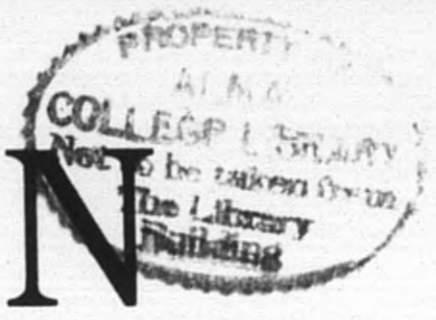


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COLLEGE CO-EDS HOLD MASQUERADE

Women's Athletic Association Swings Wonder Party; Girls Revel in Costume Dance.

Who says girls can't pull some good parties? They did "pull" a good one Saturday night when the Women's Athletic Association gave its masquerade. Ladies were represented from the days of the Court of Noah down to the modern Greenwich Follies. And the "sheiks" fairly outdid the stronger sex; the real Rudolph Vaselina would have been forced into the background by his impersonators. And even St. Peter was there—he admitted amidst all the hilarity that he had been a little severe in his entrance exam, and would hereafter be more lenient. So you see, the party did accomplish a noble, and much needed deed.

Rastus and his wife featured many new steps in what they called dancure Southern belle of the fifties was seen dancing with "that nigger, Rastus."

The prize for the cleverest and most original costume was given to Rastus, alias Elma Bishop. Eleanor Kuchi, the old fashioned belle, won a compact, the prize for the most beautiful costume.

During the intermission, Lois Gates gave a charming dance. An impromptu was responded to by Violet Schwink and Dorothy Tindale, who gave those present a good idea of the "stuff" of the Ziegfeld Follies.

Elma Bishop and Alma Gilbert, (Rastus and wife), danced a jig with much ardor. Kathryn Lee, Olga Down, and Beulah Watson responded to the requested impromptu with a concert play (?) which we think might have been entitled, "Kill him, you Spaniard, kill him!" or "A Kiss in the Dark." Kathryn Jenkins in her daring costume, also responded to a call for a dance.

The party could not have been a success without the orchestra and eats. Bob Baker, Heub Doudna, and Fred Henry furnished the jazz. Delightful refreshments were served.

WE THANK YOU

The Almanian staff extends thanks to Helen Wood, for preparing the above article.

Mrs. Ewing Entertains Alpha Theta Society

When Mrs. Ewing entertained the society of Alpha Theta at her home, Thursday each girl added one more event to her list of good times. Mrs. Ewing was a most gracious hostess and the society to a member declare that the evening was one of the best ever.

Many games were played but the one that made the most impression was the foretelling of fortunes. The facts that were revealed were startling to say the least. After the games, St. Patrick favors were given to each girl. These proved to be not only noisy, but had paper hats concealed in them and gave a jaunty and festive appearance to the crowd.

To say that eats were served will never do in describing the splendid refreshments. Just between you and me though, its a fact, that no one passed up seconds. The party at Mrs. Ewing's is always one of the things that each Alpha Theta looks forward to and certain it is that the party was fulfillment indeed of the good time planned.

SPRING HAS COME

Snow in drifts of pure white,
Planted in fields by the demon Night;
Out of the North cheerless winds blow;
Birds chirp plaintively
Sharp notes of exceeding woe.
West winds come—north winds go;
Large fleecy clouds all eyes know,
Drifting and racing on and on.
Spirit of Byron!
March is thy month, anon.
Splashing, swirling, changing rains;
Delightful work for the weather-vanes.
Casting it's dark and its bright lines,
Unexpectedly!
O'er broad gray fields, the bright sun shines.
Spring has come.

—Carl Wood '25

SOCIAL CALENDAR
Tuesday, March 17—"Peter Pan" at the Strand. Lecture Course tickets are valid.

Wednesday, March 18—Athletic Association Meeting after chapel. Band Practice.

Thursday, March 19—Y. W. Meeting. All-Campus Basketball Banquet.

Saturday, March 21—Philo-Phi "Frohlic."
Sunday, March 22—Church Service.

Monday, March 23—Society Meetings.

Tuesday, March 24—Archibald Campbell arrives in interest of the "Y." Co-ed Edition of The Almanian appears.

Spring Football Is Well Under Way

Spring football practice is well under way at Alma College. About 30 candidates have turned out so far, and the numbers increases at every meeting. Practice is held three times a week, and an unusual interest has been shown by the athletes. The number of letter men on the spring training squad is an encouraging feature of the work.

During the past few sessions, the theory of the game and the strategical end of play has been studied and analyzed, under the direction of Coach Campbell and Assistant Coach McNaughton.

All of the work so far has been indoors, but as soon as the snow disappears and the field becomes usable, the gridders will work in the open. The practice will continue until about the middle of May. Students will be interested to know that a couple of practice games are being arranged, and will be played when the men are sufficiently drilled.

A local business place has arranged several prizes to be presented at the end of the semester, to the men who have shown the greatest interest in the work, and to those candidates who have made the greatest improvement in their play. Prizes have also been arranged for those most faithful in attendance.

The spring practice is certain to improve the play of the gridders, and a successful season of preparation is the best foundation for a team which is determined and set on winning the Football Championship of 1925.

Pres. Crooks Entertains Basketball Men

President and Mrs. H. M. Crooks last Saturday evening, entertained the basketball squad at dinner at their home on Superior street. Special guests were Dr. and Mrs. Lehner, Coach and Mrs. Campbell, and Professor Sharrar, and Harold McNaughton. The basketball men bidden were Arthur Carty, Frederick Shaver, Russell Catherman, Roger Wright, Albert Welhoelter, Gordon MacDonald, Gilbert Davis, Harlie Catherman, Percy Anderson, Nathan Gaelor, and Kenneth Moore.

MT. PLEASANT IS AT IT AGAIN

"Central Normal Life," the publication of Mt. Pleasant Normal School, is still attempting to awaken in the hearts of Mt. Pleasant men, the spirit of aggressiveness. Last week, the following article appeared:

"What say men? Are you going to stand by and see our 'dorm' captured by 'Alma college sheiks' or are you going to dig down for those theatre tickets and give 'till it hurts?"

It appears that each Friday evening, the Alma clan invades the girl's dorm at Mt. Pleasant, while Mt. Pleasant Romeo's stand by and watch the occupation without resistance. That isn't all. One Mt. Pleasant girl, when asked concerning the popularity of Alma men in Central Normal, leisurely replied, "Well, you can't BUY some things. !!!!"

R. K. K. R. S. MEETING

The R. K. K. R. S., one of the oldest and best situated secret organizations on the campus held a regular meeting Friday, the 13th. First Keeper Bentley led the meeting and the ranks were replenished by the addition of Seventh Keeper Clark. Keeper Hilderly was directed to hand over the Sock with solemn rites to the newly elected members. Keepers present were, in order: Bentley, Calkins, Maurer, R. Catherman, H. Catherman, Hilderly and Clark. Meeting was adjourned to the next Friday the 13th.

Signed: Keeper of the Communications and Archives.

MAROON & CREAM HONORS CAMPBELL

Juniors Dedicate Their Yearbook to the Alma Athletic Director and Coach.

At a meeting of the Junior Class last week, the members voted to dedicate the 1925 Maroon and Cream to Coach Royal R. Campbell, Director of Athletics of Alma College.

This honor goes to Coach Campbell because of the service he has rendered the college in building up championship athletic teams and putting Alma on the map. The greater reason for the dedication came from the fact that the spirit which he put into his teams has been felt in every department of the institution.

Coach Campbell never drives his cars, but leads them in contests. The men who go into games, enter not because of their coach, but for their coach. Campbell's magnetism draws forth from his men qualities which under ordinary coaching would lie dormant. A graduate of Alma College, directs his work with filial devotion.

Coach Campbell is also a friend of every student on the campus. He knows each individual by his first name or nickname, and always has a bit of keen Scotch humor for every occasion. He is a "live wire" pedagogue and well deserves the honor bestowed upon him by the Class of 1926.

During the brief five years that he has been here, Alma teams have stowed away five championships. Two of these came in basketball (consecutive) and one in baseball. Innumerable "runners-up" positions have also been taken during the same period.

FACULTY SKETCHES

Even if we do know little of Mr. Abernethy, we're for him.

Not every student on the campus knows Mr. Abernethy. He spends comparatively little of his time on the campus, and when he is here he makes himself so inconspicuous that many students may not realize his position on the staff of Alma College.

Abby comes from Hickory, N. C. He attended Rutherford College in that state, and then spent several years on the road as a salesman, and sales manager. During the war he served in the Service of Supplies in France, and took a special course at the University of Michigan in preparation for this work, after enlistment.

When Alma College located him he was at the head of the employment department of the Detroit Y. M. C. A. He first came to Alma four or five years ago to help in the campaign for funds, and was so successful and useful in this work that he was invited to stay on the staff of the college. The catalogue calls him a special representative. We students know little of the work of enlisting help and interest in a college such as Alma, but that is Mr. Abernethy's job so far as we know.

We know that for every dollar we spend somebody spends about two more, but few of us stop to figure out where the other two come from. We guess that it must be Mr. Abernethy's job to try to dig up the other two. Sometimes we hear a public announcement of some gift to Alma College, and we wonder if Mr. Abernethy hasn't had something to do with it; or sometimes we merely hear a rumor of some annuity, or the mention of a will or some sort of promise that someday somehow Alma will receive aid from somebody or other, and we suspect that it is some of Abby's work. We don't know much about this business of raising money, and so we don't know much about his job. We do know that whatever it is, he is a good man for it. We know that he is exceptionally pleasant, and vitally interested in the welfare of Alma College and its students. He has helped several fellows in more ways than one, and is more than passingly interested in the students of the institution, even

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BASKETBALL BANQUET THURSDAY NIGHT

The M. I. A. A. Championship Basketball men and their coach will be the guests of the Athletic Association Thursday evening, at a Basketball Banquet, which will be held in the dining room of Wright Hall. All persons connected with the college are invited and the admission fee for non-Wright Hall boarders will be announced later.

The Athletic Association is in charge of the affair, and no doubt an unusual program will be brought forth. The eats will be followed by a group of "hot-shot" speeches fitting to the occasion and basketball "A" awards will be made. It is hoped that the varsity pins will be received in time for presentation, also.

Alma Reserves Defeat St. Louis

The Alma College Reserves completed a perfect season last Friday evening, when they defeated St. Louis high school at St. Louis by a score of 23 to 14. The game was a whippy one, Coach McNaughton's prodigees "did themselves proud." The Alma team started with the whistle, and at no time was the final result of the caging argument in question.

Hawthorne was the high scorer of the game for Alma, and sunk five field baskets. Bacon and Hudnutt did good work for St. Louis.

The Reserves have had a most successful season, and will compare with the Varsity in consistency. Captain Moore has led his team through a defeatless season, and Alma high school, the Alma DeMolays, the Breckenridge Independents, as well as St. Louis found the college defense unpenetrable.

The Alma offensive power was also strong, and Moore and Hawthorne led in this attack. The famous "wrecking crew" is known throughout the state for its ability to break up any defense.

Nowiski, leader of the wrecking crew, had tough luck at St. Louis and went out early in the game on (Continued on page 2)

Co-Eds to Publish Almanian Next Week

Hear ye! Hear ye! Hear ye! The Co-ed edition of The Almanian appears next week. The regular staff will place the reins of the college paper in the hands of Miss Margaret Morrison and Miss Bertha Woodhurst and they must guide it safely through the last week before Spring Vacation.

At a meeting of the Y. W. C. A., the college girls elected Miss Morrison editor-in-chief, and chose Miss Woodhurst to be assistant editor. The rest of the staff is as yet unknown, but no doubt contains many famed writers.

From all indications, the Co-ed edition will be a snappy number. Watch for it.

Athletic Board of Control Meets

At a meeting of the Athletic Board of Control last week, the new Constitution of the organization was read and approved. It was decided that the new Constitution was far more progressive in nature than the old one, and would place the Athletic Association on a firmer footing.

The text of the new Constitution appears elsewhere in this issue. It will be submitted to the student body next Wednesday, when the organization convenes. It is the desire of the Association that all students read over the new document, so that they will understand what they are voting for when the poll is taken.

The Association also decided to present the Basketball letter winners with sweater coats. These coats will be white, with maroon service stripes below the elbow, and maroon felt "A's" affixed upon the left side.

"RUS" AND "RED" ENTERTAIN

Last Thursday evening, Russ Catherman and Red Carty entertained the basketball letter men at a spread held in Wright Hall, the occasion being Rus's birthday. The dinner called for formal dress, as all guests came garbed in "A" sweaters. At the conclusion of the repast, Rus's teammates presented him with a birthday gift. The guests were Coach Campbell, Gil Davis, Rodge Wright, Nate Gaelor, Cuddy Shaver, Dutch Welhoelter, and Gordon MacDonald.

CHAMPIONS WALLOP THE NORMAL AGAIN

Mt. Pleasant "Horseplay" Absent from Game, But "Stalls" Are Conspicuous.

"Stalling, stalling, we've no hope of overhauling," was very apparently the theory that Coach Barnard of Central Normal had his basket ball team playing under last Friday evening, with the result that the Central Normal aggregation held Alma to a closer score than anyone had anticipated would be the case.

Alma did not make any great attempt to keep the Teachers from stalling, as every wasted second just meant that an Alma victory was that much more certain. While Alma was somewhat desirous of rolling up a good score, she was just as willing if not more willing, the way the game went, to have the Teachers aid in making their defeat a certainty.

It is the first time in years, and in fact the first time in history that Alma court fans have been privileged to see a losing team during a stalling act, making its defeat more of a certainty.

The Almites were suffering from an off night, and this was especially true of Captain Carty, who played a tune on the Normal basket with his many heaves at the netted circle, but only a very, very small percentage of his shots went true. At that "Red" was the high scorer of the night with 15 points.

The Normal was the first to score and remained in the lead for some moments, but what the Alma team finally tarted it soon overhauled the Teachers and jumped into the lead, and at the end of the first half was leading by a score of 18 to 11.

Early in the second half the stalling tactics of the Teachers became more and more apparent—the fray being turned into a time killing contest, with the Normal coach calling from the sidelines to his team to stall.

One thing is certain, whether or not the members of the Normal court team ever make good basket ball players, good teachers or good farmers, they do take the blue ribbon as the star time killers of the universe.

With this fray the Maroon and Cream ended a highly successful season—the most successful in the history of the college.

ALMA	F.B	F	T
Gaelor, rf	4	1	9
Carty, lf	5	5	15
MacDonald, c	2	3	7
Shaver, rg	0	0	0
Davis, rg	0	0	0
Welhoelter, lf	0	0	0
Anderson, rg	0	0	0
	11	9	31

MT. PLEASANT F.B F T

MT. PLEASANT	F.B	F	T
Finch, rf	0	2	2
Willaman, lf	4	1	9
Arnold, lg	1	0	2
Burkett, c	0	1	1
Teller, rg	0	2	2
Lodwyck, lg	2	0	4
	7	6	20

Referee—Roper, W. S. N.
Umpire—Rich, Kalamazoo College.

Baseball Men Have Well Balanced Sked

The baseball schedule for the coming season, is not as yet complete, but from the appearance of the games which have been arranged, the season will be a well balanced one. The first Association game does not come until April 24, when the team journeys to Ypsilanti. This will allow a practice tilt or two on the local diamond. The schedule is as follows:

- April 24—Ypsilanti at Ypsi.
- May 1—Albion at Albion.
- May 2—Olivet at Olivet.
- May 6—Hillsdale at Alma.
- May 8—Ypsilanti at Alma.
- May 15—Kazoo Normal at Alma.
- May 18—Albion at Alma.
- May 22—Hillsdale at Hillsdale.
- May 26—Olivet at Alma.
- May 30—Double Header at Kazoo.
- June 5-6—M. I. A. A. Finals at Albion.

Some men are willing to pay cash for everything except their debts.

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WHAT THE "A" MEANS

The felt block "A" is given to students who represent the college thru participation in football, basketball, baseball, track, and tennis. The felt English "A" is given to students who represent the college through participation in debate or oratory. In either case, the "A" signifies "Service for Alma."

The question of awards for women's athletic contests comes up every year. Habitually the Athletic Association lets the matter slide, and now the women of the college have formed an Athletic Association of their own, to handle their own affairs.

Is a co-ed eligible to earn an "A"? Yes, if she wins it. She may win a block "A" by making the tennis team. She may win an English "A" by finishing first or second in the Oratorical contest, or making a position on the debating team. The girl who wins an "A" in any of these activities, earns an award of the highest nature, because she has represented her college, or made an exceptionally strong bid for a varsity position.

The varsity letter should and must be kept for those activities which concern collegiate representation.

The women of the institution cannot represent the college in major sports, so intramural games are arranged for them by their Athletic Director. Real ability is displayed in the inter-class and inter-society basketball contests that no one knows of, for such contests are held for feminine crowds only. Why not adopt a real university system of awards for the members of these teams.

One large university has the following method of taking care of intramural athletics. The members of the class teams, are presented with the numerals of the year in which they graduate. For example, the freshmen receive the felt numerals, "1923," the sophomores receive "1927," et cetera. The members of the society teams are presented with felt letters which are the initials of their society. For example, the Alpha Iota women would receive felt "I. A.'s" and the Phi Kappa women would receive felt "P. K.'s." The felt letters are the Greek characters and not the English.

Would not this plan be adequate in Alma College? If it has some drawbacks, the editor would be willing to print communications.

As a final repetitive word, the "A" signifies "Service for Alma."

ALPHA THETA

The meeting of the Alpha Theta Literary Society was called to order Monday by the president. Roll call was answered to by a favorite quotation. A report on Current Events was given by Hope Winslow. Elizabeth Williams rendered a piano solo, "The Boulevard in June." A delightful song entitled "Ayla" by Beecher was sung by Ethel West accompanied on the piano by Beula Watson. The question of an interesting impromptu debate was: "Resolved, that we should have open house at Wright Hall in the spring of 1925." The negative team consisted of Marjorie Dunton, Dorothy Bradley, and Dorothea Young, while the affirmative was upheld by Virginia Tremaine, Katherine Jenkins, and Elma Bishop. The judges, Ann Lyons, Ruth Hamilton and Marguerite Brown, rendered a two to one decision in favor of the affirmative. Adjournment.

ALPHA THETA

The meeting of the Alpha Theta Literary Society was called to order March 2 by the president. After a business meeting the society adjourned to the gymnasium where the Alpha Theta girls met the Philos in a basketball game which kept every girl on her toes. The score was 6-16 in favor of Alpha Theta.

Alpha Theta Pos Philo
D. Bradley..... F. Olson
H. Winslow..... F. Cameron
M. Brown..... J. Gilbert
B. Watson..... R. Benson
E. Bishop..... G. Adams
M. Dunton..... G. Adams
Score first half—Alpha Theta 6, Philomathean 4.
Changes in the lineup—Ardis for Gilbert, Gilbert for Olson, Hurst for Dunton, Dunton for Brown.
Referee—Harley Catherman.

NOTICE

I have received my spring samples of guaranteed Real Silk Hosiery and will call in any part of the city and match shoes and gowns. Forty-six colors including the latest—Blonde, Tortoise Shell, Rosewood Atmosphere, Dove, Maroon, Melon and Morasco.

Mrs. Ruth Morrice,
526 W. Superior Alma. Tel—843 blue—adv.

BETA TAU EPSILON

The regular meeting of Beta Tau Epsilon was held in the society rooms Monday evening, March 2. Two new members, Rhindage and Seiferlein were initiated into the society.

The literary program consisted of a series of stunts put on by various groups in the society. It proved to be one of the most interesting and successful programs of the year. R. Johnson and B. Baker had charge of the first stunt. They produced a guessing contest which would have baffled Houdini himself. Ted Creaser had charge of the second. In a snappy little play he portrayed life on the banks of the River Pine ten thousand years ago. In addition to the historical fact it revealed the play contained a charming love story perfectly carried by Ake and Thoma. Mr. Creaser called his production "The Return of the Swallow" or "Sea-Sickness."

The third stunt was the reproduction of one of O. Henry's mountaineer stories. Alpha Musson had charge of this number. Under the direction of Wilmer Patton, Bliss, Purly and Grant, enacted a Spanish bull fight in a striking realistic manner.

As a concluding feature Mr. Johnson gave several very well received violin selections. He was assisted by Mr. Baker at the piano.

Mr. Winslow, chairman of the Program Committee had charge.

YOST FIELD HOUSE

NOW PAID FOR
Yost Field House, constructed three years ago at a cost of \$450,000 became University property clear of all debt this week, the final payment being made from 1924 football profits. In addition, 40 acres provided for future athletic plant expansion were purchased. Michigan played before 341,000 people last fall, the largest football audience in the history of football. In addition to completing the payment on Yost Field House, earnings provided 7,000 additional seats for football games, increased baseball seating capacity to 12,000, paid for extensive repairs, made possible another new baseball diamond and defrayed the cost of two new concrete tennis courts. The entire athletic plant has been paid for from athletic earnings.

THE KAPPA IOTA

LITERARY SOCIETY
The regular meeting of the Kappa Iota Literary Society was called to order by the president, Mary Gerow. Roll Call was responded to by a modern author and one of his latest works. The feature of the evening's program was an impromptu debate upon the question: "Resolved that the Country Girl has more advantages than the City Girl." Those of the negative team were Dorothy Flanegin, Dorothy Fox and Violet Schwink. The affirmative team consisted of LoReta Neely, Cathryn Lee, and Mildred English. Other numbers on the program were a reading by Margaret Morrison and a piano solo by Doris Jost. After a short business meeting a motion was made for adjournment.

DEGREE IN PHYSICAL ED.

OFFERED AT IOWA
The degree of bachelor of science in physical education will be offered to men at the University of Iowa, beginning with the school year of 1924-25, according to announcement made today.

A curriculum for the department has been drawn up by Prof. Paul E. Belting, and has been approved by the faculty committee.

The course will be four years in length. It will include work in the college of liberal arts as well as special instruction in phases of athletics and gymnasium training. Graduates of the department will be fitted for positions as athletic coaches and physical education directors, it is announced.

For four years women at the University have been offered a similar course leading to the same degree.

REALISTS COMING TO

FRONT IN LITERATURE
"The scientific spirit of the age is reacting upon modern literature, and guiding it toward realism," declared Prof. Frank L. Mott of the English department at the University of Iowa in a talk before the Matrices, an organization of women journalism students. Professor Mott is associate editor of the Midland magazine. "People have a divine curiosity about the world and the people in it, which the realists strive to satisfy," he said. "The short story writer no longer feels it his duty to uplift the human race and point a moral. He is satisfied with presenting some phase of human life and emotions in a vivid and realistic manner."

Realists scorn "chocolate fudge" fiction, according to Professor Mott. He says that the happy ending is always popular with the majority of the reading public.

Show us the man who says that money will do anything and we will show you a man who will do anything for money.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTION OF ALMA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

(To Be Voted On by the Student Body After Chapel, Wednesday, March 18.)

CONSTITUTION

ALMA COLLEGE ATHLETIC ASS'N
Article 1. Name.
This organization shall be known as the Alma College Athletic Association.

Article 2. Membership.
Every student, in any department of Alma College, who has paid the regular athletic fee as a part of the Student Activities Fee to the Student Council, shall be a member of this Association.

Article 3. Officers.
Sec. 1. Enumeration. The officers of this Association shall be: a President, a M. I. A. Student Representative, and a Student Manager.

Sec. 2. President. It shall be the duty of President of the Association to preside over all meetings of the Association, to call meetings of the Association at his discretion or upon the written request of ten members, and to act as Chairman of the Board of Control.

Sec. 3. M. I. A. Student Representative. It shall be the duty of the M. I. A. Student Representative to perform all the duties of the President in his absence, to represent the Association at the fall and spring meetings of the M. I. A. in the college year following his election, and to serve on the Board of Control.

Sec. 4. Student Manager. It shall be the duty of the Student Manager of the Association to keep the minutes of all meetings of the Association and to enter the same in the secretary's book which he shall leave at all times in the custody of the Treasurer of the College. He shall be Student Manager of the Board of Control.

Sec. 5. Nominations. All nominations for officers of the Association shall be made by the Student Council on the recommendation of the Board of Control and shall be posted two weeks before the Annual Student Council election in May. There shall be no more than three nominations for each office.

Article 4. Election of Officers.
The annual election of officers of this Association shall be held at the same time and place as the Student Council Election in May of each year, and shall be conducted under their auspices. The officers shall hold office for the college year following their election.

Article 5. Meetings.
Meetings may be called at the discretion of the President of the Association, or upon the written request of ten members. Notice of meetings shall be posted conspicuously at least two days previous to the time of the meeting.

Article 6. Board of Control.
Sec. 1. The general charge of all funds and property of the Association and of all activities conducted under it shall be vested in the Board of Control.

Sec. 2. Membership. The Board of Control shall be composed of eight members, as follows: the President of Alma College, ex officio; the Faculty Director of Athletics; the Coach of Athletics; an alumnus; the President of the Association; the M. I. A. Student Representative; the Student Manager of the Association; and the Student Council Representative. The alumnus shall be appointed annually at the beginning of the college year by the Faculty Committee on Athletics; and the Student Council Representative shall be appointed annually at the first Student Council meeting of the college year. Vacancies in the Board shall be temporarily filled by the remaining members of the board, but members so chosen shall hold office only until the vacancy can be filled by special election or by appointment.

Sec. 3. Officers.
(a) The President of the Association shall be Chairman of the Board.
(b) The M. I. A. Student Representative shall perform all the duties of the Chairman in his absence.
(c) The Student Manager of the Association shall be Student Manager of the Board of Control.

Sec. 4. Meetings.
(a) Regular meetings shall be held at least once a month during the school year.
(b) Special meetings may be called by the Chairman at any time, by directing the Student manager to give notice to the Board.
(c) A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum.

Sec. 5. Powers and duties of the Board of Control.
(a) To decide all questions of policy and to make all contracts in the name of the Association.

(b) To have supervision and control of all activities conducted under the auspices of the Association, and of all developments and maintenance of all property used for athletic purposes such as may be granted to it by the Board of Trustees of Alma College.

(c) To nominate the men from whom the officers of the Association may be elected as prescribed in Article 2, Sec. 5 and Article 4.

(d) To elect an assistant to the Student Manager as hereinafter delegated and as may be deemed necessary by the Board.

(e) To invest the alumni member of the Board with the office of Graduate Manager of the Association, whenever such action is deemed wise by the Board.

(f) To have charge of all property of the Association, and to keep a complete inventory of athletic equipment (excluding gymnasium) from year to year.

(g) To authorize all extensive purchases of equipment.
(h) To receive and disburse through its Student Manager all monies of the Association.

(i) To consider and accept after proper investigation all reports submitted by the Student Manager and to audit the books at least twice a year and at such other times as deemed necessary by the Board.

(j) To submit a budget for the year to the Student Council and such other statements as they may require.

(k) To pass upon the Coach's recommendations for awards for athletic services.

Sec. 6. Duties of the Student Manager of the Board. It shall be the duty of the Student Manager of the Board of Control:
(a) To give notice of the meetings of the Board of Control.

(b) To receive and disburse all monies of the Association, and to have the Association bank account and to be responsible for its exactness at all times.

(c) To keep an accurate system of books including itemized accounts of income and expenditure, the equipment record, as well as the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association, the minutes of the meetings of the Association, and the minutes of the Board of Control.

(d) To act as custodian of and to keep in his possession all contracts and valuable papers of the Association and the Board of Control.

(e) To supervise the keeping of an accurate inventory of all athletic equipment (excluding gymnasium) from year to year and to have general supervision of the issuance and collection of all equipment.

(f) To check all extensive purchases of equipment.
(g) To co-operate with the Coach in making out Athletic schedules, and to take care of all the details of staging athletic contests.
(h) To assist in making out transportation schedules and all arrangements for trips, with all personal expenses paid whenever asked to do so by either the Coaches or the Board of Control.
(i) To render a complete financial statement of the preceding month's business at each regular meeting of the Board, and semi-annual and annual statements.
(j) To administer all business of the Association and the Board of Control.

this constitution as it may deem expedient.
Article 7. Quorum.
One half of the members of this Association shall constitute a quorum.
Article 8. Amendments.
All amendments to this constitution must be submitted in writing at a meeting of the Association at least two weeks before final action is taken. A two-thirds majority of the actual members of the Association is necessary to amend this constitution. Any amendment must be approved by the Board of Control before it becomes effective as a part of this constitution.
Considered and proposed by the President of Alma College, the Faculty Director of Athletics, the Coach, and the Managers of the Association.

ALMA RESERVES DEFEAT ST. LOUIS

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personals, but Hogan, another member of the Salvage Co. quickly jumped into his shoes, and played the remainder of the game. It is claimed that the whistle was the only thing that saved Hogan from being "sent to the showers" on the same charge. Burnham also did some good work at St. Louis.

The Reserves, who are in reality, "the second line of defense" should be congratulated on their season, so crowded with victories.

ALMA Pos ST. LOUIS
Moore.....RF.....Oaks
Hawthorne.....LF.....Hudnutt
Nowiski.....C.....Bacon
Holdship.....RG.....Stevenson
Burnham.....LG.....Streeter
Lyons.....F.....Shunk
Koepeke.....G.....C.
Hogan.....C.....Hawthorne 5,
Moore 2, Burnham 2, St. Louis; Hudnutt 3, Lacon 1.
Free Throws—Alma, Moore 1 out of 1, Burnham 2 out of 4, Holdship 1 out of 2, Lyons 1 out of 2, Hawthorne 0 out of 1, Koepeke 0 out of 2, St. Louis; Bacon 4 out of 15, Oaks 1 out of 2, Shunk 1 out of 2, Streeter 0 out of 1.
Referee—Andrews.

Another Error!

The Almanian is again informed of another serious mistake which appeared last week in its columns. The Article on "Those Spanish Costumes," was written by Miss Constance Kingan. Somehow, some error occurred in our check-up system, and a gross and unforgivable misrepresentation occurred. Again we apologize.

Hillsdale Wants The M. I. A. Meet

Due to the fact that Hillsdale is having a big anniversary celebration in June, she desires that the Annual M. I. A. Games be held there this year. At the last meeting of the M. I. A. Board, it was decided that the games would be held at Albion, and as far as the Almanian knows, that is the last official action which has been taken on the matter.

NOT ENOUGH SPACE LAST WEEK

Due to the Basketball Edition last week, the Almanian space was at a premium. Faculty Sketches, Society Notes, Wright Hall Notes, Campusology, and all other regular articles were held over, and they appear in this edition. The Almanian was so cramped for space, that even the Staff Head had to be omitted.

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PHI PHI ALPHA

(Monday, March 2.)

After a short business meeting, the following literary program was given:

Earl Leichty gave a paper entitled "The Annoyance of Thought." Roger Cole read a paper, "Pronouns Cause a Mix-up." E. D. McGlone then gave a talk on the inauguration of President Coolidge, after which Leonard Andrews gave a short talk on the preparation for the inauguration. Impromptus were given by Edward Cummings, Ronald McGlone, and Edward Denice, after which Frank Bentley gave the Critic's report. The society then adjourned to the invitation of Emil Rupprecht, followed by janitor's treat in honor of Ralph Nickels and Russel Newman.

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Library Notes

Among other interesting articles in the recent magazine is an article in the Michigan Christian Advocate of March 12th entitled "Adventures in reading" by Arthur E. Bostwick. Mr. Bostwick is Librarian of the St. Louis, Mo. Public library. He has recently been appointed to make a survey of Libraries in China, and will leave this country for the Orient in April, to be gone several weeks. The sub-title of the article here recommended is "Are you one of the millions who complain that you have no time for reading? Give Mr. Bostwick a few moments of your time now. He will help you find priceless "chunks" of time for high adventure."

All books drawn from the library within the next two weeks will be due or return on Thursday, March 26th. If out-of-town students wish to take books home for the vacation they will please bring a written statement from their professor for the work assigned.

Two new reference volumes have recently been received, "These eventful years." These include chapters on the progress of the world of the past few years, written by eminent authorities.

The library will be open during the Spring vacation to the Faculty and students only, from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., with the exception of the noon hour, and Saturday afternoons. After the vacation, the library will be closed Saturday afternoons.

LIBRARY NOTES

(March 10th.)

Senora de Palencia has awakened in us all a keen interest in Spain—its life, art, description and travel.

There are many interesting books in the College Library on this fascinating country, some of which have been placed on the Charging Desk for personal use. Others will be found listed in the card catalogue, back of the guide cards, "Spain" and "Spanish."

Two reference volumes have been added to the library this past week—"These eventful years, the 20th century in the making," published by the Encyclopedia Britannica Company. These include chapters on the different departments of the world's progress written by eminent authorities.

Alumni Notes

Dr. Ewing last week, received a card from Miss Pearl S. Huber, who is teaching in a high school at Mayaguez, Porto Rico. Miss Huber was graduated from Alma College with the class of '11. She reports that she is enjoying her work, and sends greetings to her fellow alumni.

Miss Margerite Conyne, former Assistant Director of Kindergarten Training at Alma College, is spending the year in study at Columbia University.

Miss Margaret Moore '21, is also spending the year in study at Columbia. It will be remembered that Miss Moore stood unusually high in her class, and was one of the four who vied for the honors of Valedictorian. She is a sister of Kenneth Moore '26.

Professor Clack was in Grand Rapids over the week end, and while there, he met Arden Johnson '15, who is at present Director of Religious Education at Trinity Community church in that city. Johnson sends greetings to the alumni.

WOODROW WILSON COLLEGE

Last year the Chamber of Commerce of Milledgeville, Ga. instituted a Woodrow Wilson Memorial College. Pledges amounting to \$500,000 were raised. A tract of 100 acres was purchased and the drive for funds was made country wide through the American Legion and the American Federation of Labor.

A committee of educational experts, headed by President Sidney Mezes of the College of the City of New York and David F. Houston, a member of the Wilson Cabinet, were requested to advise as to the type of college to be created. Limitation of the student body to not more than 400 or 500; enrollment of only those students who show unmistakable signs of becoming leaders; limitation of number of subjects taught to those conducive to intellectual leadership; good salaries offered to men of high ability, were the recommendations made by the committee.

This advice will, in the main be followed. Quality, not quantity, say the proponents of the cause, will be the keynote of the college—the type of instruction that Woodrow Wilson himself would have most heartily approved.

You can't convince a man of anything by scaring it into him.

FACULTY SKETCHES

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though his acquaintance with them is limited to an occasional visit. He is a valuable member of the family, and one who can hardly be surpassed as a man to go about representing the college.

We expect Mr. Abernethy to modestly alight at the station some day



H. OLIN ABERNETHY

with a new Library under one arm, and a new Administration Building under the other, with a stadium and a chapel in his suit case. It would be just like him.

Even if he did just assign as a ten-hour lot of work to hand in tomorrow written out, in addition to chapters one to thirty in Jevons, and the first three hundred pages in the text, we think Lee is Okay.

Lee Sharrar is an Alma product. He started into the Alma schools as a youngster and graduated from Alma College a few years later. It is said that Lee's first day in school he organized his room into a gang, and they elected him ring-leader. He has been a ring leader ever since. Alma High still looks back at some of the



LEE M. SHARRAR

things that he and the folks that were in school with him did. They remember when Lee was yell leader, and whatever other important offices there are in a high school, and they still dust off the annual that Lee ran and peruse it proudly.

In college he was the first president of his class, as well as the last, holding the office in both his Fresh-

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WRIGHT HALL NOTES

Irene Anguish and Helen Brien were among the Alpha Theta alumni who came back for the party Saturday evening.

Helen Doyle went home again for the week end.

Duke Ruegsegger had a birthday last week, so Margaret Morrison, Loretta Neely and Erwin Merriem, Ruth Nelson and Ken Moore, Helen Kempf and Doc Hogan helped him celebrate at a table spread.

Manning Jones of Olivet was in Alma for the Kappa Iota-Alpha Theta party as the guest of Louise Watrous.

IN ALMA FOR WEEK END

Burroughs Rathsburg '24 was back last week-end. He looks healthy, seems to be enjoying the cold weather, and plays the same old snappy hand of bridge. "Razz" is coaching in the high school at Marlette, Michigan, this year.

Forrest Freeman '24, was also back. Freeman has a perfect batting average so far this year. He hasn't missed a week-end yet. No matter how packed the roads are with snow, his fiery Overland coupe stands before the entrance at Wright Hall every Saturday noon.

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Dorm Notes

EDITOR'S NOTE—Hooray! Hooray! We have some "Dorm Notes." The wily wits of the Monastery have sauntered forth with some stuff. Woof! Woof! Let the lions roar!

We want to hear from every dormitory on the campus as often as possible, and therein lies a tale. The dormitory which sends in the best stuff for next week's paper will receive as a prize, 1,000,000 German Marks. We are giving the Monastery 1,000,000 of 'em to start out with. Every dorm that has notes in print will receive 500,000 German Marks. All right, folks, the standings so far are:

The Monastery 1,000,000
Did you get that folks? 1,000,000 goes to the best of the week, and 500,000 to every other "contrib" that's printed. We want a whole "slough" of notes next week. Hand 'em to the Editor before noon, Friday, March 20. Are you ready, Charlie? Alright, turn on the gas.

MONASTERY NOTES

It is reported that if Harry Segar does not desist in blowing his trombone during study hours (which ain't) the same fate will overtake it as that which befell Louie Nickels' horn.

Gosh, we forgot the introduction! Well, what should it be? What should an introduction say anyway? We suppose you all wonder why this place is called the Monastery, do not worry anymore about it. We will tell you. It is because we live in recluse and gaze upon the world with eyes that never mark the gyrations of the female sex, because we use language that never borders upon the profane, and because this house is owned and chaperoned by Mrs. Monk.

Cecil MacDonald says there is one compensation in rooming with MacDougall, "he never can wear any of my clothes."

Spring is here! Wilmer Patton was found this morning shaving WITHOUT his coat, hat and rubbers on.

A riot was created here the other night when one of the boys by the name of De Vere Mitchell informed them that a Wright Hall girl spoke to him without having to be spoken to first. Will wonders never cease?

Sam Beauchamp came home the other night and he was not smoking one of Rod's segars. We wonder what has happened between them, hope they don't stay mad long.

Closser, Musson and Richards were standing at the railroad crossing waiting for a freight to pass. Closser exclaimed, "Look at that freight without any lights."

"Perhaps," suggested Musson, "it is a funeral freight."

"Yah," said Richards, it's carrying lots of dead weight."

A POEM SONNET TO DEJECTION

O text book of my Sophomore year,
I cannot say I hold you dear;
I have many a vague recollection
Of reading a sonorous selection,
From thy pages.
Few of the things which I have read,
Have remained within my head;
All the marks that I have sought,
All my toil, has come to naught;
Death my wages.
I toil, I work without effect,
Within myself is some defect;
And now I go, I cannot stay,
I bid farewell, on this sad day.
Francis A. MacDougall.

COSMOPOLITANS SPEAK

ESPERANTO
Esperanto, the new international language was used exclusively at a recent meeting of the Cosmopolitan Club of the University of Minnesota. Songs were sung in Esperanto, a play was read and plans for its presentation, partly in English and partly in Esperanto in connection with a series of tableaux to be given by the Cosmopolitan Club.

Coach Campbell Wishes To Announce

That he shoveled his own walks Saturday morning. It seems that "Bud" Campbell has been handling the shovel all winter, and the other day, Coach told "Bud" that he would take care of the walks himself for the rest of the year. As a weather prophet, Coach is "not so good." He had figured out that there would be no more snow this year. Thus, when Coach woke up Saturday a. m., he was forced to "man the shovel."

One on Orr

Shaver—Where have you been to-night?
Orr—I've been working on a new field.

Shaver—From the looks of your hair, you've been working over on Potter's field.

A WORD TO SECOND SEMESTER FROSH

A faculty member in reference to the second semester freshmen has made the statement, that "the steam that toots the whistle, never turns any wheels."

FACULTY SKETCHES

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man and Senior years. He was the first president of the Student Council, and was instrumental in writing the constitution of the council. He was a debater, and manager of Athletics, among other things. During the S. A. T. C. Lee was the top sergeant, first in command under the two men sent here by the government to manage the unit. He graduated with honors from Alma College in 1921. We know that he made a record for behavior as well, for we find the faculty unwilling to say anything to the contrary—to say anything in fact.

He taught his first year out in the high school at Manistique, and then was brought back to the college in the department of History and Economics. He has studied in Columbia during the summers and we understand that he will take his master's degree there this summer. He has brought an enviable record back from Columbia, too.

Lee is a terribly hard worker. If he pushes his classes he may be excused somewhat from the fact that he does countless times more work than he asks them to do. He works himself too hard. He isn't going to stand the pace he has set forever. Beside the regular classroom duties, he has assumed the business of the Athletic Association as graduate manager, and it should be said that he and the coach have put the association on an exceptional financial basis. This year he coached the Debating teams most ably. His classes are as ably handled as any in the curriculum, and he is a popular instructor.

And how that fellow does work!

NOTE—We have printed only two sketches this week because of the extra space required by the basketball edition. Next week we will treat Mr. Ewer, Miss Wilson, Miss Hollweg, and the following week we will discuss Miss Houser, Mr. Clack, and Miss Landwehr.

'MANNERS FOR YE FRESHMEN'
In Conducting Yourself About Ye Campus and in Public Places.

1. Always forget that you are a freshman. An upperclassman always likes to have a freshman come up and slap him on the back, and then cast some slurring remark about "the night before." It also helps, if the freshman can ask the upperclassman for a match, or a pipeful of tobacco, or the loan of two cents, or a stamp, or something else.

It is also considered "ripping" for a freshman to pull little jokes on an upperclassman. A shove on a slippery piece of walk is sure to get a rise out of a Junior or a Senior.

2. There is an organization on the campus known as the Student Council. Certain freshmen receive notices from this "good-for-nothing" body. These notices should never be observed. The freshmen should treasure his notice very highly. It should be pasted in "his memory" book and then forgotten altogether.

3. Green caps are purchased by each freshman to be worn, while a hat is getting cleaned and blocked. They are also excellent to wear about the room, to keep the hair out of the eyes. If a freshman is going down town, he should never wear a green cap. Then everyone would know that he was a freshman.

4. When it comes to meeting Upperclassmen and Faculty Members, the freshman has a chance for originality. He should say, "Hello there, Old Wart," or some such similar clever greeting, when addressing an Upperclassman. Always call Faculty Members by their nicknames.

5. In the spring it is customary for the freshman to array themselves on the Senior Bench before the "Ad" Building, equipped with corn-cob pipes. The more freshmen there are, the bigger the smudge.

6. When an Upperclassman asks assistance, it is customary to reply, "Awm gwan, you big stiff! You're stronger than I am. Besides, 'I like to see you work!'" (Note: This is merely one of several clever comebacks than can be used. Try and think of original quips and retorts.)

7. What is so rare as a freshman who cannot fuss? Every corner in the "Ad" Building should be filled with fussing freshmen at all hours. Every cosy corner in Wright Hall should be used at all times for a trysting-place. By all means, do not let your classes interfere with your fussing.

8. As soon as chapel is dismissed, rush for the door. Often the freshman receives something lasting, if he can be the first out of the main chapel door.

9. At Wright Hall, there are always a limited number of places. Be sure of your food. Make a rush, and grab the first place you see. "All's fair in love or war, especially at the dinner hour." (N. B. Don't look for that quotation in literature; it isn't there.)

10. Every Upperclassman is a pupil of the great school of Experience. He loves to hear of the experiences of others. When he begins to tell a

story, the freshman should always break in with, "Before you tell that one, let me tell you what happened to me last summer when I was down in —etc." The Upperclassman will be intensely interested.

(Footnote: These rules are for freshmen attending the University of Hard'n X. They would hardly suffice at Alma).

SCHOLARSHIP OFFERED BY EASTERN SCHOOL

The Gloucester School of the Little Theatre, Gloucester, Massachusetts. The Gloucester School of the Little Theatre, Gloucester, Mass., is again offering two free scholarships to undergraduates of American colleges and colleges for its sixth summer season, July and August, 1925.

The school has its own experimental theatre where weekly performances are given and offers courses in: Public Speaking, Pantomime, Acting, Stage Direction, Lighting, Scenery and Play writing.

Among the thirty plays produced last season were: The Book of Job; Gammer Gurton's Needle; Fleurette and Co., Essex Dane; Before Breakfast; Eugene O'Neill; The Haiduc; Colin Clements; Two Slatterns and a King; Edna Millay, Fame and the Poet; Lord Dunsany; The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife; Anatole France and The Two Virtues, Alfred Sutro.

The faculty will include: Mrs. Florence Evans of the Boston School of Public Speaking; Miss Florence Cunningham of the Theatre Colombine, Paris; Mlle. Mellon of the Dalcroze Institute, Geneva; Mr. Robert Henderson of the University of Michigan; Mr. Colin Clements of the Portmanteau Theatre and author of "Plays for a Folding Theatre" and "Plays for Pagans."

All communications concerning the scholarships should be addressed to: Miss Florence Cunningham, 112 Charles St., Boston, Mass.

WESTERN RESERVE MAN CIRCLES GLOBE VIA FREIGHTER

From Western Reserve University, Ohio, comes the season's best salty yarn of the deep blue. In five months Max Kelso, '24, travelled 27,000 miles, visiting Panama, Honolulu, Philippines, Java, Borneo, China, India, Egypt, Italy, Spain and other countries.

Kelso left the shores of his homeland behind him on August 10. He passed through the Panama Canal, into the Pacific Ocean and after some time tied up at a wharf in Honolulu. Crawling over the ships side Kelso dashed madly down to the sands of Waikiki to verify the American legend about the doings of maidens on the much-sung-of place. He was terribly disappointed and reports that the whole Waikiki story is a myth; that no Hawaiian girls cavorted about.

At Berneo another myth was punctured. There were no wild men, except two drunken sailors.

Kelso, being a "rookie" seaman, fell overboard at Singapore while hoisting a flag.

After visits to Egypt and several Mediterranean ports the ship pointed homeward across the Atlantic and arrived in Boston, January 3.

THE FIRST FRAT

The first American college fraternity of which there is a record was the "Flat Hat Club" organized at William and Mary College in 1750 and disbanded about 1772. Today 60,000 men and women live in fraternity houses maintained by national college fraternities. Thousands of others are members of local fraternities unaffiliated with the national organizations.

Since the fraternity was organized, nearly 750,000 members have been initiated, of whom about 600,000 are still living. There are 200 separate societies with 4,650 chapters in about 675 colleges. There are about 2,600 chapter houses of the 150 active fraternities, including about 1,200 houses owned by their occupants, costing approximately \$21,000,000. About 1500 are leased and have been furnished at an aggregate cost of about \$3,000,000.

—The New Student.

HAVE YOU HAD YOUR PICTURE TAKEN?

Editor Harris of the Maroon and Cream announces that the Maroon and Cream cannot make much progress, because the students are not co-operating. For several weeks the announcement has been out that photographs may be taken at any time, but only a few of the students have responded. Unless the pictures are taken immediately, the chances for a Maroon and Cream this year are not so good. Editor Harris would like to see some action on the part of the collegians.

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