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Alma Basketeers Cinch Third Place in M. I. A. A.

ALMA COLLEGE GLEE CLUB WILL TAKE LONG TRIP



BIGGEST MUSICAL ORGANIZATION OF KIND AT COLLEGE GETS LONGEST TRIP

The Alma college glee club is rapidly rounding out into a high class musical organization, and is giving promise of being the finest organization of the kind that has ever gone out from the Maroon and Cream institution.

Not only is it expected to contain the best talent that an Alma Glee Club ever had, but it will also be the largest organization of the kind that has ever represented the institution, consisting as it does of twenty members.

Close followers of musical organizations in the smaller colleges of the state are also making the claim that it is the largest glee club that has ever represented any of the smaller colleges of the state.

The itinerary for the 1921 club is also the best that has ever been offered to an Alma musical organiza-

tion of any kind, the annual spring trip calling for sixteen dates in western Michigan and in the northern peninsula of the state. The club will travel 1,070 miles on the trip, which will start Monday, March 21, at St. Louis, and will be brought to a close at Grayling on Wednesday, April 6.

The program of the glee club will be divided into three parts, the first being music by the entire club membership, the second division vocal solos by Professor Beausang and violin solos by Mr. Thoms. The third division will consist of oppretta, readings, colored quartette, etc.

The club has taken up intensive work and every evening available is devoted to practice, so that the organization may reach a high stage of perfection by the time it starts on the trip. In addition to the ensemble work, practice on the individual numbers is being carried on. With the

Wednesday, April 6—Bay City. excellent material in the club and the thorough and efficient training which they are receiving, it is predicted that the organization will be one of the highest musical quality.

Since coming to Alma College last fall both Professor Beausang and Mr. Thoms have been meeting with a rapidly gaining favor in central Michigan musical circles, and their connection with the glee club promises to add considerable interest to the work of the organization.

Lee M. Sharrar is the president of this organization, while the itinerary and business work is being efficiently taken care of by the business manager of the club, Sidney Foster.

The personnel of the glee club follows:

First tenors—Lee Sharrar, James Beattie, Ewald Swanson, Kenneth Frye and Gordon Boyce.

Second tenors—Sidney Foster,

Lowell Hudson, Orville Hastings, and Gerald Bates.

First basses—Hartzell Lyons, Stuart Pratt, Don Martin and Kenneth Thoms.

Second basses—Harold Johnstone, Robert Wyatt, Edward Steele, Carl Dahlgren, Arthur Peterson and Hugh Tarrent.

Director—Professor Beausang.

The itinerary follows:

Monday, March 21—St. Louis.

Thursday, March 24—Clare.

Friday, March 25—Cadillac.

Sat., March 26—Harbor Springs.

Sunday, March 27, and Monday,

March 28—Sault Ste. Marie.

Tuesday, March 29—Manistique.

Wednesday, March 30—Marquette.

Thursday, March 31—Ishpeming.

Friday, April 1—Munising.

Saturday, April 2, and Sunday,

April 3,—Newberry.

Monday, April 4—Cheyboygan.

Tuesday, April 5—Alpena.

DEFEAT HILLSDALE IN ROUGH GAME

Steele's Men Put Up Impregnable Defense in Second Half

DOWNED BY YPSI

Fresh Players Overcome Alma's Lead in Last Minutes of Play.

Alma College made it an even split in her final two Michigan Intercollegiate games of the season last week, beating Hillsdale College at Hillsdale Friday night to the tune of 20 to 16, and losing to the Michigan State Normals of Ypsilanti on Saturday night by a score of 18 to 12, after having held the lead until the last five minutes of play.

The victory over Hillsdale puts Alma in third place in the Michigan Intercollegiate race, a wonderful showing for the Alma collegians, who started the season as an entirely green team, the only team in the M. I. A. A. which started the year without the services of at least one veteran college player. During the early part of the season, after Alma started on a tour of the foreign courts in the association four straight beatings were handed the Maroon and Cream, and then came a revamping of the aggregation and a wonderful spurt which pulled the collegians up from almost a last place aggregation to one that Ypsilanti could not win from in a game which meant the title for 1921 for the Teachers. It has been one of the most startling finishes that an Alma team has ever shown in the M. I. A. A.

The Friday night game at Hillsdale was played under anything, except good playing conditions. The crowd constantly jeered the Alma aggregation, and the Hillsdale five played a rough game from start to finish.

At the end of the initial half the Blue and White team was leading Alma 9 to 7, but when the second half started the Alma defense was impregnable and for eighteen minutes of the twenty minute playing session the Hillsdale team was able to connect for just one lone point, while Alma was piling up a good lead. In the final two minutes the defense, with the game safely tucked away, eased up and Hillsdale gathered in three field baskets, making the final count 20 to 16.

Beattie and Kirker featured for the Alma aggregation, while Kirk starred for the Hillsdale team.

Ypsi-Alma
Alma started with a rush against the Ypsilanti Normal team Saturday night, taking a lead right at the start of the game, which was held until the final five minutes of play, when Rynearson sent a fresh bunch of men to the court, for the Teachers and wore down the already tired Alma aggregation, pulling to the front with a lead that landed the game for the Green and White and allowed Ypsi's aggregation to tie with Kalamazoo College for the first place, but not for the championship, as there will be no title with Ypsi and the Kazooks tied.

At the end of the first half Alma was leading Ypsi 9 to 7, and as the game went into the second half the Alma crew continued to hold the lead. With only five minutes to go, Coach Rynearson of Ypsi, who saw his prospective tie departing, made a last desperate chance to land the fray and sent a new bunch to the floor, which quickly forged to the front, the tired Alma team being no match for the fresh team. Ypsi piled up the counters rapidly in the last five minutes, and the game finished with Ypsi leading 18 to 12.

Jimmy Beattie was there with the foul shooting again in the Ypsi game (Continued on page four)

JOTHAM ALLEN TO HEAD THE COUNTY CAMPAIGN

Has Charge of Drive for Gym; Wyatt to Direct College Work.

Announcement was made Monday afternoon of the appointment of Mr. Jotham Allen, General Manager of the Michigan Sugar Co. (Alma Plant) to head the endowment campaign work of the college in Gratiot County. The appointment was made by the Chamber of Commerce committee. Mr. Allen will be the director of the campaign for funds to build the big memorial gymnasium and auditorium at Alma. He will take charge of the work immediately. Mr. Allen will appoint his own executive committee and with their advice will appoint the various captains and campaign leaders.

Robert Wyatt was chosen at a recent meeting of the class presidents to direct the campaign in the college. He will sit as a member of the district executive committee. The captains in the college will be the four (Continued on page three)

It's curious what curious things accumulate around a college building. During a recent ramble through store rooms in a building at Franklin College, Indiana, a student found a form of Chinese type ready for the printer, a book on "Spanish Manners," and a Greek love story.

STOP! LOOK! READ! RETURN YOUR PROOFS AT ONCE!

Unless you do so by Thursday noon, we will have a print made from the negative of our own choice. We might not get the one you like, but if you are not interested enough to bother about it, why should we?
MAROON AND CREAM

WEST VIRGINIANS ARE DEFEATED BY ALMA FIVE

Maroon and Cream Takes Measure of Fast Bethany Quintet.

Tuesday evening, with Capt. Dahlgren still out of the game, and "Jimmy" Beattie removed early in the battle because of illness, the Collegians were forced to the limit to maintain an early lead that had been taken over Bethany, but finally won by a score of 29 to 20.

Bethany took the lead at the start of the fray with a foul, but was quickly headed by the Steele-coached team. The visitors rallied, however, and soon managed to get a point lead again, but could not hold it and the half ended with Alma leading 19 to 14. Numerous changes in the Alma lineup hurt both the offense and defense in the early part of the second stanza, and the team slowed (Continued on page two)

ALBION AND YPSI TAKE FIRST IN ORATORICALS

Frank Vreeland Takes Fourth, Mabel Field Fifth in State Contests.

Frank M. Vreeland took fourth place in the Men's Oratorical Contest at Albion Friday evening with his oration, "The Issue." Mabel L. Field, speaking on "Victory or Defeat" was given fifth place in the Women's Contest.

First place in the Men's contest went to Guernsey F. Gorton of Albion, who spoke on "The Delusion of Equality" and first place in the Women's contest to Miss Catherine Hutton of Ypsilanti Normal, whose oration was titled "The Church and the New America."

Donald Ross of Ypsilanti took second place in the Men's contest and Hope's orator, Judson Stapelkamp was third. Miss Vera Keppel of Hope was second in the Women's contest, and Miss Victoria Mich (Continued on page two)

Mount Union College claims to be the originator of collegiate basketball. A tablet in the gymnasium of this Ohio school has an inscription to the effect that the first game was played there in March, 1892. "The Dynamo," the student publication says: "We know of no college in the United States which can establish the claim that basketball was played previous to this date."

COMING

- March 12—Faculty Party.
- March 19—Philo Party.
- March 20—Palm Sunday Breakfast, Wright Hall.
- March 21—Fourth Lyceum Number.
- March 25 to April 4—Spring Vacation.
- April 16—Library Lecture, Mr. Bishop.
- April 23—Froebel All-College Dance.

COLLEGE WILL BANQUET CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Crooks and Gerber Will Speak at Big Gathering Tuesday Evening.

Tuesday evening the members of the Alma Chamber of Commerce and also their wives will be guests of Alma College at a banquet to be held at Wright Hall. The principal speakers will be President H. M. Crooks of the college and Mr. Harry Gerber, president of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Resler will explain to the organization its plans for the endowment campaign in Gratiot county and Alma, also the state-wide endowment campaign, in which Alma has a deep interest because of the many (Continued on page four)

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The Freshmen will edit the March 15 number of the Almanian. The following staff has been appointed for that issue:

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PLEASE HELP THE NEEDY

If you like jokes, and quips, and quirks, and funny tales; if you like to hear about the blunders your classmates make; if you want to put something over on that fellow; if you want to get back at that girl, here's your chance. And this is the secret formula: "Support the Almanian's Campus Breezes."

You may not have a breeze to offer, but if you can present anything in the line of tornadoes, cyclones, blizzard gales, March winds, or the more gentle zephyrs and the soft and balmy breaths of gentle spring, they will be welcome.

Laugh at a joke in class, and the class laughs with you; but if you put the joke in the Almanian, everybody in the college will be giggling or snickering about it by Wednesday noon. (It may take some of them that long to get the joke).

Wherefore we present this plea for material for our joke and campus column. Anything and everything that you like, and the things you think somebody else may like—that is what we want. Get them to us some way. Put them in the Almanian box in the hall of the Ad. building, hand them to the editor, the assistant editor, the campus editor, the business staff, or even the printer's devil. But get them to us some way. You want jokes in the Almanian. So do we. "Co-operation is the key to success."

CONDUCTING DRIVE

In a special pre-Easter campaign the churches of Alma are putting forth all efforts to reach the non-church and non-Christian people of Alma, and to renew the spirit of those who are already supporters of the work.

The Presbyterian Church is making a special attempt to see that all students at the college who are not church members, or who do not attend religious services, be brought out and put in touch with the church. It is especially desired that a number make the decision to join the church at the Easter season. Rev. Gelston has expressed his belief that the co-operation of the church workers among the students of the college will make possible success in the work.

The Baptist church is conducting a series of revival meetings, under the special direction of Evangelist J. J. Pease, a powerful and compelling speaker. These meetings, which began last Sunday, will be kept up for two weeks. Friday night of this week has been set as young people's night, and to this meeting the church is extending a special invitation to the college students.

Other churches of the city are likewise making special efforts before the Easter season. All desire the cooperation of the student body of the college and express the firm belief that it will be given.

FROEBEL

The regular meeting of the Froebel Society was held on Monday, the 28th ult. Roll call was answered by present. After a brief business meeting was held a short paper on the life of H. M. Beurs was read by Helen McConkey.

Critic's report.
Adjournment.

"God must love flunkers, he made so many of them."—Exchange.

SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

Eight M. I. A. A. Baseball Games Carded; Alma to Play M. A. C.

Manager Marks of the Alma College Athletic Association announced the 1921 baseball schedule the latter part of the week. The card as far as arranged calls for eleven games, eight of which are Michigan Intercollegiate contests.

Due to the fact that Olivet College will not be represented on the diamond in baseball, and the fact that neither the Michigan State Normal nor Adrian was anxious for two frays with the Maroon and Cream, the M. I. A. A. end of the schedule is light. The fact that Alma has only one game with Adrian and Ypsi gives the Maroon and Cream two less battles than Hillsdale, Albion and Kalamazoo will have, and if any of these three should lose just one association game Alma would be forced to win her entire list of collegiate contests to grab the title.

The feature game of the entire bill will be the fray with the Michigan Aggies. For the first time in years Alma has been successful in getting a late date on the Farmers' schedule, and is the only M. I. A. A. school to get such dates in years. The game is carded for May 30, Memorial day, one of the finest dates on the entire schedule of the Aggies.

Five of the games, four of them Michigan Intercollegiate contests are to be played on the Alma field.

It is rather expected that if suitable arrangements can be made Manager Marks will add two or three more games to the list.

The schedule follows:
April 13 or 16—Mt. Pleasant Normals at Mt. Pleasant.

April 22—Mt. Pleasant Normals at Alma.

April 29—Alma College at Hillsdale.

April 30—Alma College at Adrian.

May 6—Hillsdale College at Alma.

May 7—Albion College at Alma.

May 14—Michigan State Normals at Alma.

May 20—Alma College at Kalamazoo.

May 21—Alma College at Albion.

May 28—Kalamazoo College at Alma.

May 30—Michigan Aggies at East Lansing.

June 3 and 4—Michigan Intercollegiate finals and track meet at Albion.

WEST VIRGINIANS ARE DEFEATED BY ALMA FIVE

(Continued from page one) up in a most noticeable manner. Bethany for a few moments rained shots at the basket, and had the visitors had the least sign of luck at that stage they would have quickly sewed up the contest. The West Virginians did get dangerous enough to cause Coach Steele to make still further shifts in the lineup and then the Alma offense got under way again, and very soon had the game tied up tight.

Kirker, Waggoner and "Jimmy" Howe featured in the scoring department for the Maroon and Cream, while Waggoner, Van Page and "Hawkshaw" were playing strong, defensive games. Wells was the big noise for the visitors.

Alma—29
Beattie.....rf
Kirker.....lf
French.....c
Van Page.....rg
Waggoner.....ig
Field baskets—Kirker 3, Howe 3, Waggoner 3, Beattie 2, VanPage, Wells 3, Patterson 1, Randolph 2, Kelly, Stewart.

Fouls—Beattie 0 in 3, Kirker 5 out of 6, Kelly 2 out of 4, Patterson 0 in 2.

Substitutions—Howe for Beattie, Waggoner for French, Scott for Waggoner, French for Waggoner, Waggoner for Scott, Shaffer for Randolph, Collar for Kelly, Randolph for Shaffer, Shaffer for Collar, Kelly for Shaffer.

Score first half—Alma 19, Bethany 15. Referee—Mullin, Kazoo Normal.

PHILOMATHEAN

The regular meeting of Philomathean was held Monday, Feb. 28th. Roll call was answered to by a quotation from the poetry of Bryant or Emerson. A sketch of the life and works of William Cullen Bryant was given by Agnes Ardis. The impromptu, "The Growth of Thanatopsis" was given by Pauline Strick. Grace Beshgetoor read a paper on the "Life and Works of Ralph Waldo Emerson." Avis Lane read selections from each of these poets.

Adjournment.

Valparaiso University, Indiana, has reorganized, selected a representative board of trustees, elected a new president and is out for a million dollars endowment. This marks a new epoch in a remarkable school.

ALBION AND YPSI TAKE FIRST IN ORATORICALS

(Continued from page one) niweez placed third. Our old friend A. Gordon McDonald represented Olivet in the contest, taking sixth place.

The Women's Oratorical contest was held at two o'clock in the afternoon in the Methodist Church of Albion and the Men's contest was held in the same place at seven thirty in the evening. The decision for both contests was given after the evening speeches.

Accompanying Miss Field and Mr. Vreeland to Albion were Miss Margaret Conyne and Professor Hamilton.

Our orators are enthusiastic in telling of the fine reception which was given them at Albion by the Albion College student body and by the citizens of Albion.

The State Oratorical Contests will be held in Alma next year.

MRS. CROOKS ENTERTAINS

On Sunday evening Mrs. Crooks entertained the Junior and Senior girls at her home. All enjoyed the pleasant home atmosphere and became better acquainted with the entire family including the grandfather and the young Crooks. The President was at home and during the evening introduced us to his large library. Mabel, especially was carried away, for after finding a comfortable corner, we were unable to separate her from the books.

Shortly after our arrival, Mrs. Crooks served a most delicious lunch. After this, all found ways of entertaining themselves among books, at the piano or watching the performance of Andree.

At nine o'clock, we bid the family farewell feeling sure that we would not lose the pleasant memories of this happy evening.

ALPHA THETA TEA

The annual Alpha Theta tea to the patroness, Mrs. J. T. Ewing, and to the wives of the faculty was given Saturday March 5.

The society room was tastefully arranged. Ferns daffodils and white spring flowers carried out the color scheme: green yellow and gold. Tea was served from 4:30 until 5:30. Dean Pollock presided at the tea table and later Mrs. Ewing assisted pouring tea and serving dainty sandwiches and cake.

To the society members and to friends this annual tea is a source of great pleasure. Saturday, the Alpha Theta girls were glad to welcome back an old member, Maude Hooper.

"General Opinion" states that only five percent of the students in the universities of Holland are total abstainers. In spite of that several strong anti-alcohol societies are to be found in the different universities. The club at the University of Amsterdam, the "Academia" is making

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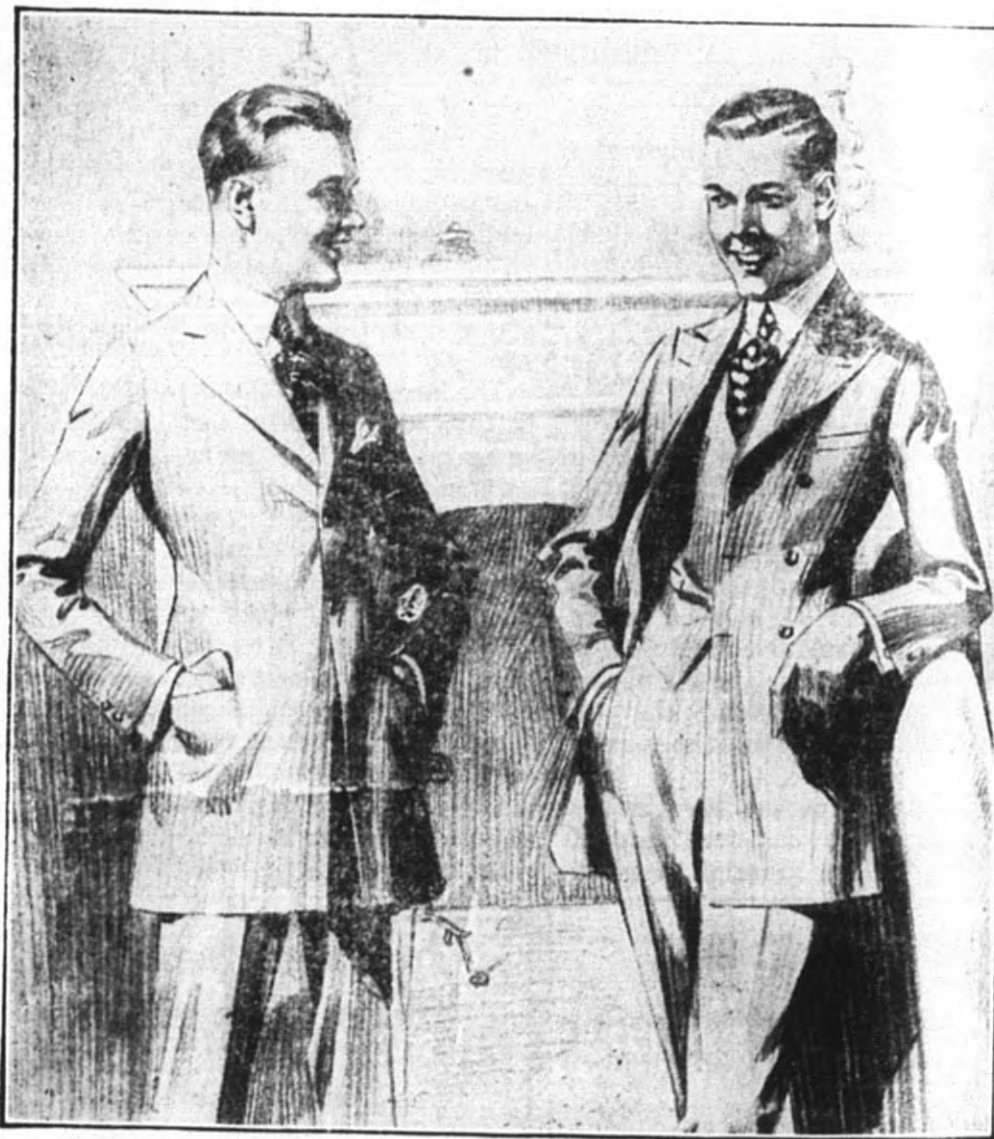
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Prof. Hamilton (in drama)—Mr. Wilson, will you please tell us how you made your proposal.

Wilson—I'm rather Young to do such a thing.

Ditto—Mr. Rose, what is density?
Rose—I can't define it, but I can give an illustration.

Ditto—The illustration is good, sit down.

We met Roger Zinn in the Library yesterday, and he told us he was looking for a Jane. Jane Austin, it was, but it seems she had gone out with George Eliot.

The new college catalogs, for 1920-1921, are out. They contain all the changes in courses of study and scholarship requirements, as well as the new schedule of class absences.

Prof. Hamilton—Which of Tennyson's poems do you prefer?

Billy Amos—I think I'll take the "Dream of Fair Women."

Chevrie—I've got to work hard next year.

Brewer—Why, aren't you coming back to college?

Jerry Marks took a week end trip to Ann Arbor and Detroit this week.

Eleven delegates will go to the State Student Volunteer Convention from Alma. They are Marian Reid, Mable Field, Avis Lane, Helen Scott, Margaret Poole, Pauline Strick, Willard Beshgetoor, Stuart Pratt, Thos. Dasef, Howard Ainsworth, and Stempfly.

Heard After Oratorical Contest

"I have referred to you as a hypnotic orator," said the press agent to Vreeland.

"I guess that's all right," answered our orator, "I noticed that I put more than half of the audience to sleep."

C. L. Williams was in Saginaw Saturday and Sunday on business for the Maroon and Cream.

Yes, Ypsi won from Alma, but it took two teams to do the trick.

Shoemaker—Now what would you do if you were in my shoes?

Fair One—Point the toes toward the door and give them a start.

We always wondered why the entire U. P. representation was on the Glee Club. Then we saw the itinerary and wondered no more. Confidentially, it is understood that the U. P. club gave Foster a vote of thanks and a gold medal for his good work.

The members of the German 12 class were entertained royally by Dr. Hober at his home in St. Louis Sunday afternoon. Every one who was there is loud in his praises of the hospitality of the professor. And the report of the splendid meal would seem like an Arabian Night's tale if it were not for the fact that the class agrees in all particulars concerning it.

Bruce Armstrong of Charlevoix, has entered the Freshman class.

Kenneth Laycock, who has been ill for some time, has returned to his classes.

Now that Harding is president, we hope he will get Will Hays on the postmaster general's job and speed up the Pioneer Hall delivery. Have you paid your fifty cents yet?

JOTHAM ALLEN TO HEAD GRATIOT COUNTY CAMPAIGN

(Continued from page one) class presidents: Allen Follette, Senior; Roger Zinn, Junior; Russell Wilson, Sophomore; and Alvin Graham, Freshman. These captains will organize their classes and will appoint committees in them to take charge of the drive work. This work in the college will probably be the first stage of the campaign.

It is presumed that Mr. Allen will soon be able to make announcement of the district leaders.

President Ellis for twenty years the head of Ohio University, died suddenly after a life of service to education.

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landing a number of points for the Maroon and Cream from the foul line.

The entire team played a fine game in each contest, and every man on the squad is deserving of considerable credit.

Under the M. I. A. A. rules no championship is awarded in case of a tie, so the title will be held in abeyance for the season of 1921, unless there is a playoff between Kazoo and Ypsi. There is practically no chance of this however. Thus to Alma must be given the credit for deciding the race this year. Counted as the champion, after having defeated Kazoo, by the entire Michigan Intercollegiate, except for a few of the more staunch fans here, Ypsi was pulled out of first place a week ago when Alma handed the Teachers the only M. I. A. A. defeat that they suffered, and made it possible for Kalamazoo College to work into a tie with the Green and White for first place.

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changes that it promises to make in the future for the betterment of the institution.

President Crooks, who is devoting practically all of his time in the Detroit offices, which have been opened for the state campaign, was in Alma Tuesday of last week, and at that time with H. E. Reece, manager of the Alma Chamber of Commerce, laid plans for the banquet Tuesday evening.

The general plan of the endowment campaign has not yet been fully worked out, and it is expected that following the banquet Tuesday evening various committees will be appointed to work in connection with the big endowment drive in Gratiot, where \$110,000 is to be raised for the erection of a Memorial gymnasium to the memory of the service men, not only of the college, but of the entire county.

ALPHA THETA

The regular meeting of the Alpha Theta Literary Society was called to order Monday, Feb. 28, by the president, Florence Purdy. Roll call was answered by some fact concerning a sonata. Miriam Wicksall gave the first impromptu, "A Bill for Appropriation of \$50,000 for a National Conservatory of Music;" Gladys Fryxell gave the second, "American Violin Experts Dubious Over Invention That Has Set Berlin Agog." Lila Mergard reviewed the current events for the previous week. Lucy Fellows read an interesting paper on the "Life and Comparison of Works of Bach, Hayden and Handel." Marian Bradley in a brief, but satisfactory manner sketched the "General Scope of Music in the Eighteenth Century." Adjournment.

Y. W. C. A.

The regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in Wright Hall on Thursday evening, March 3. The meeting was opened by a solo, "I Need Thee Every Hour," by Miss Fromilda Young. Miss Virginia Blick spoke on "The Christian Fight" in which she brought out Paul's assurance of eternal life which seemed to be because he could say "I have fought the good fight." In all of the wonderful promises that have been given to us there is always a condition which we must fulfill. It was shown what this fight meant in Paul's life and what it may mean in any Christian life.

The meeting was concluded by the story of VanDyke's "Legend of Service."

ZETA SIGMA

The meeting of Zeta Sigma for February 21, 1921, was called to order by Vice-President Sharrar.

After the initiation of Mr. Carl Hedburg, the following literary program was given:

Life of William Hohenzollern—Burroughs Rathsburg.

My Autobiography—Sterling Shoemaker.

Life of George Peabody, Great American Merchant—Stanley Vliet.

Critic's report—Allen Follette.

After a few short talks upon Zeta Sigma Stag Banquets of former years, the society adjourned.

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