## THE ALMANIAN

## "THE VOKHMMA WAD" A SIOCESS

Operetta Presented by Singing Groups Proves Entertain ment of Real Merit.

## The last Wednesday evening be fore the holidays witnessed the pro duction by the combined Men's and

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Women's Glee Clubs of the operett The Yokohama Maid The production was very
done. It was not brilliant, ther were no phenominal voices, but
was good and the players seemed $t$ understand their parts and conveye
their personalties to the audience. There is no doubt but that Rober operetta. Playing the role of Fated
do, the Mayor of Kybosho, Tritte ntered into the character
ad been created for him, had been created for him, singing
with a good baritone voice and giving his interpretation a real protes-
vional touch. Ethel West, as O Sing-a-Song, gave the most trained voice
to the audience. Marian Grover, as Tung-Waga, sang in a good contralto nd was in character acting secon very well received by the audience singers and a rather dragging first
act kept the production from present-
ing a professional touch throughout. Fateddo, the Mayor of Kybosho, i
in love with 0 Sing-a-Song, a Japan heiress and because of her natural charms. She, however, has no re-
turning affection for him and is moved toward a wedding day because of She is granted a year in America
and while there marries a young American lawyer, Harry Cortcase The outcome was cleverly produced
in the second act and the frustrated ateddo orders himself to married so the old nurse, Tung-Waga. His ning, Kissimee, the companion of 0 ing-a-Song. The plot seemed to end
happily for everyone with the pos sible exception of Tung-Waga who
wants to know what she's done that she should merit a union with Fated
one small matter in the poduc preciation. The cast pronounced Fa nature of the pate" atthough the n the name of the fat-headed mayor other names that were given prot hould naturally be expected their characters and the general play Among high spots during the pro se Salmon and Alice Olson and a so lo by Gordon Macdonald which re bouquet of roses.

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| teddo-Robert Tr | ing group. From the effort to too great opportunity for the |
| ogudi-Jack | op |
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| ung-Waga-Marian Grover |  |
| $\underset{\text { man }}{\text { Harry Cortcase- Harley Ca }}$ | large majority was for entr o the Court under the Har |
| Hilda and Stella-Hellen Sharrar and Kathryn Jenkins | Hughes-Coolidge terms as in a peace program. In |
| horus of Japanese men and maid The Directorate | this sentiment, the re mittee framed the follo |
| argaret Landwehr-General rector | claration, which was passed at t ginning of the evening meeting |
| ouise Salmon-Director es | Whereas, we |
| Helen MacDougall- Accompanis and Song Coach | sire to hasten the security of pe the World and for all peoples. |
| Elliot Crooks and Carleton Nee land-Business Managers. | Be It Resolved that we advo e President and the Senate ountry adherence to the Pe |
| BRIDGE LUNCHEON | of International Ju |
| ses Gertrude Williams, |  |
| Glass, Kathleen Ellison and M |  |
| Johnson were hostesses at a very lightful four-course bridge-lunch | After the passage of the ab ution the speakers at the |
| st Saturday afternoon at | eting were announced. |
| hnson's residence on State St | Houston cong |
| ers were laid for twenty at ta | ference on its spirit and |
| Miss K | the Rockefeller Found |
| way |  |
| honors of the afternoon by attaining |  |
| and low scores respectively. |  |
| he hostesses were assisted |  |
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| , H. Williams and L. D. Ellis | (Continued on page 4) |

## Former Student is Now in Denver 

 at the western school.He rates there as a Sophomore, his
two years at Alma not quite counting
for one where he is now. According for one where he is now. According
to him life at Alma was one "sweet
dream" compared to the life leads. Specializing in Petroleum Ge- Ge-
ology he has twenty-one hours of lab-
oratory work and fourteen of lecture

periences make fiction of theem tame."
Be careful Howard, we sem maites like that.)


DOES FWE WOAK



Swipes Lose to Murphy's squad BHSKETEERS HAUE
Min

ichard Czerwonky and Wa Webber Give Entertainment of Exceptional Merit.



Each presented two groups of
numbers, Mr. Czerwonky's first off

tery and also revealed pure and beau-
tiful tone. The second group con-
sisted of "Love Dream,","Barcarole,"
"Memories," and "Waltz," all having
been written by Mr. Czerwonky.
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## Alumni Ministers

Change Locations
Two graduates of Alma college in
the ministerial profession have taken
new posts lately. Sherman Landon
Divine, of the class of 1898 who has
Divine, of the class of 1898, who has
been minister of the Central Presby- terian Church of Rochester, N. Y
has accepted a call to the Westminis mento, Califorinia.
Maurice Grigsby, also of the clas
Maurice Grigsby, also of the class
of 1898, who for the past seven years has been pastor of Memory Presby-
erian Church, Detroit, has accepted a call to St. Andrew's Presbyterian
church. His installation in his new charge took place Sunday afternoon
December 6 .
Activities at the University of Minnesota are divided into three classes, Students are kept from holding to many positions,
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that require considerable time.
may not hold any other. In the sec nd group, he may hold two; in the
hird classification, any number. UPS MN DNW

Hillsdale Falls But U.' of D One of Three Wo During Holidays.

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Completely tired from the Hills
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 1 long shots, all five of their baskets
being made from the center of the floor or beyond. Eight fouls aided
much in Hillsdale's scoring. Macdonald, still weak from his hol-





1 llate 5 $\pm 5$ the Interdenominational Studen Conference, Evanston, Illinois, De-
cember 29 to January 1. They came
from 176 colleges and 20 denominafrom 176 colleges and 20 denomina
tions. Generally four or five would
be on their feet requesting the
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attended diligently, and at various
points in a vigorous discussion from
below nodded, leaned forward, jumpThe balcony was being brought $t$ "evaluating the Church" as an organ
and tool for its ideals-criticising its
shortcomings, proposing new work
and methods for it, and occasionally
stopping to question the ideals them
selves: What is Religion? Church?
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$\qquad$ eminate knowledge of birth control, them from propaganda for sec

$\qquad$ forces as rapidly as possible under the
Federal Council of Churches. Stuederal conference attenders were ad-
dent ad to get personal experience either from the rough or from horough study, and lacking the res
altant information, not to speak.
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n war which was passed almost u-
nimously, "that the church throug churches should excommunicate war, dissociate itself from the war
system, and refuse hence forth to (Continued on page 2)
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Their approval.
From a rew rease from the
World Court Committee we tal
what serm to

ent institutions voted. And here we
ent tind that while students voted five to
fone in favor of the United States entering the Court, the ballot was no
landslide and the varicty of opinion leges and parts of the country how-
ed that students were thinking and In the second place the Princeton
Conference was perhaps the first truly National Student conference.
The World Court Committee had
nothing to do with it, nor did any


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co over to sudent discussion and
finally the first great move toward a
made.
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tion are: I. To achieve a spirit of
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United State to to questions affecting student inter-
est. 2 . To develope intelligent student opinion
importance.

## tanding among the students of th

 during world peace. Students seem to feec that there inreal need for thinking throuk problems that are higger than the
usual campus ones. The World Court campaign was wetcomed as giving
them the opportunity of taking the which students are assuming. The that the enthusiasm shall not stop suggestion that ten hours of rent events be a sraduation require-
ment in every school and college of the University. The delegates at th Amherest conferenco called upon
their student bodies to suggest that the entire student body of America urge Congress to appropriate at at
least as much money as is now being tast as much money as is now beeng
spent on the R. O. T. C. for exchang scholarships between students ther countries and
These are splendid results. We are
now to discover if future conferences now to discover if future conferences can be held without some strong is-
sue like the World Court to call del. egates tozether and if such influence can be left free from attempts at control or deciding influence by friends to issuus that may be present at the time. Observers will eagerly sity of Michigan next year

> German Students' Gratitude

In the period 1921-23 the students of many nations and particularly the United States contributed ${ }^{\$ 400,}$
000 for the relief of the students Germany. This gift seems to have been the greatest reason why the impoverished German universities were not forced to close after war. Reinhold Schairer. Director of the German Students Co-Operative As
sociation has come to this country to give an account of the expenditure of the gift. The German students are considering the gift as a loan and
will pay the loan by annual contriwill pay the loan by annual contriTrust Fund.
This act of generosity by the American students has made it pos

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Students Confer
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 lemn any attempt to impose univerUnited States, such as the proposed "We believe the United States
should take a leading share in pr moting and participating in any in-
ternational $\begin{aligned} & \text { orkanizantion fat }\end{aligned}$ Yoodwill and cooperation between na
ions. In particular wo wee the nediate ratification of the protocol or
he Permanent Court of Internation

The Idlehour 'Where The Big Ones Play'

Tuesday, Jan. 12 Last day of House Peters in "The Storm Breakers It's Good Too

Wednesday and Thursday January 13 and 14 Elinor's Glyn's latest production
"The Only Thing"
Friday and Saturday Art Acord in
"The Call of
Courage"
Sun., Mon., Tues.
Jan. 17-18-19
As No Man
Has Loved"
from the famous story "The Man Without a Country
ing plans for the projected disarma-
ment conference, and entry into the ment conference, and entry into the
League of Nations. We urge the churches to continue their efforts
along these lines., along these lines."
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rganizations. Christion Ender organizations, Christian Endeavor
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Federal Council of Churches. The
Tis. Federal Councll of Churches. Th.
Missionary system came into crit
icism from both Western and Orent: students the general feeling wa in rather than abolished altogether.
In the closing session of the In-
ter-Denominational Conference a hugh Majority passed a resolution
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ask the dissemination of birth contro

Jan. 4. President Crooks in open-
ink chapel talk atter the holidays. spe
alit Basketball team has a rather dis-
strous holiday trip


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## CENTRAL NORMAL TEAM COMING HERE TUESDAY

The Central Normal basket ball measure for some of the past mis-
team will invade Alma on Tuesday, deeds that have been inflicted on January invade Alma on Tuesday, deeds that have been inflicted on schedule and a warm battle is in representing Alma College. prospect with Alma's central Mich-
Contral Normal is planning, with-
out a doubt, on having a big bunch dgan rivals.
The Teachers have been showing of a doubt, on having a big bunch
of fans on hand to back up the efforts yood so far this season, and are be- of the Mt. Pleasant aggregation in its ing drilled to stop the Maroon and Alma fans will be expected to Cream, and pay Alma back

## Princeton Meet

Does Fine Work


Cerence or the personnel of any or-
canization, student opinion should be
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1927. Exchange scholarships with | ganization, student opinion should be | $\begin{array}{l}\text { 1927. Exchange scholarships with } \\ \text { the final determining factor. As so }\end{array}$ | European countries were considered |
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amended, the Constitution was final- as were ly accepted by a large majority.
Provision was made in
lem of arranging for student parties
to visit Europe under the clection of four officers and one the $\begin{aligned} & \text { to visit Europe under the auspices of } \\ & \text { the European students. This sup- } \\ & \text { plies a need which has. }\end{aligned}$ long been tions into which the country was di- lacking by giving American travel vided for the purpose of this choice. ers in Europe facilities.for coming di
The clection by the Southern mem- rectly into contact with European bers of a colored delegate to repre-- life, as has never been the case heresion of the racial precipitated in regas-d $\begin{aligned} & \text { tofore. } \\ & \text { The problem of arousing and main- }\end{aligned}$ ance was taken of the fact that the and international questions, lookin not be adequately represented under ference next year, was also discussed, this sstem, and finally the Constitu- $\begin{aligned} & \text { and an invitation was accepted from } \\ & \text { tion was amended to provide for two }\end{aligned}$ the University of Michigan to hold delegates from each of the above this meeting at Ann Arbor in 1922

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> PHI PHI ALPHA

The Phi Phi Alpha Literary So day, December 14. After ang Mon meeting the following were initiated
Claude Dociety:
Delbert McGregor-Pontia
Rollie Harvey-Flint
Dale Dawson-Sandusk
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Merril Hendershott-Alm
Paul Bennett-Alma
Charles Goodenow-Detroit
John Niggeman-Beaverton John Niggeman-Beaverton
John Kirkey-Flint John Kirkey-Flint
Willard Hess-Detro G. Arthur Maxon-Port Huron Waltham Seavitte-Ecorse Dale Pangman-Harbor Beach Wesley Wagonlander-Flint Henry Rollo-Flint Martin Willis-Alma

## Local <br> Oratorical <br> Contests <br> February <br> 3 and 4

Contestants should be actively preparing

While you all were away for the Holidays we received a number of excellent records we should like to have you hear. Come in

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    \text { Tuesday, January } 12
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    The King of Wild Horses in
    "Black Cyclone"
    Here's a picture in a million!
    Wednesday, Jan. 13th
    Vera Reynolds
    "Steel Preferred"
    Thursday and Friday,
    Jan. $14-15$
    Betty Bronson
    "The Golden
    Princess'
    The title sounds like a fairy story-but it isn't. The Golden Princess is the name of a gold mine.
    ture.

    Saturday, January 16th
    Harry Carey
    'The Prairie Pirate'
    Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 17.18-19-James Oliver
    Curwood's wonderful story of the North Woods, "The Ancient Highway.

