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KAZOO GETS B. B. PENNANT; HILLSDALE, TRACK

Alma Falls From Its Old Standard, Placing Next to Last

The Kalamazoo college base ball team is again posing as the Michigan Intercollegiate base ball champion, the Celery city team having made a big cleanup at the finals last Friday and Saturday.

In the Friday games, Hillsdale went to defeat before Kalamazoo, after having the Orange and Black beaten 6 to 0 at the end of the seventh inning. Kalamazoo made a great finish, tied the scoring in the last two innings of the regulation game, and then walloped Hillsdale 8 to 6 in the over time. The game went a dozen innings. Olivet's star twirler, Loomis, was found by Albion and hit hard. Albion taking a 4 to 2 victory, two home runs counting heavily in the victory.

On Saturday, Kalamazoo college was able to defeat Albion with ease, Conrad holding the Methodists, while his team was pounding out runs. The finals also, securing the pennant giving for the field day dinner. Kalamazoo must be stopped next year, or she will earn the right to keep the baseball cup for all time. Get busy with the losses other teams will meet, it means Alma to the front.

Rolling up a record score for a Michigan Intercollegiate track and field meet, the Hillsdale college track veterans had an easy time in landing first place at the annual June classic last week Friday and Saturday with 65 points. Kalamazoo college finished in second place with 32 points and Albion college third with 29. Olivet landed fourth scoring six points and Alma college brought up the rear of the scoring teams with two points. Adrian failed to score.

The Hillsdale team proved to be the best balanced that ever represented M. I. A. A. school at the June classic and long before the meet was held, had been conceded first place by a wide margin. Four records were broken by these being the mile, pole vault, high jump, by the Hillsdale team and the two mile record by Ad-dington of Albion.

Alma for the past three years champions of the Michigan Intercollegiate track and field classic was of course the big disappointment of the meet, the Maroon and Cream scoring but two points this year. Coleman landed a third for Alma in the mile run and French and Richards tied up in the shot put, each man getting half and a third place. Coleman being the only man to win a point, promises to be the only man eligible for a track letter and in the track election will probably be forced to elect himself captain, if the rule now in vogue is held to this year.

Alma's poor showing this year is the poorest she has ever made. This means that it is up to the students to keep a sharp outlook for track material for next year. Every fellow in school, probably knows of some track mang radiating from some high school this year. Nail him, and bring him to Alma college in the fall. It takes athletes to make teams. Alma has a number of good track men coming in, but more are needed if Alma is to stage a big comeback next year and land a track title.

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EXTRA

Soph-Frosh Tug-of-War Held Monday proved that both teams were very evenly matched. Neither teams waded the waters of the raging Pine.

PHILO PHI SPREAD

Last Friday night was ideal for the annual Philo-Phi spread. We chose the jungle this time, because, without the aid of a Republic truck, we could not have conveyed the quantities of buns, dogs, slices of bacon, bananas, olives, pickles, coffee and cream to another of our favorite haunts where camp-fires burn.

Picking was rather scarce when it came to wood, for the jungle has been cleared several times in its history, but our fire was finally well fed by the results of efforts expected by searching eyes, and acrobatic stunts—the fuel was fairly plucked from the air. The appointed cooks gave quick service because of the careful preparations that had been made for the out-door feed.

No bashful moments were spent from the time "Issy" and Adelaide started the coffee in the two shiny new pails until Ray put out the last spark. Everybody was doing something and somebody was doing everything. "Foote" Howe played "Mumble the Peg" and had to come close enough to nature to pull the stake. The necessary exercise was secured between courses by playing "three deep," then more followed.

Marcia Ann Carl and Ray Cheney chose sides for Charades and Ruth Oliver made herself famous by guessing the greatest number of the clever representations which were devised. Adelaide and Rowena became Burbank's latest freak of nature, A. Ballow Rose (a blue race), and Burch was the lucky number three, (who took the cake) in the riddle propounded as Philip the III (fill up the third). Bennie invented a new blight (insect, bee, light) and proved his ability in the biological world.

The end of our late permission come too early, and with weepy voices, yells were given by each society for the other and we scattered at the old parting place, Wright Hall, saying, another of those never-to-be-forgotten times to add to our string of scalps.

"ON THE SUNLIGHT TRAIL"

Sunday evening, Rev. Green, of the First Presbyterian church of Mt. Pleasant, gave the annual address to the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A., at the Presbyterian church in this city. Rev. Green spoke to the subject "On the Sunlight Trail." He said that the main point that he wished to leave was that we should be optimistic. It depends how we look upon things as to what we see. There are always two trails for a person to travel; one in the sunlight, the other in the shadow. A person on the first looks forward and for tomorrow, he sees things worth while. The other looks back and laments bad conditions and does not try to better them. This day is a day of opportunity. For instance the death knell of the liquor traffic has been sounded and it is a great opportunity for the youth to serve. The world is not run by ten talent men but by men with one, two or three talents. The person on the sunlight trail will look forward to the time when dreams will be realities. And great ideals will become realities. We need a revival in Americanism. Rather than to have war in America it would be better to have another flag floating over our capitol is the scope of many people's patriotism. In closing Rev. Green gave Henry Vandyke's poem, "Home Again."

ELECTION OF EDITORS

The annual election of the editor-in-chief and business manager of the Almanian for the year 1916-17 was held in the chapel on Thursday morning Myrddyn C. Davies captured the editorship from the only opponent Homer Dunham and Linton Melvin was elected as business manager. Melvin Vender being the other candidate.

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"FATHER OF THE CAMPUS" AND FRIEND OF STUDENTS

"BOB" FREDRICKS Deserves Much Merited Praise

Who is the student who has ever attended Alma college within the last few years, who does not know "Bob" and whom "Bob" doesn't know? Very few, for no matter what course you may have followed; no matter what kind of a fellow or Co-ed you may have been, you have known the old veteran bell-ringer. It is not necessary to give the history of such a well-known character as our beloved janitor, for it is known by every student who has attended our school for all these years, but we feel that we must voice the opinion of both faculty and students by complimenting "Bob" on the way in which everything around the institution had been kept this spring. Almost every person



"BOB" FREDERICKS

has spoken words of the highest praise only, of the large grass lawns which have been kept in the most splendid condition, and this is brought about by the constant care. Then the flower beds have been well looked after for we have had flowers of some kind since a few weeks after spring vacation. There is no doubt but that all these things have a vast influence over prospective students, for the thought and knowledge of a beautiful campus has a great deal of weight with such persons. Then too, it has an inestimable effect upon the student body, for things would indeed be rather gloomy and dreary were it not for the campus which Alma may well be proud of owning.

The Almanian, as the mouth-piece of the students of Alma college wishes to express their thanks to our good old friend for the part that he has so magnificently played, in making our campus look so beautiful, and at this closing time of the year we say that we hope that he will be with us for many years to come.

Soph-Frosh Baseball Game, next Monday.

ALMA HIGH WINS

The Alma high school track team won the county honors, last Friday, with 64½ points, Breckenridge took second with 34½, Ithaca third with 19 and St. Louis fourth with 12. Alma finished first in the relay, but was disqualified by referee and starter Homer Dunham fo Alma college. Ed Johnston was another Alma man who aided in running the meet.

Soph-Frosh Baseball Game, next Monday.

VIVID PICTURES OF PAUL

Were you in prayer meeting last Wednesday evening? If not, you missed one of the most interesting and pleasing meetings of the year.

Professor Brokenshire gave us the talk of the service, and Miss Amo DeWitt led.

In his speech, Dr. Brokenshire drew the most clear and well-worked out pictures of all the leading things that happened in the life of the great man, Paul.

"We can imagine that we are in a dungeon with Paul as he writes his letter to Timothy, his successor, and all around seems dark and dreary. It is in the evening, and Paul, now an old man, is sitting down at a little table writing. A little beam of light comes thru a little window, or maybe from a hole in ceiling. His face, it seems to me is the face of Lincoln, men, each one having the great responsibility of directing countless people in their own day, and for the generations to follow.

"Let us, if you will, look at the life of Paul. Here he is in young manhood, a bright, keen and intelligent boy, deeply interested in all that goes on. We can see him at the race meets, watching the wrestling matches, and looking on at the fights. These experiences prove very useful to him when he is writing to the various people, for he uses them as figures to drive home some point. Also, he is a fine student, and is fast becoming a man of power.

"When he was a man, in the prime of life, he was most active against the new Christian church. He was a strict Pharasee, and was naturally very much opposed to the teachings of the Christ, and thought that it was his duty to do all that he could to kill them.

Then the story of his conversion was told, and of his great use to the true church in later years. One of the great lessons which was brought forth from the talk, was the fact that whatever Paul thought, he sought to carry it out to the fullest possible extent."

We are sure that more talks from the members of our faculty would be greatly appreciated, and during the new school year, we shall look for them.

THE FAR-AWAY PRINCESS

Last Tuesday night the girls of Wright Hall and a few outside guests were delightfully entertained by Miss Hitchcock's class in English speech. Sudermann's one act play "The Far-away Princess" was excellently given. Fritz Struble (Elizabeth Newbraugh) made a most charming german student, while Janet Hubbel as the Princess, played the part exceptionally well. Ethel Zipp carried the dignity well as Frau Von Halldorf, as did Zella Come, the maid of honor. Both Christie and Beatrice bustled busily about the stage, and Erma and Gladys entered well in their characters as daughters of Frau Von Halldorf. Great credit is due to Miss Hitchcock's untiring efforts in making this play the splendid success that it was.

A short aesthetic dance after the play was given most gracefully and beautifully. Again we were aware of Miss Hitchcock's skill and training.

REV. H. L. FOULKES, D. D., TALKS

One of the best chapel lectures delivered in our chapel this year was made last Monday. It is with great regret we report that we are unable to publish it in this issue, but so that students and Alumni may have the benefit of the talk it will be published in the first issue in the fall.

SOPHOMORES ELECT

The Class of '18 held their election Thursday. Officers were elected for next year, as follows:

President—Linton Melvin.
Vice President—Marion Cooper.
Secretary—Bess Brown.
Treasurer—Lillian DesJardines.
Treasurer—Wm. Murphy.

BEST COMMENCEMENT IN COLLEGE HISTORY

Twenty-ninth Annual Commencement to be Held Next Wednesday

This year's final week will undoubtedly be one of the best in the history of Alma College. It is hardly necessary to urge any student of this institution to remain for the week when he can do just as he pleases practically. Also, it is hardly necessary to urge our old students, the men and the women who have left our college walls, never to return as students, but who still cherish old love and respect for their Alma Mater. The following is the program;

Sunday, June 11—10:00 a. m. Farewell Communion at Presbyterian church. Rev. Wm. H. Mason, pastor. 7:30 p. m. Baccalaureate address, Presbyterian church, President Harry Means Crooks.

Monday, June 12—9:00 a. m. Final Chapel service with presentation of emblems and medals won in athletics, oratory and debate. 4:00 p. m. Kindergarten Class day in gymnasium. 6:30 p. m. Faculty-Trustees dinner at home of President and Mrs. Crooks. 8:00 p. m. Senior Sing at Hood museum.

Tuesday, June 13—9:00 a. m. Annual meeting of the Board of Trustees. 10:00 a. m. Graduating Piano recital by Miss Eva Barnes. 12 m. Alumni luncheon and reunion in the grove. 2:30 p. m. Presentation of flagpole to college by Class 1903. Presentation by Rev. Hugh N. Ronald. '03. Acceptance by Rev. James M. Barkley, D. D., L. L. D., President of Board of Trustees. 3:30 p. m. Alumni-College baseball game. 8:00 p. m. Senior promenade on the campus. 9:00 p. m. President's reception at home of President and Mrs. Crooks. All friends of the college invited.

Wednesday, June 14—10:00 a. m. Commencement, college chapel. Address by Rev. Joseph A. Vance, D. D., "The Soul of America." Presentation of diplomas and state certificates. Awarding of honors and medals. 1:00 p. m. Commencement luncheon, Wright Hall.

There are several things which may need a little explanation.

Next Sunday morning the annual farewell Communion will be celebrated in the College Church. Every student is expected to be present. The Seniors will wear their gowns and the members of the Faculty will wear their Academic Dress. The Baccalaureate Address will be given by the President. His theme will be "Life More Abundantly."

On Monday morning, the last chapel exercise of the year will be held. At that time the various emblems and trophies will be presented. The members of the basketball, baseball and track teams will be presented with their "A"; the debaters against Hope will receive their medals, and the college orator will receive his medal.

At three o'clock in the afternoon the Kindergarten will hold its class day. There will be several songs; stories by Misses Zipp, Waniger, and Hazelton; rythems by the Freshmen and Senior girls, and Miss Ruth Robinson will do some interpretive dancing.

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HOW HAVE YOU FARED?

The Almanian and Alma college is at another year's end, and what have they meant to us, as students and as a faculty? Doubtless they have been an influence either for good or for bad, and it is our great privilege to say that the latter results are very rare.

We have endeavored to give our beloved college the best kind of a paper which has contained a reasonable amount of practically every event of importance which has happened during the year. Our alumni columns have been well supported, altho it is safe to say, that some times we could use more material concerning our old students, if we had the news. On the whole we have tried to give a good, clean, healthy college paper, and again it is our pleasure to say that we have been fairly successful. The staff sustained a great loss on account of the resignation of Mr. Robert Notes-tein, and Mr. Lewis Sarvis.

How have we as students fared with our college this year? Some are leaving these walls never to return again as students; others will be here for one or more years. Did we grasp those things which are so vital in the development of our spiritual, intellectual and physical lives, or have we slumped and let all things of real value go? We are the best judges. And now that the time has come to say "Good-bye" we say it with sorrow, for here in Alma college, we have formed such friendships and have gained such experiences as would never have been presented at any other place.

Let every student work for Alma. Create the Alma spirit everywhere you go.

The Almanian wishes to thank the students and faculty of Alma college for the splendid support which they have given and for their valuable contributions which they have given thus making the paper a great success.

The time has come when the annual class color day should be celebrated. We must live up to the traditions and customs which have been the sole property of our college for many years. There is something about color day which revives the real college spirit which perchance, may be a little dead, and which could very well do with a revival. Why not endeavor to arouse the sleeping spirit and make the examination week a little more pleasant, by everyone displaying colors on Thursday next? It would break up the monotony of this week, (if it is monotony) and we could have a happy time out of it too. Well, Thursday is the day.

Neck-tie Day, Thursday.

Another thing which is almost left out of our college life this year, is the annual Soph-Frosh baseball game. However, it is not too late, for we still have a few more days. It is admitted, though that there is not a very opportune time during the present week. Monday afternoon may prove to be a good and convenient time for the usual scrap on old Davis Field. Then remember one of the biggest days of your Sophomore and Freshman years. The great baseball game on Monday afternoon. Get your line-ups, and see who will win the pennant this year.

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FROEBEL NOTES

The Froebel society held its election of officers, last Monday evening, the 29th of May. The following officers were elected:

President—Gene Ramsdell.
Vice President—Gladys Watkins.
Secretary—Jane Ferguson.
Treasurer—Josephine Reiser.
Pianist—Hazel Tuck.

After election Ruth Weston was announced to read a paper, "The Girl I Left Behind Me." What was coming. I could hear the squeak of the fife and the measured rat-a-tat-tat and boom of the drums as the strains of the old song formed an "Auditory Image." Perhaps it was because Memorial day was so near. The next minute, however, my images were smashed into a thousand pieces as Ruth began the "will" left by the "old girls" to the "new." No use to describe it here. You all know her inimitable style. Her stinging sarcasm, wiped out the next breath by a word of sincere appreciation.

When the "will" was finished the rest of us decided that it was just what we had wanted to say, but didn't know how.

If you wish to know more about it ask the new president.

ALPHA THETA

The last meeting of the year was held Monday evening, May 29. The program consisted of:

Roll call—"How Can We Better Alpha Theta."

A book review of "The Harbor" by Ernest Poole—Ruth Dutt.

Election of officers:

President—Wilhelmine Ritter.
Vice president—Edna Ward.
Secretary—Lillian DesJardins.
Cor. sec'y—Vernie Green.
Treasurer—Beatrice Koepfgen.
Sentinel—Ruth Dutt.
Guide—Mildred McConkey.

Almanian reporter—Annawave Coleman.

First critic—Pauline Markham.
Second critic—Violet Elliott.

Neck-tie Day, Thursday.

ZETA SIGMA

The regular meeting of Zeta Sigma was held Monday evening.

After "Shot" Fitch read an interesting paper on "The Swiss Military System," officers were elected for next year.

President—E. R. Stafford.
Vice President—Chester Robinson.
Secretary—Ralph Craig.
Treasurer—Harold Lampman.
First Critic—Mark Spinney.
Second Critic—Linton Melvin.
Keeper of Archives—Lee Maltby.
After adjournment Zeta Sigma along with Alpha Theta went in a body as Art Critics of the Whitney Stock company.

PHILOMATHEAN

Following are the officers for the coming year; elected at the last meeting:

President—Lydia Ressigue.
Vice President—Helen Baker.
Secretary—Rowena Rose.
Treasurer—Ruth Oliver.
Corresponding Secretary—Bess Brown.
Sentinel—Edith Layer.
Almanian Reporter—Olive Batie.
After the meeting we went down town for "treats" from the new officers.

PHI PHI ALPHA

The regular meeting of Phi Phi Alpha was held last Monday evening. The night's meeting was given over to the final speeches of the departing seniors.

Alonzo Beshgetoor and Verne VanDuzen were the men who made the speeches. They gave us some splendid pointers.

KNOX

The college speaking department of Knox college has the distinction of being located in one of the buildings in which the famous Lincoln-Douglas debates were held. The building is one of the oldest on the Knox campus.—Carietonian.

Neck-tie Day, Thursday.

ALMA MECCA OF S. S. WORKERS

For the third consecutive year, the School of Methods is to be held at Alma, July 23-28. People from different parts of Michigan come to this Sunday School institute and spend the week in our college hall and attend the study-periods of the school. The faculty is composed of some of America's best instructors in the modern methods of religious education. Among these are Dr. Gammon of Chicago, Dr. Feeman of Westminster, Md., Dr. Steele of Winona, Dr. Adair of Stockbridge, Prof. Brokenshire of Alma, Miss Sara Goodman of Grand Rapids, Miss Luella Crissman of Strong Conservatory of Music, Ill., Rev. Veneklasen of Grand Rapids and Rev. H. B. Wilson of West Unity, Ohio.

Alfred Ray Atwood, the educational superintendent for the Synod of Michigan, was the founder of School of Methods for this state. He serves as Dean of the Alma School of Methods and all correspondence, enrollments, etc., should be addressed to him at Lansing. The Alma S. S. institute has led all those of the state both in the number of people attending and also in the quality of the instruction. The Alma School of Methods now number so many that separate courses are offered. This year there will be five courses in Bible study; two in teacher training; five departmental sections, etc. There are about 100 different periods at which every phase of Sunday school work will be treated by specialists.

All meals are to be served as formerly at Wright Hall (20c) and the college buildings will be at the disposal of the school. It means a great deal to the college to have people from many towns and cities come to Alma for a week, for they are sure to carry away the thought of "Alma, a College of Character."

It is said that Olivet college: teams, cannot sleep near a railroad on account of the noise but have to go out in the country in order to secure home-like accommodations.—Lawrention.

WANTED

The Educators Association are going to use a number of college students for some high class Educational work among school patrons, for the summer. Ambitious students, either men or women would have a fine opportunity for pleasant work among pleasant people, at a salary from \$75.00 to \$100.00 per month guarantee, the average earning being about \$6.50 per day.

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Alumni Round Table

Where we are and what we are doing

Rev. Harold Gaunt, of the class of 1906, for the past four years pastor of the Second Presbyterian church in East Liverpool, Ohio, has recently accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church of Moundsville, West Virginia. It is one of the leading churches of the city and the only one of this denomination. The congregation includes the mayor, representatives of the two daily papers, several lawyers and doctors, besides other business and professional men. There is a good church building and a nine room manse for the use of the pastor and his family. The call was unanimous and came unsolicited. The salary will be \$300 more than the church paid before. Mr. Gaunt will take up his work in the new field about June 15th.

During the time of his pastorate in East Liverpool some 150 members have been received into the church and many improvements made. The congregation is rated one of the best in the suburb where it is located. Rev. Gaunt has taken a prominent part in two statewide prohibition fights and two city elections on the license question during his residence in East Liverpool which is a city of 25,000.

When in Alma Gaunt was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and Zeta Sigma, and served as member on the Almanian during his senior year. As college reporter for the Detroit Free Press for three years he took a live interest all athletics. His record as "scrub" captain for four years will likely stand for some time.

After graduating at Alma he took his theological course in Princeton Seminary, at the same time taking work in Princeton University for the M. A. degree, specializing in English literature under Dr. Henry VanDyke. His first pastorate was in Wheaton, Minnesota, where he remained three and a half years.

He was married in 1910 to Miss Susie Lou Hawes, of the class of 1907, and they have one daughter, Margaret Philna, five years of age.

"About forty-eight hours ago a pair of fine twin girls were born in our home. So far as we know this is the first pair of twins ever born on either side of the house. Mrs. Roland is an Alma alumna of the class of 1904, (Kate Blair) and I am an alumnus of 1903. Mother and daughters are getting along nicely, and of course we are very proud and thankful. Until someone proves a prior right to the distinction we are going to claim to be the parents of the first Alma college twins. Just a few minutes ago the momentous question of their names was settled. We will call them Janet and Jean. Our two boys are very proud of their little sister, and we think we have an ideal family, numerically speaking. I am sure the whole Almanian family will rejoice with us in our good fortune.

Sincerely,

Hugh N. Ronold.

Presbyterian Parsonage,
Thorntown, Ind.

Henry Wilkes Wright, Ph. D., ex '97, is another man who is making the name of Alma College famous.

Mr. Wright was a member of the class which was graduated in 1897, although he did not graduate. At present he is Professor of Philosophy in Lake Forest College, and has been given one of the greatest honors possible for a man to attain, that of delivering the famous "Bross Lectures."

Something of his capabilities may be realized when only the best men are eligible for such work and among those who have given lectures are Rev. James Orr, D. D., of Glasgow, Rev. Thomas James Thornburn, D. D., LL. D., of Hastings, England, President Patton, D. D., of Princeton Seminary and Rev. J. Neville Niggis, D. D. Litt. D., of the House of Resurrection, Mirfield, England.

During the past two years and two months, Napoleon Church, Rev. Hurd Allyn Drake, ('11), pastor, has bought and paid for a new \$3,100 pipe organ, reduced the manse debt \$700, increased the Sabbath school, developed the largest Christian Endeavor in Maumee Presbytery, increased its membership from 294 to 360, and made large gain in its benevolent offerings.

At a banquet held on the first day of the pastor's third year, a hundred men were addressed by Dr. W. H. Dickens-Lewis of First Church, Findlay.—The Herald and Presbytery.

Newark, N. J., May 25, 1916
Editor, The Almanian,
Alma, Michigan.

My dear Sir:—

Yesterday I was greatly pleased to receive a call from Mr. Paul P. Rohms, Ex-'09, who is now Director of Sales for the Clipper Belt Lacer company, Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. Rohms was on an eastern trip transacting business for his company in New York City, Newark and other points. His company has invented a very successful steel wire belt lacing, which does away with the old buck-skin leather lacing, making a much smoother belting joint and more flexible.

I am always delighted to see Alma friends.

Yours very truly,
William Winton, ('04)

THANKS BERT

Flint, Mich., May 29, 1916
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duly Beloved brethren:—
be an as to how me and Hazel dont lik to appear in print (ithink calico a muchm ore refined lerm for that ther the dainty soft goods) we anit a writen sayen as to how we be and hope you is but just ope you accept the enclosed circulars without complaint and use them to the best of your stability for the good of the caus in which you are so magnifyingly strugglen.

Your in the deepest sympathy and appreciation,

BERT WILLIAMS,
615 Avon St.,

FROM SATTERLEE

Wyandotte, Mich., May 22 1916
I have been elected to the position in south high school at Grand Rapids. I will teach mathematics and have charge of one of the session rooms, sort of sub-principle I suppose.

Very truly yours,
CLAUDE SATTERLEE.

THANKS!

Enclosed please find my subscription to the "Almanian." The College is to be congratulated upon the newsy style of this sheet and also upon the good workmanship shown in its publication. Sincerely,

Alfred Ray Atwood.

WHAT THEY ARE DOING

On the evening of May 18th, Rev. J. Norman King, ('05), was received by Lima Presbytery and installed pastor of the Olivet Church of Lima. Rev. William Surdival, D. D., presided; Rev. John W. Christie preached. The charge to the people was by Rev. Arthur M. Hughes, and to the pastor by Rev. Juilis R. Bardelmeier. Pastor and people in their new relationship face an opportunity for large usefulness.

WRIGHT HALL NEWS

Miss Caroline Robinson is receiving a visit from her sister, Ruth, who was graduated from Miss Parsons last week.

Miss Margaret Foote chaperoned Misses Edna Ward and Jean Hatch to Albion to attend the M. I. A. A. field meet.

Miss Marion Parsons is visiting friends in Ann Arbor, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bradfield and Albert, visited Helen a day last week.

Miss Ellen Doty entertained her mother and sister and friend., Friday.

Mrs. Ed Brehm of Cadillac was a Wright Hall caller this week.

Miss Camelia Waite spent several days with relatives in Clare this week.

Misses Wilhelmine Ritter, Ruth Stacy and Otha McCracken went with Dr. McCurdy's Biology class to Vestaburg, on a field trip, Saturday.

Elizabeth Thureau is the guest of Jane Ferguson this week.

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KAZOO GETS B. B. PENNANT

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Tennis results:

Men's singles—Goodrich, Albion, defeated Pullen, Hillsdale in finals, 6-1, 6-0, 8-6.

Men's doubles—Dawe and Rood, Albion, defeated Towler and Miller, Olivet, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Ladies' singles—Miss Wright, Kalamazoo, defeated Miss Mark, Hillsdale, 6-1, 6-2. Finals won by Miss Wight, Olivet forfeiting.

Ladies' doubles finals won by Misses Wight and Dewater, Kalamazoo, who defeated Miss Mark and Miss Wiley, Hillsdale, 7-5, 6-4.

Summary of events:

220 hurdles—Won by Schurr, Kalamazoo; second, Buchheit, Hillsdale; third, Miller, Hillsdale. Time: 29 seconds.

Shotput—Won by Tarbell, Hillsdale; second, Schallack, Olivet; third, tie between French and Richards, Alma. Distance 40.01 feet.

120 yard hurdles—Won by Buckheit, Hillsdale; second, Schurr, Kalamazoo, Time 16 4-5 seconds. Miller, Hillsdale, ran third but was disqualified for knocking down hurdles.

Two-mile run—Won by Addington, Albion; second, Bishop, Hillsdale; third, Hootman, Kalamazoo. Time: 10 minutes 3-5 seconds. (Breaking record of 10:17 held by Addington, Albion, Thomas, Olivet, and Hunsberge, Olivet.)

100 yard dash—Won by Preston, Kalamazoo; second, Stewart, Hillsdale, third, Thompson, Kalamazoo. Time: 10 3-5 seconds.

880 yard run—Won by Bishop, Hillsdale; second, Balch, Kalamazoo; third, Omans, Hillsdale. Time: 2:06 25 seconds.

440 yard run—Won by Stewart, Hillsdale; second, Davis, Albion; third, Walker, Kalamazoo. Time: 54 seconds.

Running high jump—Won by Pullen, Hillsdale; second, Buchheit, Hillsdale; third, Boyd, Albion. Height, 5 feet, 10 3-4 inches. (Breaking record of 5 feet, 7 1-2 inches made by Jackson of Alma, in 1915.)

Discus throw—Won by Trabel, Hillsdale; second, Schlaak, Olivet; third, Preston, Kalamazoo. Distance: 117.10 feet.

220 yard dash—Won by Preston Kalamazoo; second, Stewart, Hillsdale; third, Schur, Kalamazoo. Time: 22 4-5 seconds.

Javelin throw—Won by Edwards, Albion; second, Niemann, Albion; third, Buchheit, Hillsdale. Distance: 149.45 feet.

Mile relay—Won by Hillsdale, (Duddleson, Buch, Miller and Stewart); second, Kalamazoo, (Ralston, Thompson-Walker, Schuur); third, Albion, (Hunter, Campbell, Shattuck and Schuur). Time: 3 minutes, 33 3-5 seconds.

One mile run—Won by Bishop, Hillsdale; second, Addington, Albion; third, Coleman, Alma. Time 4:36 4-5. (Breaking record of 4:39 made by Voelker, Olivet in 1909.)

Broad jump—First, Knapp, Albion; second, Schuur, Kalamazoo; third, Boyd, Albion. Distance, 21 feet 11 5-8 inches.

Pole vault—First by Buchheit, Hillsdale, and Dexter, Albion. Height 11 feet 2 1-2 inches. (Buchheit's mark breaks record of 10 feet 5 3-4 inches made by Traver, Olivet in 1913.)

LOSE A HARD GAME

The Alma college base ball team lost a hard fought game at Mt. Pleasant last week Wednesday by a score of 2 to 1, the Normals shoving over the winning run in the last half of the ninth inning.

The game was one of the best played this year, but still it must be confessed that errors allowed both Normal scores, Alma having the only earned run of the game. Depew was in the box for the locals and pitched his best game of the entire season, allowing only seven hits, only two of which the Normals could bunch in any one session. With a patched up team operating behind him, his support wavered twice at critical stages of the game and both times the Teachers' took advantage of Alma's miscues.

Bottom, the Normalites star heaver was also in good working order for the game, but failed to show the sterling quality of pitching that the Alma pitcher was giving, Alma being able to bunch three of her hits in one inning, which counted the only earned run of the games.

In the first two innings, the Normals got a man on the sacks each time with a hit. In the first innings, they secured a hold on the second sack, but could not get by this station. In the second session a double play

Johnston to Gies killed off their foes.

In the fourth inning Kyser was safe on a hit. He was safe at second when Johnston dropped Fitch's throw to stop the steal and took third. McDonald's blow slipped through Johnston and Kyser scored, with two down.

From this time on until the ninth the Normals were helpless before the great twirling of Dewep. In the ninth with the scored tied at one all, Kyser was safe, when Smith threw wild to first, Vincent singled, and then VonHosen slammed one through short, Kyser scoring the winning run.

Alma's lone run came in the sixth. Hebert hit to right with two down, and Malcom Smith duplicated the stunt after Hebert had stolen second. Hebert scored on Smith's blow.

Alma had other chances to score during the contest, but could not touch the Normal twirler when hits meant runs. Twice with men waiting on the sacks, Ardis gave the ball a good healthy swat, but each time at double play was the result.

Lineup:

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Alma					
Hebert, 3rd	.4	1	1	1	0
Smith, ss	.4	0	2	1	3
Johnston, 2nd	2	0	0	2	2
Fitch, c	.3	0	2	9	1
Ardis lf	.4	0	0	1	0
Gies, 1st	.3	0	0	8	0
Vender, m	.3	0	0	1	0
Spinney, rf	.3	0	0	1	0
Depew, p	.3	0	1	0	2
Totals	.29	1	6	*24	8

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Normals					
Farmer, 2nd	.4	0	0	5	5
Chapman, c	.4	0	1	7	1
Kyser, ss	.4	2	2	1	2
Vincent, lf	.4	0	1	2	0
VonHosen, m	.4	0	1	0	0
McDonald, 3rd	3	0	0	3	1
Lake, rf	.3	0	1	1	0
Renwick, 1st	.3	0	1	9	0
Bottom, p	.3	0	0	0	3
Totals	.32	2	7	27	13

*None out in ninth inning.

Errors—Johnston 2, M. Smith 2, 4. Bottom 1.

Two base hits—Renwick.

Bass on balls—Off Bottom 3, off Depew 0.

Struckout—by Bottom 6, by Depew 9.

Stolen bases—Hebert, Johnston, Fitch, 3; Kyser 1.

Double plays—Johnston to Gies; Bottom to Farmer to Renwick; Kyser to Farmer to Renwick.

Umpire—Nevitt, Mt. Pleasant.

Neck-tie Day, Thursday.

COMMENCEMENT

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Don't forget the Senior song. Everybody be out, whether you can sing or not. You will have a good time. Professor Veach will lead.

On Tuesday the flagpole which has been erected opposite Wright Hall will be presented to the college by the class of '03'. The Alumni-College baseball game will also create some interest. Simmertson, '15' will be the captain, and he says that the team will have a line-up which will make the College team work. Among those who are expected to play are: Vogt, 14; Rogers, 14; Goodrich, 15; Blonde Myers, 14; Roy Campbell, 10; Pug Wood, 14; Brilmeyer, 14; Sandy Duncanson, 10 Helmer, 10. In the evening President and Mrs. Crooks will be expecting every student and visitor and all interested in the College to be present at their home. This will be a fine chance to have a real good get-together before we leave.

On Wednesday the Commencement exercises will be held.

Soph-Frosh Baseball Game, next Monday.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Wednesday afternoon in the old back seat of a Henry Ford, Alma's tennis team journeyed to Mt. Pleasant. The team was greatly crippled by the illness of Don Smith and by Seeley not being able to go. The teachers were winners in all matches. The following is the summary:

Singles—Beddow, Mt. Pleasant won from Parker, Alma, 7-5, 6-4. Brown and Clark, Mt. Pleasant won from Melvin, Alma, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4. Munroe, Mt. Pleasant won from Richards, Alma, 6-4, 6-3. Martell, Mt. Pleasant won from N. Smith, Alma, 6-3, 6-4.

Doubles—Beddow and Martell won from Parker and Smith, 6-3, 6-3. Munroe and Woods, won from Melvin and Richards, 7-5, 6-4.

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