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ABOUT THE CAMPUS

The campus shows more life every day. Every afternoon after study hours the courts are busy, and of course there is the large squad out on Davis Field digging in under Coach Harper's tutelage, from Pioneer come the strains of music from the practice of Alma's amateur concert band, while busy students are coming and going along the walks.

The students boarding at Wright Hall have established a new fast day. Said one boarder to another, "What makes you eat so much dinner?" "Why," came the response, "tomorrow is Hash Wednesday." Social life seems to be on the wane. What are the "stiddies" going to do without their Tuesday evening talk hour? Rumors persist that the girls are forming an anti-stiddying union. Most of them deny it however.

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Discovering New Writers.

The finest thing about this new Almanian, from an editorial standpoint, is the fact that a good many people seem to want to help. That Item Box is being pretty well used. Jokes, comments, ideas, etc., keep coming along with pleasing constancy. It is one of the surprises to find that students of whom it is least to be expected are writing things. What the Almanian has been getting, however, has been for the most part jokes. Now we print almost everything that is contributed because this is the students' paper and because few poor productions are submitted. Also, when a student sees his "stuff" in print it inspires him to write again. Thus a steady stream of contributions is assured to the editor. What we want now are little news items, little essays, jeux d'esprit, stories, letters, etc. We want contributions from our alumni friends. We guarantee to contribute to the paper is urged to print these things while they are still fresh, instead of holding them a month or two. Try and do something for your college paper. We depend on you.

Next Year's Editor.

With the end of the present school year our work as an Almanian editor ceases. We look forward to that time with regret although it is yet a long ways off. The fact is called to the attention of the students for this reason. When you elect for next year your editor, you must get some one who has training, and who has much zeal for the work. The point is that the search for such a person must begin at once. No question save that of ability to do the work should influence the Almanian Association in choosing their chief. How can his ability best be determined? Merely by the amount and quality of his contributions to the paper during the present year. If you want to make a race for the editorship you can begin your training by writing articles and leaving them in the Item Box. One or two students have begun this already and it is due to their efforts that the Almanian owes its present success.

Financial Support.

The love of money being the root of all evil it does not follow, necessarily, that money itself is bad. The staff of the Weekly are not in the business because of their love for money. There is no money to be made out of this publication. Therefore we work for the experience and the joy derived from seeing our Alma put out a paper which we are informed is worth while. But we can't pay for its running expenses out of our own pockets. Our advertising will hardly bring us out clear. At the time we are writing the attitude of the college

authorities is neutral. They do not condemn the Weekly as a low class publication, neither do they feel that they can extend to it any financial backing whatever. Even if the college wishes to send the paper to its high school friends, it must obtain its subscriptions at a cut rate, or do without them. Perhaps the Weekly is not worthy of college support. We think it is, and that the college should warm up to it. But that is neither here nor there. What we must depend on to keep us running is our subscription list. We want a paid list of 800 subscribers by the second semester. We are sure our alumni friends will help us get them. You can do so in this way, send us the names of every one whom you think interested in Alma College and we will send them sample copies accompanied by an invitation to subscribe. In this way we will get track of many possible subscribers of whom we know nothing now. Please come to our support and "Boom Alma."

Another Wail.

Those class and society editors are wonderfully derelict in doing their duty. None of our exhortations seem to move them. They simply won't disgorge the news. We want it, must have it; but how get it, that's the question? Even the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. show no interest in getting accounts of themselves in these columns. When they do render up any information it is only as a special favor. We believe it would be a mighty good thing if those Associations would make use of these columns, good for them and fine for us. But not being clairvoyants we don't know exactly what to write always. Class and society editors are more tractable but they are bad enough. Make a point of getting your notes in, department editor, and we'll print them all with joy.

"Get The Feelin'."

Tune: Auld Lang Syne.
Our foot ball men are out again,
With all the old time grit,
When —'s team comes smiling up
They'll get the icy mitt.
For we're the —, the only team.
Our men all have the stuff
To pound old — goal to goal
Until they cry "Enough."
When Alma's men are on the field,
All other men must fall.
For naught can stop Coach Harper's boys
When Alma has the ball.
For they're the boys, the Alma boys,
They have the Alma "sand."
The championship is in our sight,
That pennant they will "land."

Then everybody yell and shout
To help us win the game,
We'll drive opponents from the field
For good old Alma's name.
Our team will fight like brindle pups
Till every hope is gone.
Now get the "feelin'!" Cheer like sin!
And spur our champions on!

The Team Song.

Tune: A Spanish Cavalier.
We're off for ———,
To ——— we must go,
To fight for our college and you, dear,
But if we should fall and fumble the ball,
We'd never return back to you, dear.
We're off for ———,
To ——— we must go,
To fight for our college and you, dear,
And if we should win
We'll come back with a grin,
Back to our college and you, dear.
We're back from ———,
From ——— we have come,
To tell of our victory to you, dear,
We rushed with the ball
And we never let it fall,
The honors of our college are yours,
dear.

WHAT THE SWIPES DID

"Young" Brown (to a Swipe)—Why do the fellows josh Helmer so much, can't he get a girl?
Great Caesar's Ghost! we have a Swipe who hasn't any spirit.
Marshall wore a smile all week owing to his anticipation of a delegation from Bay City for the Hillsdale game.
"Mr." McComb has changed his name but still continues to philosophize. He has been called by a brother swipe, "the wise man from the east." His latest is, "It's up to a bachelor, like me, to avoid sewing bees if he doesn't want to be stung."
Sutton—For heaven's sake, fellows, don't say anything more about me or I'll be shut out from social life altogether.
Although Horst promised to be true, he can't help strutting around before the new girls while waiting on table.
C-p—What's the matter with "H" lately? A man can be serious without being sour.
H-r-st—Well, —, and besides he's a senior.
One of the swipes was heard to murmur:
"Tis said that absence conquers love; but, oh, believe it not."
I've tried, alas! its power to prove. But thou art not forgot."
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What Alma Men and Women Are Doing in Various Parts of the World.

Raymond G. Swigart, '04, is doing graduate work in mechanics and chemistry. Mr. Swigart has been teaching chemistry and physics in various high schools for the last four years and at present is located at Mt. Pleasant.

Floyd Reynolds, Commercial '04-'05, is now employed in the bank of F. E. Kelsey & Co., Middleton, Mich.

D. T. Altenburg, sc. ex-07-8, is postmaster, and proprietor of a pharmacy in North Star, Mich. While in college he was one of the most active members of the Zeta Sigma Society.

Miss Edith Tennant, K. G. '08, leaves for the Far West with her people this month. Oregon is her destination.

Chester D. Webber, ex-08, is assistant postmaster at Manistique.

Louis A. Anderson, ex-10, is making a decided hit as head of the Commercial Department of the Manistique High School.

Miss Beryl Inglis, Acad. '07, is teaching school at Ingleside, Mich.

Martin J. Stormzand, '04, left last Wednesday morning for a year's post graduate work at Princeton, after being ordained at Bay City Tuesday, Oct. 8. Mr. Stormzand holds a \$600 fellowship from Princeton Seminary for proficiency in Greek. In his last year there he also won a valuable prize for Hebrew exegesis work.

Erle Casterlin, '07, is taking Post Graduate work at Columbia in History and Economics.

James McClure Henry, who taught in the Science department during the session of 1902, is doing Post Graduate work at Union Theological Seminary this year. Mr. Henry received his degree from the Seminary last May and after the present year's study expects to do mission work in China. He holds the position of Assistant to the President at Union this year.

"Charlie" Moore, one of the college "patriarchs," and known to every college man and woman who has been at Alma in the past seven years, is working in a government bureau in Washington, D. C.

ABOUT THE CAMPUS

By the prompt action of "Buttercup" and "Hannah" a terrible disaster was averted from the institution last Wednesday evening. Returning at a late hour from a bit of revelry they found a blaze on the library steps. The flames fanned by a brisk breeze were fast reaching threatening proportions. The alarm was promptly given. A pitcher brigade was quickly formed in the shadow of Pioneer Hall. Pitchers were filled at the wheezy old pump and a dash was made for the library. Twenty pitchers of water landed fairly on the blaze and it went out, not a "spark" left. Through the steam that arose in clouds could be dimly seen a pair of thoroughly drenched "spooners."

The problem with which the faculty has been struggling for years has been solved. No more "stidding;" twenty pitchers of water will quench the fiercest flame that burns in the heart of youth.

In this case, however, when a Freshman yelled fire, the victim did! The flash of a revolver lit up the scene, but another shower from the pitchers quenched the fiery spirit of the lover. Bravely the Pioneer Hall fire fighters stood their ground and continued their good work until the victims "did the hundred" in about 12 flat, heading toward home and dry apparel. And somehow they both felt put out about it. President Lancaster, of Olivet, is, according to the Free Press, making a strenuous effort to quench the flames at Olivet. We recommend that he do the most rational thing, use water and lots of it.

The Campus has had some very welcome visitors in the past few days. J. Norman King, '05, stopped on his way to Princeton for a few days' visit in his old time haunts. M. J. Stormzand, '04, who takes Post Graduate work at Princeton this year, called on the Almanian last week.

T. Harold Withey and wife, formerly Miss Julia Morton, are in Alma for a brief visit. Withey, when in college, was purveyor of the fine butter that graced the tables of Wright Hall at that time.

Rev. Louis Brooke, '96, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Howell, was in Chapel Tuesday last. Doctor Bruske, however, forbore to call upon Rev. Brooke for the customary speech, treating us instead to a short discourse of his own upon the nature and effect of class scraps.

The Hoosier Club held a brief but pleasant session in the gym one evening nearly a week ago.

First Girl—Do you think Mr. Phillips uses Rubifoam?

Second Girl—Well, I don't know. He certainly has fine teeth, though.

Adelbert Lindley returned to take his place in the Freshman ranks last week. Welcome home, Lindley.

That Freshman banner appeared on Wright Hall cupola shortly after Lindley returned.

Get on to those "spiff" Alma watch fobs the fellows are springing? Henderson makes them. They are worth 50 cents each. Get one and show your college colors.

There are at present about 130 boarders at Wright Hall. Board comes up the 15th of this month; i. e., the price comes up. Certainly then there will be no more "hollers" about quality or quantity? No?

They say that John Campbell is the only person in second year German who understands conjugations. He even talks them in his sleep.

Freshman Filofosy.

Pum had a "headache,"
Put his brain to soak,
In twenty minutes
Out sprang a little joke.

Ask Avery, the Freshman in room 22, Pioneer, whose initials he has written all over his books and why?

Cassy, Jr.—Shave down, please.
Al Davis—That's all there is to shave.

First Fresh—I haven't had a smoke all day to-day.
Second Fresh—No, but you did all night last night.

John, John Findlayson
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ing all this behind me, leaving all the coarse fodder, the German class, and all other things that cause me trouble. Would that I might now fill myself from the great tank of butter-milk. All this (looking askance at the table) is as naught compared with milk and cheese of Parmiland."

Craig—"Mac, what hast thou found in thy soup?"

Mac—"Never mind, Sir Senior, 'tis a mere fancy, a fleeting hare. I heed it not, familiarity breeds contempt, I find one every day."

Craig—" 'Tis well, become not entangled with the minor things of life and some day thou too wilt know all things."

McComb (once Poo Poo)—"Thy talk is poor, thou greedy nickle snatcher, what knowest thou of entanglements? Couldst thou but see my summer girl thou wouldst not speak so lightly of entanglements."

Sir Horst (sighs)—"Ditto, thou hast a great head, Charles, I too didst possess a summer girl. I also have loved."

Mr Lord (Marshall)—"Shame! Shame! Speak not so lightly of sacred things. Thou shouldst know true love. 'Twould make a man of thee. Look at me!"

P. B.—"Love? Bah—away with it. I shall have none of it. Seek rather the joys of the bachelor den. What sayest thou, Sutt?"

Sutton—"I say nothing. I have loved and lost. I shall devote myself to Mrs. St. John and some day with my sweet voice I shall win the one I love and be popular."
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