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## FRESH-SOPH PULL

'It is only a step from the sublime to the ridiculous." We just got our old stub pen wiped off after writing up the girls' open house and now we again dip it into our bottle of blue gravy to make public that dirty river affair that happened a week ago yes terday.
The Freshmen have lost every lower class contest of the year except the wallow that demands this burst of profa-wit.
Several hundred people gathered to see the event and tried the staying properties of the bridge. After about thirty seconds the first Sophomore hit the water and in another minute pbotographs had been recorded of the soaked wise ones on the opposite side of the river. This vietory will tend to show the class of 1917 that perhaps they may amount to something in the future and we hope they come back next year in shape to educate the next addition to the college.

## PHILOMATHEAN

Last Monday evening we held our last society meeting. The election of officers occupied first place after which an interesting program of impromptu work on current topics was given before visitors and one honorary member, Miss Haefliger. Because of our deep friendship and love for Miss Haefliger, we wished to give her something to take to her new home. A beautiful cut glass fern dish was our gift and with it we gave our best wishes for happiness.
President-Beulah Parr
Vive President-Ruth Ellis.
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## RELAY VICTORY SECIDES MEET

The twenty-seventh annual field and track meet of the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association was held on Winter-Lan field, Albion, Michigan, on Friday and Saturday, June 5 and 6, 1914. Friday morning, Olivet and Kalamazoo foughtr ont the preliminary baseball game in whieh Olivet won $8-0$. Friday atternoon the traek preliminaries and the Alma-Albien ball yame were pulled off. Saturday in the forenoon the track finals were pulled off and in the afternoon the pennant ball game between Albion and Olivet was played wien Olivet was to a score of $5-1$, and Al Albion coped the pemnant for 1914. Alon coped the pemant for 1914,
Alma's defeat did not lower her standings enough to cause her to loose first place in the cup race and so the Maroon and Cream manazer carried the cup baek to the Alma campus,
M. I. A. A. TRACK

Alma's hopes were high all during
the 27 th annual the 27 th annual M. I. A. A. traek meet last Friday and Saturday, but were blasted when Kalamazoo took first in the relay. Besides the relay the Alma eam was in the lead and was second in the entire meet. With Kalamazoo, Hillsdale and Alma all within three points of each other, this meet was pronounced the best in the history of M. I. A. A. Fally 1.500 peopley of in attendance at the weet and fnop ball game on Saturday.
A. Walker, of Kalamazoo, was the
individual star of the meet taking four of the six firsts for his team. He ook first in the high jump and all three of the dashes.
The Maroon and Cream came away with only two firsts but still had 34 points making her second in the meet. Sidney Cook took first in the mile and
Harry Schultz took frist in the Harry Schultz took frrst in the 220
hurdes. Harry Jackson who was ex. pected to take the highi jump failed to carry over in the meet but still held his record in the try-out for the
medal. Ralph Chisholm, last year's
star in the dashes, was unexpectedly star in the dashes, was unexpectedly
outelaseed by Walker but cempe aermas. outelassed by Walker but came across
with two firsts and a secoid. Mark Spimney and Roiut. Jicaliste. in won "A"s for the first time in trace for Alma. Spinney tied for first in pore vanit
Hillsdale took frrst in the half mile and the shot put and netted $311 / 2$
points. Olivet scored 22 points and Albion only 18. Adrian did not enter traek team.
More records were broken at this meet than any time for several years Field raised his rumning broad reeord
for the third time to 22 feet and 5 inches, Rider raised the disenss from 116 feet, 9 inehes to 117 feet, 10 in. ches. Tarbell put the shot to 40 feet, baseball championship, resulted in an

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the almanian, Alma, Mich. dash in $94-5$ seconds but on the score.

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Miller, Hillsdale, third. Time, frst; Cord Run-Omans, Hillsdale Hillsdale, third. Time-2:06. 220-Yard Dash-A. Walker, Kalamazoo, first: Chisholm, Alma, second econds.
Two-mile Run-Leavenworth, Oli vet, first; Wilson, Alma, second;
Rowe, Albion, third. Time-10:28, 440-Yard Run-Walker, KalamaChisholm. first: Dimon, Hillsdale, second; third. Time- 523 -5 16-Pound Shot-Put-Tarbell, Hillsdale, first: Rider, Olivet, second; Hig-
lemire, Albion, third. Distance. 40 Disens Throw-Rider, Olivet, first Wood, Alma, second: Fledgel, Kalamazoo, third. Distance, 177.77 feet.
Javelin Throw-Preston, Kalamazoo, first; Edwards. Albion. second;
Rider, Olivet. third. Distance. 156 eet, $103 / 4$ inches.
Relay Race-Kalamazoo (L. Walker, Ralston. Preston, A. Walker) first; 3.39 , second; Alma, third. Time

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## KALAMAZOO-OLIVET

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The opening game in the Michigan
easy win for Olivet over Kalamazoo a score of 8 to 0 . Loomis for Olivet threw airtight ?. mehes bettering the ola record by ball; giving Kalamazoo only three in the faveston with the first scattered singles and fanning 13 . feet. $103 / 4$ inches, raising it by twirler, Kalamazoo's overworked 2 feet. A. Walker, raising it by twirler, pitched a fair game and with 2 feet. A. Walker made the 100 better support would have held dow:
ring the track it was found to Springer, for Olivet, was the star tiot short, Floyd Bartel, U. hitter with a single and a triple in
olficiated. four times up.
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## ALBION-ALMA

The Albion sluggers found MeCloy
ing Broad Jump-Field, Al- for seven hits in the first two innings first: L. Walker, Kalamazoo, of Friday afternoon's game. It is not known whether Albion's sly system of signaling made any difference or not but the local fans never saw it like that before with "Baldy." The students all felt worse than the captain did when he was taken out but Johnston held them to four hits in Johnmaining them to four hits in the remaining innings. The Methodists got their eight runs in the first two innings and did not get another smell. Alma ; kept running in an occasional score or fore the ninth closed. In the eighth Alma had two men on bases and Wood hit a triple and yet no and Wood scored. The coach at third held a man there until a runner passed him man there until a runner passed him
then the said runner was caught out then the said runner was caught out
at the plate. The third out was an at the plate. The third out was an
assist from second after the piteber fumbled it. Albion



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6200 Albion
Alma \(62000000 \bullet-8\) ma. 2. Field \(004010-6\) Runs-Slout 2, Field, Crosthwaite 2. Young, Blanchard, L. A. Weighman -8; Simenton, Wood 2, MeCloy, Vogt -6. Errors-Slout, Field, L. At Weighman 2, Hessler-5; L. A. Goodrich-2. Two-base hits-Young, Crosthwaite. Stolen bases-Goodrich 2, Weighman 2, Hyde, Crosthwaite, Vogt, Wood. Hits-Off MeCloy, 7 in 1 1-3 innings; off Johnston, 4 in 6 2-3. Struck out-By Blanehard 4, by McCloy 1, by Johnston 4 Bases on balls-Off Blanchard 3, off MeCloy 3. Hit by pitcher-Riggs. Time-1:55. Umpire-Steimle, of Time- \(1: 5\)
Hillsdale.

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In this, the last number of the Almanian for this school year and the last number under the present management, we wish to thank all who have contributed from time to time in making our sheet a success. We fully appreciate the work of the few who have thus helped us and we beg the same support from more of the students for next year's management. As we have said before and always will say, the Almanian will represent the true Alma spirit only when Alma students all take an active interest in the publication, not from the standpoint of the critic but from the standpoint of a partner in the firm.

\section*{DRAMATIC RECITAL}

Competent erities pronounced the dramatic recital under the direction of Miss E. Henrietta Bjoin last week Tuesday, one of the best that has ever been held in the Alma College"chapel. The recital consisted of two scenes from Shakespeare and a one act comedy. The first was the second scene in the first act of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" in which Misses Carol Gray and Alice Kennedy, as Peter Quince and Niek Bottom, did exceptionally fine work.
The second was the first scene of act five of "As You Like It." Miss Jane Stewart Green playing the part of Touchstone, the fool, did it in true Elizabethan style.
Miss Bonnie Fuller appeared as a Spanish dancing girl in a soty and solo dance with castanets. Her perCormance was very artistic and was much enjoyed by all. Her enchore was the Irish Lilt.
The comedy was "Ici on Parle Francais" by J. T. Williams. William Searl, the young "Judge" from Ithaca, as Victor Dubois, played the part of the young Frenchman as a Frenchman should. Wilhelmine Ritter was the heart of aristocracy as Mrs. Spriggins.
Some of the sophomores and others came prepared to give the usual freshmen-x reception but the excellent program gave no opportunity for alarm clock work. It all went off like clock work. The whole affair was a credit to Miss Bjoin, whose interpretation of Shakespeare is not as that of a person who had studied it but as one who had written it.

\section*{A DIFPERENT PLAN}

Professor West has been trying a little experiment with one of the classes in General Chemistry in the method of conducting the final examination. The different divisions of the subject are weighted after the manner of the Civil Service Examinations and consist of both oral and written exercises. The following will serve as an illustration
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100. weights In the library reference work, students were assigned different topies, these topies were printed on slips and the students allowed to make two drawings, the first calling for a report from some book in the library upon the topic, the report to contain at least 200 words and the second slip for a like report from some current magazine for a certain month and year. Neither the name of the book nor magazines being given but the time required to make the report being recorded and the object being to test the student's familiarity with the location of scientific books and magazines and his ability to make proper use of his time in the library.

\section*{MRS. EWING ENTERTAINS}

Mrs. J. T. Ewing entertained at a six o'elock dinner on Thursday in honor of Miss Haefliger
Places were laid for nine. The table was charmingly decorated with yellow snap-dragons and candles, yellow and green being the color scheme. Perhaps the most exciting moment was when the bride-eleet, Miss Haeflinger, cut the wedding cake and each guest hoped that the lucky piece might fall to her lot. Eight were doomed to disappointment.

Those having bills against the Athletic association present them at once to Oscar Anberson.

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 in bad shape due to hurting his arm
against Kalamazoo on Friday error by Springer allowed Young to reach first, Luce and Blanchard com ing to the rescue each with doubles
that netted a pair of tallies. Again that netted a pair of tallies. Again inthe fifth well placed hits by Crosthint the fitth well placed hits by Crosth-
waite, Blanehard and Reed scored
Y Young and Blanchard.
Olivet's lone tally came in the ninth with two out, French hit safe, an error by Prall allowed him to reach third and on an overthrow to first of a dropped third strike by Reed,
French was allowed to score. French starred for the visitors, making three of their four hits. Luce and Blanchard were the stars for the Methodists, Luce getting two singles and a double out of three trips to the plate and Blanchard the same in four times u!
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\section*{TENNIS FINALS}

Lancaster and Knapp, who were on Alma's campus two weeks ago to
spoil the chances of Cole and Higbee on the gold medal, easily took first from Hillsdale in two sets, 6-1 and 6-3. This won the gold medals for Olivet. Alma held Olivet two weeks ago to a three set match so thus the Alma men get the silver medals. Ruth Cook took second for Alma,
losing to Miss Wight, of Kalamazoo, \(6-1\) and 6-2. Alma girls lost the double match in three sets after needing at one time but one point to win the match and that point was a close decision. Ruth Cook won the silver medal in the singles.

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First Critie-Gladys Dershem Almanian Reporter - Josephine T'aylor.

Sentinel-Blanche Healey.
SOPHOMORE KINDERGARTEN
Thursday evening at \(6 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}\). the Thursday evening at 6 p. m. the
sophomore kindergarten girls were very pleasantly entertained at a buffet luncheon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Blaisdell.
After the delightfully pleasant repast, the girls gathered into the parlors, and were entertained with some of Dr. Blaisdell's splendid Vietrola records, after which interesting games in guessing and writing limericks were participated in.
Such pleasant affairs make the girls wish they were not leaving Alma College so soon.-B. W.

A week Monday the regular second semester election of officers for the Froebel society took place and the following were elected
President-Jane Stewart Green. Vive President-Gladys Kelley. Secretary-Frida Voltz.
Treasurer-Ruth Browning
Pianist-Irene Warner
After the election there were speeches by the retiring president, Bertha Williams, and the presidentelect, after which the society together with Misses Ward and Robinson went down town for the treats.

\section*{MAJORITY TEACH}

Most of the Seriors have work for next year, most of them teaching. Bertha Hubble and Emily Beach will teach in Holland high sehool; Ruth Cook teaches in the high school at Crosswell; Merle Seaver at Royal Oak in the high school; Carol Gray at Breekenridge in high sehool; Archie Maybee and Walter Vogt in the Charlevoix high school; Vern Rogers in the Hastings bigh school; Leon Gray in the Benzonia Academy at Beulah; and Roy Phillips in the Traverse City high school. Faith Welton will take graduate work at the University of Michigan. Milo Hogin will attend the Auburn Theological Seminary in New York. Theodore Higbee, Fred Johnson, Carroll Hyde, Celia Creaser and Alice Kennedy are as yet undecided.
P- MEMORIAL
Some months ago a movement was started among those members of the Froebel Society, who were in college daring the years of Jane McKinney, to place a picture in the kindergarten room in memory of her.

The "Five Senses," by Jessie Wilcox Smith, was chosen as being a fitting expression of the child-like charm and beauty of spirit which was typefied in Jane MeKinney. It is a source of pleasure to everyone who sees itand especially to those who remember.

Professor and Mrs. West entertained a party of students at a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening.

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