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ANNUAL FLAG RUSH FATAL TO SOPHOMORES

Payne Succeeds in Getting Green and White Flag From Pole Wednesday Morning.

The annual flag rush this year was preceded by an unusual amount of excitement. The large number of "Freshies" made it extremely necessary that about one-half of them be tied up, that the Sophomores might have a chance.

About four o'clock, three Freshies were surprised in their rooms and firmly bound. Several others likewise were disposed of. An exceedingly vicious fight started when the Sophs endeavored to get their captives out of Pioneer Hall, but the sagacious Sophs met the situation by securing one man at a time, and rushing him into a waiting automobile, while the rest of the Sophs fought off the main body of Freshies. Two loads of Frosh were conveyed to Elm Hall, and there caged up, supposedly for the night. Later in the evening six more Fresh were subdued. One was paroled and the rest were conveyed to a barn in town, and later to Breckenridge.

About eight o'clock, the news came over the wires, that Freshmen had escaped from Elm Hall, and were thought to be on their way to Alma. A strong guard was detailed to meet the incoming train, the train came in and so did the Freshmen, but they were locked in the rear coach. Since they wouldn't get off, the guard mounted the coach, and the train started for Saginaw. The verdants were kept on the train until it left Merrill, which was supposed to be the last stop before Saginaw. The Sophs returned to Alma in Ford cars, arriving home by twelve-thirty, thus getting forty winks before the furious fray of Wednesday morning.

An hour before the rush, there were odds that the Sophs lines would be intact. But as the hour passed, verdants, who were supposed to be safely tucked away in cellars, appeared. The "Freshies" who were presumably on their way from Saginaw, caught a freight train back and appeared on the field of honor at 6:00 a. m. The only reward the brainy Sophs had for their strenuous activity was the honor of keeping the Freshman class president out of the rush.

The "Freshies" gathered confidence as stolen members returned to their fold. At the sound of the whistle they rushed the Sophs' lines with tremendous fury, the first thrust went thru to the pole. The struggle moved back and forth for three and a half minutes. Many aerial attempts to gain the pole were frustrated by the defenders. Finally the enemy's wedge opened inside the flanks of the defenders, and scurrying, struggling, Sophomores were carried from the pole. Gradually the "Freshies" were able to push their man up the pole; and the class flag of '19 was yanked from its moorings. The Sophs were defeated, only because they were out-numbered nearly two to one.

ALUMNI STUDENTS PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

As has been done in past years, we propose to carry on this the year the "ALUMNI COLUMNS." The success of this department does not depend upon the editors, for news for these columns is received from Alumni. It is the wish of the editors that there will be enough material every week to fill this page, so that all who have attended Alma may know how things are going with the people who are interested in each other.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

The following, is the Constitution and By-Laws of the Debate and Oratory Council of Alma College:

Faculty members—Five.
Student members—One from each of the five literary societies, besides the Student President of the Council.

1. Student President of the Council, with the office also of Student Manager of Debate and Oratory.
2. Faculty Secretary.
3. Faculty Treasurer.

CONSTITUTION

Article I.—Name and Membership.
Section 1. This organization shall be known as the Debate and Oratory Council of Alma College.

Section 2. The membership shall be composed of one duly accredited member from each of the men's and women's Literary Societies, besides the Student President of the Council, the President of the College, the head of the Department of Public Speaking, and three other Faculty members appointed by the President of the College.

Article II.—Object

Section 1. The object of this Council shall be the attainment of literary excellence through contests in debate and oratory between representatives of literary societies, classes, departments, or other associations in our own College, and with other colleges and universities, approved by their respective faculties.

Article III.—Officers.

Section 1. The officers of this Council shall be a President, who shall also be called Student Manager of Debate and Oratory, a Faculty treasurer and a Faculty secretary, who shall be the Professor of Public speaking, all of whom shall hold office for one year. Two nominations for the student office shall be made by the faculty members of the Council. Only those who have represented the college in debate or oratory are to be considered for these nominations. The election shall be a majority ballot vote of the members of the Council present at a quorum meeting not later than the first Wednesday of June of each year.

Section 2. The officers of the Council, together with the President of the College, shall constitute an executive committee for the transaction of business within the limit of their powers, hereafter stated.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the President to call and preside at all business meetings of the Council, to preside at all contests (or on special occasions to delegate that honor to such distinguished citizens as the executive committee may secure), to represent the Council in any inter-collegiate business meetings controlling debate and oratory interests.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Student Manager to be responsible for the minutes of all business meetings of the Council, keep a record of all contests, the names of the contestants, and the markings of the judges in any inter-collegiate events, and to attend to any correspondence except that pertaining to judges, which shall be done by the head of the Department of Oratory.

Section 5. It shall also be the duty of the Student Manager to perform the ordinary functions of a treasurer, under the supervision of the faculty treasurer. He shall pay all bills by check and each shall be countersigned by the faculty treasurer. He shall report the financial condition of the Council after each inter-collegiate contest, or at any time the President of the College or the Council may desire such a report.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Faculty Treasurer to countersign all checks or orders for money to be expended in payment of bills allowed by the Council. The Faculty Treasurer shall have the general supervision of the finances of the Council.

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INAUGURATION OF PRES. CROOKS TO BRING MANY

Large Gathering of College Delegates to Meet in Alma Oct. 31-Nov. 1.

Nearly all the arrangements for the inaugural of President Crooks, as the new president of Alma college are made. It will be a two day affair, and every hour will be filled with interesting ceremonies. The following is the program as far as it is completed to date.

On Sunday, October, 29th, the pre-inaugural sermon will be preached in the Presbyterian church by the Reverend Joseph W. Cochran, D. D. L. L. D., Philadelphia, Pa., Secretary of the Board of Education of the Presbyterian church.

Tuesday, October 31st, at 9:00 a. m., a special chapel service will be held, and the Reverend Edward H. Fence, D. D., of Detroit, will speak. At 2:30 an Educational Conference is scheduled. Theme: "The Contribution of the American College to Society." There will be five or six speakers. The following are included as speakers: President John S. Nollen, Ph. D. L. L. D., Lake Forest College; The Reverend E. A. McAlpine, Jr., D. D., Madison, N. J., President of the College Board of the Presbyterian church.

President J. Campbell White, College of Wooster.

Dinner will be served at Wright Hall, at six o'clock. After dinner speeches.

At 8:15 a public meeting will be held in the College church.

Wednesday, Nov. 1st, 9:00 a. m. The Academic Procession from Wright hall to the Chapel has been arranged. Those who will participate are, the Trustees, Members of the College Faculty, and all official delegates, attired in their academic costumes.

Following the procession, the inaugural ceremonies will take place in the College Chapel. First, the presentation of the official delegates.

Then, the inaugural address. The transfer of the Insignia will be performed by the Rev. J. M. Barkley, D. D. L. L. D., Detroit. Then will follow the inaugural prayer, the inaugural address, the charge to the President, and the Conferring of Honorary degrees.

At 12:00 o'clock a luncheon will be held in Wright Hall.

The following official delegates are expected to come. (We are printing the names without the degrees to which they are entitled). President L. Mackintosh, Wabash; President Chas. McKinney, Ypsilanti; President W. O. Carrier, Carroll; President W. W. Boyd, Western College for Women; Dean Thos. C. Blaisdell, Penn. State; President Samuel Dickie, Albion; President H. B. Hutchins, University of Michigan; President C. M. Stiffins, Dubuque; President E. A. McAlpine, College Board; President John S. Nollen, Lake Forest; President J. Campbell White, Wooster; President Harry M. Gage, Huron; Secretary Joseph W. Cochran, Board of Education; President G. J. McClure, McCromick Theological Seminary; Professors Harry S. Reid; Angue Cameron, Auburn, Auburn Theological Seminary; President Joseph H. MacCracken, Lafayette. The following have given tentative replies: President T. Morey Hodge-man, Macalister; President T. A. Hawley, Park; President B. H. Kraeze Jamestown; President D. B. Waldo, Kalamazoo Normal; President C. H. Rammelkamp, Illinois; President H. L. Stetson, Kalamazoo; President W. C. Kelter, Grove City; President P. Vennema, Hope; President C. T. Grawn, Mt. Pleasant Normal.

It may be better to be born lucky than rich, but if born rich he is lucky from the start.

PROF. WEST RETURNS

Professor F. E. West of the Department of Chemistry at Alma college, has returned home after spending the past twelve months in the western states, where he has been doing research work at some of the leading American universities, among these being the University of Wisconsin and the University of California.

Professor F. E. West was granted the Sabbatical year of leave by the Alma college board of trustees for the college year of 1915-16. This leave is given each year to some of the professors and is to be used in research work for the betterment of the college courses.



PROFESSOR F. E. WEST

Besides spending a semester at both Wisconsin and California, Professor West has visited twelve of the western universities and colleges, and on these visits has come in contact with other learned men in his line, and gained many new ideas in this way. In his visits throughout the western states, Professor West has visited at the Panama-Pacific exposition, the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, the famous Yosemite Valley of California, Santa Fe, New Mexico, the oldest city in the United States, etc. On these visits and side trips he has seen many of the most famous wonders of the world.

He returns to Alma college better equipped than ever for his work in the department of chemistry, and will be warmly greeted by the students of the college who are taking work in this department.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Oct. 7—Ypsilanti Normals at Ypsilanti
- Oct. 10—Mt. Pleasant Normals here
- Oct. 14—M. A. C. at East Lansing
- Oct. 21—Mt. Pleasant Normals at Mt. Pleasant
- Nov. 4—Albion at Albion
- Nov. 11—Olivet college at Alma
- Nov. 18—Kalamazoo college at Alma
- Nov. 25—Notre Dame university at South Bend, Indiana.

If a man has the right kind of material in his makeup, it doesn't matter whether he was born with a silver spoon or a wooden ladle in his mouth.

EXCELLENT OPENING RECEPTION AT WRIGHT HALL

Faculty and Students Get Better Acquainted at First Formal Gathering.

Another opening reception has come and gone, and when one girl was heard to say it was the most enjoyable one within her recollection, she voiced the opinion of every one who was at Wright Hall, Friday evening. Truly the committees are to be congratulated upon their splendid arrangements and upon the decorations which were tasty and unique. By the use of masses of autumnal tinted foliage the reception room was made to look almost like "de dense forest." Both Wright Hall and Pioneer Hall rooms were robbed of pillows and rugs which were arranged about the dining room and small reception rooms, making the most delightful corners for a tete-a-tete with one's best girl. In the center of the dining room a lovely bower was built up with branches of bright colored foliage.

By means of the "I am — Who are you" cards every one soon knew every one else, and when Chet wished to make an announcement from the platform of the radiator, he had difficulty in making himself heard above the buzz of happy voices. It is said that coming events cast shadows, but we didn't see the shadows, for every one's spirits seemed fine.

The program was started by a Grand March, led by Ed. Johnston and Miss. Gene Ramsdall. Following this was a period of intermission for gossip, then a musical number by Paul Austin, Oscar Anderson, Clarence Goodrich and Ralph Chisholm. Though it was an impromptu affair to take the place of a number by Prof. Veatch, certainly no apologies were necessary, because of unpreparedness. The applause which followed showed how glad everyone was to hear the boys sing again, and they responded with several encores. More gossip followed, then a male quartet by Messrs. Austin, Seeley, Smith and Robinson. Two more musical selections by a double trio, consisting of the following ladies: Josephine Riser, Pauline Markham, Vernie Green, Ruth Boer, Eloise Carey and Josephine Hall completed the program. Last but by no means least, came the refreshments for which partners were secured by matching the numbers on the "Who's Who Cards." Nut ice cream and wafers were served, and the evening's program was closed by singing the college song. Another remark heard in passing through the hall—"I had the best time. It wasn't a bit stiff and formal as I expected." This came from a new girl, I judge, and again we all agree.

Under certain conditions a man may make more noise in the world by keeping his mouth shut than any other way.

1916	1917
ALMA LYCEUM COURSE	
"The Town and Gown" Course	
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Monday, October 23rd	Concert
Wednesday, November 8th.	Drama Evening
Wednesday, November 22nd	Joint Recital
Monday, December 18th.	Pasquele Tallarico
Thursday, January 25th	Zoellner Quartet
Thursday, February 15th.	Dr. Lincoln Wirt
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WHAT ENTHUSIASM MEANS

As enthusiasms touch us, we succeed. Like electricity, it can be measured only by its work, but its results are sure and marvelous. Born of the love of work, so it transforms that work into the veriest pleasure. It stirs an organization from president to freshman with the spirit of conquest as martial music stirs the soldier. It creeps into their brains and ideas are born; it quickens their judgement and their work is acceptable; it nimbles their fingers and their work is well done; it hardens their resolutions and grey skies become blue. Enthusiasm is more than seen, it is felt. Its price is only the best that's in you; its effect is a transformation—Trade Journal.

PHILOMATHEAN

Philomathean Literary Society held its first regular meeting of the year, last Monday evening. More of the old girls were back than we had anticipated so we are looking forward with the expectation of profiting from a very interesting year's work. Plans were discussed and committees appointed for the open meeting and party for the freshman girls. Everyone was well pleased with the beginning and parted sincerely hoping that the year may bring only the best.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Lesson 3. Sources—
Scripture—Mark 1:1-11.
How wonderful the story
Series of surprises
What do the Gospels give?
What words do we deal with?
What part of creed can all men repeat?
One request.

Y. W. C. A. NEWS

Nearly every girl in the Hall was present at the Y. W. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon. Wilhemine Ritter was in charge of the meeting and after reading the parable of the Good Samaritan from her testament of Modern Speech, she explained in her usual simple and straight forward manner the purpose and object of the association. Y. W. C. A. is not prayer meetings, it is not social evenings and teas, though these are a few of the things which are looked after by the association. The purpose of Y. W. C. A., is to unite the women of the college in loyalty to Jesus Christ, to lead them to accept Him as their personal Saviour; to build them up in the knowledge of Christ, especially through Bible study and Christian service, that their character and conduct may be consistent with their belief. It shall thus associate them with the students of the world for the advancement of the Kingdom of God. Y. W. C. A. helps the young woman to maintain an all-around development.

The song services which were held at the Masonic Home last year were again resumed on Sunday under the leadership of Olive Batie.

Last Sunday evening all the new students were entertained in the rooms of the old girls, and the delicious odors and merry voices gave the halls a festive air, dispelling all symptoms of lonesomeness—that first Sunday evening away from home. Another lovely custom which has been the work of the Y. W. C. A. is that of giving flowers to the new girls. Each one was presented with a beautiful rose, Sunday morning.

A fine spirit of interest and co-operation is being shown by the members of the cabinet, and the girls hope to make Y. W. C. A. mean much this year to the women of Alma college.

CHAPEL NOTICE

Absences from chapel are counted against students just the same as absences are counted from classes. Don't be tardy. Don't be absent. You will lose a credit.

PROHIBITION LEAGUE ACTIVE

At the time of Harry G. McCain's visit to Alma last spring, many of the students pledged themselves to do campaign work this fall, in the fight to make Michigan dry. Many of these people, besides ones who recently signed up have been organized into teams which will go out into various centers in this county to speak and sing in an effort to turn peoples' attentions to the big civic problem of state-wide prohibition. This is a time when the people of this state will have an opportunity to make this state stand out for that which is for the best interests of the citizens. In this work, the college people, too, have a rare opportunity to benefit themselves and the commonwealth. So that there may be definite steps taken along this line six teams have been organized.

Team, Number One—
Chester R. Robinson, Captain.
Clinton Seeley
Homer Grimes
Donald Smith

Team, Number Two—
Myrddyn C. Davies, Captain.
Harold Millard
Howard S. Burtch
Alton C. Case

Team, Number Three—
Melvin R. Vender, Captain.
Morton G. Ault
G. Lonie
J. A. B. MacAuley

Team, Number Four—
Linton Melvin, Captain.
Lester Doerr
McKinley Payne
Eliud Sanchez

Team, Number Five—
Robert E. McAllister, Captain.
F. Kruger
Stanley Warner

Team, Number Six—
Charles B. Kennedy, Captain.
Hudson
Ernest Bacon

The teams are under the management of Lester Doerr, who will work under the supervision of Frank Convis, Ithaca, county dry campaign manager. Some of the girls are expected to go along, to help with the music and to do some speaking. If any are desirous to do such work, make it known to Lester Doerr, for the men, and Miss Adelaide Balou, for the girls.

STATEMENT RECOMMENDED AND ADOPTED

In addition to Friday night engagements, approved by the Dean of Women, study night privileges will be limited to twelve social evenings, such as lectures, concerts, and other approved appointments. Choral society, literary society, college debates and oratorical contests, prayer meetings, and other appointments excepted by the Deans shall not be counted as social evenings.

The returning time on Friday evenings shall be 10:00.

A Saturday night study hour is re-established, the hours being from 7:30 until 9:00.

No Saturday morning "privileges" shall be granted except with the specific authorization of the committee on social life.

WHAT'S AHEAD

Wednesday, October 4th—Prayer meeting.
Friday, October 6th.—Detroit Alumni Association banquet, Hotel Statler. S. A. Graves, '10, President.
Saturday, October 7th—Philo party for girls.
Tuesday, October 10th—Synod of Michigan meets in Howell.
Wednesday evening, Oct. 11th—Popular meeting, Alma college night. Dr. John A. Marquis, Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, and President of Coe College, Iowa, and Dr. W. O. Thompson, President of Ohio State University, will speak.
Friday, October 13—(Founder's Day) Dr. Robert E. Speer.

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Alma endowment and Frank R. Hurst memorial considered. S. A. Graves at Phone No. Walnut 3636-J. Informal dress.

The above card was received from S. A. Graves, President of Alumni of Detroit.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

Finley—"The French in the Heart of America"
Finck—"Greig and His Music"
Lewisohn—"Modern Drama"
Clark—"Continental Drama"
Chandler—"Aspects on Modern Drama"
Henderson—"European Dramatists"
Cheney—"New Movement in the Theatre"
MacKaye—"A Thousand Years Ago"
Wilde—"Lady Windermere's Fan"
Shaw—"Second Mrs. Tanqueray"
Shaw—"Man and Superman"
Shaw—"You Never Can Tell"
Shaw—"Philanderer"
Shaw—"Doctor's Dilemma"
Shaw—"Candida"
Ibsen—"An Enemy of the People"
Ibsen—"Doll's House"
Maeterlinck—"Bluebird"
Gregory—"Seven Short Plays"
Bjornson—"Three Comedies"
Kennedy—"Servant in the House"
Jones—"Michael and His Angel"
Phillips—"Paopo and Francesca"
Tagore—"Post Office"
Galsworthy—"Justice"
Yeats—"Land of Heart's Desire"
Sudermann—"Magda"
Rostand—"Cyrano de Bergerac"
Hauptmann—"Sunken Bell"

Prof. Helmer: "Since the present European war started hasn't America learned how to make a lot of commodities which before were bought from England, and Germany?"

"Chet" Robinson, "Yes, but Germany has a better system of 'dying.'"

A man can't get ahead of the world unless he is born with one.

STUDENTS, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

Persons having news items for the Almanian, must hand them in to the reporters not later than Friday night of the week preceeding the issue, which is printed on Tuesday. It is the aim of the editors to have a good representative paper, and free from mistakes, and one way to insure this is to hand in all items as early as possible. Please bear this in mind.

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PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 4.—"Peg O' the Ring," No. 7.—2 Reels. "Sentimental and Lady," 5 Reels.—5 and 10 Cents.
THURSDAY, OCT. 5.—"LaBoheim," 5 Reels.—5 and 10 Cents.
FRIDAY, OCT. 6.—"Iron Claw," No. 13 and "The Come Back Metro" in 5 Reels.—5 and 15 Cents.
SATURDAY, OCT. 7.—Two Vaudeville Acts and 5 Reels of Feature Film—5 and 15 Cents.
MONDAY, OCT. 9.—"Three Godfathers," Bluebird feature in 5 Reels—5 and 10 Cents.
TUESDAY, OCT. 10.—"Blazing Love," Fox feature in 5 Reels—5 and 10 Cents.
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DENTIST

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Alumni Round Table

Where we are and what
we are doing

Many old men were seen on the campus during the latter part of the week. Among them were Oscar M. Anderson, Ralph Chisholm, Verne Van Duzen, of last year's class. Paul Austin, Clarence Goodrich, class of '15, Rex Van Duzen, '13.

Dean Mitchell has been given an office so that the work in this department as Dean of the College, many be done with greater efficiency. The office is located in the Administration building in Professor Cook's former Latin room. Miss Hodgson will assist in the work of the dean.

MARRIAGES

Hogan-Beach.

The marriage of Milo Hogan, class of '14, and Emily Beach, '14, was quietly celebrated at the home of the bride at 599 LaSalle avenue, Detroit, on Wednesday evening, August 30th, 1916. There were about thirty relatives and intimate friends present. Rev. J. D. MacDonald of Highland Park Presbyterian church officiating.

After a short trip Milo and Emily returned to Detroit, where they will spend the year, returning to Auburn in the fall of 1917, where Milo intends to complete his seminary course. At present he is employed as inspector in the Ford Motor Co. Emily will be official church visitor of the Highland Park church during the year.

Among those present at the wedding were Bertha Hubbell, class of '14, and J. L. D. B. Landon, '13.

Emily and Milo will live at 2799 Woodward avenue, Highland Park, Mich., during the year which they will spend in Detroit.

Rohns-Day

Paul Philip Rohns, '07 graduate of Alma, and Miss Alice Jean Day, daughter of D. H. Day of Glen Haven, Michigan, were married at the Congregational church of Traverse City on Wednesday September 20th. Miss Day is a graduate of St. Mary's

Notre Dame, Indiana, and has taught two years in the schools at Glen Haven. Mr. Rohns had horticultural interests near Empire, Mich., and resided there 1912-1915. He is now sale director for the Clipper Belt Lacer Co., of Grand Rapids.

They will be at home to their friends after November 15th at 249 Hastings street, N. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Uzzell-Waite.

Miss Camilia Waite, former Dean of Women at Alma, was married to Mr. Thomas Uzzell, on June 28, 1916, at New York City. Mr. Uzzell is a prominent writer, and has contributed several stories to The Saturday Evening Post, and Collier's Weekly. Mr. and Mrs. Uzzell have taken up their residence at 115 Washington avenue, New York City.

Brodie-Brown.

Miss Sue Brown, a former student at Alma, was united in marriage to Mr. Warren Brodie, on July 11, 1916, at Farwell, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are living at 682 McGraw Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

Cook-King.

Mr. Robert H. Cook, '12, was married to Miss Elizabeth King, on July 12th, 1916, at Orchard Place, Alma, Michigan. Mr. Cook is engaged in the life insurance work, and is located at Glens Falls, N. Y. We hope to give a full account of the wedding in a short time.

Heitka-Robbins.

Miss Hazel Euginia Robbins was married to Mr. Gilbert A. Heitka on Saturday evening, Aug. 26, 1916, at the home of the bride's parents, Iron Mountain, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Heitka are living at 216 Twenty-sixth street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Campbell-Welton.

The marriage of Miss Faith M. Welton, '14, to Mr. H. L. Campbell, was

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

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Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Faculty Secretary to secure and correspond with judges for contests. He shall also act as adviser to the Student Manager in general matters of correspondence, and assist the Student President of the Council with the minutes of the various meetings, when the Student President is occupied in presiding.

Article IV.—Quorum.

Section 1. One-half of the student members and not less than two of the Faculty members shall constitute a quorum of the Council for the transaction of business.

Article V.—Finances.

Section 1. The allotted portion of student fees set apart by the college for oratory and debate shall constitute the funds of the Council.

Section 2. The accounts of the treasurer shall be audited by an auditing committee in October and June of each year, and may be audited at any time by order of the Council or by request of the President of the College.

Article VI.—Contests and Contests.

Section 1. A preliminary contest for inter-collegiate honors in debate shall be held not later than the second week in January.

Section 2. Each of the men's literary societies shall hold a society contest for a choice of three contestants for the men's inter-society contest in oratory, which men's inter-society contest shall be held not later than the first Friday in December. Each of the women's literary societies shall hold a society contest for a choice of two contestants for the women's inter-society contest in oratory, which women's inter-society contest shall be held not later than the second Friday in December.

Section 3. Students, both men and women, not members of literary societies may hold contests for the choice of two men and two women to take part in the afore-mentioned men's and women's inter-society contests.

Article VII.—Amendments.

Section 1. Any amendment to this constitution shall be presented to the Council at least one week before a vote is taken thereon. A two-thirds vote of Council shall be necessary for its adoption by that body. It must then receive the sanction of the Faculty.

By-Laws.

Section 1. At the preliminary debate, twelve candidates shall be chosen by the Faculty members of the Council. These candidates shall compose a debate class meeting regularly every week during the second semester until the inter-collegiate debate is held.

Section 2. Each member of the inter-collegiate debating teams and each of the orators representing the college shall be given two hours credit if his grades for the first semester have averaged "B" or more.

Section 3. The final placing of the members of the debating teams shall be left to the discretion of the Professor of Public Speaking.

Section 4. The Faculty members of the Council or other Faculty members approved by the Council shall be the judges of the inter-society contests.

Section 5. The orators and debaters chosen to represent the college shall submit themselves to the Professor of Public Speaking for the training which he deems necessary. If he so chooses, he may delegate such training to individuals other than himself.

Section 6. This Council shall support the Prohibition orator representing the college, and shall have charge of the local prohibition contest.

Section 7. Each member of the debate teams and all orators representing the college under the direction of the Council shall be awarded the regulation cloth debating and oratory "A"s, as well as the same Old English "A" of pearl to be worn as a pin.

Section 8. It shall be the duty of each society representative in the Council to present frequently the claims of debate and oratory before the society, and to be largely responsible for society interest in oratory and debate.

Section 9. Amendments to these by-laws may be made by a majority vote, one week after due notice has been given.

MARRAIGES

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solemnized on September 23rd, 1916, at Grand Rapids. Miss Welton is a graduate of Grand Rapids Central high school, and entered Alma in 1911. While here she followed the classical course, and took the Greek prize, and the University fellowship. She was a member of Philomathean Literary society. Miss Welton received her Master's degree from the University of Michigan. After completing her schooling she taught in the Junior High school in Grand Rapids. The following former Alma students were present at the wedding: Miss Gladys Dershem, Owosso, Mich., Miss Mildred Allen, Otsego, Mich., Miss Josephine Taylor, Ionia, Mich., Miss Margaret McNeil, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will be at home after November 1st, at 305 N. Keisel street, Bay City, Michigan.

PRAYER MEETING

Dr. Mason was expected to have charge of the Wednesday evening prayer service, but owing to the recent death of his father, it was impossible for him to be present. Miss Wilhelmine Ritter took charge of the meeting, which proved to be very interesting. Quite a number took part.

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