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College Recital to
be Given May 27
Students of Piano, Voice and Violin to Appear.

Alma College will present group of students from the piano
voice, and violin departments in recital Wednesday evening, May 2
at $7: 30$ P. M. in the college chape at $7: 30 \mathrm{P}$. M. in the college chapel
These people do not represent al of the music students but rather
those who have advanced suftic those who have advanced sufficiently to be given work in concert
performance. The people of Alma performance. The people of Alma
always look forward with pleasur-
able anticipation to this able anticipation to this annual
event. The program offers an excellent alent and repertoire
It will be presented as printed It will
low.



Requiem
Morning


## Kefgen, '10, Is Named State Prison

 Pison Commission Hea was recently Selgen of Bay Citythe Michigan State prison commission. Mr. State prison com
ber of the Class is a memserves as one of tho10 and als this institution. He the trustees of

Fred Meyer-Do you like to Jean Bird-No, let's stop danc-
ing.

## Reagan Will Ascend Dizzy Heights

 of Flagpole on Thursday AfternoonEvery senior who graduates
from Alma College contributes
something or other to the school
and on Thursday afternoon at four
o'clock, Hoyt Reagan, outstanding
senior, from Bay City will ascend
the dizzy heights of the college
flagpole and replace the rope so
that "Old Glory" may once more
the
float over the campus.
Mr. Reagan tells us this isn't his
of
first attempt at trying to reach
the top of things. He's been try-
ing to get to the top of his class
for a long time and has finally
succeeded.
When he reaches to top (opti-Michigan, Michigan
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fes and Wayne

Five MIAA Track Records Held by Alma Still StandNocturneAlma will have five records at
stake when the six M. I. A. A. col-
leges compete with one another
next week at the annual Field and
Track meet, which is to be held
in Kalamazoo on May 29, and 30.
Lamboy's record-making run in the
220 low hurdles last year gave Kal-
amazoo a tie with the Scots at five
each, for the number of recordsheld.
These two schools share the
honors in the hundred dash recordWalker of Kazo equaled the marl
in 1 1914. This year mad se Mar
tin of Hope either tying so break-Albion, each holding three of the the
remanining six. Hope and olive
are without an all-time record ayet, but this year's meet may
change the strory held by Alma
Another record heldAnother record held by Alma
was set by Bentley, '25, in the 440
yard dash with a time of 50.7 sec-yard dash with a time of 50.7 sec-
onds. Norman, "Bull" Borton setthrow of 132 feet 7 inches, and
the next year he jumped to 5 fee
$111 / 2$ inches for a new mark$111 / 2$ inches for
the high jump.
AndAnd last of all comes the last
event of any track meet, the re-
lay. The mile relay team oflay. The mile relay team of 1915
set a time that is still to be beaten
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$3: 31.8$.

Junior Music Students
to Give Recital Monday
The annual spring
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unusual in that a student will d
ienced men were hired in the past.
Reagan in a Death Defying Asce
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$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Alma on List of Colleges } & \text { George Walker is Elected } \\ \text { to be Circulated Abroad } \\ \text { The third ecdita } \\ \text { IRC President at Banquet }\end{array}$ | The third |
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George Walker of Dearborn, wa
elected to the presidency of the I
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year at the banquet given la
Tuesday evening in Wright Ha
by Dean Florence M. Stewar
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## Let the Editor Speak

As we near the end of this job of editing the Almanian, our sentiour exchanges:
"And what have you done?" St. Peter asked,
"That I should admit you here?"
"I edited the Almanian," I said,
"My junior and senior year."
St. Peter, pityingly smiling, turned,
And rang a little bell.
"Go in, poor fellow, and choose a harp,
"You've had your share of hell."
Everything must end-even a class period, though there are times when it seems that they never will. Spring elections for next year's officers, term papers, and a bulletin board full of employment notices spells the end of another school year.

We have spoken of the spring elections, which are to be held on the last Thursiay in May under the supervision of the present Student Council. It is interesting to note that they come and go as just another event during the week with no particular ballyhoo or disrupting. influences. A fact we like to see.

Perhaps there is much to be desired in our system, but in spite of some theoretical weaknesses, things function pretty well. In the elections this week it is the duty of every student to vote, but more than that, each cese should carefully consider who will best perform the Morf of thas patticular offices up for election.

In a latiff to the Olivet Echo last week we stated that, in our opinion, we bial wot believe the system of election and representation existed that rives everyone a perfectly equal and fair voice in student porvanment: One group will always control-but why shouldn't they? Thef if ghe if the things that an organization of this type has to offer those who join, and those who choose to be independent must give up this phase of college life. After all what political position does not demand an organization of some type to obtain it, and we must remember that in the final analysis we are all students of Alma College, re gardless of race, color, or previous condition of servitude (or, perhaps, regardless of society affiliation).

And now for the second time we will say our farewells (this time it is sure to be much more final than our farewell of a year ago) and leave you with the happy thought that a new editor is sure to carry on next year. We do not want to close, however, without expressing our deepest appreciation to those societies and groups, who through their members have helped the staff so freely in the writing of The Almanian during the past semester.

The editor has spoken-now adieu, kind friends, adieu. We can no longer stay with you.

| CAMPUSOLOGY <br> To Parker Lofthouse: | are all going down in history. -any old college. <br> Then there was the frosh in. Veiling of "finmey. |
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| U Alma! Dear Alma! where stuous of ease, <br> I slumbered seven years-then | Heard at the dance. "You feel familiar." |
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| Who was the two-miler hurriedly seen leaving the track when Prexy hove into view ? |  |
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| let a fool kiss them, while others let a kiss fool them. |  |
| Wadgy and some of the boys have been Bass Laking it . . . . . | and Greta Wilson, the twin Guesns |
| Zetas in church Sunday-no one bought a Sunday paper. | A. |
| Manj-you better draw your shade. | Kalum |
| Prexy-I've come to bail you out. | whith will be the except that sacim |
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Five Soc Students Attend Seniors Skip Campus for a Day of Shuffleboard, Urban Seminar in Detroit

Five sociology majors, Edith Leo Washburn, and Joe Joe Vitek,
went went to Detroit on Friday for an Urban Sociology Seminar at the Dodge Community House which
lasted until Sunday a fternoon lasted until Sunday afternoon.
Friday afternoon was spent in Frididy afternoon was spent in
visiting the Plymouth factory as
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ample of a smalle In the evening. the group divid- Lould have no effect on their game, Joe Savoldi Knight started blast
 social affairs going in the neikh- holes of golf before tern in ine por thed time. Bailey als borhood of community house, such Jane Rice, Scheifley, Mapes, and and shafle
as an exhibition in the Slovak Hall and a party given by one of the nearby factories.
A truant officer, a health officer of that district and a probation of-
ficer from the Juvenile Court spoke to the group and emphasized the importance of the community house in uniting these different factions in a district.
The entire neighborhood was
mapped out mapped out, showing the indussection, and the play centers. The section, and the play centers. The
Polish, German, Slavic, and Rus-
sian churches were visited on Sun sian churches were visited on Sun-
day morning and the seminar was finished with a tour of the community house.

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Getting off to a good start, on- most of the group where there
y a half hour later than the sched- were plenty ly a half hour later than the sched- were plenty of "wide open spaces"
uled time, the stately seniors uled time, the stately seniors de- but no horse. A softball game
gates serted their usual haunts last was started and while the players
Tuesday and skipped off to deah lacked some of the skill of th ole Crystal for their annual spring Detroit Tigers, they skill of the holiday. Evidence of the fact equal amount of color on the or to move about.
thers were following them close- of the day for those remaining be y into the creek and every other hind, not including Luther and But then came the eats and boy $\begin{aligned} & \text { Eyer who remained way behind } \\ & \text { even though they were playing }\end{aligned}$ But then came the eats and boy $\begin{aligned} & \text { even though they were playing } \\ & \text { golf. The lake was not forgotten }\end{aligned}$
wore they good. Hot-dogs burnd to a nice crisp black-either either, and many a senior took his hat or you sat around a hot fire. last dip into the wind-blown off the chos ". block and baked
and beans enough to start-well, bak- ter sitting around a few that were ith a cup of Top that off no so old, thoughts once more wimming in of water cookies, perhaps the little girl in Wright oranges, and nice black bananas Hall, so the class members limpmost delicious what proved to be ed, staggered, or were carried to Ah but thens picnic luncheon. their cars and set out for home. Idle muscles were set in action, es- boodbye and the last of a crimson pecially when Gretchen, Gretah, blush faded from the horizon six and Chick(en) dealt the cards for $\begin{aligned} & \text { lone seniors stole across the green, } \\ & \text { a } \\ & \text { slipped quietly into their car and }\end{aligned}$ a few hands of bridge, for they say siiped quietly into their car, and you have to use your head to play parted from. this pleasant scene-
that game. Back to the golf course went the last of a mad bunch of merryMiss Nelson Gives Senior Art Byers Plays for Philo Recital with Mr. Carter Spring Formal at Midland Miss Mae Nelson gave her sen-
ine Philomathean Literary so-
iecital in the college chapei
ciety held their spring Formal Wednesday, May 20th, with Elwin Saturday, May 23, at the Midland Carter assisting. As a surprise
for Miss Nelson, at the end of his $\begin{aligned} & \text { Country Club. Dinner and dance } \\ & \text { music was provide }\end{aligned}$ first group Mr. Carter sang a song, "Belated Tryst," the music written by Miss Nelson to a poem by Professor Clack. In the three groups Miss Nelson played, her numbers ranged from
the classic Bach to Debussy Moszkowski. The "Papillons" and Schumann were particularly well liked.
Miss Nelson has fine tone and a technique which should take her study of music to continue her study of music at the University
of Michigan next year. Mr. Carter sang two gs.
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ward, Dean Mitchell, Miss Fole Miss Houser. Dr. and Mrs Foley, mann, and Dr. and Mrs. MacGen.
General Chairman, Opal Hines Program, E. A. Man. Protram, E. A. Malcolm; Menu,
Dorothy Hannigan.

Election This Thursday
Hold Interest of Campus
Continued from page 1) Student Council Representative: Charles Humiston Gordon Purdy, Moon. Hester Council election of the Student will vote for four persons, juniors mores for three, and freshman for number of votes elected.

With English 26 students. in the
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