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ALMA'S RECRUITS GIVEN A BIG SEND-OFF

McAuley, Sarvis, Sanchez and Hoolihan Left With Best Wishes of Students.

One of the most rousing send-offs ever given any Alma Students was seen when Alma's second batch of recruits left last week. Several of the upper classmen went to Saginaw during the earlier part of the week to take the examinations for the officers' reserve training camp for the eastern section of the middle west states which is located at Fort Sheridan, Illinois. They all passed the tests successfully, but up to the present only two of the men have received notices to report at the camp—McAuley and Sarvis. They were ordered to report at the camp at once, so they left, Sarvis on Thursday night and "Mac" on Friday morning.

The two upper classmen will be greatly missed on the college campus, for they were both very active in all college affairs. McAuley was Alma's all-star center in football this season, a member of Phi Phi Alpha and of the Senior class. He will receive his diploma with the other members of his class next month.

Sarvis is a Junior and was associate editor of the "Weekly Almanian," business manager of the "Maroon and Cream" and also was engaged in other activities on the campus.

Nearly every member of the student body was at the station to see the men off. Classes were disbanded for a while, and many faculty members arrived before men left, realizing that it was useless to try and meet their classes when Alma men were answering the call.

As soon as the train pulled in, the college song was sung, and all too soon the students realized that "soon to bid adieu to college days and dear old scenes we love so fondly" had come too quickly, and that in reality some of the men were going. Then came a series of yells, and after wishing the fellows a "Good-bye, Good Luck and God Bless You," Alma felt proud that her sons were and feels proud that they are yet, ready and willing to give themselves to the places where they can be of the most value and greatest service to their country.

Alma's second contribution to Fort Sheridan left on the 6.28 Sunday night, when Eliud Sanchez and Emmett Hoolihan went away. The entire student body was on hand and a rousing send-off was given the men.

The men are leaving Alma,
To serve their country's flag.
There are not many shirkers
Among the Alma lads;
But when at war,
They hear the call,
And answer quick and prompt;
So here's to Alma's soldiers
Who're leaving for the front.

They're not all in the army,
Or on a battle ship,
But some are in the country
Doing their little bit.
Whether on land,
Or sea, or soil,
They answer quick and prompt;
So here's to Alma's soldiers
Who're leaving for the front.

Among the ones who've left us
Are Sanchez, Sarvis, "Frim"
Hoolihan and Martin,
All doing their little bit.
Seniors, Juniors,
Sophomores, Freshmen,
They answer quick and prompt.
So here's to Alma's soldiers
Who're leaving for the front.

The girls invite you to see
their homes.

Orchestra Leader (to musicians)—
All ready—union—strike.

"FUSSING"—FROM A FRESHMAN VIEWPOINT

Editor's Note:—The following article was written for the "Frosh" edition of "The Almanian," but owing to lack of space it was impossible for the item to be published.

Simultaneous with the rush which placed among our trophies, the Sophomore's early flaunted banner—a similar movement was afoot among the various members of our class, against the well guarded portals of Wright Hall, and with no less demoralization to upper class domination—did it result. Right staunchly indeed, did we lend our support to that time-honored and delightful pillar, commonly placarded "fussing," which is located sectionally and collectively in the Library, Dining and Reception rooms of college life.

We may be accused, it is true, of adopting ways and means which were at first crude and rustic, but remember kind friends, we were acting only on the definition of the term as given by "Corporal" Bay. "Fussing," said he, "is the art of holding a girl's arm properly, while escorting her to and from the show." Acting upon the weakness of this assertion, is it any wonder that our hearts frivolously turned from one disgusted member of the fair sex to another, until at last the fact dawned upon the hazy horizon of our understanding, that our methods of procedure were obsolete and "passe?"

By the time, therefore, the winter's cold, snowy blanket of disapprobation had been snugly tucked over the flickering flames kindled by Cupid's fire-arrows, we were arising to the occasion as do the objects of our devotion at the intrusion of a small gray mouse.

It is small wonder then, that by the time spring's gay breezes and smiling sun had banished cold-hearted winter's last barrier, to find the fires still unquenched. We had risen in the estimation of others than merely ourselves. Indeed, such was the extent of our progress, that those meager landmarks whose purpose is to distinguish us from upper-classmen, will scarcely cover now, that which they, last autumn, protected so voluminously. Our advancement, though is not to be wondered at, (for are we not here to learn?) and where is there one among us, who has allowed his studies to interfere with his college life?

There exist some, who are inclined to regard "fussing," that prime necessity to humanity's welfare, as an object of ridicule and scorn. But alas, they are either mentally infirm or facially impossible. "There's a Reason." What subject, indeed, can stand deeper study than this? Only one who is imbued with the combined virtues of a psychologist, philanthropist, philosopher and financier can hope successfully to fathom the inscrutable depths of a woman's makeup,—be it facial or otherwise; and even such as these, in their childish simplicity, attempt the feat with a vaudeville ticket.

Most of us, however, have long since passed this adolescent stage of unsophistication and are acknowledged universally as full-fledged "fussers" of the deepest dye. Soon, of a Friday night, when the rich, full moon, coyly peeping forth from behind silvery clouds, bathes the campus in a splendor of suffused radiance, and the gentle zephyrs softly sing a lullaby to the tiny, new born leaves, Nature will discover that while she is communing with the heart of the Universe, we are endeavoring conscientiously to keep in tune with her poetic temperament, for—

The leaves are budding on the trees,
The grass springs from the ground,
And every place where there is green,
Some "Freshies" will be found.
You'll find them on the campus,
And on the street, 'tis true,
There's many a one in Pioneer,
And some in Wright Hall too.
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COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM IS BEING COMPLETED

Best Exercises Held in Years to be Alma's Lot June 3-14, When 22 Will Graduate.

In spite of the fact that the war is seriously affecting the student body, yet the college faculty and committee on commencement exercises are planning for one of the biggest and best weeks during which Alma has given out diplomas to her graduates. The opening number of commencement week will be a talk to the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. of the college in the Presbyterian church on Sunday night, June 3rd. The committee has been most fortunate in being able to get one of the ablest Seminary Presidents in the country—Dr. G. B. Stewart of Auburn Theological Seminary, Auburn, New York. "The Almanian" is unable to give the complete schedule of events, but it is expected that the Rev. Charles F. Wishert, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Chicago, will deliver the commencement address. Dr. Wishert is rated as one of the greatest preachers of the Middle West. He is also President of the New Presbyterian General Board of Education.

PRESIDENT CROOKS KEPT BUSY

President Crooks has been kept very busy lately, doing a great deal of work for the college. Within the last few weeks he has made several addresses in many of the cities and towns of the state. Among those he has visited and expects to visit shortly are Ionia, Ithaca, Cadillac and the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian church of Detroit. Last week he was in Washington, having been called there by the National Defense league, to discuss plans for the carrying on of the war to a successful end. He has been invited to deliver commencement addresses at the following High schools: Frankfort, Mt. Pleasant, South Lyons, Stanton, Yale, Bad Axe, East Tawas, Lakeview, Ashley, and he has tentatively accepted the invitation to deliver the address at William and Vashti college at Aledo, Illinois.

FOUNDING OF COLLEGE

Newspaper clippings from an Alma Record, dated January 15, 1886, were found by Mr. Pollasky, which give the account of the founding of Alma college at that time. One of them contains a glowing account of the mass meeting held in Wright Opera House, when a committee brought in the late Mr. Wright, who was behind the move. The meeting held at that time was for the purpose of bringing the old school here from Fenton which afterwards became Alma college. The article also mentioned some railroad stock, which figured in the money raised to bring the college here, and old Alma residents will probably recall something of this—"Record."

Wright Hall open house—Friday night.

U. S. ARMY WORK

Lansing Mich., May 12.—"From what I have learned since becoming a member of the War Preparedness Board," said State Treasurer Samuel Odell, who is one of the state officials who will handle the affairs of Michigan soldiers' and sailors and their dependents, "I believe that the man who enlists quickly serves not only himself but his country and his state twice as well as if he delayed."

"A big response to the call to the colors will prove to our Allies that we are with them to the limit, and to our enemies that the richest nation on the globe,—the richest in men and munitions,—is arrayed solidly against them."

"Men who get in early, in the National Guard units already organized, have chance to see more service and more interesting service than if they go in later. The National Guard, hardened by months on the border, is ready, and is likely to be sent anywhere and sent very soon. Recruits to such organizations will have a better chance to learn marksmanship and the other elements of soldiering than they would later in new organizations."

"Another important point to be considered is that recruits to National Guard companies will be with men from their home town, in many instances."

"The big reason is that the government needs men and needs them now. If he has made up his mind to get into the service there is no reason for delaying an hour."

DAVIES RE-ELECTED

At the meeting of the newly elected Oratorical and Debating Council, held last Wednesday, M. C. Davies was re-elected to the position of President and Student Manager for the coming year. The other name voted upon was that of Thomas W. Wright. The new members of the council are Linton Melvin, representing Zeta Sigma; Howard Burch, representing Phi Phi Alpha; Edith Layer, for Philomathean; Nellie Milligan, representing Froebel, and Marie Doane, for Alpha Theta.

That's it. W. H. O. H.

MAY FESTIVAL

A May festival will be held in Alma under the auspices of the Music club. The festival will be given the evenings of May 25th and 26th, and will consist of violin solos by noted artists and the opera, "Mikado." The details of the festival, with the program, will be announced later.

Wright Hall Friday night?

NEW CATALOGS OUT

The college catalogs for the years 1917-18 are off the press. In many ways they are an improvement on the one of last year, being quite up to date, and more complete. Any one desiring one or more copies may have them upon application to the President, Alma college, Alma, Michigan.

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DEFEAT HILLSDALE; THEN LOSE TO THE TEACHERS

Alma Clouts M. I. A. A. Hurler for Four Runs in Tenth and Takes Last Game.

Alma college kept her M. I. A. A. slate clean for the season by walloping Hillsdale college 10 to 6 last Friday at Hillsdale in a ten-inning game, which Boyne pulled from the fire, when he struckout four men in the tenth inning, a feat that a twirler seldom accomplishes.

Johnston started the game for Alma and got away with a good start, but afterwards weakened and the Hillsdale clan gradually sneaked up until in the ninth inning they tied the count, and Helmer pulled the veteran, who has been one of the mainstays of the Alma pitching staff for the past four years.

Ringle, who proved almost a puzzle against Alma in the game here, was found with ease at Hillsdale by the Maroon and Cream hitters who nailed some dozen and a half hits during the ten round batting festival. Ringle also weakened as the game progressed until the tenth, when he went to pieces, Alma clouting him for four runs in this session.

Alma scored first in the opening inning. Boyne hit and scored on Fitch's double. In the sixth, five were added, Hoolihan doubled. Johnston singled and Simenton followed. Hoolihan scoring. M. Smith was safe on an error, Johnston scoring. N. Smith walked and the sacks were loaded. Vender grounded out. Hebert scored Simenton and M. Smith with a single. N. Smith was nailed on the backs. Boyne hit and Hebert scored. Fitch ended the fun by striking out. In the tenth, N. Smith grounded out. Vender smashed out a safe hit. Hebert hit a safe one. Boyne walked. Fitch singled scoring. Scoring Vender and Hebert. Hoolihan struckout. Johnston landed on one for a safe hit and Boyne and Fitch scored.

Hillsdale scored two in the second. Cahow was safe on an error by Hebert. Gleason singled. Cahow scored on Hoolihan's error on Converse and Gleason scored on Collin's infield out. Wallace smashed one in the sixth with one down, went to third on an error and scored on a fielder's choice. In the ninth, Parker singled, and went to third on Gleason's single. Converse grounded out. Collins was safe on an error, and Parke scored. Kaiser was safe on an error and Gleason scored. Collins scored on Ringle's infield out, and the score was tied.

Vender made the star-play of the game when he caught a most difficult fly that was doomed to bring a defeat to the Maroon and Cream, by bringing a home run to the Downstater in the ninth inning.

Summary:

	Alma.	A.B.H.P.O.A.
Hebert, 3d	5	3 2 2
Boyne, m. p.	4	2 0 0
Fitch, c.	6	3 11 0
Hoolihan, s. s.	5	2 0 0
Johnston, p. m.	6	2 0 4
Simenton, 2d	5	1 3 4
M. Smith, 1st	5	2 14 0
N. Smith, l. f.	5	1 0 1
Vender, r. f.	4	1 0 0
Totals	45	17 30 41

Hillsdale.

	A.B.H.P.O.A.
Kaiser, 3d	4 0 0 0
Ringle, p.	4 0 2 0
Sherman, l. f.	5 1 2 0
Wallace, 1st	5 1 7 0
Cahow, m.	5 0 2 0
Gray, r. f.	2 1 1 1
Parker, r. f.	2 1 1 0
Gleason, 2d	4 2 3 3
Converse, s. s.	5 0 2 3
Collins, c.	4 0 10 0
Totals	40 5 30 6

Innings	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Hillsdale	0 2 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 6
Alma	1 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 4 10

Runs—Hebert 2, Boyne 2, Fitch, Hoolihan, Johnston, Simenton, M. Smith, Vender—10. Gleason 2, Collins, Parker, Cahow, Wallace—6. Errors—Fitch, Hoolihan, M. Smith, Hebert, Vender—5. Collins, Converse, Kaiser, Sherman—4.
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ALUMNI TAKE NOTICE

1917 - Maroon and Cream - 1917

The Annual this year will contain approximately 148 pages, including 50 pages of cuts, 12 cartoons, 5 pages of snap shots and 81 pages of copy. Size 11½ by 8 inches. Please fill in the following blank, inclosing money; including 5 cents extra for postage:

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THE POWER OF EXAMPLE

These are times when the power of example counts for a great deal. Especially is this true of those who volunteer for the New England and other training camps, from which will be graduated the first ten thousand officers who will be required for duty with the first five hundred thousand men to be added to the army. More than twelve hundred candidates for this camp attended the recruiting rally at Tremont Temple last night, and many others are applying at the enrollment headquarters at 42 Water street today. New England is asked to send the best twenty-five hundred volunteers that can be found in this corner of the country. It is hoped that three times that number will apply in order that the examining board can maintain a high standard of eligibility. The enrollment yesterday of Benjamin Joy, who has resigned as vice-president and cashier of the National Shawmut Bank and enrolled as a member of the training camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., is a fine and influential example which will prove a potent stimulus to volunteering among those to whom military service means personal sacrifice. A New Hampshire example of the same sort is the enrollment today at the Boston headquarters of Frank Knox, proprietor and publisher of New Hampshire's principal newspaper, "The Manchester Union."

The power of example arises in these two cases not only from the prominence of the two volunteers who have resigned very responsible and remunerative offices to enroll, but also from the promptness and simplicity with which they go to the colors. The men who volunteer now for training as candidates for the first ten thousand have the satisfaction of knowing that they not only enroll themselves but influence others to join a branch of the service where the shortage is large and the need correspondingly acute.—Boston Transcript.

Mr. Knox, '98, is one of the Alma's most successful graduates, having risen from the bottom of the ladder to a very high place. He enlisted in Roosevelt's Rough Riders as a private during the Spanish-American war, and the same spirit of patriotism has made him enlist again. He later became a reporter to the "Grand Rapids Herald." Soon after he resigned to become managing editor of the "Soo News," Sault Ste Marie. When in the Soo, he was made member of the United States Board of Indian Commissioners and also Vice-Chairman of the Roosevelt National Committee. Later he bought out the "Manchester (N. H.) Leader," and is now the editor of New Hampshire's leading paper. He was offered a position paying \$20,000 a year, to manage Hearst's "Boston American," which he turned down in order that he may do more effective work in his own field.

Wright Hall Friday night?

SENTRIES AND HEALTH

"The greatest asset of a nation is the individuals which compose that nation, and the greatest asset of the individual is health." Without health, all opportunities of endeavor are valueless. The individual who is broken down in health is not an asset to his country, but a liability, a lien, either upon his friends, his own capital, or upon society.

In times of crisis like the present, "The race is not to the swift, but to the strong." The sick and ailing cannot be called into any field of endeavor where physical endurance is put to the test. The weak are but an economic encumbrance.

As the chain is no stronger than the weakest link, so is each individual a link in the community life. One essential to the well-being of a community is the immediate investigation and abatement of disease. The

INHABITANTS PER COLLEGE STUDENT

President Crooks of Alma college has been making a series of very interesting studies concerning education in Michigan, and some comparative data concerning advanced education by students in different states. Figures used are from the bureau of education's report for 1914:

State	Population, 1910	College Students, 1914	Inhabitants per College Student	Rank of States	No. Students, Professional, Grad. and Col. lege Grade	Inhabit. per Student, Prof. Grad. and Col. lege Grade	Rank of States
Illinois	5,638,591	14,789	381.	6	24,786	227.	4
Indiana	2,700,876	7,152	378.	5	8,631	313.	8
Iowa	2,224,771	9,289	240.	1	12,800	174.	1
Kansas	1,690,949	5,887	287.	2	8,701	194.	2
Michigan	2,810,173	7,252	388.	7	9,269	303.	7
Minnesota	2,075,708	4,464	465.	9	6,154	337.	9
Missouri	3,293,335	5,030	655.	10	8,000	412.	10
Nebraska	1,192,214	3,675	324.	3	5,658	211.	3
Ohio	4,767,421	14,687	325.	4	19,089	250.	5
Wisconsin	2,333,860	5,993	389.	8	8,400	278.	3

individual who goes about scattering disease germs is weakening every link in the great chain. Like the sentry who stands on watch while the camp is asleep, each individual owes a duty to his community to conserve the public welfare by promoting sanitation and healthful condition, and by eradicating foci of infection.

In one city of the state Boy Scouts have been delegated to assist in keeping the city in a state of sanitation. Each scout will be assigned a city block to keep watch over, and he will report to the proper authorities whatever insanitary conditions he may discover. It is expected that many garbage piles and other fly-breeding places will be conspicuously absent from their usual places this coming summer.

ENLISTMENTS

Thomas Arnold Robinson has been accepted in the ambulance corps and will leave within the next few weeks for France. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson of this city and during the past year has been attending Columbia University in New York.

"Tar" Robinson was editor in chief of the "Almanian" for one year, during his college career, besides being one of the best all-round men in college. Since he has been at Columbia, he has shown great ability along the line of his chosen work, having been made an editor of the university daily paper. Good luck, "Tar."

Mark L. Spinney, son of City Attorney J. D. Spinney, passed the examination in Detroit last Friday for the officers' training camp.

Mark Spinney was a student in Alma for three years, and was a graduate of the local High school. He was captain of the football team of last year, a member of the basketball squad, and the baseball team. He was an alternate on the negative debating team which debated against Hope college. We wish him the best of luck.

Oscar Anderson and Ralph Chishelm, graduates of Alma college last June, took the examination at Saginaw Monday for the officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan. Both passed the examination.

"Chis," who is well known on the campus because of his frequent visits, is also a graduate of last year, and while in school he captained the famous track team of 1915. Here's to you, "Chis."

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ALPHA THETA

The Alpha Theta Literary society held its regular meeting Monday evening, May 7, 1917. Roll call was responded to by current events. Vernie Green gave the first impromptu on "Sending an Army Across the Sea," and Mary De Rousie gave the second one on "A Common Sense Army as it Looks on Paper." Marion Cooper, with the help of Hazel Tuck, Elyn Lind and Eloise Carey, dramatized the story of "The Shoemaker and the Cloves." Although the play was an impromptu it was cleverly rendered to the amusement of the society. After a short business meeting, the society adjourned.

PHILOMATHEAN

A very interesting meeting was held Monday evening, the subject being "American Financiers." Roll call was responded to by current events. Elizabeth Reid read a very instructive and well-prepared paper on the "Bethlehem Steel Mills."

Eva Ardis gave an interesting report on "J. J. Hill."

Florence Howe concluded the program by reading "the Two Run-aways," by H. S. Edwards.

Ellen Doty gave the critic's report after which a short business meeting was held and the society adjourned.

Y. W. C. A.

Sunday's service was devoted to Mother's Day program. Emma Keller took charge of the meeting, and proved herself to be a most satisfactory leader. Vernie Green sang "Mother Machree," and the song seemed to take on a new meaning on that day. Several suggestions were given as to the debts that are owed to the mothers in the world, which should be paid not only in service, but in love and fellowship. The meeting was an especially good one, and every girl gained something by attending it.

EXCHANGES

The danger of shortage of vegetable foods would be greatly lessened if all the women of the university were to follow the example of the twenty-two who have enrolled in the course in kitchen gardening which is being given by Professor J. G. Moore of the Horticultural department at Madison. The practical necessity is being emphasized in this course as in all the other women's preparedness courses which are now being given.—University of Wisconsin.

The faculty committee on the college military training has changed the system of giving credit for military drill at St. Olaf college. The Seniors will still be allowed to substitute the drill for a three-hour subject and get full credit for it. But Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors who are taking the drill will be excused from one final examination instead of receiving credits in physical education to be applied next year.

Twenty-five Princeton students, selected from seventy-five volunteers, will sail on June 1 to spend a year in relief work among British soldiers and in European prison camps. Undergraduates, graduates and members of the faculty, have subscribed \$16,000 to finance the project in response to a request made by Sherwood Eddy.

Ohio State University has been selected by the war department as one of six universities in the country to offer instruction in aviation. Confirmation of this was received recently by the department of military science and tactics. The other universities are Illinois, California, Texas and Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Over 200 students from the high schools and universities throughout Ohio have been placed on farms in all parts of the state by the bureau of student labor of the Ohio board of defense, of which Prof. Harry C. Ramsower of the department of agricultural engineering is the head.

Columbia University conferred degrees of Doctor of Laws on Marshall Jeffre, former Premier Vivani, James Arthur Balfour and Lord Cunliffe, governor of the Bank of England, recently after the Allied commission had returned from its tour of the west.

Colorado college by a vote of the entire student body voted last week to discontinue all forms of spring athletics, and substitute army drill from four to six o'clock every school day.

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The Idlehour

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THURSDAY — Fanny Ward in "Witchcraft." Victor Moore in a "Klever Comedy."

FRIDAY — Peggy Highland in "Saints and Sinners." Chapter 11 of "Patria."

SATURDAY — Dorothy Gish in "Gretchen, the Greenhorn." Fred Mace in "A Lover's Night."

Don't miss the return engagement of Douglas Fairbanks in "The Lamb." It is a scream.

Alumni Round Table

Where we are and what we are doing

TWO MEN WORK TOGETHER

We are pleased to learn that two of Alma's ministerial graduates are to work together in a rapidly growing field of service. The Rev. J. Wirt Dunning, '04, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Kalamazoo, has been meeting with such success and the work has grown so rapidly that it was found necessary to have an assistant for the work. The church has decided to call the Rev. Wade L. Frost, '13, pastor of the First Congregational church of Carson City. Both of these men are doing excellent work, and "The Almanian" wishes them continued and prolonged success in their work together.

TO AID PASTOR CAMERON

Rev. Maurice Grigsby, '98, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Hastings, Michigan, who has accepted a call to be assistant pastor of the Immanuel Presbyterian church, Detroit. Immanuel church has shown such a rapid growth during the past year that the pastor, Rev. Angus R. Cameron, is unable to attend to all the pastoral duties. Mr. Grigsby's special work will be among the boys of the church. —Detroit Journal.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Netzorg, 430 Chicago boulevard, Detroit, Michigan, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosalie B., to Mr. Louis Archie Harris, also of Detroit.

Miss Netzorg attended Alma college and graduated from the Kindergarten department in 1913. She was at one time the president of the Froebel Literary society.

WHAT THEY ARE DOING

Class of 1909.
Mrs. Robert S. Tate (Grace Brown), 2713 Cleveland St., Dallas, Tex.

Byron J. Chapel, Deckerville.
Maynard A. Cook, Consulting Engineer, 6218 Eberhart Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Harry A. Craig, Superintendent of Schools, Charlevoix.

Mrs. E. B. McDonald (Lois Fraker), 422 W. 57th St., New York City.

Mrs. F. C. Dickinson (Hazel Fraser), Tecumseh.

Rev. Mark L. Marshall, Presbyterian Church, Ionia.

Theodore Nelson, Austin High School; home, 5925 W. Ohio St., Austin, Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. F. W. Cobb (Stella I. Pollard), 118 E. 56th St., Seattle, Wash.

Emma M. Swigart, High School Teacher, Iron Mountain.

Harlow O. Whittmore, Instructor Landscape Design, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Class of 1910.

Hazel S. Blair, Sault Ste., Marie.
Mrs. R. L. Waring (Elsie E. Bond), 1526 Hamilton Blvd., Detroit.

Royal R. Campbell, Gymnasium Play Grounds, Grosse Pointe Farms, Detroit.

Cass Chase, Teacher, Redford.
Myrtle Creaser, High School Teacher, Cheboygan.

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Mrs. S. H. Cass (Agnes R. Redman), High School Teacher, Wadsworth, Nev.

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Theron E. Chapel, Principal High School, Three Rivers.

Rev. Hurd A. Drake, Presbyterian Church, Napoleon, O.

Mrs. H. C. Judge (Jean I. Dykes), 661 Berlin Ave., Muncie, Ind.

Kathleen I. Gillard, High School Teacher, Alpena.

Selma O. Hahn, Y. W. C. A. Secretary, Detroit.

Mrs. Robert von Thurn (Florence L. Hood), Coleraine; Minn.

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Leslie P. Koepfgen, Superintendent of Schools, Newberry.

Adelbert H. Lindley, Attorney, 1026-30 Dime Bank Buldg., Detroit.
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Isabel Stevens, High School Teacher, Dixon, Cal.

Rev. Robert von Thurn, Presbyterian Church, Coleraine, Minn.

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Eleanor Bittner, High School Teacher, Alma.

Mrs. W. L. Frost (Vinnie C. Booth), Carson City.

Mrs. John Becker (Loretta B. Clum), Alma.

Mrs. C. W. Chadwick (Laura A. Brown), Ann Arbor.

Robert H. Cook, Life Insurance, Glens Falls, N. Y.

Foster Allen Fraker, Principal High School, Lapeer.

Mrs. L. W. Lauderbach (Gladys L. Gorton), Grand Marais.

Ruth E. Hovey, State Normal School, Ypsilanti.

Robert F. Hume, Chemist, 210 S. 4th St., Duquesne, Pa.

Leon W. Lauderbach, Principal of High School, Grand Marais.

Hattie Belle Mills, Teacher, Rudyard.

Mrs. E. W. Osgerby (Carrie E. Neilson), Clarksburg, W. Va.

Gail Enid Peacock, High School Teacher, Big Rapids.

Rev. William Y. Pohly, Methodist church, Ashley.

Mrs. E. Armstrong (Carrie L. Rowland), 653 N. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, W. S.

Mrs. Anna Laura Sebring, Detroit.
Ernest William Sebring, Detroit.

WRIGHT HALL

Muriel Netzorg spent Sunday in Elsie.

Mrs. Wallace Henry, of Mecosta, visited friends here this week.

Miss Ermah Colling, of Vassar, visited friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Ira M. Hatch visited her daughter, Jean, last week.

Miss Florence Foote visited Gladys Watkins over Sunday.

Miss Laura Robinson was a guest of Miss Conyne this week.

Mr. James Kent, of Detroit, visited his cousin, Louise Beck, Sunday.

Miss Adelaide Ballou spent Sunday with Ellen Doty in Breckenridge.

Miss Eloise Carey visited in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. Evarett Reiser spent the week end with his sister, Josephine.

Miss Helen Bradfield, of Corunna, visited Edith Layer and Helen Baker this week.

Miss McLaughlin was a guest of Emma Keller Sunday.

PHI PHI ALPHA

After a short business meeting and the election of Thomas Jackson as society reporter, to take the place of our colleague, Murry Martin, who has enlisted in the services of the country, we proceeded to our program.

First, there was the second episode of that original continued story, "The Compass," given by William Fulcher, and truly it would rival one of those fascinating and breath-holding city stories of O. Henry. Then Emberson Ardis read a well-prepared paper on "Do College Athletics Help in After Life," and after listening to him we all agreed that they do help.

Ross Schermerhorn delivered an interesting paper, intitled "Does a College Education Benefit a Business Man." The paper was to the point, stating facts and also displaying humor.

Impromptus on "The Army Officers' Test" and "Life in a Big City," were given by John McAuley and Thomas Jackson respectively.

FROEBEL

There was a short meeting of the Froebel society last Monday evening. Roll call was answered to by current events, and an exceedingly good paper on "H. G. Wells and Marvorie" was given by Marguerite Crawford. The meeting closed with the Froebel prayer.

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DEFEAT HILLSDALE: THEN LOSE TO THE LEADERS

(Continued from page one)

Two base hits—Fitch, Hoolihan, Sherman.
Struckout—By Johnston 6, by Boyne 4, by Ringle 9.
Bases on balls—Off Johnston, off Boyne 1, off Ringle 3.
Sacrifice hits—Vender, Ringle, Gray.
Stolen bases—Hoolihan 2, Hebert, M. Smith, N. Smith, Gleason, 2.

The Alma college team lost the last game of the season on Saturday, when the undefeated Ypsi Normals won a two to one victory in an air tight game.

Coach Helmer sent his Recruit Boyne to the mound for the first time this season to get a line on the youngster for next year. Boyne had the goods, and held the hard hitting Normalites to five bingles, and had the team done any hitting behind him would have walked off with the game. The fans should be encouraged by his showing rather than disheartened at the loss, as Boyne pitched a masterful game for the Maroon and Cream.

The Normal's heaver, Powers, had on his fighting togs, and kept the locals guessing throughout the bout, Alma getting only three safties during the game, Hebert, Fitch and Johnston each getting one bingle.

Both twirlers received good support during the contest and it was seldom that either team got a man as far as third base.

Ypsi bunched three of her fine hits in the fifth for her two runs. Barnes beat out an infield hit. Lake lamed one through the pitcher's box, scoring Barnes and Hole scored Lake on a single.

Alma made a strong attempt in the ninth. Fitch doubled with two down and with Hoolihan up, it looked as if Alma would stage a rally which would pull the locals through, but Hoolihan's beat was a roller on which he was nailed at first.

Score:

	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Musolf, r. f.	4	0	1	0
Hole, s. s.	4	2	1	4
Powers, p.	4	0	1	3
Dunn, 1st b.	3	1	14	0
Carlson, rd b.	3	0	1	0
Walters, l. f.	3	0	3	0
Barnes, m.	2	1	2	0
Lawler, 2d b.	2	0	0	3
Lake, c.	3	1	4	3
Dunb'k, 2d b.	1	0	0	0
Totals	29	5	27	13

Alma.

	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Hebert, 3d b.	4	1	0	1
Boyne, p.	4	0	0	2
Fitch, c.	4	1	7	0
Hoolihan, 1st b.	4	0	1	1
Johnston, m.	3	1	3	0
M. Smith, 1st b.	3	0	8	0
Simenton, 2d b.	3	0	1	2
N. Smith, l. f.	3	0	3	0
Vender, r. f.	2	0	1	0
Totals	30	3	24	6

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Normal	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Alma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Runs—Barnes, Lake, 2. Error—Hole. Two-base hits—Hole, Fitch. Stolen bases—Hole, Dunn, Walters, Barnes. Bases on balls—Off Powers, 1, off Boyne 2. Struck out—By Powers 6, by Boyne 7. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Don Bell.

"FUSSING" — FROM A FRESHMAN'S VIEWPOINT

(Continued from page one.)

But where the fussing's thickest,
Each verdant, upstart runt,
Of Cupid's flying arrows,
Will strive to bear the brunt.
And so it shall be our earnest endeavor to see that the mistakes of yesterday find no place in our future actions, and that Nature shall discover in our methods of "fussing" no glaring faults or startling errors, to cause a discord in her pleasant song of spring.

The girls invite you to see their homes.

Notice—Anyone referring to Superior street mud, will be held guilty of a grave social error.

Heard at the Idlehour, "Down in front."
"Judge" Wright (in surprise)—Why, I thought I had a mustache.

I had my money and my friend;
I loaned my money to my friend;
I asked my money of my friend;
I lost my money and my friend.

"Dig"—"Bud," you've been drinking again.
"Bud"—Well, I can't eat all the time.

That's it. W. H. O. H.

PATRIOTISM

(Margaret E. Sangster, Jr., in "The Christian Herald.")

I saw three patriots the other day;
Each loved his country in a different way.

One was a little boy upon the street;
Te held a coin clutched tight against his breast;

And he looked cold, and mighty hungry, too;

His face was white, his hands were numb and blue,

And he was rather nondescriptly dressed

In mended rags. And yet his smile was sweet

When he spoke to me:

"Lady, see! he said;

"A guy he gimme dis here dime ter-day;

He said 'at I could spend it any way.

An' so I'll buy a flag ter celebrate

George Washin'ton! Say, lady, ain't dat great?"

And proudly, high, he held his curly head

I saw this little boy upon the street,
And he was cold, and hadn't much to eat.

And then I saw a soldier, khaki-clad;

And he was young—a slender, handsome lad,

With youth and hope ablaze in his fine eyes;

And he was saying to a friend:

"Who dies

To save his country lives, and lives again!

For what is fear and suffering and pain,

And what is life, when honor is at stake?

The unknown soldier, almost gone, who lies

Upon the battlefield is better far

That he who pins his faith to some faint star,

And lets his country call to him in vain!"

I saw the soldier, vivid, khaki-clad,

And he was young—a slender, handsome lad.

And then I saw a man all bent with years,

Who had seen birth and death, and joy and tears;

And he toiled in the slums—a crowded place.

"My work," he said, "is with the human race;

To make them better women, better men;

To make good citizens of bitter ones;

To make them ask for peace, not swords and guns;

And when they have the peace, to keep it. Then

To make them worship God, and love each other;

To be their helper, friend, adviser, brother.

This is my work!"

Ah, he was bent with years,

And he knew death and life, and joy and tears.

I saw three patriots the other day;

Each loved his country in a different way.

Wright Hall Friday night?

Mr. Murphy—This book will do half of your work.
Claudie Baribeau—Gimme two, quick.

A little maid shall never be

Abroad at night alone;

A chaperone she needs tell

She can call some chap'er own.

If you can still believe though others doubt it,

That you can grow a mustache for your class,—

If you can wait in patience while you sprout it,

Nor pause to gaze in every looking glass.

If you can seem unconscious of your beauty,

Altho admiring multitudes attend

You will be hailed as having done your duty,

And what is more you'll be a man, my friend.

"Freddie" Holt—See this chalk on my shoulder?

"Caulky"—Yep.

"Freddie" Holt—Well, it ain't chalk.

If she had to stand on her head!

If she gets the best kind of a show;

But you bet she'll find it out some-

It's something she ought not to know;

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(73-ly) I. N. BRAINERD, M. D.