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INTERCLASS TILTS NOW UNDER WAY

Under Classes Show the Way in First of Intramural Games.

The Sophomores cagers upset the dope Tuesday night by scoring a double victory in the first of the scheduled games in the newly formed Inter-class League. Soph Team No. 2 defeated the Frosh No. 1 in the first game by a score of 15-12. In the second game Soph Team No. 1 overwhelmed the heavy Junior quintet by a score of 17-9.

The game between Sophs No. 2 and Frosh No. 1 was hard fought from start to finish, and required two overtime periods to settle. A few seconds after the start of the game Orr had a tooth knocked out and was replaced by Ruesegger. The regular time ended with the score 10 to 10. In the first overtime period Ruesegger and McSwain each potted one, and a second period was needed to settle the battle. Malsly the outstanding star of the Sophs No. 2 broke through with the basket that settled the game.

Sophs No. 2 V S Frosh No. 1
Orr R F Clark
Malsly L F Lankton
Coach C Wilkenson
Beverly R G Litchey
Lamb L G Snell

Substitutions: Ruesegger for Orr, Moore for Lamb. Frosh No. 1: McSwain for Clark, Clark for Litchey.

Field baskets: Malsly 4, Ruesegger 3, Clark 1, McSwain 2, Lankton 3. Fouls: Malsly 1 in 4, Beverly 0 in 1.

In the second game the Sophs No. 1 took the lead at the start and were never in danger. James was the star of the Sophs getting five field baskets and one foul. The lineup:

Sophs No. 1 Position Juniors
Smith R F MacDonald
Moore L F Hunter
Reid C Bouwman
Treadway R G Bentley
G Calkins

Field baskets: Smith 2, Moore 1, James 5, MacDonald 1, Hunter 1, Bouwman 1, Bentley 1.

Fouls: Bouwman, 1 in 1; Calkins 0 in 2; Bentley 0 in 2; James 1 in 3, Moore 0 in 1; Smith 0 in 2.

The third of the series of interclass tilts was played Thursday night when the seniors gained another moral victory despite the fact that they were on the small end of the score when the final whistle blew. At the end of the first quarter, the score was even, at the end of the half, the frosh led by three points. In the third quarter, the vitality and exuberance of youth overcame the brainwork of the sheepskin seekers when the frosh registered eight points to the seniors single point. In the final quarter however science came again to its own when the has-beens played the frosh off their feet, ringing up five counters to one for Huntley's proteges.

Summary.
Seniors Vs Frosh No. 3
Vliet L F Huntley
Rathsburg R F Jibson
McNaughton C Green
Tarrant L G Bailey
Wyatt R G Anderson

Scores: Score at the end of the first half, Frosh 9—Seniors 6. Final score 18-12.

Field baskets—Rathsburg 2, McNaughton 2, Vliet 1, Huntley 4, Anderson 2, Jibson 1, Green 1.

Free throws: Vliet 1 in 2; Tarrant 1 in 3; Anderson 2 in 4.

Substitutions: Shoemaker for Wyatt for Shoemaker; Burton for Bailey; McSwain for Burton.

Friday night as a preliminary to the varsity game, further elimination in the Class League was staged when Lankton's Frosh No. 1 went down to defeat before Huntley's Frosh No. 3. The game was in doubt until the final whistle, with Frosh No. 3 emerging the victors, 11 to 10. The game was fast from start to finish with both teams showing unusual speed and marked passing ability.

Mrs. Lewis and her son were guests at Wright Hall this past week.

DR. BROKENSHERE LECTURES

On Thursday night of the past two weeks, Professor Charles D. Brokenshire has delivered two extremely interesting lectures at the Presbyterian church. His subjects have dealt with the early and medieval churches.

On the coming Thursday night Prof. Brokenshire will lecture on the subject, "The Modern Church." His lectures have been held in the prayer meeting room of the church but because of the large attendance his ensuing lectures will be given in the auditorium. A good many of the students have attended the lectures and have been more than well paid by being present.

Dr. Brokenshire is an expert in this particular field and his talks are instructive as well as interesting. Everyone interested in any small way with the subject is urged to attend the lecture next Thursday evening.

First Debate to be Held February 15

The first of the series of varsity debates will be held February 15. This starts off the New Michigan Debating League which was formed last fall. It functions by means of a plan new to Michigan debating circles in which a series of double round triangular debates describes the system of schedules by which the varsity teams will perform. The championship will be decided by points rather than by elimination.

According to the schedule the negative team from the Kalamazoo Normal School will meet Captain Freeman and his affirmative team on the home platform. Alma will be well represented as Freeman will be assisted by Hudson and Harris, both letter men of former years.

On the same night, Captain Wyatt and his forensic artists Tarrant and Lewis will journey to Ypsilanti, meeting the negative team of that school.

The members of the teams are showing considerable interest in the work, and with Alma coming to her own in forensics no effort will be spared to make Alma a winner.

Albion College Now Under New President

Albion College is now functioning under the direction of F. S. Goodrich, professor of physical literature and history, following the resignation on Monday of President John W. Laird, which was to take effect immediately.

This followed a report of the investigating committee of the Board of Trustees recommending the resignation on the charges of lack of administrative ability which had been made against Dr. Laird by both students and faculty.

The situation arises as a very unfortunate circumstance because under Dr. Laird's administration, Albion has progressed by rapid strides which dates back but two and one-half years. The enrollment has increased enormously, the recent endowment drive gained the college hundreds of thousands of dollars in backing, new buildings have been added and a huge building program is now being carried on, all of which are included under the Laird administration. The investigating committee commented appreciatively on this progress but recommended the acceptance of the resignation because of the failure of Dr. Laird to hold the confidence of the student body and faculty.

Dr. Goodrich the successor, has had an interesting career in spite of the fact that he has been a professor at Albion for thirty-one years. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and the Mythical Seven Fraternities. In 1900 he was a candidate for governor. For ten years he was editor of the Michigan Sunday School Advocate.

TO GIVE SONG PRIZE

Have you written that song yet? Probably not, but keep it brewing. There is going to be an Alma Mater—original—student written—in the Maroon and Cream this year.

There will be a prize (undecided what as yet) given to the writer of the winning song. You are as capable of winning the prize as the person who is going to win it.

Keep it moving until after exams, then put it down and hand it to the editor.

ALMA BASKETEERS GET EVEN BREAK

Defeat Albion Friday. Lose Road Trip to U. of D. on Saturday.

Although the Alma collegians did not show the form that has marked their play in previous games, and with their eyes decidedly off when it came to basket shooting, the Maroon and Cream was able to hand the Albion College five its first court defeat of the season Friday night, the Campbellites winning 29 to 20.

The Maroon and Cream took the lead right at the start and was never headed by the Methodist team, which is far stronger than had been anticipated. Slowly the Maroon and Cream got under way, numerous attempts to score from the field failing. But due to the good guarding of Shaver, Welthoelder and McDonald, the lead of the Presbyterians gradually increased and the half ended with the Almatites leading 19 to 11.

In the second half Alma's basket shooting was still worse, or else Albion was paying a far stronger defensive game, shot after shot at the basket missing its mark, until after 11 minutes of play in this half, the local cagers had not increased their count in the lead over that of the half. Meantime Albion had been gradually creeping up and a four point margin was all that separated the teams. R. Catherman then sank one into the hoop, and MacDonald soon looped one through, increasing the lead to six to eight points. Carty, McDonald and Van Hee each yielded another contribution from the floor before the half ended and Alma was leading 29 to 20 at the finish.

The work of Fisher at center, and Tamblin at forward for Albion were features, as was the guarding of "Cuddy" Shaver for Alma.

Alma pos Albion
Van Hee R F Tamblin
Carty L F Coddington
MacDonald C Fisher
Shaver R G Preshaw
Welthoelder L G Keys

Substitutions—Wright for Van Hee, Catherman for Wright, Van Hee for Catherman, Perkins for Coddington, Coddington for Perkins, Libbke for Coddington.

Field baskets—McDonald 4, Carty 3, Van Hee 2, Shaver 2, Welthoelder 2, Catherman, Fisher 3, Tamblin 3, Preshaw 2, Coddington.

Fouls—Carty 1 in 2, Shaver 0 in 1, Tamblin 2 in 3, Fisher 0 in 2, Preshaw 0 in 1.

Referee—Carlson, Michigan State Normal Umpire—Mullin Western State Normal.

Saturday night the Maroon and Cream cagers took their second defeat in twelve starts, the University of Detroit forging to the front in the second half for a victory over Alma College 36 to 23, after Alma had led for over three-fourths of the way.

When the game started the Maroon and Cream jumped into the lead and held it throughout the half which ended 14 to 9, Alma up. As the five went into the second half, the Detroit guards gave a better display of guarding work, holding down the Alma offensive to a better extent, and after Shaver went to the (Continued on page two)

M. I. A. A. STANDINGS

A quiet week was seen in the race for the M. I. A. A. pennant. The only important event of the week, was the victory of Alma over Albion, sending Albion from the first to the third position, and placing Alma in an undisputed second berth. Kalamazoo defeated Hillsdale 30 to 21, and the Baptists materially strengthened their lead by this encounter. Ypsilanti and Olivet played a game Saturday evening, but as yet, no information as to the outcome has reached civilization.

Team	Won	Lost	%
Kalamazoo	2	0	1.000
Alma	2	1	.667
Ypsilanti	1	1	.500
Albion	1	1	.500
Hillsdale	1	2	.333
Olivet	0	2	.000

DR. SUNDWALL TO SPEAK

On Friday afternoon at 3:15, Dr. John Sundwall, head of the Department of Hygiene and Public Health of the University of Michigan, will address the college. His subject "The Healthy Mind," should be of interest to everyone.

Dr. Sundwall replaces Prof. W. D. Henderson, of the U. of M., who was originally scheduled to speak.

NO ALMANIAN NEXT WEEK

There will be no edition of the Almanian next week, this being the last one before the semester examinations. This week, by devoting extra space to the Campusology column, it is the hope of the staff to help put all of you in better spirits for the coming ordeal.

Alma to Meet Hillsdale and Mt. Pleasant

Two big games face the Alma collegians this week end, one an association game here Saturday night with the Hillsdale College five, and the other a non-association, but none the less important struggle Friday night with the Central Michigan Normal basketball team at Mt. Pleasant, which is certain to attract many of the Alma fans that night.

The Normals have been showing an increased strength in the court game during the past few weeks, having added Huebner and Failing of Saginaw to the court squad in addition to others. Coach Parker has been grilling his men for the Alma game and it is regarded as certain that a royal battle will take place. The Teachers have been going strong and Alma will not find the revamped Mt. Pleasant aggregation any cinch.

Coach Campbell will throw the strongest possible lineup against the Mt. Pleasant five and hopes are high for a victory again this year on the Normal floor.

Saturday night Hillsdale comes to Alma and it is expected that the Blue and White will furnish the Maroon and Cream with a hotly contested battle. Losing to Kalamazoo since, Alma defeated her, the Hillsdale team will be playing with its back to the wall as far as its title hopes are concerned. It must win to stay in the association race, and the fray as a result is a highly important one to the men of Coach Jefferson and they will make every possible effort to pull it down.

The game is also important to the Almatites, who must now line up a formidable list of association victories if they hope to achieve the association championship this year. The fact that Hillsdale, Alma and Ypsi split on their games of ten days ago would indicate that Hillsdale has more strength than the 28 to 14 score of the Alma-Hillsdale game at Hillsdale indicated, as Ypsi, after falling to Hillsdale, still had power enough to stop Coach Campbell's team for the only defeat Alma had taken this year.

On Friday evening, February 8, the Mt. Pleasant Normal cagers will appear in Alma for their annual tussle on the local floor with the Maroon and Cream. This fray naturally is certain to attract a big crowd of Alma rooters, who will be backing the team against their central Michigan rivals, from Isabella county.

Men's Oratorical Contest Thurs. Evening

The Mens Oratorical Contest of the college will be held in the chapel, Thursday, January 31. This year it is expected that the capacity of entrants will be in the contest, considerable interest having been shown among the societies. Society tryouts have not as yet all been completed and the exact entries are not available at this time.

It is expected that Phil Lewis, last year's winner will be included. Robert Wyatt, runner-up two years ago is also expected to enter. Wilmer Patton, an experienced and excellent orator will be found in the line-up. The freshmen representation is especially large and since the abilities of these men are not definitely known, a factor of unexpectedness enters into the field.

Hearty support of the different orators is deserved as Alma is now coming into her own in the field of forensics and there should be a large attendance at the contest.

Marie Hamilton spent the week end at her home in Detroit.

SENIOR INFORMAL IS HUGE SUCCESS

Circle Two-Steps Enliven Dance Given by Seniors Saturday Night.

About thirty-eight merry couples gathered in the gymnasium Saturday evening for the Senior dance. The dance though very informal, was highly enjoyed by all and pronounced a success by all of those present. The dance aided wonderfully in shaking off the despairing mood which accompanies the pre-examination period and it is this measure that the seniors are to be congratulated in attempting the project at this time.

Decorations were lacking except to the extent of very comfortable seating arrangements made possible by the presence of cushions and chair draperies, which were very appropriate to the chilly evening.

The floor had been especially treated and worked upon during the day so that the dancing was far better than had been experienced at any time before this season.

Honoring the Senior Class with their presence in the capacity of chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. H. M. MacCurdy, Mrs. Crooks, Miss Elsie Lanier and Dr. DuBois.

The spirit of the evening was buoyed up by the instituting of several circle dances which added a variation to the program. This feature is something new to the ordinary college dance.

The music was supplied by Huntley and Wolfe and their five piece orchestra which certainly outdid itself. It could not have done otherwise, for the orchestra, the guests, the dancers, everyone had caught the marvellous enthusiasm of the Seniors.

Women Orators to Contest Wednesday

The Women's Oratorical Contest is to be held in the chapel tomorrow night. The purpose of the contest is to decide Alma's representative to the state contest which will be held sometime in March.

All of the girl's societies will be represented with some possible non-society entrants. A spirited contest is expected as several of last year's contestants are scheduled to perform. From the try-outs staged by the societies, it is reported that an unusual number of good orations are to be presented.

It is not as yet known whether Miss Virginia Tremaine, last year's winner will compete. Among the other contestants will be Miss Winifred Porter, runner-up last year to Miss Tremaine; Miss Dorothea Young, Miss Dorothy Bradley, Miss Mary Hagaman, and Miss Evelyn Adams.

ALPHA THETA

At the regular meeting of the Alpha Theta Literary Society Monday evening Mlle. Boissot, Mrs. Jennie Miller Perrigo, and Leone Waber, were Alumni visitors. The meeting was called to order by the president, Virginia Tremaine, and roll call was answered to by an interesting current event concerning painting in America. Dorothy Young gave the impromptu—"The only Indian Painter in America;" Hildegard Finch delivered an interesting paper on "Tendencies of Modern American Painting," and Dorothy Bradley read a paper written by Elizabeth Jenkins entitled "Two Modern Painters."

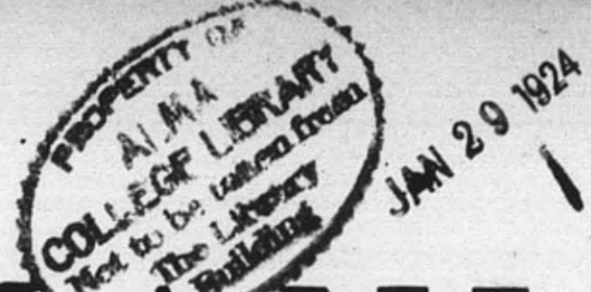
Alpha Theta has added three pledges to its membership, they are: Hope Winslow, Alma; Marguerite Brown, Charlevoix; and Elizabeth White, Saginaw.

LIBRARY NOTES

A twelve volume set, Harper's "Pictorial library of the world war" has recently been added to the library. This is written by authorities, is well illustrated, and has a complete index. Each volume deals with a certain topic, thus making each one complete in itself.

The display for this week deals with winter sports.

Miss Harriet Brown visited her sister, Doris, over the week end. Miss Brown was a Kindergarten graduate of Alma College.



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LAW AS ORDERED

In speaking on the subject of exaggeration, J. F. Boyes once said: "Perfectly truthful men of vivid imagination and great force of sentiment often feel so warmly and express themselves so strongly, as to give what they say a disagreeable air of exaggeration and almost a falsehood."

This article is intended to serve the following purposes: first, to answer the unsigned article, "Law and Order," of last week's Almanian; second, to admit two things, that it is purely personal opinion and that the swipe's organization cannot legally punish a violator of a dining room rule; third, to substitute facts for inference; fourth, to correct evident inconsistencies; and fifth, to make clear the actual status of law and order as it functions on the Alma College Campus.

The swipes are divinely appointed only so far as the President of Alma College may be a Doctor of Divinity. The President hires the waiters. They are paid three dollars and a half per week for services rendered. They perform these services under the personal direction of the matron and the head waiter. Swipe's rules are understood to apply to those who eat at the swipe's table.

In speaking of Law, we must consider that it is not merely a written statement embodying a rule or principle, but that it is both theory and practice. Likewise, in treating with "the law of the campus," there are two considerations: one, the theory, the law as written and the law as it should exist; and second, the practice, the law as it functions in its application to the individual. Moreover, the Student Council as it exists on paper is one consideration, and the council as it functions is another consideration.

Previous to 1920, tradition ruled the campus. In 1920 the Student Council was established. Its achievements are a credit to Alma students, but it is still young. It has still to devise means for putting into practice many of its ideals that are constitutionally sound. There are still phases of college life that are theoretically subject to the authority of the Council but are in practice subject to the initiative and government of tradition.

For a first class example, take the dining room. Technically, spanking a dining room nuisance is hazing, but as yet the Student Council has for the first time to act in a case wherein a dining room rule has been willfully violated. In the absence of such initiative, tradition governed "the act." Regardless as to whether or not the said act was just or unjust, it is undeniable that the enforcement of dining room rules has in the past been left to the "Royal Order." Indeed it is regrettable, even deplorable, but nevertheless inevitable, under existing conditions. The question is "Would Student Opinion support and encourage Student Council regulation of the dining room?"

The writer of last week's article puzzles us with a strange dilemma. Really it is hard to understand. In one breath he deplores direct action, as employed by an organization which he compares to the K. K. K. Next he regrets that the waiters were not made the recipients of direct action. (Save the Chairs.)

Fellow students: Take the opinion of no individual as final, for as Colton said, "Men's arguments often prove nothing but their wishes." Review the facts involved and do some independent and sane thinking. Rest the blame where it belongs, and in your own mind answer for yourselves these questions in regard to campus government. Where lies the jurisdiction and the right to act? Are the existing agencies of justice adequate? And what changes are necessary to put sound theory into practice on the Alma College Campus?

—Forest R. Freeman '24

ZETA SIGMA

The Zeta Sigma Society was called to order by the president with Tebo opening the meeting with a word of prayer.

After a lengthy business discussion, a report of the Prudential committee was discussed regarding the initiation of several pledges. With the acceptance of the report, the society adjourned.

COLLEGIONS BREAK EVEN
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showers from too many personal fouls the defense seemed to slack up somewhat, or else the U. of D. forwards and center were working better as the Detroiters forged into the front to stay, raining in field baskets during the last few minutes

Summary:
Alma pos D. of D.
Elias RF Goonan
Carty LF Des Roche
MacDonald C Harrigan
Shaver RG Wegner
Welthoelder LG Brett
Substitutions—Van Hee for Elias, Elias for Van Hee, Catherman for Elias, Elias for MacDonald, MacDonald for Shaver, Flannery for Wefner.

Field baskets—Carty 6, Van Hee 2, MacDonald, Harrigan 5, Des Roche 5, Goonan 4.

Fouls—Carty 5 in 8, Elias 0 in 1, Shaver 0 in 1, MacDonald 0 in 2, Brett 3 in 8, Wegner 1 in 3, Harrigan 3 in 4, Des Roche 2 in 8, Goonan 1 in 1.

Student Volunteers Report Convention

During the Christmas vacation, three Alma students, Sinclair Tebo, Leonard Andrews, and Mildred Nicholas were sent as delegates to the ninth quadrennial convention of the Student Volunteer Movement at Indianapolis, which was held December 28-January 1. It was a real privilege that Alma be represented at this gigantic assembly which was the largest and most successful of its kind ever held.

Coming from nearly a thousand colleges and universities of the United States and Canada, 5383 students faced the world's problems of this generation. They represented the best of North American college life, including class presidents, football and track stars, cheer leaders and others who are moulding the thought in their college.

Among them were negro boys and girls, and 368 foreign students. The convention represented a new generation. In addition to the students, there were prominent missionaries, mission board leaders, and social workers.

The students were thinkers. They demanded the facts and wanted to work out their own solutions. With few exceptions did they want ready-made answers to the problems they faced.

The most interesting and most valuable part of the program was the discussion periods, when the sessions were broken into fifty groups in which world problems were considered. As each student was automatically assigned by his registration number, in but few cases did two students from the same college take part in the same discussion group.

After the fifty groups had discussed the various matters in which they were interested, representatives appointed by each met in a joint session to find whether there was any consensus of opinion on the matters discussed. As a result, five students were appointed to present five different viewpoints on race relations. They included a student from the North, South, West, colored student, and a student from the Philippines. Recognizing the difficulties of the situation, these speakers presented the race problems from different points of view, all agreeing that the solution would come only through the principles of Christianity.

Four students were chosen to present four viewpoints on international relations. Because concrete suggestions were made, the sentiment of the student body was expressed through a showing of hands. No count was made but the newspaper men present, including the United and Associated Press representatives agreed on the following approximate figures:

Preparedness as a means of preventing war 200;

Education, and determination to take part only in a defensive war,

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after appeal to the World Court and the League of Nations for adjustment had failed, 4,000;

Calling on the United States to join in World Court and the League of Nations 5,500;

The pacifist point of view 400.

The convention was run by students. The business committee which had entire charge was composed of twelve undergraduates, six graduate students and six representatives from the mission boards. Any student or delegate who did not like the program or the way things were done could appear before the Board to express his viewpoint and ask for a change. Sometimes delegates, claiming they spoke for the student body, took exactly opposite points of view.

It is doubtful if such a convention was ever held before under the auspices of any organization. It was most certainly different from previous conventions of the Movement. At the same time it must be frankly stated that as it would be impossible to hold a meeting of the type held before the war now, so it would have been impossible in those days to hold a meeting like that at Indianapolis.

The convention was an outstanding

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gathering. The students were not radical in their thought. On the subjects discussed they simply demanded the right to face the problems of the world, and to think things through for themselves as the older generations thought things through for itself. The discussions in the various groups demanded the capacity for leadership in the student body of North America.

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Campusology

If you see Wilmer Patton coming across the campus without cap or overcoat, and see him wading thru snow without rubbers—then you know that the thermometer stands below zero.

Do you dress for dinner or eat at the Tiffin?

No more card-playing in Pioneer Hall! Now that this order is in effect, it would be a worth-while deed for the Y. M. C. A. to get sane checker boards for the boys.

The new term has started at the nearby Normal, and they have hired the basketball team for the coming season.

Formal dance at Riverside Saturday night. Those lacking dress suits can secure overalls and hip boots at the Shoe-N-Hat. (A bit of free advertising.)

William Fulcher was entertained by the swipes after dinner on Tuesday of last week. MacGlone was also warmly treated.

The results of the intelligence tests are now compiled, and as per usual, those on the tail end of the score knock off the best marks and win places on the Athletic teams.

"Say Doc, Pills, did you ever go to any other school?"
"Went to another one for a short time."
"What School?"
"Jail University."

All the swipes aren't located at Wright Hall.

For One
The speaker waxed eloquent, and after his peroration on Women's Rights he said, "When they take our girls, as they threaten, away from the co-educational institutions, what will follow? What will follow? I repeat."
Jimmy Howe from the second row,—"I will."

Ann Lyons—So you and Mac don't speak! What's the trouble?
Dot—We had a dreadful quarrel about which loved the other most.

Professor—Your paper was very difficult to read. Your work should be so written that even the most ignorant will be able to understand it.
Student—Yes sir. What part didn't you understand?

Miss Lanier—Didn't I see you sitting on that young man's lap last night.
Wrong Hall girl—Well, you told me that if he tried to get sentimental, I must sit on him.

When introduced to a girl at a dance, do not ask her where you can get hold of her. Just watch the way the other boys dance and go right ahead.
Do not embrace a friend and playfully tell her that you can make her cry, and then fracture her rib.
Don't be so darned obvious.
Don't take up the rugs in Wright Hall then you will be invited to those select parties that are held in the Gym.

Remember the only thing your head is good for is a green pot.
Remember you are not the whole college—you are only ONE—count yourself and see.

"I wish to ask you a question concerning a tragedy."
"Well?"
"What is my grade?"

Jimmie Mitchell—And when Lord Chesterfield saw that death was near he gathered all his friends around him. But before he breathed his last he uttered those last immortal words. Who can tell me what the dying words of Lord Chesterfield were?
Class (in chorus)—They Satisfy!

Freshmen
Another unique and engrossing hobby for your spare time is minding your own business.

"Sleep" is popular, but you have got to wake up once in a while.

Warning to swipes—"He that paddles, will get paddled."

It may be Wright Hall, but some girls think it is ALL WRONG.

Would some one please donate money to buy storm doors for the Museum?

You can't love her on the back porch of Wright Hall because there isn't any.

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The first oration was presented by Snell. He chose as the subject of his oration "Hints to Success." Harold Bailey followed with an oration which he called "New Lamps for Old." Calkins discussion of the Ruhr question was well thought out and was given in an able manner. After the critics report by Gay the society adjourned.

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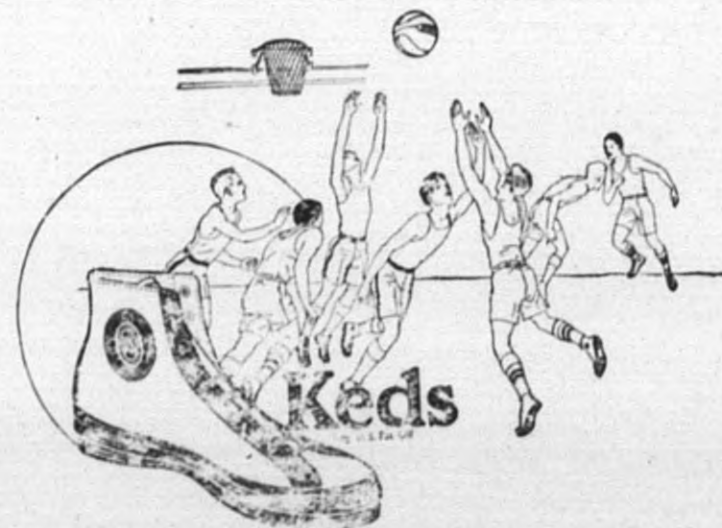
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**Facts on the Mat-
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Recent endowments made to the college bring to mind the whole question of scholarships, and we believe that the student body will be glad to learn more concerning the nature of such scholarships and the manner in which they are awarded.

At the present time, Alma is one of the most favored colleges in the matter of scholarships. The college now has scholarships to the amount of \$39,000. The interest on this fund is never used for maintenance of the college, but goes into scholarships for students.

Perhaps the students do not know how scholarships are granted. They are awarded through the student aid committee of the faculty, on the basis of good work. The general rule is that students with an average of B or over are given full tuition, that is \$100; those with an average of almost B get \$75; while an average of C brings a \$50 scholarship. Speaking in honor points, the first class demands a semester average of at least thirty; the second class an average of from twenty-four to thirty; and the last group from fifteen to twenty-four honor points.

Another recent development in this matter is that of not granting scholarships to freshmen. This was formerly done to quite an extent, but observation shows that financial strain on the college student generally comes after the first year. Another point in favor of this plan is that an opportunity is given the student to make good a year and show himself deserving of help.

It would seem that just now there are a good many developments in the creation and establishment of student loan funds throughout the country. Interesting facts have been brought out in the discussion of student loans, one of which is that investigating committees found students to be generally honest, but careless in the management of their finances.

One of the better known student loan funds is the Harmon Foundation, which has been aiding students during the past two years. Loans are made to students in certain selected colleges and a low interest rate is paid. Alma has a loan fund of some \$8,000, the interest of which is loaned. It may be counted a tribute to the honesty of students that, under Prof. A. P. Cook's management, the fund has grown.

Student aid comes from many sources; the Presbyterian Board of Education has a Rotary Loan Fund, with a low rate of interest and easy terms for payment; publicity has recently been given a loan fund provided by a Masonic organization, the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar, which makes loans to students whether they have Masonic connections or not. This provides for five per cent interest, payments covering four years.

Student aid is a matter that affects a great many college folk, and it is hoped that this may be of special interest to them.

PHILOMATHEAN

Philomathean Literary Society was called to order Monday evening by the President. Roll call was responded to by some current event.

An interesting paper on "Women in poetry" was read by Mildred Nicholas. The next number was a pianologue by Rhea Joy Stinson.

The next number was a clever debate entitled, "Resolved, that women should do the proposing during the leap year." Those on the affirmative were Nina Church, Christine Decker, and Bernice Evans; on the negative team were Margaret Poole, Ruth Grierson, and Pauline Strick. The decision of the judges—Zada Doerr, Esther Oldt, and Mary Haganman, was two to one in favor of the negatives.

—Adjournment.

KAPPA IOTA

The meeting of the Kappa Iota Literary Society Monday evening was unusually interesting.

Sally Backie played "Melody in F". An impromptu debate, "Resolved, that the modern girl is different from the old fashioned girl" was quite entertaining. Mary Gerow, Esther Smith, and Marjorie Furman upheld the affirmative, while Greta Muir, Winifred Porter and Bertha Woodhurst upheld the negative. The judges decision resulted in favor of the affirmative.

The officers then treated the members to salad and rolls and coffee.

—Adjournment.

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