several Manistee high school students. The college movie, “Invitation to Learning” was presented. Wayne Hampton, ’21, was chairman of the meeting.

The Perry Hotel in Petoskey was headquarters for 40 MSC alumni in the Petoskey area who met May 4 to elect new slate of officers. Named were: Walter O. Dow, ’47, president; Paul Griffith, ’41, vice-president; Mrs. Thomas Turcott, ’45, secretary; and Dr. John Pray, ’44, treasurer.

Speaker of the evening was D. B. Varner, of the MSC Department of Agricultural Economics.

An estimated 100 members of the MSC Alumni Club of Calhoun County were present April 21 at a meeting held in Battle Creek for the purpose of electing officers. The new slate includes William Scott ’47, president; John Pletz, ’47, vice-president; and Mrs. Eldon Shotwell, ’42, secretary-treasurer.

Michigan State President John A. Hannah was principal speaker of the evening.

Chairmen of the affair were retiring president Glenn Moore, ’46, and Robert Brevitz, ’23.

**Stafseth at Monroe**

Dr. H. J. Stafseth, head of the MSC Department of Bacteriology and Public Health, presented a program of colored slides and commentary on “China As I Saw It,” before 30 members of the MSC Alumni Club of Monroe County, June 15 in Monroe.

The occasion was the annual summer meeting of the group. Carl Meier, ’42, vice-president of the club, was program chairman of the meeting.

**Plan Fall Schedule**

Plans for a heavy fall schedule of activities to be sponsored by MSC alumni of Detroit are well underway, according to an announcement made by President Earl Zuehlke, ’37, of the Detroit MSC Alumni Club.

Included on the calendar will be the annual Kick-off Party, scheduled for Sept. 16. and Football Bust, to be held Nov. 9.

Newest addition to the Detroit schedule is sponsorship of a train for Michigan
Gives Collection to MSC

THE HOLDEN COLLECTION:
Perry G. Holden, '89, stands before his lifetime collection of writings, which he recently gave to the MSC Library. The library contains nearly 80 volumes, including 16 newspaper scrapbooks, 64 smaller scrap books and historical data on corn, Iowa and vitalized agriculture; six boxes of pamphlets and other evidences of a long career as an agricultural educator. The first director of extension at Iowa State College, and director of extension for International Harvester Co. from 1912 to 1932, Holden was honored by the Class of '95 at its annual Alumni Day Dinner, June 2.

State alumni interested in traveling to the final Spartan football tussle with the University of Pittsburgh. The train will leave Detroit at 11:30 p.m. Nov. 17 and will arrive back in the Motor City Sunday morning Nov. 19, according to chairman George Macer, '29.

Forty Meet in Port Huron
Forty members of the MSC Alumni Club of St. Clair County met in Port Huron for the annual spring dinner-meeting. Principal business of the evening was completion of plans for a picnic to be held by the club in July. Mrs. Kenneth Zuidema, '36, was named general chairman for the picnic.

Dr. Fred Ludwig, '31, showed motion pictures of Michigan wildlife, birds and water fowl. Club president, Lloyd Onyon, '38, was chairman of the meeting.

Picnic at Olivet
The MSC Alumni Club of Eaton County held its annual spring picnic at Pine Lake, Olivet, Sunday afternoon June 11. Pot luck dinner was served, and approximately 50 alumni and friends spent an afternoon of baseball, swimming and group games. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schroeder, '40, and Mr. and Mrs. Texton Miller, '40, were in charge of local arrangements for the affair.

Kalamazoo Club Elects
Annual elections were held by the MSC Alumni Club of Kalamazoo County May 19. More than 30 members participated in the meeting. Newly elected board members are: Fay Cunningham, '38; William Frost, '39; Mrs. Lloyd Sparks, '43; Mrs. Vernon Haven, '38; and William Vandervort, '48.

Professor Charles Irvin, of the MSC Department of Written and Spoken English was main speaker of the evening. The meeting was under the chairmanship of retiring club president, Allan Kinney, '42.

OUT-OF-STATE CLUBS
Poloncak Gets Award
John Poloncak, Spartan backfield star, was awarded the first annual Chicago Alumni Achievement Award at the annual meeting of the MSC Chicago Area Alumni Club, held May 28 in the Morrison Hotel.

The award will be presented each year to the outstanding MSC football senior whose home is in the Chicago area. Presentation of a wrist watch to Poloncak was made by W. W. "Bert" Gasser, '07.

After-dinner speakers for the evening were Dick Hackenberg, sports editor of the Chicago Sun-Times, "Red" Dawson, Michigan State's new backfield coach, and William L. Davidson, '13, of the MSC Alumni Relations Office.

In a short business meeting members elected the following officers for the coming year: Ray Osborn, '38, president; Paul R. Thompson, '39, first vice-president; John Becker, '42, second vice-president; and Sheldon B. Lee, '17, secretary-treasurer.

California Dinner Dance
The Del Mar Beach Club in Santa Monica, Calif., was gathering place for 60 members of the Southern California Alumni Club of Michigan State College, Friday evening May 22.

The occasion was the group's annual spring dinner-dance. Couples spent the evening partying and dancing to the music of Jimmy Grier's orchestra.

In a short business meeting which preceded the dance, members elected officers for the coming year. Named were: William B. Sheveland, '40, president; John Breyfogle, '28, first vice-president; Dick Mosher, '37, second vice-president; and Peg Frimodig, '47, secretary-treasurer. Chairman for the party was Forrest Owen, '42.

Dr. Hugh P. Baker, '01, Noted Educator, Dies
Dr. Hugh P. Baker, '01, one of Michigan State's most distinguished graduates in the educational field, died May 24 at the Florida Sanitarium at Orlando after an illness of several months.

Achieved Notable Record
Dr. Baker, who served as president of the University of Massachusetts from 1932 to 1946 and as president emeritus since 1947, compiled a notable record of educational contributions during his career.

He received a master of forestry degree from Yale and a doctor of economics degree from the University of Munich. He also held five honorary doctorates from American universities.

Established Forestry Schools
Dr. Baker is credited with the establishment of departments of forestry at Iowa State College, Penn State and laid the foundation for the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse, where he served as dean of forestry for 10 years between 1912 and 1932. He also held important positions with federal agencies and commercial forestry firms, including service on President Hoover's National Board of Timber Conservation.

Under his leadership, the Amherst institution expanded its course offerings from an agricultural and science core to include liberal arts, engineering, business administration and other fields. Under his guidance, the Massachusetts State College became, both in name and in fact, the University of Massachusetts.

Dr. Baker is survived by his wife, a son, a daughter, and a brother, Harry D. Baker, '95.

Charles B. Park, '25
Honored by Bay City
Charles B. Park, '25, superintendent of Bay City public schools, has become his city's "1950 Page One Citizen," an award presented annually by the Newspaper Guild of Bay City.

Gov. G. Mennen Williams presented the award which cited Park for his part in Bay City's recent successful school building program. It also pointed out his "immeasurable help" in the city-wide immunization program, and his "democratic administration of Bay City public schools."

AUGUST 1, 1950 . . . . 11
Three bight-proof chestnut trees and a bronze plaque were dedicated May 15 in North Takens Park, Mile, to the late Clarence A. Reed, tree expert with the U. S. Department of Agriculture for many years. The ceremony was sponsored by his neighbors and his associates in the bureau of plant industry.

Cora Feldkamp retired June 1 after 69 years service in the USDA's library in Washington. In recent years she has been in charge of a specialized collection of more than 50,000 publications relating primarily to state agricultural experiment stations, and the agricultural extension service. She will continue to make her home in Silver Spring, Md., at 702 Eucader Rd.

The sympathy of the class is extended to Edna Rupert Hana, of 284 Carrolton St., Broadmoor, Shreveport, La., whose husband died Feb. 15.

Her old classmate, Harold Childs, William E. Morson, and Cara Sanford represented the class on Alumni Day.

On deck for Alumni Day festivities were C. M. Cade, Ruby Newman Ludwig, Ray Minard, A. C. MacKinnon, and A. S. VanHalteren.

Representing the class on Alumni Day were Florence Hall, Olive Graham Howland, Roy Lyon, Ray Turner, and Lena Smith VanHalteren.

Mary Allen Phillips is located in Lawrenceville, N.J. at Lawrenceville School where she has charge of housing and feeding the senior boys. Her son Paul graduated at State this summer.


George Dewey is seed certification specialist for Oregon State College extension service, and lives in Corvallis at 422 Tyler.

For our '94 registered on Alumni Day were: R. J. Baldwin, C. L. Bredy, Cliff Brunginger, and George McMillan.

It was 'fifty-five years out' for '96 and the following were on hand to celebrate the event: Kate Cord Carpenter, Cora Feldkamp, Mabel Manning Frasier, E. J. Gunnison, E. Gerald Kenny, M. Leland Kingstand, Helen Baker Morgan, Pauline Raven Moore, and Edward C. Place.

Harry Abbott, of 221 E. Elm, Coldwater, Mich., recently retired after several years service with Homer Furnace company of that city.
The award was made for a tablet-disintegration apparatus designed and developed by Mr. Gersberg. By use of this machine, the disintegration rate of medicinal tablets is computed, making it necessary in determining their therapeutic value, is computed.

1919
The class was represented at Alumni Day by George A. Cleaves, Bertanis, Milton F. F. Fussell, Berney Robay, Robert Robins, Frances Spencer, and Williour Thies.

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1921
The following four quickly represented the class June 8: E. D. Deveraux, H. J. Plum, Tom and Dorothy Covin Steel.

1922
For a non-reunion year '22 had quite a crowd, with the following registering at alumni head­quarters: Irene Marthen Baird, Killworth Ross­mer, Gladys Kellogg Hardy, E. D. Clifford, James Crum, Claudia Erickson, Dewey and Esther Atwood, Ernest, Walter and Martha Perry Foster, Margaret Bowerman Taylor, Louise Kitg Well, and Bevlin Evans Woods.

1923
And '23 had an even larger crowd with J. O. Brany, Hester Braddy, Helen Gibson Cleveland, Dwight Coulter, Bill Cutler, Fred Henshaw, Marie Boutly Highgo, A. O. Ingersol, E. A. Kiesy, Nathalia Naomi Leuten, Earl Malissin, Walter Meyers, Irene Wilson Penteg, Margaret Crotier Rainey, Dorothy Bacon Smiley, Hugo Swanton, Bill Taylor, and Ralph Wright. Ralph and Lois Bethell Dunlap are living at 1680 Aldrich, Whittier, Calif., where he is chief draftsman for Associated Refrigerating En­gineers of Los Angeles.

NECROLOGY

EDWARD FRANCIS WOODCOOK, '79, former mayor of Niles, Mich., banker and business man, died in Minneapolis, Minn., June 10. He served as mayor of Niles from 1894-95, moved to Minne­apolis in 1896, where he became assistant treasurer of the Minnesota Steel and Machinery Co. Following many years of banking experience in both Michigan and Illinois, he returned to Minneapolis with the First National Bank of Minneapolis. He is survived by a son and two daughters.

EDWARD CARL BANK, '84, long-time resident of Berkeley, Calif., died in that city May 1. Mr. Bank had been associated with the Noto-Seed Rasdon Co. there and later with the Magaven Co. In recent years he had been engaged in the real estate business.

LEWIS WAY SPALDING, '90, former owner and manager of the Lewis Building, Mont., Iron Works, died in Astoria, Ore., Jan. 27. During World War II, Mr. Spalding was associated with the Kaiser Co. in the Vancouver Navy yard. He retired from active engineering work in 1947, and made his home in Warren, R.I.

DOR NOBLE STOWELL, '92, died July 2 at his farm home near Woodland, Mich., the same farm on which he was born June 13, 1869. Mr. Stowell taught in Barry County schools for more than a decade and after returning to his farm served for some time on the Woodland board of education. He held a life membership in the Masonic Lodge. His widow, two sons, and two daughters survive.

GUTHRIE FRENCE, '95, a practicing physician for 52 years, died in St. John's, Mich., June 28. Dr. Frence graduated from the Detroit College of Medicine in 1898, and practiced in Grand Rapids 1899-1907, Westphalia 1907-1914, and in St. John's from 1914 until his death. He was honored in 1948 by both Wayne University College of Medicine Alumni Assoc., and the Michigan Medical Society for 50 years of service. He is survived by his daughter, Margaret Frances Colecliff, '27.

WILLIAM BEEER HUNT, '97, farmer and post office employee in Richland, Mich., for many years located in that community on Feb. 27. Mrs. Hunt survives.

RALPH C. BIRD, '94, sales engineer for the Williams Crusher Co. of St. Louis, Mo., died in Jackson, Miss., May 16. Mr. Bird was construc­tion engineer for the Portland Cement Co. for a number of years, first in Sandusky, Ohio, and later in Cuba. He had been with the Williams

CRUSHER Co. nearly 16 years. He is survived by his wife, the former Louise Taylor, '05, a son, Ralph E., '33, a daughter, Elizabeth, and a brother, Ford M. Bird, '17.

ATHOL ALOISE CASE, '07, retired railway mechanic, died in Marvigo, Mich., on Feb. 11. His wife and stepson, John S. Toole, survive.

PAUL DONALD FORSTER, '08, a nationally prominent construction engineer, died in Detroit March 24. General superintendent of the Bryant and Det­tiker Construction Co., he was chairman of the board for the Apprentice Builder Traders in Detroit. Mr. Ellis directed the construction of the Detroit Institute of Arts, the Michigan Bell Telephone building and other structures. Acting as execu­tive supervisor, Mr. Ellis played a major role in the building of the Willow Run bomber plants. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, and three sons.

ARTHUR CHARLES MASON, '12, for 33 years connected with the USDA Bureau of Entomology, died in Geneva, N. Y., May 16. Eng­aged in work on citrus insects, Mr. Mason served in Florida and California and spent 16 years in Hawaii. He returned to the states in 1941 to work in the Japanese beetle laboratory in Moos­town, Conn., and in 1945 went to work at the General Biological Laboratory at Geneva, N. Y., Experiment Station. He was a member of numerous professional organizations. His wife and one son survive.

JOHN DESMOND ROVICK, '15, formerly associated with Timken Detroit Axle and Eureeka Tool & Die Co. in Dayton, O., died in Mende­l, Ind., March 29. He is survived by his two chil­dren, Lucille Rovick Shryer, '36, and John D. Rovick, '41.

HAROLD NICHOLAS FOX, '17, electrical engineer for the Consumers Power Co. for 26 years, was killed April 10 in an automobile acci­dent near Marshall, Mich. Before joining the Consumers Staff in 1925, he was employed at the Western Electric Co. in Montrose, Colo., and at the General Telephone Fails, N. Y., and served four months in the Army during World War I. He is survived by a son and two daughters.

HAROLD GOTHLIN VAUGHN, '29, former manager of the Saline Valley Farmers Co­operative, died in Mason, Mich., May 11. Mr. Vaughn taught agriculture in Fremont, Mich., for three years. He was also a work­man serving in Manistee and Oakland counties until the early '20's when he became general manager of the Farm and Industries Cooperative in Saline, Mich. At the time of his death was rural en­rollment representative for the Blue Cross hos­pitalization insurance. His wife and two sons survive.

HATTIE ALMA ARCHER, '27, a teacher in the Lansing area since graduating from MSC, died in a Lansing hospital May 8. She is survived by two sons.

DORIS WINANS HOWELL, '27, died May 10 in Dyer, Ind., where she had lived for the past 10 years. She was married by her husband, Karl S. Howell, two sons, and three sisters, two of whom attended MSC, Eunice Winans, '29, and Zoe Winans Howell, '31.

HARRY DIEHL SWITZER, '29, farm forester in Marshall, Ill., for the past five years, was accidentally drowned in the Mississippi River near his home on May 26. Mr. Switzer received his B.S. from Cornell in 1931 and worked for the Eskenazi Paper Co. and Civilian Conservation Corps before entering the U. S. Forest Service in 1933. He is survived by his wife and two children.

EDNA HELEN FORMAN MILLER, '36, and her daughter, Georgia, were killed in a fire which raged their home near Bellvue, Mich., this spring. Mrs. Miller taught in the Lansing area for a number of years, moving to the farm home about 10 years ago. She was active in church work and an officer in the Parent-Teacher Association. She is survived by her husband, George S. Miller, and a son, Edward.

RECTOR VAN VLECK, '33, civil engineer and a resident of Lansing for the past 27 years, died in a Lansing hospital March 6. He is survived by his wife, the former Fontane Norfleet, secre­tary in the Department of Education on the campus.

OLA SAMPSON MULNIX, '37, a resident of Lansing for the past 28 years, died in a local hospital on June 27. Her mother, sister, and brother survive.

CHARLES HENRY CHURCHILL, '39, former coordinator for the State Labor Mediation Board in Lansing, died in a railroad accident, with offices at 355 Henrietta St., Birmingham, Mich. William Story, '28, and Mary Ann Bowman, '48, are associates in the business.


1933

Marie Miller Cole, Ruby Walker Gartney, Marion Koch, Ray Lamerich, W. C. Mathews, Felix C. McCall, and Fred Wilkerson. Riley, presented the class at June 3, 1933.

... Donavan Wills is marine operating superintendent for Stanolead Oil and Gas in Houston, Texas, where he lives at 3507 Underwood. C. N. Rix, planning engineer for the city of Pomona, Calif., visited friends on the campus in June.

1935

Registering for the class on Alumni Day were Jennie Becker Barron, Mary Huston Gill, Frances Ruth Lomareux, and Ralph Lewis.

1938

For the 15th anniversary reunion were Earl Brunger, Wayne Chapman, Rhoda Gardnik Findley John Hanick, Iola Clark Hendlin, George Nahstoll, and L. J. Sampulpa.

Thuma Pau Randolph gives her new address as 37 N. Buffallo st., Orchard Park, N.Y., while her husband is on the staff of the Ford Motor's new computer plant.

1939

Fran Dittrich, Dick Colina, and J. L. Harris staged a re-union on Alumni Day.

Stanley Butler earned his M.A. at Harvard and is assistant professor of Greek at William and Mary Univ., Salem, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rodzkik (Frances Cherry) of Long Hill road, Guilford, Conn., announce the birth of Janet Letitia on May 15, 1937.

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1945

The following group of the classes were on campus Alumni Day and registered at the Union: Sherry Wales Bigelow, Marlon Wilt Parher, Charles W. Fratcher, Ferne Hart, Claude Marshall, Frank Miller, Casel Rayhill, John Schlieter, Enid Bennett Stopes, Bettina Dreifuss Sokia, and Louise Goodell Whitman. . . . Drs. G. D. and Lyle (43) Dibble have gone into the practice of medicine in Miskelly, Mich. The former, with Mrs. Dibble (nee Marilyn Miller, 45), and their two sons moved there about the of Aug. 1, 1945. . . . Lyle Dibble and Mildred Grif for the birth of their daughter, Barbara Jean, on April 19. . . . Richard S. Reid received his M.A. in psychology at University of Washington in D.C., on Feb. 22. . . . Justin Spanenbus VanBelkum lives at 257% Thoma, Reno, Nev., where her husband, Jacob, is an accountant with a heating and air conditioning firm. . . . For the past two years, Dr. E. 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1946

Bill Garrison and Richard Kirkpatrick kept it from being ladies day for '46 at Alumni Day. Also registering were Barbara Alexander, Shirley Hamelink and Margaret Miles Peabody, and Shirley Hanckel Porter.

Margaret Sue was born May 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Witter Ballaw (Jeanne Henle) of 1145 Elford Court, Grove Pointe Woods. . . . A daughter, Terry Lee, was born Dec. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Brown (Rose Mary Kiebler) of 9200 Orchard Lane. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sisson (Alice Ford) have a new daughter, Nancy Alice, born Feb. 4, and a new home, 15814 Kingston rd., Huntington Woods, Mich. . . . Justine Spanenbus VanBelkum received her M.D. June 17 and is interning at Hurley Hospital in Flint where he and Mrs. Coakes (Rose Mary Kiebler) live at 2715 Orchard Lane. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Eade (Marion Heckel) have a new daughter, Donna, and brand new home, 16th and 10th ave., Buffalo, N. Y. . . . Keith Salmonson of Lewiston road, Oakfield, N. Y., announce the birth of Constance Lee on Oct. 7, 1945. . . . Margaret Kennedy Kelly, her lawyer husband, Curtis J., and their small daughter, Margarette Beck (Patricia Martin), of Lewiston read, Oakfield, N. Y., announce the birth of Stephen Martin on March 19. Stephen and his two year old sister, Betty Anne, are the grandchildren of Arthur D. and Margarette Beck Martin, '21. . . . William R. Wynder, who received his M.S. with the class, is director of the department of agriculture at Delaware State college, Dover.

Because Michigan State College's new memorial chapel has been made possible by alumni donations, the Alumni Advisory Council is asking your aid in selecting a name.

The chapel, to be of formal gothic design and of stone construction, will serve as memorial to 341 alumni and students who lost their lives in World War II. It will seat more than 200 people and will be used for weddings, memorial services and other sacred events.

Some names have already been suggested and are listed below. Please indicate your preference or write another name you think would be noteworthy in the allotted space. Construction of the chapel is expected to begin early this fall. The name receiving the most favorable consideration will be carved above the main chapel entrance. Deadline is August 30, 1950.

Mail your suggestions to the Director of Alumni Relations, Box 551, East Lansing, Michigan.

(please check one)

Memorial Chapel
World Peace Chapel
World Chapel
Alumni Memorial Chapel

Other suggestions: ________________________________
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1947
On campus for Alumni Day were Don Aronson, Mary Baumgartner, Marjorie Berndt, Mary Dobie, Phyllis Dalebridge, Engelmann, Vernon Foner, Mary Gardiner, Jack Keene, Martha Hunt, Betty Alcock Marshall, Barbara Dean Minard, Loraine Haney, Richard Oldham, Herbert Stoutenburg, Betty Jane Stratford and Betty Williams.

Dorothy and Catherine Earl Larrwell announce the birth of a son, Daniel, on March 7. They are living in Hager, N.Y., where Dr. Lathwell is assistant professor of poll science at Cornell.

Robert A. Sherrill and Mary Beth Taylor Roach announce the birth of their daughter, Andrea Sherrill, on Feb. 23 in Germany where Lt. Roach is stationed. Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Edwards (Irene Schamann) announce the birth of Kathryn Ann on April 25. The Edwards are living at 1484 Balfour, Grove Pointe until their new home on Kerby rd. is finished.

Carlton and Jacqueline Anderson, '43 Sears announce the birth of Carlton A. III on April 1. Mr. Sears will receive his Ph.D. in organic chemistry at Notre Dame in June and has accepted a position with the American Cyanamid Co. at Bound Brook, N. J.

Milton Stellmacher is located at 252 W. Vine st., Kalamazoo, where he is chief chemist for the Rex Paper Co.

Robert and Nancy Wynegarden Vorhees are living at 911g E. 60th st., Chicago, where he is a junior in the University of Chicago Medical school and she is an instructor in the American school.

Krista Sue was born March 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waterman of 182 Pleasant, Romeo, Mich.

Jack and Jean Marie Desmond were married last Sept. 19 and are living at 442 W. Dewey st., Flint, where he is associated with Wiltz and Wilts, dealers in used cars.

William and Kathryn Werner, '43 Zarakowski and their two daughters are living in Bay Port, Mich., where he is agriculturist at Wallace and Morley Co.

1948
Representing the class at Alumni Day festivities were Harriet Adams, Dat Ballentine, Joe Bogart, Phyl Carl, Arthís Hushy Cordes, Sam Cryderman, Arvind Forrest, Ed Gillissee, Grace Mittelman, Janet Moore, Marjorie Peters, Robert Peterson, Robert Rich, Richard Skinner, Nan Steeber, June Thomas, and Charles Warner.

Paul and Marilyn (Dinkel, '41) Adams are living in Westberry, Alaska, where he is employed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Ensign Howard Baran and Carol Lou Denton, '51, were married May 27.

Merelyn Brand is speech correctionist for Ingham county and teacher in Mason, Dearsville, Evartt, Holt, Leslie, Haslett, and Okemos while her husband attends MSC. They live at 4206 Okemos rd., Okemos.

Dale and Patricia Davis Stevens announce the birth of Mathewlaston, '50, on April 16. They are living at 104 Lefth, Midland, Mich., where Dale teaches in the public schools.

Edward and Alice Stevens, '44 Gallaher are living at 541 Coffins, Benton Harbor, while he is industrial engineer for the Williams Brothers Paper Box Co., of St. Joseph.

James G. Gibbs, pastor of the United Brethren church in Eden, Mich., plans to enter the seminary at Huntington College, Huntington, Ind., this fall.

Laurence and Elaine Rice ('49) Jorns have moved to 165 So. dr., Ridgewood, R. L.

Robert Keene is manager-trainer for the saddle club stable in Columbia City, Ind., where he and Mrs. Keene (Barbara Yenger, '49) and their son Lowell are making their home.

Jack K. Krum has received his Ph.D. in food technolgy from the University of Massachusetts, and is now on the college of agriculture student at the University of Tennessee, in Knoxville.

James and Phyllis Gilmore, '51 Lubar are living at 2924 22nd Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn., where he is finishing work for his degree.

Donna Laundra and Robert Nielsen, '50, were married last Aug. 29, and are living in East Lansing until he finishes work for his degree.

Joseph M. Sherrill is a sales representative for Waukesha Corrugating Co. in Detroit where he and Mrs. Sherrill live at 11540 Mettetal.

William and Margaret Newton Stephens are living at 222 W. Cloncurry Ave., Marion, Mich., where he is with Commonwealth and Southern and she with Michigan Bell.

David Olson received his M.F. from Duke University and is engaged in forest research with the U. S. Forest Service in Unison, S. Carolina.

Don and Martha Schwass, '47 Peterson and their sons Scott and Stephen are living in Pendleton, N. Carolina.

Stevie Ann was born Feb. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. James Hayden of 17640 Wiltshire, Birmingham, Mich.

Robert S. Goodman, '46 of 3715 Hillside, Detroit, announce the birth of their daughter, Andrea, on April 16.

LaVerne Stuit, N. J., VanHoescen, Martha VanPatten, Wayne Wickert, and Gene Wydra.

John Hoy is employed at the Dow Organic Chemical Co. in Midland. Dr. L. M. Kitzman has a small animal hospital at 13347 Sherman Way, North Hollywood, Calif.

Paul and Betty (Kissel, '47) Klinker announce the birth of a son, John Hoy, on Nov. 6, while they were stationed in Germany.

James and Marilyn Stein L'Heureux are living at 517 S. 17th St., Escanaba, where he is agent for Prudential and she teaches English at Escanaba High School.

Dr. and Mrs. William E. Green, of Olivia, Minn., announce the birth of Kathy Margarite on April 24.

James Spencer was born April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. William Gunn of East Lansing, and their son Daniel was born Feb. 24 and live at 243 Hampton S.E., Grand Rapids.

Helen Carow has landed a job, with the help of a college mate Jean Shaver, '47, in the American Embassy in Rome, where both are in the office of the Naval Attaché. Helen spent Christmas in New York, and with Anne MacIvord, '47, her roommate since Jan., has taken several trips around Switzerland, France, and Italy.

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Lovi Patterson is serving her internship at the Children's Hospital in Los Angeles where she lives at 4606 Sunnet Blvd.

Donald and Mary Payne Peet are living at 123 W. Mover st., Bowling Green, Ohio.

Stanley Riley is working in Waakosia, Wis., as a service representative in chemical specialties for Standard Oil.

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