

ANNUAL ELECTION HELD THURSDAY

Logan, Thomas Win Places On 1930 Almanian Staff

The annual All-College elections were held last Thursday morning in the Administration Building under the supervision of the Student Council. The polls were open at 10:00 A. M. and closed at twelve o'clock noon. During the two hour period, nearly 250 of the 280 qualified voters placed their ballots in the box—a good percentage considering the lack of excitement which characterized the pre-election period this year.

Unlike other years everything was seemingly "quiet on the Potomac" during the past week, and the political bickerings usually attendant upon an Alma College election, if not absent, were at least not quite as much in evidence.

Harold Logan had the editorial pen thrust into his hand by a considerable majority while Winston Thomas won the Manager's Chair on the Almanian Staff by getting 141 votes to his opponent's 97. Logan and Thomas are both well qualified to guide the destinies of the student publication and the student body may well look forward to the next thirty Almanians with anticipatory pleasure.

Amos Ruddock defeated Francis Angell by the narrow margin of seven votes for the office of Manager of Oratory and Debate. Ruddock is an experienced debater and with a keen interest in the forensic activities of the College, will undoubtedly pilot the debating group through a worthwhile forensic program.

Delbert MacGregor outdistanced Edgar Karpp for the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association Representative position by a small margin. As stated in these columns last week, either man would have capably represented the athletic interests of the College, and now that the responsibilities of the position fall on Mr. MacGregor's shoulders, he will undoubtedly prove a worthy successor to Merriell Hendershott who has been president of the Association for the past year.

One interesting feature of the election was the large number of "split tickets" which evidenced that there was a tendency on the part of the student body to vote for individuals instead of fraternity or sorority tickets.

FRESHMEN ELECT MOORE PRESIDENT

The Freshman Class held its elections for the year of 1929-30 last Friday in the Chapel.

Clarence Moore of Niles was elected president of the Class of 1932. Dorothea Prouty was chosen as vice-president, Charlotte Dakin, secretary, and Douglas McClelland, treasurer.

The Sophomore student council members for next year will be Mary Forshar and Arthur Crawford.

TAU SIGMA GAMMA MEETING

Mrs. George C. Wise entertained the Tau Sigma Gammas Monday evening, May 20, at her home. The girls took charge of the meeting and talked about Switzerland.

A very interesting and amusing paper was read on "Swiss customs," "Geneva," "Monastery of St. Bernard," and the "Famous Simplon Pass."

Mrs. Wise served very delicious refreshments.

NOTICE ALUMNI AND FACULTY

Can any of the Alumni or Faculty of Alma College supply the following issues of "The Michigan Schoolmasters Club Journal of Proceedings of annual meetings" for the following meetings? 1st to 50th inclusive. 53, 54, 56, 60, 61st. A gift of any of these would be much appreciated, to help complete the library file of this publication.

Annette P. Ward, Librarian.

SENIOR CLASS ELECTIONS

(As we go to press)

The Junior Class held its elections for next year last Monday in the Ad Building. Edgar Karpp was chosen president, Frances Cameron, vice-president, Frances Widger, secretary, and William Owen, treasurer.

Those elected to represent the Senior Class in the Student Council were George Kaiser, Winston Thomas, Leslie Rowland, and Miss Irene Beuthin.

PROF. CLACK WILL RE-VISIT ORIENT

Professor R. W. Clack, head of the Mathematics Department of the College, will spend the summer vacation in the Orient as Personnel Director for the "Adventure Tour" of Upton Close. The Alma professor will sail from Seattle early in June and make the necessary arrangements for the rest of the group which will follow a few weeks later. Professor Clack spent twelve years in China as a missionary and has a knowledge of the language and customs of the Chinese people which will undoubtedly prove a great asset to the Upton Close travel group.

Almanian Bound copies for sale next week.

CLACK COMPILES ACADEMIC REPORT

College Registrar's Compilation Presents Interesting Data

The College Registrar, Prof. R. W. Clack, has just completed a very complete statistical report concerning the curricular activities of the institution. The compilation of the very informative and interesting data was a tremendous task and the Registrar is to



Professor Robert W. Clack

be commended for his efforts. Below are printed some of the salient features of the report which will undoubtedly prove interesting to the student body:

INTERESTING FIGURES (Totals Only)

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

(Those taking Music only are not included here.)

1912-13—Frosh 41, Soph 23, Jun. 15, Sen. 25, Total 104, Spec. 42, Gr. Tot. 146, Increase 6.85.

1913-14—Frosh 39, Soph 27, Jun. 17, Sen. 17, Total 100, Spec. 47, Gr. Total 147, Increase 0.69.

1914-15—Frosh 98, Soph 23, Jun. 18, Sen. 24, Total 163, Spec. 48, Gr. Total 211, Increase 43.50.

1915-16—Frosh 50, Soph 47, Jun. 21, Sen. 18, Total 136, Spec. 42, Gr. Total 178, Increase —15.64.

1916-17—Frosh 74, Soph. 36, Jun. 38, Sen. 23, Total 172, Spec. 43, Gr. Total 215, Increased 20.20.

1917-18—Frosh 68, Soph 38, Jun. 25, Sen. 20, Total 151, Spec. 36, Gr. Total 187, Increase —13.02.

1918-19—Frosh 103, Soph 29, Jun. 18, Sen. 17, Total 167, Spec. 28, Gr. Total 195, Increase 4.28.

1919-20—Frosh 79, Soph 44, Jun. 27, Sen. 24, Total 174, Spec. 35, Gr. Total 209, Increase 7.18.

1920-21—Frosh 80, Soph 48, Jun. 18, Sen. 22, Total 168, Spec. 23, Gr. Total 191, Increase —8.61.

1921-22—Frosh 121, Soph 42, Jun. 34, Sen. 11, Total 208, Spec. 32, Gr. Total 240, Increase 25.06.

1922-23—Frosh 136, Soph 61, Jun. 23, Sen. 31, Total 251, Spec. 18, Gr. Total 269, Increase 12.08.

1923-24—Frosh 131, Soph 73, Jun. 52, Sen. 26, Total 282, Spec. 12, Gr. Total 294, Increase 9.14.

1924-25—Frosh 121, Soph 76, Jun. 63, Sen. 44, Total 304, Spec. 8, Gr. Tot. 312, Increase 5.76.

1925-26—Frosh 124, Soph 77, Jun. 51, Sen. 42, Total 294, Spec. 5, Gr. Total 299, Increase —4.17.

1926-27—Frosh 132, Soph 62, Jun. 50, Sen. 35, Total 279, Spec. 9, Gr. Total 288, Increase —3.67.

1927-28—Frosh 112, Soph 81, Jun.

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MUSIC STUDENTS TO GIVE RECITAL

Voice And Piano Students Will Present Program Wednesday Night

The students of the Music department of the College will present a recital in the College Chapel next Wednesday evening, May 29, beginning at 8:00 o'clock. The voice students of Professor J. W. Ewer and the students studying piano under Miss Grace D. Roberts will present the numbers which appear in the program below:

- To Spring Mendelssohn
 - Gertude Martin
 - Impromptu Reinhold
 - Mable Plowman
 - "The Dawn" G. D'Hardlot
 - "Songs My Mother Taught Me"
 - Dvorak
 - Hazel Demeray
 - The Erl King Schubert-Liszt
 - Ellen Buck
 - Prelude Rachmaninoff
 - William Owen
 - "Pale Moon" F. Logan
 - "Little Pink Rose" Carrie J. Bond
 - Naomi McQuaid
 - Irish Tune from County Derry
 - arranged by Grainger.
 - Etude Arensky
 - Helen Standish
 - Wedding Day at Troldhagen—Grieg
 - Florence Standish
 - "The Sun" Curran
 - "Sunbeams" Ronald
 - "The Sweetest Flower that blows"
 - Hawley
 - Margaret Roberts
 - On Wings of Song—Mendelssohn-Liszt
 - Polonaise Op. 40, No. 2 Chopin
 - Esther Zinn
- Student recital in College Chapel Wednesday night, May 29th, at 7:00 o'clock.

ALUMNI NEWS

OFFICERS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

President—F. ROY PHILIPS, Supt. of Schools, Alma, Michigan, Class of 1914.

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ALMA COLLEGE

Forty-Second Annual Commencement

PROGRAM

Thursday, June 6

8:00 A. M.—All College Informal party, Wright Hall.

Friday, June 7.

6:00 A. M.—"A" Men Spread.

9:30 A. M.—Farewell Chapel Service. Presentation of Letters in Oratory, Debate and Athletics.

10:00 A. M.—Annual Meeting of Board of Trustees.

8:00 P. M.—Student-Alumni Party, given by Student Council, Memorial Gym.

Saturday, June 8—Alumni Day.

(Class meetings and reunions; arrangements to be announced.)

8:30 A. M.—Senior Class Breakfast at the home of President and Mrs. Crooks.

12:00 noon—Luncheon for graduating class, alumni, old students, faculty and trustees in the Grove.

1:30 P. M.—Alumni Business Meeting.

7:45-8:15—Open Air Concert—Alma College Band, Wright Hall Portico.

8:15 P. M.—Senior Promenade.

9:00-11:00—President's Reception at the home of President

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PRESIDENT ATTENDS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

President Harry Means Crooks spent the greater part of last week at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States of America which was held in St. Paul, Minnesota; sessions beginning on the 23rd of May. Dr. Crooks gave an address entitled, "Objectives of Presbyterian Colleges" at the pre-educational conference which was held Wednesday, May 22, just previous to the regular session of the Assembly.

Thursday of this week the President will speak to a Memorial Day gathering of the citizens of Howell, Michigan and on the following Sunday, June 2nd, Dr. Crooks will conduct the regular church service of the First Presbyterian Church in Lansing.

ALPHA THETA HAS ENJOYABLE PARTY

Annual Sorority Formal At Park House Saturday Pleases Many

The Alpha Theta Society held its annual Spring Formal last Saturday evening. The party with its excellent "chaperone" orchestra, good food, tolerant chaperones and delicately shaded ball room was a success—yea—a "howling" success from all standpoints.

Each gentleman, as he seated himself at his designated place, found a beautiful set of book-ends. These favors are not only very attractive but will prove to be extremely useful.

Due to the thoughtfulness of the Dance Committee, space was provided for dancing during the time that elapsed between courses. The service was exceptionally fine and reminded one of Wright Hall.

The orchestra was a "riot." Each rendition was greeted with a roar of applause.

Thirty couples were in attendance and everyone claims to have had a wonderful time.

The chaperones were Dean Florence M. Stewart, Dean James E. Mitchell, Professor and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton.

The music was furnished by the La Forge orchestra of Bay City, Michigan. H. L.

LIBRARIAN TELLS OF RECENT TRIP

The American Library Association, which held its annual meeting in Washington May 12-18th, has a membership of 12,000. At this meeting there was an attendance of 2,700, the largest on record. Standing room was at a premium.

Among the outstanding addresses by men of prominence, were the following:

George Washington by Charles Moore. (Dr. Moore was once a trustee of Alma College.)

Tribute to Herbert Putnam, Librarian of Congress for the past thirty years, by R. R. Bowker.

Building up the Roosevelt Memorial Collection, by Hermann Hagedorn. (Alma College Library has a file of the annual reports of the Roosevelt Memorial library, which are interesting reading.)

An address by David Lawrence, editor of the United States Daily, in which the speaker told of his first introduction to the Congressional Record, by a librarian who helped him find material for a student debate. As a result Mr. Lawrence said he read this paper from cover to cover, daily, for two years!

Survey of the Biography of English Literature, 1548-1926, by G. W. Cole.

Medical Literature of Central America and Mexico, by Nathan van Patten.

The Library of Congress Classification as an Aid to Research, by D. A. Robertson. In connection with this address it may be of interest to the students and faculty of Alma College to know that Dr. Robertson (who spoke before them in Alma last year) emphasized the importance of students and scholars knowing and mastering this classification scheme, which groups books more conveniently for scholarly purposes than do some other classifications.

Dr. Robertson, in another address, explained the work now in progress for the publication of an annotated catalogue of a book collection for an undergraduate college. Dr. W. W.

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ALBAUGH'S TIGERS LEADING LEAGUE

7-4 Victory Over Cubs Puts Bengals Out In Front

Albaugh pitched his Tigers into undisputed possession of first place in Alma's Twilight League when the Bengals defeated Yageman's Cubs by a 7 to 4 score Tuesday evening. This gives the League leaders a record of three wins and no defeats for the season thus far.

The Tigers started the game off with a score after Erickson overthrew third letting Gussin in. Not to be outdone the Bruins came back with a counter in their half of the frame. But in the second inning a couple scratch hits and errors let in another score for Albaugh and his mates and so the game settled down to a pitchers battle with the count 2-1. Then came the lucky seventh. After having held his opponents down with scarcely a solid bingle for five innings Big Bill "kinda" let up and the Tigers just batted completely around their roster before they were quieted down. In that memorable inning hits and errors vied with each other to see which could furnish the most runs. When finally the dust cleared away and the boys quit arguing with the impossible unregistered student umpire the score stood 7 for the Tigers and 1 for the Cubs. However in order to finish the game up in a more interesting fashion Erickson took hold of one of Jim's offerings for a solid double and was aided into the home plate along with a mate by Rube Hornings surprising triple. But these last minute fireworks were not enough to change the count and the side was retired in regular order in their last chance at the plate, but not before they had crossed the home slab once again.

Smith's Downtowners earned the right to meet the college nine headed by Albaugh in the Memorial Day final when they downed the Cubs 10 to 0 Friday evening. Westfall pitching for the losers was hit solidly and got a bad reception at the hands of the men from town. Bill didn't pitch because he's needed in the Thumb on the holiday and so was saving his arm for that game; from the results it cost him and his mates a chance at the gold baseballs. This defeat added to the one administered to them by the Tigers earlier in the week definitely eliminates them from further contentions for the crown. Stauffer hurling for the winners was hit plenty but every time the ball went straight into the hands of one of his supporters. Smith led his team to victory by some spectacular fielding and played practically the entire infield.

Potter and his yearlings are scheduled to play a postponed game tonight but the outcome will have no bearing on the final computation of standings. The Tigers go into the finals with no defeats and three wins with a tie game against the Cubs to their season's credit. From all indications they should stack up against the Downtowners with good chances to bring the championship of the Twilight League to the College.

Tentative stands for the season are:

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Albaugh's Tigers	3	0	1	1.000
Smith's Towners	3	1	0	.750
Yageman's Cubs	3	2	1	.666
Potter's Yearlings	1	2	1	.250
Lobdell-Emery	0	3	1	.000
Chevrolet	0	3	0	.000

AL DEAN HEADS CLASS OF 1931

The election of Junior Class officers for the ensuing year was held in the Administration Building last Friday noon. Alan Dean, whose home is in McBride, Michigan received the majority ballot for President and will hold the executive reins of the class of 1931 next year.

Ernestine Ling was elected vice-president, Ann Mileski, secretary and Jean Peterson, treasurer. The representatives to the 1930 Student Council from the class will be; Dorothy Carter, Horace Boutin, and Van Hillman.

NOTICE

The next issue of the Almanian will appear on the Friday preceding Commencement Day. This change in schedule is made because of the week's program of final examinations, and then the later date will facilitate the publishing of a complete account of the Commencement festivities.

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power to act for the Alumni Association and shall endeavor in every way to perfect that organization, to help students graduating to secure good positions and assist in furthering the welfare of Alma College generally.

C. R. M.

CLASS REUNIONS

Under the plan of class reunions followed for the past few years the five year reunion scheme has been followed. This year the classes which will hold reunions are composed of the people listed below. We also tell you what they are doing now.

Class of 1924

Ardis, Agnes, 210 Thayer, Ann Arbor, Student.

Bailey, Harold, 1442 Artillery, Detroit, Coach, Southeastern H. S.

Evans, Bernice, Traverse City H. S., Traverse City, Teacher.

Freeman, Forrest R., 617 Lafayette, Bay City, Salesman, Fuller Brush Co.

Grierson, Martha Ruth, Esther Patton School, Kolhapur, India, Missionary.

Gustafson, Roy, 5406 N. Ashland, Chicago, Ill., Federal Life Insurance Co.

Hasbrouch, Mrs. Sam, (Ruth Bradley), Riverside, Wash.

Hileman, Mrs. Lee, (Nina Church), 27 E. Josephine Ave., Ecorse.

Holmes, Margaret, 219 State Street, Alma. H. S. Teacher.

Howe, James, Richter's Drug Co., Saginaw, Druggist.

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and Mrs. Crooks. All friends of the college invited.

Sunday, June 9.

11:00 A. M.— Farewell Communion
— First Presbyterian Ch.,
Rev. Willis L. Gelston,
Pastor.

7:30 P. M.— Baccalaureate Address,
President Harry Mearl
Crooks, First Presbyterian
Church.

Monday, June 10— Commencement
Day.

9:45 A. M.— Academic Procession
from Wright Hall.

10:00 A. M.— Commencement Exercises
Memorial Gymnasium. Commencement
address by the Rev. Dr.
Timothy Stone, Pres, of
The Presbyterian Theological
Seminary,
Chicago.

12:00 noon— Commencement Luncheon—
Wright Hall. (Tickets 75c except for
invited guests).

NOTE: All exercises Eastern Standard
Time.

ALUMNI NEWS

BUSINESS MEETING

At our meeting for business June 8,
1929, according to our constitution,
we must elect officers. The present
officers hope that all Alumni present
will attend the meeting and talk a
little so that suggestions will be forth-
coming which will be valuable to the
new officers.

One of the things which is supposed
to be done is the election of class sec-
retaries. It is hard to get informa-
tion in proper form if there are no
class secretaries. Will each class rep-
resented at Alumni day elect or an-
nounce the secretary?

Another matter of great importance
is that of objective. Alma College
Alumni are sufficient in numbers now
so that some definite program should
be started which will require the sup-
port of all members. Will you think
of something that might be begun?

Every year there are many who
return but who do not attend the busi-
ness meeting. Surely it is a dry,
tedious affair like all business meet-
ings but unfortunately that can't be
helped. The officers assure you that
everything will be run off as rapidly
as possible so as not to interfere with
your time for visits with former friends.

THE LOSING YEAR

Another year of activities is
drawing to a close and Alma Col-
lege is adding one more year to its
history.

The component parts of a college
all work together to bring about
the results of the college as a
whole. There is the administra-
tion- what accomplishments could
they produce without the student
body. Likewise the student body
could receive no recognition or ob-
tain practically no results without
the faculty and administration. The
faculty would of course be of no
value to the institution without the
students and so it goes.

Into this scheme of things comes
a group who from all intents and
purposes couldn't help themselves
and that group is called the Alum-
ni. The Alumni exist and always
will in spite of anything they can
do in the matter. Where then do
they fit in the complete picture of
a college.

The main function of the Alum-
ni is in what they can do for the
institution. Alumni who become
such automatically and as auto-
matically do nothing are not wor-
thy of the classification but the
college claims them just the same
and it is often said that the worth
of a college is reflected in its Al-
umni and their achievements. A
college that produced Alumni who
never arose beyond the labor group
or who never contributed toward
the advancement of humanity
would be soon eliminated from
consideration as an institution of
learning and would have nothing
left except its endowment and phy-
sical plant.

It is then the achievements of
the Alumni that brings pride to the
college and the Alumnian always
feel proud of the class which leaves
the institution each June to be-
come Alumni and ?

During the year now closing the
Alumni have been more than kind
in replying to questions asked by
the college. The results of the
questions were tabulated in a di-
rectory and copies were mailed to
all whose addresses were obtained.
Many wrote about the impression
the directory gave them and the
college wishes to congratulate the
Alumni on their assistance in the
matter of the directory. We hope
the next project, whatever it is,
will receive equal support. A whole-
hearted supporting Alumni will
bring about great things at the
old college. In the name of Alma
College accept thanks.

Alma College

Chester R. Robinson,
Assistant Secretary

SOME COMMENTS

Jack Thoma wrote from Grand
Haven high school that he liked the
Directory. Jack was sent out a year

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 Rosencrans, Mrs. John. (Celia Greaser), Middleton.
 Rucker, Mrs. James C., (Alice Virginia Kennedy), 23G McDowell Road Lexington, Ky.
 Seaver, Meryl Lora. 8223 Merrill Detroit. Teacher.

were written on the sheep-skins there appeared a group of twelve graduates which formed the class of 1904.
 Clans of 1904
 Dunning, Rev. John Wirt. D. D., 832 Lovell St., Kalamazoo, Presbyterian Minister.
 Hart, Mrs. A. B., (Nellie Stringham), 5025 Baltimore Ave. Philadelphia, Pa.

either as an Alumnus or a former student, so will as many as possible join in the festivities which only reunions can bring. You will be glad to see each other and the College, Faculty and Students will be glad to see you. WELCOME.

CAMPBELL, CARTY TO HAVE CAMP

Coach Royal R. Campbell and Arthur "Red" Carty will conduct a summer camp for boys on Black Lake in the northern part of the lower peninsula. Coach and "Red" have already made most of the necessary arrangements for the project and during the past week issued a very elaborate camp bulletin or catalogue stating the features of the camp, which will be called A-Ga-Ming, which means "A Friendly Forest Lake" in Indian.
 The organizers will be assisted in the supervision and work of the camp by a number of Alma people. Paul Bernd, who graduated from Alma last June, is on the staff and will supervise one of the athletic activities of the camp. "Wally" Pezet, "Al" Dean, and Dave Golden are the other Alma students on the Camp staff, Dr. MacCurdy, Head of the College Biology Department, will give a week of his vacation to the boys of the camp and will instruct them in the lore of nature.

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SOME COMMENTS

Ken Fry, ex 1924, has been sports editor of the Chicago Evening Post since the first of the year according to information received from "the Editor and Publisher" in a column headed "Folks Worth Knowing." We think so too.

Ralph Frazer is now located at 416 West 2nd Street, Flint, in the insurance business and drops in at the College occasionally. Out 1928.

Romaine G. Hogan, who was Frazer's partner in the egg business in Delimit, is reachable at 457 Ardmore, Grand Rapids. He is advancing in a company which leads the world in the manufacture of store equipment furniture. Out 1928.

One of the 1928 boys fooled his triends and was married recently. His address now is 131 Pleasant Ave., Highland Park, Illinois and he is an efficient Boy Scout executive.

The Kg girls are responding nobly to their efforts to obtain information about them. One who replied with an additional note attached to her questionnaire was Frieda Ubz ("Fritz") and it is still Miss-Address 124 South 2nd street-Saginaw, Michigan.

Rev-Ralph M - Dean was kindstruct the boys in the art of woodcraft and tell them much of Indian lore. He was at Pells-ton inNorthern Michigan but is now inP'lor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Centreville, Michigan. Out 1931.

From China

Rev-Charles Ernest Scott, class of 1898- now addressed care of Presbyterian Mission, Tsinan, Shantung, North China, says: "I trust that some weeks ago you received the questionnaire from me and that you as you desired. Please drop me a line concerning the matter."

As the official bulletin of the Camp states. Mesdames Campbell and Carty will be on deck to care for any cases of home-sickness which may arise.

Chief Potasunk, a real Chippewa Indian chief, will be one of the attractions of the camp. Located in his wigwam in full regalia he will instruct the boys in the art of woodcraft and tell them much of Indian lore. He will also teach the boys how to paddle a canoe. The "Big Injun" will feature in the camp fire programs presented each evening for the entertainment of the boys.

The Camp is ideally located on one of Michigan's beautiful inland lakes and will be an ideal place for the boys of the city to spend their summer's vacation. Any boys between the ages of eight and seventeen are eligible providing that they are intelligent and of good moral character.

Librarian Tells

Of Recent Trip

"Much to write: exciting here all the time and terrible conditions of which you can hardly dream.

"The enclosed may interest some who may still remember me. I was born and raised in Alma-

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Hurst, Mrs. F. R., (Bertha Higbee), 1732 Woodworth, Alma, H. S. Teacher. Hurst, Frank R., died October 1915. M cBride. Rev. James L., Quarters 14. Fort Monroe, Va., Army Chaplain. Randels. Mrs. George B., (Elizabeth Schmidt), 301 Grant Ave., Alma. Ronald. Mrs. H. N., (Kate Blair), 525 W. High St., Portland, Indiana. Stornzand. Martin J., Ph. D., 915 Orlando Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., Prof., of Education, University of S. California.

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Booth, Frances Thorne, (deceased). Clarke. Mrs. J. T., (Maude Bishop), Harbor Springs. Johnson. Weston T., (Rev.) D D. 228 McAllister St.. San Francisco!

Calif., Pacific District Secretary, Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions. Porter. Rev. Harry E.. 3817 N. Sawyer Ave., Chicago* Ill., Minister, Avondale Presbyterian Church.

(Grace Then for the last class to reunite this year, we hope to welcome Mrs. L. V Bram, (Esther Marsh), of 436 Thompson Street, Flint, who is the sole survivor of the class graduated in 1894.

Of course Alma College will more than welcome anyone who returns

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Clack Compiles Academic Report
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 89, Sen. 42, Total 274, Spec. 11, Grand Total 285, Increase —1.10.
 1928-29—Frosh 127, Soph 62, Jun. 55, Sen. 32, Total 276, Spec. 19, Grand Total 295, Increase 3.51.
 NOTE: The increase in enrollment for the five years 1894-99 was 31%; for 1904-09 was 49%; for 1909-14 was 25%; for 1914-19 was 33%; for 1919-24 was 51%; for the last five years (1924-29) it has been practically stationary.

Ratio of Men and Women Enrolled in the College
 (First figures are percent men, second figures, percent women.)
 1917-18—48.13, 51.87; 1918-19—59.58, 40.42; 1919-20—58.37, 41.63; 1920-21—56.02, 43.98; 1921-22—52.16, 47.84; 1922-23—59.85, 40.15; 1923-24—60.21, 39.79; 1924-25—62.17, 37.82; 1925-26—64.34, 35.66; 1926-27—66.67, 33.33; 1927-28—65.61, 34.38; 1928-29—58.18, 41.82.

Distribution of Homes of College Students Over Michigan
 (This includes all students in the four college classes who registered during the year. Several of these withdrew early.)
 States—All Michigan 268, Ohio 4, New Jersey 2, New York 2, Illinois 2, Indiana 1, Tennessee 1, Iowa 1—Total 282.

Cities having largest delegations—Alma 68, Detroit 31, Saginaw 21, Flint 9, St. Louis 8, Traverse City 7, Bay City 4, Crosswell 4, Ithaca 4, Pontiac 4.
 Note that over 60% of our students come from the five counties traversed in going from Alma to Detroit via Saginaw.

Religious Preferences Of Alma College Students (1928-29).
 (This does not include special students or those taking only Music, but it does include several students who left early and who are not included in the enrollment figures in the college catalogue.)

Presbyterian—Members 125, Preference 26, Total 151, percent 53.3.
 Methodist—Members 41, Preference 4, Total 45, Percent 15.9.
 Congregational—Members 15, Preference 2, Total 17, Percent 6.0.
 Episcopalian—Members 9, Preference 2, Total 11, Percent 3.9.
 Baptist—Members 9, Preference 2, Total 11, Percent 3.9.
 Christian—Members 8, Preference 1, Total 9, Percent 3.2.
 Lutheran—Members 6, Total 6, Percent 2.2.
 Roman Catholic—Members 6, Total 6, Percent 2.2.
 Christian Science—Members 3, Total 3, Percent 1.1.
 Jewish—Members 3, Total 3, Percent 1.1.
 Friends—Members 1, Total 1, Percent 0.3.
 Evangelical—Members 1, Total 1, Percent 0.3.
 Armenian—Members 1, Total 1, Percent 0.3.
 Universalist—Members 1, Total 1, Percent 0.3.
 United Brethren—Preference 1, Total 1, Percent 0.3.
 No Choice—Preference 16, Total 16, Percent 5.7.
 Total Members 229, 80.9%; Preference 54, 19.1%, Grand Total 283, Total Percent 100.00.
 To compare with this note that of 27 Faculty Members there are 20 Presbyterians (74.1%), 4 Methodists (14.8%), 2 Baptists (7.4%), and 1 Congregationalist (3.7%).

Occupations For Which Students Are Preparing
Men
 Business—Senior 2, Junior 9, Soph. 13, Frosh 7, Total 31.
 Medicine—Sen. 4, Jun. 6, Soph. 6, Frosh 8, Total 24.
 Law—Sen. 6, Jun. 2, Soph. 2, Frosh 11, Total 22.
 Engineering—Sen. 1, Jun. 2, Soph. 2, Frosh 10, Total 15.
 Teaching—Sen. 4, Jun. 3, Soph. 2, Frosh 6, Total 15.
 Ministry—Jun. 1, Soph. 4, Frosh 3, Total 8.
 Dentistry—Jun. 2, Soph. 3, Frosh 3, Total 8.
 Coaching—Jun. 1, Frosh 7, Total 8.
 Journalism, Jun. 1, Soph. 1, Frosh 3, Total 5.
 Chemistry—Jun. 2, Frosh 1, Total 3.
 Miscellaneous—Sen. 1, Jun. 1, Frosh 1, Total 3.
 Undecided—Sen. 3, Jun. 7, Soph. 1, Frosh 12, Total 23.
 1917-18—Sen. 21, Jun. 37, Soph. 45, Frosh 72, Total 175.

Women
 Teaching—Sen. 10, Jun. 1, Soph. 21, Frosh 22, Total 54.
 Library Work—Soph. 2, Frosh 4, Total 6.
 Music—Frosh 1, Total 1.
 Nursing—Sen. 1, Jun. 1, Soph. 1, Frosh 1, Total 4.
 Journalism—Frosh 2, Total 2.
 Science—Sen. 1, Frosh 1, Total 2.
 Miscellaneous—Sen. 1, Jun. 1, Soph. 1, Frosh 1, Total 4.
 Undecided—Sen. 2, Jun. 3, Soph. 3, Frosh 10, Total 18.
 Total 151, 100%.

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