## VoLume seventee

## UMBER NINE <br> ALMA BECOMES M. I. A. A. CHAMPS



Brilliant Dinner-Dance Mark Climax on Campus Social Calendar.

## The thirty-fifth annual banquet he Zeta Sigma Society hell in th hamber of Comperce rooms at the

I a fifting climax for the day of
hich Aman finally succeeded in sace
quiring the hizhert honot: of Mich-
igan Infereollegiate football. The
brilliant dinner-dance which marke
the peak of Alma's social functions
ttracted the largest assembly o
riends of Zeta Sigma ever known
the history of the society. Nearly
one hundred and fifty guests, including twenty-five alumni and their bers of the faculty, sat down to one of those banquets of tood fellowship
whic mean so much in the life of a
college student.
The hall was artistically decorated
in blue and white, the Zeta Sigma colors, with touches of crimson and
gray, the colors of their
sispha Theta. The table
sithe were thastly dec sisters. The tables were tastily de-
orated with individual shade lamps
which brought out a which brought out a greater spirit
of union and acquaintance among
After Dr. Crooks returned thanks,
the tuests were then seated to a
five-course dinner which was enjoyed to the fullest extent, extra pleasure
being furnished by the highly enter-
taining orchestra selection taining orchestra selections. After
the last curre had been cleared
away, the toastmaster of the evenmanded the good ship Zeta Sigma,
manter
announced the Sailing," and immediately called all
hands on deck and had Lowell Hudson explain how he "Pout to Sea.",
Mr. Hudson responded with a talk from experience, -from the entrance
of the college sudent as a freshman
and as ese and as he gradualy progressed
through his prearatory career.
Finally the speaker led the members
of the society in a toast to Alpha of the society in a toast to Alpha
Theta.
Prof. R. W. Hamilton then follow Prof. R. W. Hamilton then follow,
ed by a talk "From the Crow's Nest.,
His vision was the looking forward into the future, ane in in so olowaring,
to look striaht, feel straigh, and
think straight, to ultimath, a greater Alma and a greater society
affliation. Miss Norma Messecar, '24, was
then introduced and spoke of how
Zeta Sisma and Al Zeta Sigma and Alpha Theta are
sailing "over the Bounding Main"
with
 orchestrast tollowedr co-society. The
propriate selection "SW a very ap

 ing" and how the Adelphics signal
Zeta Sigma from the distance message of greetings and friendship.
Due to unexpected causes, the next speaker, the Hon. T. E. E. Johson, text one
of Zeta Sigma's noted sons, was unable to be present. Several was on the
Alumn then responded, told of "Harbors Past." Forrest Smith, ex "20,
gave several delightful reminiscences of college days and Zeta Sigma tra.
ditions. Prof. L. M. Sharrar, ${ }^{21}$,
told how that spirit continueed and as
he saw it today. W. V. Crittenden,
tes ${ }^{2} 23$, was the next to be called upon, which actuate the some of the moty in itives
terprises and also the motives of the alumni who are now out into the
sea of wexprience. Coach Campbell,
'08, felt that
American selections were not correct
which his heli-American agreed.
After sing, to
song,
to re-unite party was broken up, only
EllksElks' temple. The smart decorations

## ITELTA NAPPA HAG kalamazoo professor


undoubtedly supplied the best music
ever heard in these parts.
Upon the soothing strain of this Muson the soothing strain of this
muni, minnight quickly approached,
and the best party ever iven by the
societ was pamong the memore


## Spirited Stag Affair

is Enjoyed by Phis Phi Phi Alpha stags held their an
naul round-up Saturday evening a the Wright House. Before the meal
was served, there was ocniderable
stamping around on the part of those stamping around on the part of those
present and old society members in
getting acquainted and re-acquaint. ed.
Soon there were strains of en-
trancing trancing music, and when the stags
went to investigate, they found the tables set for a royal spread. This
discovery provoked a sampede, which was ended only when alp had found
seats and Mclone had his fork in
one hand and a sod one hand and a spoon in the other.
Then followed a repast fit for kings.
Everyone behaved hold up the program for a time
demanding seconds on chicken.
When the When the banauetters weren. feeling
unusually amiable unusually amiable, Toastmaster Har-
od Gay, chief bull, took them by surprise and launched his them by st sur--
joke. Clifford Fildey saved the whole program by inmey saved the whole
with a dignified and thy responding with a dignified and thoughtfol talk
on "Fresh Pastures., thanther out.
buist from the titan-haired
$\qquad$

## FIRTS AWWA STAG



Would be here to fight to a finish.

## stag banquet, which was held at the Park Hotel, St. Louis. "Dutch" <br> Welthoelter had the misfortune to become lost on the Alma-St. Loui <br> Beta Tau Holds

 become lost on the Alma-St. Louishighway, which caused the evening's
festivities to be delayed somewhat.
After "Dutch's" arrival festivities to be delayed somewhat.
After "Dutch's" arrival, the mer-
rymakers retreated to the festive
board"" whice board," which was found appropri-
ately decorated with the ately decorated with the college col-
ors, the "real Maroon and Cream," chrysanthemums attracting unusual
attention. While the chicken ateing stowed away, "Bill" Fulcher,
beng
Frank Beverly, "Ray" Langloise and Frank Beverly, "Ray" Langloise and
Professor West sprung "wise cracks"
which added "applen which added "applesauce" to the
menu.
Hept antell and his musicians instrumental and vocal, spinning
through the atmosphere to fill the
empty When the music began to grow
sentimental, and the strains of jazz began to give way to sombre chords,
President Welthoelter stopped President Welthoelter stopped the
agony by offering a few words of
welcome, welcome, and introducing Toastmas-
ter Couture as Timekeeper
program that was to follow. The
"Sheik" carried himself in the That
 able master of ceremonies.
Couture first e'ected "Bill". Fu
cher to "Chese cher to "Choose the Goals" which he
most ably did. Doctor Randalls was
slated to give the "Kick Off" slated to give the "Kick Off."
flow of humor and philosophy fro the Doctor placed the program well
under way.. Paul D. Gesner was
then called on to then called on to make a "Lin
Smash," the toastmaster statin
that he knew nothing That he knew nothing of the stating
smash,
but was well acquainted with the
line. A snappy talk on "Off Takkle"
by Professor Cook was one of the the. A snappy talk on "Off Tackle
byy Professor Cook was one of the
features of the program. Weil rep. reatures of the program. Weil rep
reented the freshmen with a "Cros
Buck," showing that the class of Buek," showing that the class of '2
bad some declamatory ability in it had some declamatory ability in it
ranks. All present lauded Professo
West and his "Forward Pass" when West and his "Forward Pass" whe
he offered a toast to the M. I. A. A
Champions and their Coach. Champions and their Coach.
"Shorty" Hunter responded to the
call of "First Down with an outburst of oratory, after refusing to sing
"Ya gotta shee Mama." All re-
gretted the fact that Ed Johnston an Alma alumnus and former foot present.
Preside
President Crooks wound up th program with an excellent address
on the "Championship." He donsid on the "Championship." He consid-
ered the touchdown as accomplish-
ment, and the championship the recment, and the championship the rec-
ognition of that accomplishment.
With that as a theme, he applied the With that as a theme, he applied the
game of football to that of life.
The singing of the


GAMES THIS WEE
M. I. A. A. teams will engage in
the following struggles this week end
the four of the six teams will com-
and
plete their seasons:
At Alma-Mt. P. Normal vs. Alm
At Albion-Kazoo College. A
t Olivet-Ypsi Normal vs. Olivet

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Second Annual Stag
 ciety mansion upon the Sahara-like ampus of Alma College. This wa
amper glorious things predictHolland speaking at the society's E. nual stag dinner at the Wright John Hilderly, vening.
John Hilderly, brewmaster, intro-
duced as the first speaker
$\qquad$
be America's most popular brewer.
Mr. Apsey, president of the society,
$\qquad$
which will turn out the sparkling,
pep-giving liquid, Beta Tau's alum-
nae.
The speaker following, Henry Hol-
and, prophesied a golden future for a "frat" house; port, Madiera and






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After a story by Winslow, the col
ege chant was sumg. Then ittsburg atmospheres, everyone on-
Dinner commenced at of Spain. $8: 80$ and
Ditat
at the piano furnished couses. Boke the music
Cigars and cigarettes were Cigars and cigarettes were smoked her back to her 1 yard line. Kalama-
between cups of coffee.

## WRIGHT HALL

Wright Hall entertained many
guests home-coming week. Besides uests home-coming week. Besides
friends there were many alumni old students. Among them wer guish, Ubyy; Gladys Fryxell, Trav
grse City; Helen Brien, Manistee Ellen Laman, Grand Ledge; Margar (Florence, Furdy), Caro; Mrs. Foester Fracker, Saginaw; Mrs. Ralph Lock wood (Arline McKay), Lapeer; Mrs
R. Chisholm (Hazel Tuck), Breckenridge; Esther Packard, Mt. Precken
Normal; He】en. Hawes, Muskent Marjarie Dunton, Rawal Mas Mak; Fern Russell, Saginaw; Jeannette Hambleton, Farmington; Margaret Mit-
chell, Flint; Ruth Cum chell, Flint; Ruth Curtis, Flint; Ann Burrell, Detroit;
Sagna Anaw; Marion
Theabold, Sater
naw; Essie Gwendolyn Ward, Olivet. Mancelona;
Mr. and Mrs. Des Jardins visited
Ernestine Des Jardins end. Mr. and Mrs. Marion visited
their daughter, Margaret, their daughter, Margaret, Saturday he past week in Wright Hall withh

> M. I. A. A. SCORES
 At Alma
College 0 .
krao Niciont CIMCHES TTILE

Alma Swamps Kalamazoo 38 in Annual Homecoming Feature.

## Alma College 38, Kalamazoo Col-

That is the frish of the Michigan teercollegiate football season, which the Champion of the Assocuantion ord established, now a a sosociation ree.
onde team of the M. I. A. A. A. having been able to register a s. single point against the
rreat fighting machine that the pres great ifghting machine that the res-
byterians have had in the held thes eason. It has accomplished a mon. derful feat, and Alma is proud to cat his leven her own, and for
vears Alma will talk of the 1923 Alma did not count as heavily her to do. The team, however, was sfrering from a heavy re-action
from the strenuous title game with Albion. and from a long list of injuries that kept two men from the
fray, two backs, McDonald and H. Catherman, whose services to the Other injuries to other men, who did play, naturally lessened their dash
and vigor in the final fray. Still that 38 ponits wa
\%oo blanked.
It must be said for the Kalamaz team, that although badly outclassed it fought. And twice it came near
spoiling the record of a clean goal that Alma was seeking. In the third quarter Kalamazoo put the ball on ing held for downs and just before the game ended had carried the ball when three successive air heave had given Kazoo 60 yards, only to
again be held for downs. Kall did not lay down, but fought a fine fight every inch of the way, although
knowing full well before the game started that she was due for a de To start the fray Alma kicked successive poor passes frome. Two zoo punted to R. Catherman who was downed on the Kazoo 41 yard line
Lankton hit the line for yard. Kazoo was offside. Lankton lost a yard, but to gain. Catherman ton again failed Kuzos was Khalamazoo's ball on downs 10 sards to the Alma 40. Burton made 4 and Lankton 1. Burton add was Katheod's ball. Kazoo wain and to pant, bat when Alma blocked the line. Line smashes iand end rum Wright put the ball on the Kalam 20015 yard line as the quarter endeid Second Quarter
Woody Lamb crashed through for 4 any back for a first down on the 2 yard line. On a sneak play Catherman
went through center for the down. The try for the extra point
failed. A bad pass was Weltholder who was to hold the ball ap a placekick. He whirled, picked hind the a pass to Catherman be-
catherman was
standing with one foot out of the ned zone when he caught the pass,
ompleting a brilliant piece of quick Kazoo kicked to Lamb on the 30
yard line and he returned yard line and he returned 10 before
being pulled down. A pass was
grounded.
$\qquad$ ent around end, going 47 yards to (Continued on page three)

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Alma Meets Normals in Final Encounter
When Coach Campbell's sturdy up against Mt. Pleasant Normal Davis field, Saturday, the Normal o 1923 cham pions of the Michigan Intercollegiate
will have a wonderful opportunity o add still greater glory to the won-
derful record that has been achieve during the past season.
So far no team of the secondar
college clast in tich college class in Michigan has bee
able to put the bill across or ove
ath the final chalk, mark that the colle:
ians have been defending, six games showing Alma without a point being scored against her, while she has
rolled up the remarkable run of 205
points for the six contest points for the six contests.
True, , lma has twice met up with
defeat this season, but both times with teams out of Michigan Inter
collegiate class, and both times i was weight that caused Alma's de
faeat. and then not until the fina
quarter , The University of Detroi quarter. The University of Detroit
won after being held scoreless for
thiee average weight wearing Alma down
so that Detroit was able to pick
bretaks in the same thing held true with Western
State Normal in a game that was

anyone's until the last quarter. established that will be made ball history-if Alma succeeds in | e |
| :--- |
| orday. In winning the Kalamazoo |
| ( $\begin{array}{l}\text { college fray Alma finished the asso } \\ \text { ciation season without a point being }\end{array}$ | scored upon her. Just how much

finer will be the record if Alma stops
Mt. Pleasant this the passing of a tradition.
The loyal blood should boil in the person on the campuss who ohas felt
that undescribed something seizes one in the moment of victory,
that satisfying sensation of pride
when the Maroon and Cream hoves in sight, that feeling of comradeship
which accompanies the strains of the Alma Chant, should loathe those who
would put the value of the almighty It is the duty of all to consider and start moving that popular opin-
ion which will be instrumental in preserving the year-book. The Ju-
nior class never took action anainst Che annual. and they have not as yet
endorsed it. Let them meet and act
if If they intend to abolish the premier
tradition of the class, then it is up to the student body to see that the
issue is carried through. Enough of
talk! Some definte dece. talk! Some definite decision must be
made at once before it is to

## mlle. boissot talk

 The class in secondary education,together with seeceral visitors addressed Tuesday morning by MIle.
Boissot, on the subject "Internation alsim." The talk, on what is prob-
ably the most important question be-
fore fore the world at large today, was
very interesting and instructive, and without doubt was worthy of a larg-
er college audience but nevertheles it was greatly appreciated by those
who were present. MIlle. Boissot's talk was made more
interesting from the fot was speaking from the standpoint of an absence of four years from France,
she returned to observe the vast numm. she reurned to observe the vast num-
ber of changes which had occured in national tendencies over the old nationalistic policies of which France The dying out of the National par-
ty; the element of ty; the element of internationalism in
political campaigns; the appearance poitical campaigns; the appearance
of foreign literature in French libraries and book-stores; and the re
alization of the value of international policies as stressed in public lectures and addresses, were points brought her talk. The opening up of France oo the change of custom-the wel-
coming of the more operation as against the former individual or state policies well exemplied the movement on foot which the forward to, to bring her out of the present state of chaos.
Franeissot, during her sojourn mediate, was very interested in the ction and was invited to attend bunal of nations to be held in russells, Belgium in April, 1923. Himever, difficulties arose at the be present at the conference.

Scientists say that the less clothes people wear (the longer they live. Looks as though they were going t pers on Judgment Day.

It is funny how some men swell
with pride when you call them sly with pride when you call them sly dogs but get purple with
call them sneaking curs.

Think of
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the world to their own are pouring that way and it is said that they ar hama Kobe. The first came from Yoko- riding on the coal cars, tied to the
hama boat. That big city is com- steps, and three deep on the tops pletely destroyed and thousand

people with it. The boats in the har- long time to empty the it taking or at the time took them on and long time to empty the city of tho
capable of being moved. or twenty times their capacity. The pers say about the quake? newsp seven hundred of operations between front page now whether it had the Yokohama and Kobe. ront page or only a space near the
advertisements. It is such a big thing there that it seems hard to realiz
that may look like very little when viewed from across the water We are wondering whether or we will be able to begin school. I
will be hard on the teachers though
in for there will be a certain amount o double duty, with the refugees to
care for, and then we expect extr classes, for the then we expect extra out requests to all schools asking them to co-operate in taking in the as suddenly


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## Campusology

An All-Alma Football Team. Left End-Prof. Ewer Left Tackle-Coach
Left Guard-Cle Dye Center-Bob Wyatt
Right Guard-Andrews Right End-Dick Boyd Quarterback-Ham Dunha Left Half-Charlie Hudson Right Half-John Carros Full Back - Dean Mitchell This all-Alma team has been pick-
ed after much deliberation as to the qualities of each man. Only a few points of their play may be given here, but each is more capable of his
position It might be stated that position. It might be stated that
Walter Camp did not pick this team Walter Camp did not pick this team.
The two ends are wizards. Prof. Ewer won his end when he brought about a college band. Dick Boyd won his spurs on his genius at block-
ing kicks on the Wrieht Hall feed ing kicks on the Wright Hall feed.
Coach Campbell tackled Albion on their own field and beat them. Fat MacDougall wins the other tackle berth because he is an excellent hole
maker. His work in maker. His work in a cheese facCory this summer gave him vaciurd
experience. Andrews wins one guard for his ability to get every absentee on the chapel roll. Cle Dye, as we know, has a wonderful voice. He is placed in the guard position so that he may sing, thereby preventing
Tackle Campbell and Center Wyatt Tackle Campbell and Center Wyatt
from discussing the Albion game. Wyatt, at center, is an excellent passer. The passes for the band at Albion gave him recognition. In Quarterback Dunham, we have a man with unseen knowledge of the
game. Dunham is an analyzer of the gridiron. He gets his line through any where.
John Carros of the Paris Cafe
gets one half gets one half for collecting $50 \%$ of his bills on college students. Charlie
Hudson wins the other half, because of the way he smashes his opponents line in debating. After much deliberation, Dean Mitchell has been picked at fullback because he is a
triple threat man. When he drops triple threat man. When he drops
back into formation, every man on the field wonders if he has overcut,
that been accused of a misdemeanor, or is going to be congratulated on receiving an " A " in sociology.
The Game Play By Play. The game started with a pass by
Bill. On the next play he made Bill missed a pass for five and failed. Two bucks were made for the first down. Art was thrown for twelve, and lost on the next buck. In the
last half, Jimmy covered the pass. last half, Jimmy covered the pass.
The sound of approaching footsteps broke up the game. $\underset{* *}{ }$
The swipes in Wright Hall are
asked to stay asked to stay for a few minutes af bread for the next month.
"I would like to see the following
immediately after chapel this mornimmediately after chapel this mornWhat is First Reader.
What is a sock?
A sock is what Y
What is de feet? What is a beet? A beet is what A
What is a slough ? A slough is what Alma gave Albion A wallop is wallop? A wallop is what Alma gave Kazoo. What is a champ?
Alma, M. I. A. A.

Outside of the fact that there was a stiff wind blowing, the tempera-
ture was 26 degrees above zero and ture was 26 degrees above zero and
the mud was sticky and slippery
Sat Saturday was an ideal day for a foot ball game.
"I won't do it, I tell you, I won't do it! Wait' till I tell my husband
all about this disgraceful scene," all about this disgraceful scene.
After coaxing and pleading for ten After coaxing and pleading for ten
minutes more, the lady left, without paying 14 c a loaf for bread.
Not a single football fan was seen
on the field Saturday. Red Clark on the field Saturday. Red Clar
even wore his overshoes even wore his overshoes.
Famous Bunks.

1. The kind yous sleep. in.
2. An all night study for
3. An all night study for an
4. The unbeatable Alfion
in. ${ }^{5}$. The freight held us up 15 min

## utes. 6. "I a a

6. "I always have my work don a day in advance."
7 . You get better
you get at home.
battle
7. We were standing on the porch
8. Yes, I'll be sure and get up for breakfast.
9. Bob


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