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ALMA WILL BE HOST TO MANY HOMECOMERS SATURDAY

ANNUAL PARENTS' DAY WAS A GREAT SUCCESS FROM EVERY STANDPOINT

Beautiful Campus Greeted Fathers and Mothers Sat.

Last Saturday witnessed the observance of annual Parents' Day in the College. The day was a success from more than one standpoint. There were many parents in Alma for the day. A fine day was planned for them and if consensus of opinion among the parents has it correctly it was certainly well enjoyed.

The morning was given over to decorating the College in honor of the parents. Pioneer Hall was well decorated with crepe paper which was very thoughtful of the Frosh. Wright Hall floated the banners of its three girl societies and the fraternity houses were well decorated with their respective banners and the new A pennants which were recently brought to the Campus. The merchants of the town had their A pennants flying from their flagpoles in front of their stores, too.

About noon the parents arrived and enjoyed a dinner at Wright Hall. After the dinner there was a short program in the reception room of Wright Hall. Professor Hamilton acted as Chairman and introduced (Continued on Page 3)

STUDENT COUNCIL PLANS DANCE SAT.

The regular meeting of the Student Council was called to order Oct. 21, 1930, by the President, Al. Dean.

Roll was taken. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. No report from the flagpole committee. Klerekooper, of the parade committee for Homecoming, reported that the Girl's Societies had promised floats. The band will be ready to participate. Moved by Klerekooper, supported, that the Student Council sponsor a dance for Homecoming. Discussion. Motion carried. Discussion on admittance fee. Moved, supported, that the Council charge twenty-five cents for the men, football men exempt, ladies free. Motion carried.

The following committees for the dance were appointed by the President:

Smith, Crawford—Orchestra.
Richter, Laman—To get Gym in order.

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COLLEGE WILL BE HOST TO ORATORS FOR SEMI-FINALS

The Michigan Oratorical League, of which Alma has long been a member, will hold its divisional contests, one for men and one for women, at Alma on the first Friday of March. Calvin, Hope, Kalamazoo, Michigan State and Central State will participate. The schools winning the first three places will enter the final contest.

The final contest will be held at Central State Teacher's College, Mt. Pleasant, the second Friday in March.

A gold, silver and bronze medal will be awarded to the three contestants averaging highest in both men's and women's contests. The winner of the finals will enter the interstate contest.

The purpose of the League is to encourage more effective public speaking. Kenneth Ollis, Alma Student Manager of Oratory and Debate, is the President of the League. Ollis won the local prize last year with an excellent oration on "Our Pilgrim Heritage."

Students carrying two-thirds of the required amount of work, who have not received an academic degree and are under 28 years of age, are eligible to participate.

All orations must be original and must not be longer than eighteen hundred words, of which not more than ten per cent may be quoted material. The judges will be the heads of the public speaking departments of other schools taking part.

MEN DEBATERS MEET HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY

The Alma College Men's Affirmative and Negative Debate Teams will meet the team from Heidelberg University, Ohio, somewhere around Nov. 15, in the Alma College Chapel. Ollis, Student Manager, announced last week.

"We can expect a real argument," he said. Heidelberg University lays great stress on forensic activity and its teams travel all over the United States and many foreign countries. It will be a real treat to hear these experienced men debate the Unemployment Insurance question from our home platform. This will be the first of a series of pre-season debates that will give our men more practice.

Those out for men's debate who have had college experience are: K. Ollis, E. Brown, D. Backstone, A. Ruddock. Blackstone is a member of Pi Kappa Delta, National Forensic Society, and has a key for college debate. Paul Heberlein, Senior, is also making a strong bid for a place. King and Estes, Freshmen, have had High School experience.

Things are going along nicely and it is expected that our teams will make strong opponents to the Heidelberg debaters. There is to be no decision.

CHAPEL WALLS RING IN BIG PEP MEETING

The attendance at the gigantic Mass Meeting in the Chapel last Friday on the eve of the Hillsdale game certainly showed that Alma students have the old spirit that is talked so much about. Everyone who could possibly come was there and it was the biggest and best "Pep Meeting" in the knowledge of the writer.

It started a little after seven with an opening number from the very excellent band. The band is one of the finest instruments for the promotion of spirit and loyalty on the Campus. They have certainly supported our teams and projects in the past and they will continue to support us as long as we support the band. After a few preliminary yells to arouse the emotions of the crowd, Al. Dean, President of the Student Council, introduced the team amidst much cheering and clapping of hands. They certainly were a husky and determined-looking bunch of fellows and their determination showed up in the game the next day. The introduction of the team was ended with the introduction of the Coach, Roy Campbell. The Coach uttered a few timely words to the effect that it was morale that made a team and that he would be looking for it the next day and knew that he would find it. He did.

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STUDENTS CELEBRATE VIRGIL'S BIRTHDAY

The Latin and Greek students under the supervision of Miss J. Banta, head of the Classics Department of Alma College, held a dinner at Wright Hall last Wednesday evening, Oct. 22, to commemorate the death of Virgil, nineteen hundred years ago.

The table was decorated with pine, a large bouquet of gorgeous roses and yellow chrysanthemums and candles at each end. Place cards designated covers for those of the dinner party. Ida Spencer, Madam Chairman of the party, gave a brief talk on the origin of the famous poet's name and then introduced the first speaker, Dorothea Prouty, who gave a concise biography of the poet. The next number was a talk on the works of Virgil, by Mary Louise Peters. The program was concluded by the reading of Tennyson's famous poem, "To Virgil", by Lillian (Continued on Page 2)

ALUMNI WILL RETURN TO ALMA MATER

Albion Game Will Be Feature of "Red Letter Day"

The most eventful day of the College year, Homecoming Day is almost here at last. Great plans are being made to make this a great day. A very fine program has been arranged by the College. It follows. Our motto is, "Make Everyone Happy."

If any students are having guests and are planning on having them eat in Wright Hall, Harry Wehrly, Head-waiter, asks you to please reserve plates in advance as the dining room will be crowded and only a certain number of places can be gotten.

Friday, Oct. 31

1:00 P. M.—Pep Meeting—College Chapel.

8:15 P. M.—Drama Club Play, "In the Next Room," Strand Theatre.

Saturday, Nov. 1

12:00 noon—Dinner at Wright Hall, (75c).

1:00 P. M.—Parade.

2:30 P. M.—Football—Bahlke Field, Albion vs. Alma. (Admission \$1). After the game: Coffee and Doughnuts at the President's House.

6:00 P. M.—Fraternity Stag Banquets.

8:30 P. M.—Informal Dance—Memorial Gymnasium.

MENS' GLEE CLUB HAS NEW OFFICERS

The Men's Glee Club, according to Professor of Music J. E. Ewer, begin rehearsals for home concerts and annual tour next week. Professor Ewer states the prospect for the Club this year is the best it has been for many years. There are only a few changes from last, the Club being composed of the present Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. Under the able direction of Professor Ewer, the Club has become known all over the state and has made its tour with the best success.

In a former issue it was stated that the financial depression might make it necessary to postpone the trip this year. However, Prof. Ewer states things look brighter than had been anticipated and tours of both women's and men's Glee Clubs are looked forward to. Formerly the Glee Clubs visited towns not only in the lower but also the Upper Peninsula. The home concerts and the Chapel programs are enjoyed by the students and Faculty.

The Glee Clubs are very active bodies on the Campus and positions in them are coveted by all the students. The trips taken are good experience, for not only the managers but the personnel as well. Contacts as a unit representing Alma College are interesting. The members as a rule stay in private homes and friendships are made that are not quickly forgotten.

PROFESSOR BROKESHIRE WENT TO SOO LAST WEEK

Professor Brokenshire, of the Religious Education Department of Alma College, last week journeyed to Sault Ste Marie on behalf of the Phi Beta Kappa Society, of which Professor Brokenshire is a member.

The event occasioning the trip was the 2,000 anniversary of the poet Virgil's death. The Phi Beta Kappa Society presented many of the High School children all over the country copies of orations by famous men as tokens of this event. Professor Brokenshire made a speech to the students of the Sault high schools in the Presbyterian Church of that city. He was introduced by Earl Closser, who graduated from Alma College in 1927. Professor Brokenshire had a pleasant though somewhat cool trip.

NOTICE

The Almanian is "trying out" this week a system adopted by most of the M. I. A. A. and other colleges, namely that of devoting the back page to sports. We are submitting this this week for your approval.

FROSH FROLIC IS PRONOUNCED THE BEST YEARLING PARTY EVER HELD

WOMEN DEBATERS PREPARE FOR FORENSIC SEASON

"Resolved, That State Medicine Should Be Established," is the subject for women's debate this year and it is one that promises many fine debating possibilities.

In answer to a call for Women Debaters by Coach Herman Spencer, seven girls signified their desire for places on the forensic squad. They are: Nancibel Thorburn, Louise Waider, Jean McGarvah, Claire Wilson, Inez Passenheim, Marjory Morrison and Aileen Waters and Emily Nordling. Miss Waider, a Junior, has had one year's experience under Coach Spencer, as has Miss Thorburn, a Sophomore. Jean McGarvah, Sophomore, has had no college experience. The other girls are Freshmen but they have all had extensive High School experience. Miss Wilson debated on the Clawson High School team last year, one of the finest in the state.

Mildred Angell, who debated last year for Alma, is not out for the team, but she is Student Manager of Women's Debate. She plans a very active season for the girls.

DISTRICT M.E.A. MEET CALLS STUDENTS

The regular District Meetings of the Michigan Educational Association will be held Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 27 and 28, 1930. District Two will meet in Flint. All those students taking Practice Teaching will attend the Flint meeting.

Very excellent programs have been arranged for these District Meetings and those who attend will have a chance to hear some of the finest of speakers and educators in this part of the state, as well as meet other teachers and exchange ideas.

Ray L. Bowen, Superintendent of Schools at St. Louis, is the general chairman for the meeting. The program has been divided into general meetings, divisional meetings and sectional meetings.

On Monday, October 27, at two o'clock, Professor L. L. Tyler of the Education Department of Alma College, will speak in the sectional High School program on "Why College Freshmen Fail." At the same time, Professor Roy H. Hamilton of the Alma Speech Department, will speak in the sectional speech session on "A Study of Classroom Methods in Teaching Speech Work."

The delegation will be entertained by the various Flint bands and orchestras.

PHI PHI ALPHA WILL HOLD ANNUAL STAG BANQUET

Phi Phi Alpha will hold its annual Alumni Stag Banquet in the Wright House Hotel, Saturday, Nov. 1, 1930. More than fifty members and Alumni will attend.

A delicious four-course dinner will be served, consisting of Fruit Cocktail, Soup, Steak and French Fried Potatoes and Vegetables, Pie a la Mode and Coffee and Buns. The tables will be decorated with flowers.

Many of the old Phi members will attend, among them the City Manager Don Sullivan, and Paul Cash, noted local attorney.

The Stag Banquet is an annual event in the Phi Phi Alpha calendar, although it was not held last year. Charles Peterson, Chairman of the Fraternity social committee, and in charge of the Banquet, says that it will be "the biggest and best best Stag Banquet ever held."

Colorful and Gay Decorations Add Materially to the "party spirit"

The Frosh Frolic, closing the Parents' Day program, was a great success. After a great day in the history of football, the happy students gathered at Memorial Gymnasium for one of the most enjoyable parties that has been held on the Campus this year.

About one hundred twenty-five couples saw the inside of the Gymnasium decorated in a way that the most experienced decorator would have been proud to term his "handiwork." Everyone—Faculty, students, guests, were more than delighted with this feature of the party.

On entering the gym each couple received handsome program favors. In the gym proper the false ceiling of Halloween colors of orange and black streamers was gracefully draped. The sides were decorated with shocks of corn between which the seats were cleverly placed, making a very pretty rustic effect. On the north side of the gym a cosy alcove was built with comfortable chairs for the Faculty patrons and patronesses, Dr. and Mrs. (Continued on Page 3)

JAHN & OLLIER WILL ENGRAVE ANNUAL

Contracts for the engraving and the photography in the Maroon and Cream were let during the past week, according to the Editor. The engraving work will be done by the Jahn & Ollier Engraving Company, a Chicago firm that has handled the engraving work in four out of the last five Alma College Annuals. Letting the engraving to this firm will insure Maroon and Cream purchasers the very best in the way of engraving work since the same concern handles the engraving for both the United States Army and Naval Academies.

The contract for photography was let with the idea of getting the very best reproductions in this section to the Covert Studios of St. Louis. According to the terms of the agreement, every student will have four sittings to choose from rather than a single exposure as has been done in (Continued on Page 3)

"IN THE NEXT ROOM" WILL BE PRESENTED FRIDAY

Gene Tarrant, playing the lead in the Drama Club's newest play, promises to be one of the best leading men that have ever played on the College stage. Although Tarrant has never before played a leading part he promises to acquit himself in this one with honors, and then some. Under the capable instruction of Clarence Moore, Director, Tarrant has been a typical young newspaper man in every rehearsal.

Moore is whipping the rest of the cast into shape as they begin the last few nights of rehearsals. Both old and new members show great promise. It is expected that this will be one of the Drama Club's finest productions. Harold Smith, of Alma, former member of the Club and now honorary member, was appointed Business Manager and Stage Manager by the Program Committee of the Club in a session last week. The bills and posters announcing the play have been posted and the tickets are now on sale at the Strand Theatre and by members of the Club.

The new scenery that the Club recently ordered has arrived and will be used in this mystery drama presentation. It is one of the finest "sets" ever used in a College play.

Reserve seats may be had at the Strand by presenting your tickets at the box office any time after tomorrow. Don't fail to see this novel thriller. Begin Homecoming right—buy a ticket.

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The day of pranks and ghosts and spirits is with us once more. It brings in its wake besides fun and parties and entertainments a trail of damaged property and well-soaped windows with just a dash or two of parafin. The city of Alma has declared that the damaging of property shall be taboo and a wise decree it is, too. Too often we forget that the property of other people is very valuable to them despite the fact that it means little or nothing to us.

Entertainment at the expense of someone else, especially when the person in question is not willing and has no reason to bear that cost is poor entertainment.

Let's get together and have a good time Hallowe'en, but let's have that good time without damaging property. Let us respect not only the property of the College but also the property of everyone.

GREETINGS!

WELCOME, HOMECOMERS! We college folk are glad to have you back. We have not forgotten you and we are glad to know that you have not forgotten us. The key to the Campus is yours. We are glad to give it to you. We want you to use it. Do not leave the College feeling dissatisfied with your reception. It is what you make it.

You must realize that many of you are strange to us. Some of us have never even seen some of you before. Consequently we are shy. The fact that we hang back and seem to not want to have you have a good time is due to this reason. Know that we do want you to have a good time but you must help us break down that barrier, between us. We are willing, but afraid or shy.

All students should feel that the Homecomers are their guests, personally. Treat them as you would your guests and above all, realize that some of them have not seen this Campus in some time and that they would probably like to see some of the old haunts alone. Try to give them a minute or two to themselves. Let's everyone try to have a good time but let's none of us make ourselves obnoxious!

THINGS WORTH SEEING

- "Sunshine" Jacobson without a smile.
- Miss Ward destroy an old library book.
- Some of the "College widows" be true for a week.
- Lyman without Charlotte.
- More of the same.
- Some attention paid to a Chapel speaker.
- Professor Brokenshire assign no lessons for the next day.
- Wright Hall by moonlight.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Almanian announces that in order to stay on the staff and keep your name in the Editorial Box of the paper, and be eligible for Almanian awards, the staff must comply with the following rules:

1. Each staff member must turn in each week at least 8 inches of either news story or feature write-up.
2. All write-ups must be in not later than Friday of each week unless the Editor grants permission for "late story" write-ups.
3. Write-ups are to be written on one side of the paper only, preferably

with a typewriter.

The Almanian warns all members of the staff that these rules will be rigidly enforced. They are made to try to get a better and "newsier" paper.

WRIGHT HALL NOTES

And another marvelous week - end has passed!
And did it ever bring good news? We won the game, and don't think the Co-eds didn't keep up their share of the spirit. They were right with the players every minute. W think Ann and Angell forgot to give Perry and Potter the lacy handkerchiefs, 'cause they were waving them and tearing them to bits themselves. (But maybe they have two—so that will have to go down as one of the many unsolved mysteries.)
It was certainly a game! We thot for a minute, when the ball was on the six inch line that the Hall would be going into mourning as Claire had said it would. But, no! the boys surely came through! and perhaps the co-eds could share in the glory of that moment 'cause we think we scared Hillsdale out when we rushed down to cheer the boys on. Anyway—Alma "shone" that night.
What added to the pleasures of the day was to have the parents here—in

fact, (quoting Ollis) "it really was a big moment for us—and hoped they enjoyed it as much as we."

And now it's night and the pleasures of the day are over. But a surprise is still in store—and it certainly was a surprise. The Upperclass men and Sophomores all have to admit that never in their history at least has the Gym been so transformed into such a beautifully decorated ball room for a Frosh Frolic. Frosh, you certainly are to be congratulated. It was a lovely party—good music and all!

Course the girls were a bit disappointed 'cause they couldn't see what the other girl was wearing—whether it was a one or two-year old formal—or whether it was a borrowed one. Of course, we were particularly disappointed when we weren't able to see the Frosh gowns!

No, we weren't, either. We were too busy dancing to the marvelous music, commenting on the decorations or eating doughnuts and drinking cider. So I'm sure Norry will mark this down in the calendar for the Maroon and Cream as the most delightful Frosh Frolic ever staged in the Memorial Gym. That's a broad statement, but it's the opinion of the co-eds—and isn't that the opinion that counts? Perhaps it isn't so broad, 'cause in the seventies they were holding Frosh Frolics that we know nothing about but they were in an old gym that is now the chemistry building! But—must we say again that it was the best party ever!

And Nancy and Smitty were there—together! Whoops! the stock is coming up. Keep up the good work.

It would take too long to tell of the new combinations that appeared at the party, but we will keep you posted on whether they were just "party dates" or are going to be rather lasting affairs. All affairs are just "rather lasting" ones on this Campus, at least till spring and then—

Harold was here and it certainly seemed great to have him in his old position, as head swipe again Saturday night.

We were certainly tickled to have Bert, "Speed," and Frau back with us this week-end. And we don't think Al, Howdy and Harry were too unhappy!

That for the widowers, but we have also a report on our widows.

Jim and Buff were back, now, weren't they, Irene and Mary? Ken and Willie weren't back now, were they, Ellen and Micky?

Just the same, 'twas a wonderful week-end and we all hated to see it end—but there's another one coming! Whoops! Watch the widows and widowers!

STUDENTS CELEBRATE VIRGIL'S BIRTHDAY

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Ogle.

The committee in charge of arranging the table was composed of the following: Isabel Sanderson, Nancel Thorburn and Marie Cook.

Following is a synopsis of the biography of the poet which it well to think about at this time:

Publius Virgilius Mars was born on October 15th, 70 B. C. His birthplace was in Gallia Cisalpina, in the township of Andes, near Mantua, north of the River Po. The poet's parents were obscure and humble. Fortunately, Virgil's parents, though poor, were keenly alive to the value of education. Virgil studied at first either at home or in Mantua. At the age of twelve he was sent to Cremona, an old Latin colony, to continue his work. At sixteen he assumed the "toga Virilis", and went to Milan, going from there to Rome in 53 B. C., where he studied rhetoric and philosophy. Virgil attempted a lawyer's career, for which, however, he was ill-fitted, being slow of speech and without the physical vigor essential to success.

How long Virgil remained at Rome is uncertain. We find him living at Mantua in 43 B. C.. It is probable that the outbreak of the Civil War in 49 B. C. would have interrupted his stay at the capital. In the year 41 B. C., Virgil was deprived of his paternal farm by one of the soldiers to whom the Triumvirs, Antonius, Octavius and Lepidus, had assigned grants of land in Cisalpine, Gaul. The poet went to Rome and aided by friends obtained the restoration of his farm. When the poet was fifty-two years old he set out to travel in Greece and Asia, intending to devote three years to the completion and correction of the Aeneid. At Athens he met Agastus, then returning from the East, and decided to go back to Rome with the Emperor. But Virgil was seized with a fever on a visit to Mejaca. He was determined to continue his voyage in spite of the attack and he died at Brundisium on Sept. 21, 19, B. C., a few days after landing. Donatus, an early biographer of Virgil, speaks of the personal appearance of the poet. He describes Virgil as large framed, with a swarthy complexion and a certain air of rusticity. He was a gentle, modest, lovable soul, capable of warm affection and fitted also to win enduring esteem.

It is interesting to note that nearly all the schools in Michigan celebrated the Bi-centennial anniversary of the death of Virgil.

Chapel Walls Ring in Big Pep Meeting

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Chet. Robinson led the singing of the "Glory Song" and Captain Moey Gussin told of the fight that the team would put up. Assistant Coach, Red Ericson, led the singing of some of the songs that were composed on the trips last year. They were very good. Ericson's fine, strong voice materially aided. Pezet spoke about the spirit and scored the attitude of the Nontoorabid Fan toward cheering. The talk was timely and well delivered. It reminded the older students of the days when they made such good speeches in the real old "Pep Meetings". Cheer-leaders were Smith, Sophomore; Kressler, Frosh; and King, Frosh.

Claire Wilson spoke in behalf of the girls of Wright Hall and said that they were behind the boys and hoped they would win.

Annual Parents' Day Was Great Success

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President Crooks who spoke to the parents concerning certain problems which the College has in common with them. Dean Steward spoke of the value of college and said that the most important thing the students were learning was the art of living together. Kenneth Ollis talked in behalf of the student body and spoke of the "big moments" that the students have that are not enjoyed by the parents because they are not living here with us.

Chester Robinson, of the Faculty, sang two delightful numbers: "Until" and "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling." He was accompanied by Miss Margaret McMillan at the piano. After the program the College adjourned to the Bahike Field to witness the fast stepping Alma varsity team down the Hillsdale eleven in a heated scrap. The parents were well able to realize what Ollis meant by "big moments" when the Alma line held with the ball on their six inch line.

The Alma band, under the direction of Professor Jess Ewer, was at its best. The noticeable thing about the band this year is the Drum Major, Hugh Hodges, of Detroit. Hodges certainly has the regular majors' strut to perfection and cut a neat figure on the field with the new shako and new boots. Hodges is the first Drum Major in years to have the nerve to attempt to throw the baton over the

goal posts and he only missed once.

A few of the parents stayed for the evening meal at Wright Hall and attended the Frosh Frolic at the Memorial Gymnasium. We were glad to have the parents with us and hope that they will feel that they are free to come any time and that we are glad to have them.

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Wood, Jean Cameron, Tom Horton,
Bob Schaft.
The Freshmen entertained royally
and the Campus extends its thanks

Jahn & Olier Will Engrave Annual

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the past. This feature will enable the
subject to get over his "camera
fright" and have a varied number of
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lowing the announcement of his res-
ignation by Clarence Moore, Business
Manager, who was elected two weeks
ago. His successor will be chosen
some time this week at a class meet-
ing.

ORATORY
Membership in the League includes
the following colleges:
Albion, Alma, Battle Creek, Calvin,
Central State Teachers' College, Col-
lege of the City of Detroit, Hillsdale,
Hope, Kalamazoo, Michigan State
College, Michigan State Normal and
Olivet.

Student Council Plans Dance Saturday

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Requested that the Phis be allowed
to hold a smoker Nov. 3 and Betas,
Nov. 10. Request granted. Carter
requested the permission of the Coun-
cil that Zeta be allowed to hold smok-
er Nov. 17. Granted. Moved by Car-
ter, supported, that Fraternity pledg-
ing be Thursday, Nov. 20. Carried.
Several asked permission to bring
outsiders to the Frosh Frolic. Per-
mission given. Discussion about dec-
orating Pioneer Hall for Parents' Day
and Homecoming. Moved by Royce,
supported, that the decoration of Pion-
eer Hall be taken care of by Fresh-
men as in years past. Carried.
Moved by Carter that meeting be
adjourned. Meeting stood adjourned.
Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Neale Sec.

The Student Council Notice read in
Chapel last Thursday, brought to
mind an important ruling of the Coun-
cil, namely that all persons wishing
to bring guests to an all college dance
or party of any kind must take in to
the Council the name of the guest for
approval. This ruling has not been
strictly enforced in the past but it will
be in the future. To save yourself and
guest any unnecessary embarrass-
ment in the future, please see that
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1st
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logue and Comedy

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Crooks, Dean Stewart, Dean Mitchell,
Professor and Mrs. Clark. In the op-
posite end Ward Kelly's Michigan
State Serenaders made music. The
orchestra was located on the platform
with a V-shaped screen of black and
orange streamers. Was the music
good? The dancers glided and whirl-
ed, no one seeming tired after the ex-
citing game of the afternoon.

The lighting arrangement was per-
fect. A huge yellow moon arose maj-
estically in the center of the ceiling.
Two large yellow flood lights in the
front of the orchestra spread an
abundance of mellowlight on the floor,
the orchestra being provided with
standing lamps.

After seven wonderful dances there
was a fifteen-minute intermission, in
which everyone had his fill of sweet
cider and doughnuts served by two
girls from Alma High School. "Pigs-
skin Prances" and Chrysanthemum
waltzes ensued and at twelve o'clock
the tired happy students wended their
way Hallward.

Several handsome out-of-town
guests, especially those from Michi-
gan State, graced the party. There
were also a number of parents present
who were guests of the day.

The Freshmen certainly deserve
credit for the way in which they han-
dled this party. Special mention
should be made of committee chair-
men and the way everyone co-operat-
ed in making the dance the success
it was. The committee heads are as
follows:

- General Chairman Bill Boyd
- Decoration Leonard Graham
- Orchestra Kellogg Beach
- Refreshments Mabel Kennett
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ALMA WINS THIRD M. I. A. A. TILT OVER HILLSDALE

After pounding over two touchdowns and holding its opponents to one first down in the first half, the Alma College Varsity Team eked out a 14-13 victory over Hillsdale at Bahlike Field Saturday, to hold its place in the undefeated class in the M. I. A. A. title race. The 'Dales, showing more team work and playing in luck, scored two counts in the second half and missed tying the score as Reynolds' first try after a touchdown went wide.

Alma took advantage of the ideal football weather and resorted to a varied attack in which the passing was the most successful factor.

Captain Gussin, playing his first game as actual captain, was the mainstay of the Presbyterian attack, with his passing and punting. Borton, Brown and Baldwin battered the Hillsdale line for consistent gains, and played hard on the defensive. The work of Potter, Koehlein and Leadbetter in the line was outstanding as was Graham's performance at end. The brunt of the Hillsdale attack was carried by Knight, Reynolds, Cariota and Ledvina.

Hillsdale made its most serious

threat to win in the last three minutes of play in the final session after recovering an Alma fumble in midfield. On the third play, Reynolds took a long pass and carried the ball to the ten yard mark for first touchdown. With four tries to score the Harwoodmen fought hard, but the last play missed by inches when Alma's forward line piled up the opposition. Gussin kicked the ball well out of danger after this play.

First Quarter

Hillsdale kicked off to Alma. A series of line bucks gave the Presbyterians their initial down. The 'Dales held for downs and Gussin punted. Alma gained ground on an exchange of punts after holding the opponents for four downs. Gussin's punt was carried back to the 20 yard mark. Reynolds fumbled on the first play and Graham recovered for Alma. Hillsdale lost five yards for offside on the first play. Borton and Brown gained ten on a series of bucks. Brown tossed a lateral pass to Gussin on the three yard line, and the "Ghost" went over for the first score. Brown kicked goal. Alma took the 'Dales kickoff on the thirty yard line and was held for downs. Hillsdale punted to the twenty yard mark where they held Alma for downs, then smashed the Alma line for nine yards. Gussin intercepted Reynolds' heave and ran to midfield as the quarter ended. Score, Alma 7, Hillsdale 0.

Second Quarter

Alma took the ball in midfield. Gussin's pass to Brown gained 10. Borton made five off left tackle. Alma lost fifteen on a penalty for holding and five more for two incomplete passes. Gussin kicked to the 3 yard line. Reynolds punted to Alma's 45 yard mark. Gussin, Brown and Borton carried the ball to the 22 yard line, then Borton took Gussin's pass across the line for another score. Brown's kick was good. Alma took the kickoff for fifteen yards. Baldwin replaced Sharpe. Borton made fifteen on two plays and Brown and Gussin added twelve more. Two end runs and two passes were short for another first down and the ball went over. Reynolds threw a fourteen yard pass to Knight for Hillsdale's first down as the half ended.

Third Quarter

Reynolds returned Brown's kickoff to the forty yard line. Three line jabs brought thirteen yards. Borton intercepted Pellegren's pass on Alma's 53 yard line. Alma failed to make ten and Gussin kicked into the end zone. Hillsdale was forced to punt. Both teams lost fifteen for illegal use of arms. Hillsdale held for downs, then made six through center. Hillsdale gained a first down when Byron was offside. Rehkopf replaced Leadbetter. Reynolds circled his right end for 30 yards. Alma held on the first play. Knight took Pellegren's pass to the five yard line, and Pellegren sneaked through center for Hillsdale's first tally. Reynolds' kick was wide. Potter returned the kickoff ten yards. Alma failed to net ten in three plays and Gussin punted 47 yards. After holding for three downs, Alma was offside on the punt and Hillsdale gained first down. Knight picked up three

through center. Byron intercepted a short pass on the 'Dales' 35 yard line, and Borton picked up five over left guard.

Fourth Quarter

Baldwin and Borton worked the ball to the three yard line on a series of plunges. Hillsdale recovered an Alma fumble. Knight dropped a 20 yard pass on a fake kick formation. Knight punted to midfield. Gussin circled the end for fifteen. Muscott dropped a short pass. Muscott intercepted Brown's short pass over the line and slipped through the Alma defense for a sixty yard run and a touchdown. Reynolds' try for point was good. Alma worked the ball to midfield after the kickoff. Wehrly replaced Muscott. Brown's pass to Graham netted fifteen. Alma lost the ball on a fumble. Two line plays brought five yards and Reynolds took a long heave and ran to the ten yard line for first down. Four line plays were piled up, and the ball went over on the three inch mark. Gussin booted out of danger. Borton replaced Schimmer at center and Sharpe returned to the backfield. Hillsdale opened up with two passes but both were incomplete. Borton intercepted Knight's third pass. Gussin picked up three through center as the game ended.

Saturday's Game Will Decide Championship

Football games over the past weekend have narrowed the field down, in the M. I. A. A. race, to two teams—Alma and Albion. Without doubt, the Championship hinges on the game between the Presbyterians and the Methodists, to be played next Saturday, as the feature of the Alma Homecoming celebration.

Hillsdale, looked upon by early season forecasters, as the strongest team in the circuit, has dropped two heart-breaking games to Alma and Kalamazoo, by a one-point margin and now have only the bare hope of a possible tie. Olivet, although represented by a much improved team, has failed to show championship stuff and must wait another year before they may have a chance to be included in the championship group. Hope has lost every game played thus far and seems destined to be the cellar occupant.

Kalamazoo, with a number of promising Sophomores in their lineup, had their pennant hopes set back by a 27-12 loss to Albion Saturday. Kalamazoo has yet to play three games and has a possible chance to gain a tie by winning the remainder of their contests, providing Alma defeats Albion.

The Maroon and Cream team came through the vicious Hillsdale encounter with some slight injuries, but all are expected to be in shape for the Homecoming game next Saturday. Johnson and Jacobson, who have been out since the Olivet game, two weeks ago, have worked out for the past week and are almost certain to be in trim for the Methodists. The return of Johnson will bolster up the ends considerably, as Wehrly and Muscott, who have been dividing time at his vacant post, are new at that position, thus leaving the Presbyterian team especially vulnerable to a vicious end-running attack.

On paper, Albion seems to be the stronger of the two squads, and Daugherty must guard his men against over-confidence for the coming fray. Both teams have been pointing for this game and are sure to be going at top speed when the opening whistle sounds Saturday.

Yearling Gridders Defeat Hope 32-0

Hope's Freshman football team looked hopeless before the onslaught of Alma's green gridders on Bahlike Field Friday afternoon as they took a 32-0 beating in the opening home game of the Frosh grid season. Novak, a long end from Charlevoix, and Wilkas, the Breckenridge "flash," were the highlights of the Alma attack; while Smith, Dawson and Henshaw played bang-up defensive ball. Estes, playing in a guard position, stopped everything that came his way, and battered the Hope forward wall time and again to make room for Alma's fast-stepping backs. Wil-

kas countered three of Alma's tallies, and Novak turned in the other two. Schwiensberg kicked two of the five field goals. Friday's game uncovered a wealth of Freshman material which gives much promise of developing into varsity calibre next year. Wilcox did some fast stepping in the backfield, and Foster, of Charlevoix, play-

ed a fast, consistent game on the line. Alma had everything its way from the opening whistle and at no time was the goal line threatened by the slower Dutchmen. Schweinsberg and Morrison, a pair of "short-horn" Sophomores, playing at quarterback and end, turned in a good game as did every other man in the Frosh lineup.

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