

Activity Fee Increase Is Explained By Crittenden

1940 SCOTSMAN PLANS ARE TOLD

Student Council Will Help in Publishing Costs. Students Assessed.

INDIVIDUAL PICTURES

Thursday in chapel, provisions for the increase in student activity fees and innovations for the 1940 Scotsman were explained to the student body.

A new plan for the Scotsman, which will be tried here for the first time this year, was explained by Editor Jack Crittenden, with further explanatory remarks being made by President John Wirt Dunning.

This year, part of the price for the Scotsman will be paid by the student council from the student activities funds. The rest of the price, or one dollar, will be paid by the students at the time they settle with the business office for the second semester.

In addition, everyone in the school will be assessed one dollar for an individual picture in the Scotsman. In making this announcement, Crittenden explained that this would allow each student two poses and all art work necessary on the picture before its use in the yearbook. Furthermore, Miss Stovall, local photographer, has stated that she will allow the one dollar towards any pictures which the students desire to have made up for personal use.

Explaining that the payment of two dollars, for the book and for the individual picture, will be made compulsory for all students as an assessed fee, Dr. Dunning stated that this arrangement is entirely advantageous to the students because they will receive more in the annual this year and will also have the distinction of an individual picture.

In further explanation of this move, which was made after much consideration and investigation as to the action of other schools, Dr. Dunning stated that this plan compares very well with that of other colleges of Michigan. He also said that the price of one dollar for individual pictures is very good, as other schools, even those with larger enrollments, do not get a better rate.

Alumni Group Celebrates Twenty Years of Activity

One of the most exclusive alumni groups of Alma college celebrated its 20th year of organization last Saturday night at the Detroit City Club. Hostesses were Ione, '10, and Gail, '12, Peacock, of Detroit. The group met for dinner at the Club and latter adjourned to the Peacock home for cards and other games. Guests included A. H. Lindley, '11; Miss Edna Brown, kg; Frank Bittner, '18; Eleanor Bittner, '12; Elizabeth, '11, and Meryl, '12, Seaver, and E. A. Tomes, '11. Mrs. Lindley and Mrs. Tomes also were present.

CHAPEL SPEAKER

Dr. C. L. Anspach, president of Central State Teachers College, Mt. Pleasant, addressed Alma college's chapel assembly this morning. The program was arranged by Alma's scholastic honorary society of which Bob Spencer is the president.

ALMANIANS SPEAK AT HOWELL SUNDAY

A group representing Alma college spoke at the Presbyterian church at Howell last Sunday. The church is considering the establishing of a scholarship for the college. Those who spoke were Dr. John W. Dunning, Lois Lindsay, Jack Crittenden, George DeHority. The group they addressed were composed mainly of high school students.

NEW DEBATE DUO WINS FOR ALMA

Sally Reed and Lois Lindsay Sweep Honors at Kalamazoo Debate.

Sally Reed and Lois Lindsay proved to be one of the most successful women's debate teams in the tournament held at Kalamazoo college last Wednesday, as they received three winning verdicts and no losses.

The girls defeated teams from Western State, Kalamazoo and Hope. This was surprising due to the fact that it was Miss Reed's first attempt at debating. The Alma women defended the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved that the United States should adopt a policy of strict isolation towards all countries (excluding those of the Western Hemisphere) engaged in armed civil or international conflict."

While the affirmative team was busy chalking up victories, the Alma negative team was having a difficult time. This team, composed of Mary Baker and Virginia Feighner, dropped three decisions without winning a debate.

Bob Thorn, '38, Writes From Urbana, Ill.

Bob Thorn, who graduated from Alma college in 1938, and is now doing advance study in chemistry at the University in Urbana, Illinois, has written the following letter to Rev. W. J. Malcolm of Three Rivers, Michigan.

605 W. Illinois
Urbana, Illinois.
October 27, 1939

Dear Rev. Malcolm:

How is the outlook at Alma for this year? Aside from reading the results of the football games in the papers, I don't hear a great deal concerning that part of the country. I am hoping that they are making as much progress spiritually and intellectually as they seemed to be making in a material way last year. After having spent four years there, I consider the former far more important than the latter, although I must confess that I was not very impressed when I first saw the buildings. Since then, however, I am of the opinion of the chap who considered a college as a log with a student on one end and a professor on the other.

As a boost for Alma in this part of the country, I might state that I have been elected to the Phi Lambda Upsilon, a national honorary chemical society, whose membership is based upon scholastic standing and personality.

Sincerely,
Bob Thorn

A Northwestern University scientific survey revealed that 44 per cent of the student body has halitosis.

SEMESTER EXAMS BEGIN THIS WEEK

Campus Activities Give Way to Reviews as Students End Semester 105.

Alma college students will draw semester number 105 to a close with final examinations beginning this week for all students. The last of the semester tests will be next Wednesday. Registration will begin February 5 and classes will begin the following day. Students wishing to register prior to the mid-semester holidays can do so in the Registrar's office.

Campus activities have taken a halt with the exception of the Hope-Alma basketball game next Saturday night. The game, promising to be one of the crucial games in the MIAA race, will begin at 8:00 p.m. Both teams have been beaten only once in conference competition, with Albion holding wins over both of them. During the vacation, Alma will play Central State Teacher's College, also at Memorial gymnasium on February 2.

Following the short, but indeed welcome, vacation period, the Scots will continue their hardwood schedule with two home games. February 5, Alma meets Kalamazoo, here, and Hillsdale comes to Alma on the following Friday night. The Scots hold wins over both of these teams.

The formal social season will commence with Phi Phi Alpha's formal dinner-dance to be held at the Midland Country Club on February 10. Kappa Iota sorority have tentatively set the date of February 17 for their very informal Varsity Sweater Swing.

MYSTERY PLAY PROVES BIG HIT

"The best performance ever given by the Drama club," was the opinion voiced by many who witnessed the presentation "The Night of January 16th," by the Alma college drama club last Friday night at the auditorium of the local high school. Jean Taylor, Louis Ohlinger and Bruce Lindley handled the leads. Mr. Marvin Volpel directed.

Miss Taylor played the difficult role of the defendant while Lindley and Ohlinger handled the roles of the two attorneys. An interesting and entertaining group of witnesses and court attendants completed the cast.

Something different in the way of theatricals was offered in that the jury selected to hear the trial was paneled from the audience. The jury consisted of college students and local Alma residents. Dave Kinney was the foreman of the jury which handed down the verdict of not guilty. Two endings were rehearsed for the play.

PRESS CONVENTION

The second annual Michigan Collegiate Press Convention will be held February 16 on the Michigan State College campus. The convention is sponsored by the N. W. S., professional journalism fraternity at Michigan State. Alma college will be represented.

Dr. W. E. Kaufmann of Alma college was re-elected Thursday night in Saginaw as president of the Valley Trails Boy Scout Council for 1940, and several other Gratiot county men were given official responsibility in this connection.

Dr. Bowman Will Speak For Religious Emphasis Week

Chapel Choir Will Present Concerts in Detroit Area

As yet, no definite date has been announced by Prof. Jess W. Ewer, of the Alma college Music Department, for the trip to be taken to Detroit and surrounding area by the Chapel choir. The group will present concerts in Detroit, Birmingham, Pontiac, Ferndale, Redford, and Royal Oak.

DEBATERS ARGUE AT ALBION MEET

State Tourney Held on Last Thursday. Negative Team Wins.

Alma college's men's debate squad traveled to Albion last Thursday to participate in the state debate tournament. The affirmative teams making the trip were; Woodrow Wooley, Bruce Mellinger, Paul Hurell, and Wilbur McCrumm; while the negative teams consisted of Charles LeClaire, Marvin Koffman, Harold Draper and Jack Gilchrist.

The negative squad made a clean sweep of their debates defeating Wayne University, Hope college, Kalamazoo college, Western State Teacher's college, and Grand Rapids Jr., college.

The affirmative squad failed to get into the win column, and lost to Michigan State Normal college, Manchester college, Albion college, Hillsdale college, and Wayne university.

The teams will undoubtedly meet many of these opponents again when they travel to Huntington, Indiana, to a tournament sometime next month, and to another tournament to be held at Michigan State college later in the year.

Six members of the squad went to Lansing last Saturday to act as judges in a state high school tournament held at Lansing Central high school. Those making the trip included Harold Draper, Jack Gilchrist, George Jennings, Stewart McFadden, Wilbur McCrumm and Paul Hurell.

Coach Carney Smith announced today that many debates before Grange meetings in the state are being arranged for the men and women's squads, and that several round table discussions will be held before various high school audiences. A round table discussion before Big Rapids high school is being planned, and will be participated in by members of the Alma college squad and members of the Western State Teachers' college squad.

Almanians Are Active In Coaching Game; One From Foreign Country

Through questionnaires sent to about fifty former Alma college students who are now engaged in teaching and coaching, thirtyeight returned their questionnaires giving their complete history in the coaching field since their graduation or departure from Alma.

Three of them have graduated into positions in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic association; two head coaches and one assistant coach. They are Gordon A. Macdonald, '27, director of athletics here at Alma, and Dwight B. Harwood, x-'14, who is now head coach at Hillsdale college. Art Smith, '38, is now assistant coach here at

FEB. 26-29 SET FOR OBSERVANCE

Chicago Minister Experienced in Field. Arrangements by Religious Life Committee.

Dr. John W. Dunning, president of Alma college, today announced that Dr. Harold Leonard Bowman, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Chicago, Illinois, will conduct services during Alma's Religious Emphasis Week here, February 26-29.

Listed in "Who's Who in America," Dr. Bowman has had considerable experience in the field of Religious education. He is a graduate of Coe College of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Chicago. For a number of years he taught at the American University in Syria.

Prior to assuming the pastorate of the Chicago church, he was in the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church in Portland, Oregon, for 13 years. He took over the preaching duties in Chicago in 1933. He has talked to many college students throughout the country in different colleges and universities.

The program for the week is being arranged by the College Religious Life committee. Further details will be announced from time to time through the columns of the Almanian.

PHI-ZETA SOFTBALL TEAMS TO BE READY

While the big leagues are still talking about Judge Landis' latest decision, local sports enthusiasts are concerned over more important baseball, or rather softball news. The average Alma student doesn't realize that the annual Phi-Zeta softball game is scarcely five months away. Already there have been vague rumblings of activity from the rival camps. Rumors of trades and front office shifts have been making the rounds for weeks.

In an attempt to get a little pre-season dope, your reporter dropped in at the Phi house the other day for a short interview with Webster Cutler, muscular manager who guides the destinies of the Phi squad. Cutler was enthusiastic over this year's squad, but would give us no hint, mind you, no hint whatsoever, as to its personal. "Is it true that you have been saying, 'Break up the Zetas?'" we asked.

"I may have said that in the ex-

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Alma. College alumni records list a number of former Alma athletes in coaching fields outside of the state. However only one questionnaire was returned from outside of Michigan. Paul D. Wolfe, x-'29, now of Hamlin, Pennsylvania, although not in the coaching field at present, has traveled quite a long distance since leaving Alma. He taught and coached at Warwick, N.Y., for five years and then spent two years in France, where he coached football, basketball (see picture), and baseball.

Those who answered the Al-

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Comedy News

Sunday and Monday, Jan. 28-29
GRETA GARBO and
MELVYN DOUGLAS in

Ninotchka

Our Gang Comedy News

Fraternity and Sorority News

Cramming week has certainly minimized the social activities of the campus in the event of the coming exams. In fact the social calendar for this week just isn't.

However 44 of the Phi Phi Alphas rallied together last week for their annual banquet in the dining room of Wright Hall. The fellows have found it difficult to all get together as so many of them are "swipes". Carl Wahlsten and Gerald Lappin made the arrangements for the dinner.

The Kappa Iota Society formally pledged 10 freshman women on Tuesday evening, January 16. The pledges are Key Peshke, Margaret Conrad, Phyllis Sowton, Jean Fink, Silena Luchini, Alice Peterson, Helen Dehnke, Norma Lincoln, Marjorie Croft, Cathleen Root.

Eight first year women were pledged by the Pi Sigma Nu Society last night. The sorority presented pledge pins and yellow roses to the following girls: Mary Jane Reed, Beverly Armstrong, Jean Merrill, Elaine Neville, Virginia Rieberg, Virginia Feighner, Lois Hawkins and Rhea Cunningham.

Alumni News

NEW DETECTIVE CHIEF

Robert B. McKenzie, who was a student at Alma in 1909-10, and who figured prominently in the Detroit police shake-up, has been promoted to the new office of deputy chief of detectives. Mr. McKenzie was one of the men who came through the investigation with a clean record. The Detroit Free Press, last week, commented, very favorably on the fine work McKenzie has done, and his enviable record.

Another Basketball Star

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Volk (Claire Wilson, x-'34) a son, John Stanley, jr., December 29, 1939, at Clawson. Mr. Volk, who was graduated from Alma in 1935, is well-known for his basketball ability, being selected on the all-MIAA basketball team in 1934 and was leading conference scorer. Another Alma star for the future.

TOWNSEND'S

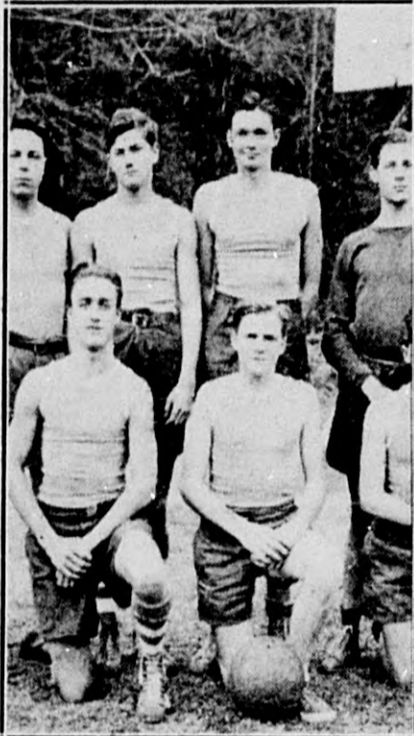
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BASKETBALL



... A La France ...

Paul D. Wolfe, x-'29, coached this basketball team above, at Pau, France. Mr. Wolfe has since been coaching at Warwick, N. Y.

Letter ...

(Editors Note: Below is a letter returned with an Almanian questionnaire which was sent to all coaches of which there are records in the alumni files.)
Hamlin, Pa.

Dear Editor:

I received your letter and am enclosing the picture. After locating it, I've wondered whether or not it will be suitable.

Pau is in the southern part of France and as there is very little snow and as the temperature seldom goes below freezing, basketball is played the year around. As France does not maintain a system of public education in any way comparable to ours, nor the money for gymnasiums such as we have for our smallest high schools, the game is played out-of-doors.

Most of the boys in this picture have since graduated from colleges and some of them achieved athletic honors much more important than one would suppose from the picture.

Their names are: top row, left to right, Robert Portner, Frank Olmsted, Bill Wood, Jack Portner. Bottom row, James Dresser, Tom Wood, Wm. Willoughby.

Concerning your inquiry: I did not graduate from Alma. I was a transfer for my junior year from Lafayette college returning to the latter school for the senior year. However as between the two schools, I would choose Alma. Being a transfer, I played freshman football for a few games while there and learned enough to put out some good high school teams. My father also attended Alma college.

Sincerely yours,
Paul D. Wolfe.

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ALMA-HOPE CLASH HIGHLIGHT OF CAGE SCHEDULE

Both Teams Still In Race; Albion Leads Conference

SCOTS OUT FOR FIFTH MIAA WIN

Battle of Giants Is Promised as Hope Dutchmen Invade Alma Saturday.

Facing what is rated as their second toughest MIAA game, Alma college's Scots will meet Hope's Dutchmen Saturday evening in Memorial gymnasium.

Coach Gordon A. Macdonald's boys will be after their fifth league victory in six starts, with the only loss to date being at the hands of Albion's Britons, 28 to 27.

The game with Hope will mark another crucial milestone in the MIAA race as the Dutchmen are rated at the top along with Albion and Alma. Although Coach Bud Hinga's men lost to Albion by a slight margin after holding a large half-time advantage, they are still a tough team in any language.

At present, Albion is leading the MIAA, followed by Alma and Hope, who have each suffered one defeat at the hands of the Britons. In spite of these defeats, however, both teams are still very much in the MIAA race, and much will depend upon the outcome of Saturday night's contest.

The same Alma combination which has started in other games to date is expected to take the floor for the Scots. This will include Capain Jack (Bud) Howe and Warren Hartt at forward; Keith Carey, at center; Tinker Kirby, and Danny Gallagher at guards.

With this quintet facing the Dutchmen, fans are sure to see a speedy battle of giants with height being about the same. Especially to be watched on the Hope team is Lee Brannock, ace center.

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MIAA Standing

Albion	4	0	1.000
Alma	4	1	.800
Hope	4	1	.800
Kalamazoo	2	2	.500
Hillsdale	2	4	.333
Olivet	0	4	.000
Adrian	0	5	.000

INTRA-MURALS FIGHT FOR LEAD

By Ace Cutler

Intra-mural basketball swung into the race for the lead, this past week, with all teams getting into play. Only three teams have yet to win a game.

On Wednesday night the Duds broke their two-game losing streak when they defeated the Scamps 28 to 18 with Gay of the Duds scoring 14 points while Cook was high for the losers with 12. In the second game of the evening the Phis defeated the Alphas, 30 to 17. Ed Penner was the high scorer for the Phis with 17.

The battle continued on Saturday with the high scoring Zebras defeating the Hawks, 44 to 11. Adams and Carr for the Zebras led the scoring with 12 each. The Snipers held onto the league lead by defeating the Scamps 26 to 21 with Bob Dickenson getting 18 points. The Sigmas, with Dick Ginther collecting 18 points for high scoring honors, defeated the Rebels 35 to 18. The Taus came back into the thick of the fight by defeating the Delts 43 to 10. McKeith and Baklarz scored 14 and 13 points respectively.

The game which proved to be the thrill was the battle between the Punks and Ramblers with the former winning, 25 to 24. The scoring of both teams was evenly divided. By virtue of their victory the Punks remained on the top with the Snipers.

MIAA GAMES This Week

Albion at Adrian, Tuesday.
Kalamazoo at Olivet, Tuesday.
Olivet at Hillsdale, Friday.
Hope at Alma, Saturday.
Kalamazoo at Albion, Saturday.

SCOTS IN FORM, WHIP YPSI, 69-41

Entire Starting Five Figures Heavily in Scoring. Kirby Gets 10 Field Goals.

By George H. DeHority

The Mac-men returned to winning form last Friday night in rolling up a 69 to 40 victory over Michigan State Normal college at Ypsilanti. This was their tenth win in 13 games.

Starting cold, the Scots got their big drive under way midway in the first half, never to be headed by the Ypsi quintet. Led by the gunning of Tinker Kirby with 10 field goals, the entire Alma starting five figured heavily in the scoring.

When Michigan Normal knotted the score at 2-2 in the first minute, it was the closest that they ever came to seeing victory, for the Scots, paced by Bud Howe's seven points, played consistent but uninspiring ball the first half to command a half-time lead of 27 to 15.

Normal Coach Elton A. Rynearson's five started a rally early in the second half but, with the score at 30-23, Coach Gordon A. Macdonald's boys got their attack rolling. Ypsi reserves tried desperately to stop the Alma attack, but the Scots continually scored under the basket and broke the Michigan Normal defense by sharp-shooting from far out.

The Hurons were sparked by the offensive play of substitute forward Yeager with nine points and running mate Ken Hendy with seven.

Alma (69)	B	F	P	TP
Howe f	6	1	1	13
Hartt f	5	0	3	10
Carey c	5	2	1	12
Kirby g	10	0	3	20
Gallagher g	3	2	2	8
McCuaig	0	0	1	0
Holmes	0	0	0	0
Riggs	2	0	0	4
McLain	0	0	1	0
Krall	1	0	0	2
	32	5	12	69

Mich. Normal (40)	B	F	P	TP
Cook f	0	0	0	0
Hendy f	3	1	3	7
Carlson c	2	1	0	5
Davis g	0	0	0	0
Williams g	1	0	0	2
Yeager	4	1	1	9
Bennets	0	1	0	1
Grant	2	1	1	5
Oxley	2	1	0	5
Alsen	3	0	0	6
	17	6	5	40

Officials: Powers, U. of D., referee, Batterson, M. S. N. C., umpire.

Emms, D. Smith, Lead Pros to 42-22 Win Over Edmore

The Collegiate Club Pros kept on their winning ways in 1940 by defeating the Edmore Independents 42 to 22 last week at Memorial gymnasium. The game was a fast one and rather rough throughout. The Pros led 17 to 12 at half-time but put on the pressure in the second half to pull away to a comfortable margin. Jimmy Emms and Don Smith, with 11 and 10 points respectively, led the scoring. Summaries:

PROS	fg	ft	pf	tp
Adams, f	2	2	3	6
F. Hartt, f	3	1	1	7
D. Ginther, c	1	2	3	4
D. Smith, g	4	2	2	10
Emms, g	4	3	2	11
A. Smith, f	0	1	2	1
Dickenson, f	0	1	2	1
Hill, g	1	0	1	2
	15	12	16	42
EDMORE	fg	ft	pf	tp
Coutright, f	1	0	0	2
Ross, f	1	0	1	2
Shulow, c	3	3	4	9
E. Hansen, g	1	3	2	5
Albaugh, g	2	0	3	4
F. Hansen, f	0	0	2	0
	8	6	12	22

INTRA-MURAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.	P	OP
Snipers	3	0	1.000	88	49
Punks	3	0	1.000	62	54
Zebras	2	0	1.000	82	23
Sigmas	2	0	1.000	54	35
Phis	2	1	.667	64	46
Taus	1	1	.500	60	29
Rebels	1	1	.500	46	42
Alphas	1	2	.333	80	87
Duds	1	2	.333	46	63
Delts	1	2	.333	39	92
Hawks	0	2	.000	28	63
Scamps	0	3	.000	50	75
Ramblers	0	3	.000	57	98

KITTIES TROUNCE SCOTTIES, 45-33

Jack Howe Collects 19 Points to Lead Scoring. Central Has Tall Team.

By Marvin Koffman

Alma college's Scotties were handed their second straight defeat of the season by the Central State Teachers College Bearkitties at Mt. Pleasant last Friday night, 45 to 33.

Despite the nineteen points garnered by Jack Howe, Alma forward, the Scotties were unable to cope with a much taller Central State squad. Howe tallied two field goals and two free throws in the

Alma	fg	ft	tp
Howe, f	7	5	19
Heimforth, f	0	0	0
Fortino, c	2	1	5
Tait, g	1	1	3
Harsha, g	0	0	0
Crandall	1	0	2
Tullis	1	0	2
Moore	1	0	2
Total	13	7	33

C.S.T.C.	fg	ft	tp
Smith, f	8	2	18
Staley, f	5	5	15
Paskiawicz, c	2	0	4
Shuster, g	2	2	6
Schmakel, g	1	0	2
Total	18	9	45

Score at half: Alma 15; C.S.T.C. 20.

first half, and five more field goals and three free throws in the second period.

Central State held the lead throughout the game, and Alma

was never able to overtake them though they did come within two points of the lead during the game.

Coach Henry Howe started Don Heimforth and Jack Howe at the forward position, Bill Harsha and Jack Tait in the guard spots, and Sylvio Fortino at center. Max Tullis, "Doc" Crandall, and Wally Moore also saw action before the game ended.

The Scotties play the Hope college frosh here next Saturday evening as a preliminary to the Alma-Hope varsity game.

LEADING SCORERS IN INTRA-MURAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Player - Team	g	fg	ft	pf	tp
Dickenson Snipers	3	14	8	3	36
F. Hartt, Alphas	3	14	1	1	29
Carr, Zebras	2	11	0	0	22
Cook, Scamps	2	11	0	1	22
Adams, Zebras	2	10	0	0	20
Baklarz, Taus	2	9	1	3	19
D. Ginther, Sigmas	1	9	0	2	18
Phillips, Rebels	2	7	4	0	18
DeHority, Delts	2	7	4	1	15
Penner, Phis	1	7	3	3	17

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manian questionnaire are:
JAMES ALBAUGH: '30, Ionia, coached also at Berkley. Won nine letters at Alma; football, basketball, and baseball.
RICHARD C. BENDALL: '39, West Branch. On Alma's varsity football squad after transferring from Bay City J. C.
LYLE BENNETT: '35, Hastings, previously at Reed City, Rockford, and assistant at Alma college. Football, basketball and track letters while at Alma.
WILSON BLOCK: '36, assistant coach at Big Rapids, coached at Otisville. All-MIAA end in 1934-35. Also played basketball.
LEO D. BROWN: '35, Clare. All-MIAA halfback in football and forward in basketball. Also baseball and track.
STANLEY BUSSARD: '35, Montrose. Captained Scots football team in 1934. In 1933 picked on all-conference basketball team. Also on the track squad.
FLOYD E. BYRON: '32, baseball coach at South Junior high, Saginaw. Played football, basketball and baseball at Alma.
ART CARTY: '25, Detroit Denby high. Formerly at Detroit Northwestern. Alma letters in baseball, football, basketball, and track; captained basketball team two years; on the all-MIAA football and basketball teams.
HARLIE CATHERMAN: '26, retired from coaching. Coached at Fremont, Detroit Northwestern, and Detroit Mackenzie. All-MIAA halfback in 1923 and also played baseball, track, basketball.
RUSSEL CATHERMAN: '25, Detroit Mackenzie. 12-letterman in

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CLYDE DAWE: '37, Bad Axe. Captained Alma's basketball team, also on football and track squads.
GORDON DAWSON: '34, Mason. Won 9 letters. All-MIAA basketball center, 1933, forward, 1934. Track captain, 1933, football captain, 1934.

JOHN DARBEE: '36, Assistant coach at Lincoln high school, Ferndale.

HAROLD DEAN: '38, assistant, Alma high. Captain track team, 1938. Played football and basketball. Coached at Waterford.

ROBERT DEVANEY: '39, Big Beaver. All-MIAA football end. Captained football team, 1938.

CARL ELDER: '39, Madison high, Royal Oak. Football, basketball and track squads.

JOHN "BUTCH" GILBERT: '38, St. Charles. Captained football team and on track squad. All-MIAA fullback.

CARL GUSSIN: '31, St. Clements; Centerline. One of Alma's best all-around athletes.

MALCOLM GOBEL: '28, Charlotte. Previously at Belding. Played three years of football at Alma.

DWIGHT B. HARWOOD: x-14. Head coach, Hillsdale college. Previously at Ionia, Plainwell and Hillsdale high school.

ERWIN J. HENDERSHOTT: '28, Monroe. Previously at Portland and Morrice. Football, basketball, and track at Alma.

STEVE KEGLOVITZ: '37, Ithaca. All-MIAA guard, 1936, honorable mention as fullback in 1934. Also played basketball.

CHARLES LEADBETTER: '33, Detroit Pershing. Previously at Rockford, Detroit Northwestern. Football, basketball and all-MIAA second team while at Alma.

HENRY H. LEMOIN: '21, Otsego. Formerly at Rockford and Ewart. Football squad here at Alma.

GORDON A. MACDONALD: '27, Alma college. Coached at Traverse City before returning to Alma. Won every major letter given in athletics and captained nearly all of the athletic teams, and was picked on the all-MIAA football and basketball teams.

BOB MACK: '37, New Buffalo. Formerly at White Cloud. On Alma's football, basketball, and track squads.

JOHN MATHEWS: '39, Sheridan. Football, basketball, track at Alma.

LOUIS B. NICKLES: '28, Flint Northern. On Alma's tennis and track squads. Coaches tennis and swimming.

MAX NOVAK: '34, Remus. Formerly at Pellston. On Alma's football and basketball teams.

ROBERT NUNN: '38, Riverdale. Played varsity tennis. Coaches all sports.

KENNETH J. OTIS: '39, Harbor Springs. On Alma's football, basketball, tennis teams.

GEORGE PURDY: '39, assist-

From This End of Town

—By OUI TOO

Students getting too intellectual, too much study, not enough goin' on . . . Not much dirt . . . Who stole A Carter's pale dry off yon steps . . . Snuffy Smith with Phyllis Sowton . . . Bill Carr seems to be well established in the Wheeler league . . . Riggs dates Eloise Allen, run out of gas, he did too, right downtown . . . that's luck . . . B. B. (Big Bill) Ramsey got help to get a date, no dice, later she says . . . You know, exams . . . John Mathews with Verna Bernecker, Bob Fulton, (fast boy) and Sally Curry, Saturday night.

Jay Green doing o. k. every Wed. and Sat. nights . . . Quite a few W. H. visitors, last week-end. Gallagher helped to entertain one of 'em . . . Sherman moves into an o. k. territory . . . Russ and Jeanie got caught again . . . Congrates to Vic on Sat. nites meal . . . Predicting Alma will win all the rest of their basketball games, home and away . . . Hope so . . . Hope here Sat. nite.

All Over the Lot

Your big-eared correspondent, after looking wistfully at pictures of Bali-Bali, saddled a passing fancy, slid "around the lot," and found that: "Woodrow Wooley is in deep thought again." In last week's Almanian we said that

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"WOODY" WOOLEY

. . . Peps up Scots . . .

"Woody" told us that his business in the ice-cream and candy world was good when Alma was rolling up the points at all athletic games. After Alma's defeat by Albion, only scoring 27 points, Woodrow has been around the past week giving the boys the ole' pep talk in hopes of insuring his business for the rest of the Scots' home basketball games.

Prof. Brokenshire told this one in Religion 35: It seems that he went to a convention of Knights Templars with a cousin of his. On the way home he said: "Isn't it a shame that all those men at that convention will never get into heaven?"

His cousin said: "Why, what do you mean? I want you to know that my brother is a third-degree mason." "Yes, but they don't have any nights in heaven," said the Doctor.

Jack "Bud" Howe got a lot of help from Prof. Mitchell when the professor told the class to keep quiet, and give Howe a chance to think.

ant football coach, Saginaw Arthur Hill. Football and tennis, here.

FRED "CUDDY" SHAVER: '25, East Lansing. All-MIAA end, football; all-MIAA guard, basketball.

ARTHUR SMITH: '39, assistant coach, Alma college. 10 varsity letters; captain basketball team; all-MIAA second team choice for 2 years in football, basketball.

JIM TUMA: x-35, South Lake, St. Clair Shores. Previously at Marlette.

JOHN S. VOLK: '35, Clawson. Previously at Hesperia and Newaygo. Alma's all-MIAA center in basketball and conference high scorer for two years.

PAUL D. WOLFE: x-29, not coaching. Coached at Warwick, N. Y., and at Park Lodge, Pau, France.

BRUCE YORK: '36, Mt. Morris, previously at Pellston. Letters in football and track. Set MIAA broad jump record in 1935.

PHI-ZETA

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citement of the moment after last year's defeat," said Mentor Cutler, "but this year we can hold our own no matter how strong they'll be."

"Where will you establish your training camp?"
"We've been considering Catalina Island, but as the Chicago Cubs also train there, it will probably be at Crystal Lake, same as last year."

At this we left and went down to the Zeta house to see what the pre-game dope was down there. There was scarcely a soul around as the Philip J. Becker Memorial Marching and Chowder club was having its weekly outing. However, we did recognize one familiar face and went up to him to ask a few questions. It was none other than John Sieg, veteran outfielder with the Zeta squad. Sieg has achieved the distinction of being able to go farther back for a fly ball than anyone else in school. On one occasion, while playing right field, he went so far back for a fly ball that he went clear to Edmore and didn't get back for three days, thereby missing two days classes and a history test. But that's another story and we'll tell you that sometime. We put the question bluntly enough, "Who will be your manager this year?"

"Sally Reed."
We saw that he was confused. We rephrased it: "Who will manage the Zeta softball team this season?"

"Oh," said Sieg, blushing, "No one in particular. The field is open to anyone with good baseball sense." "And," he added, "a ball and bat."

"And where will you train this year?"
"The way things look now, most of the squad will train at Miami, Florida, or some place in Arizona."

"Will you beat the Phis this year?" we asked.
At this, a firm look came over his face. All the fire and zeal of years spent giving his all that his fraternity might prosper on the athletic field shone in his face, as in his most decisive fashion, he fairly screamed, "Will we beat who?"

"The Phis—the Phis, your opponents," we fairly screamed right back at him.

"Oh, them," he said sharply.
"Yes, them."
"Sure, by three baskets."
"No, No, in softball."
"In softball?"
"Yes—will you?"

The firm tone with which he answered this last question showed that there could be but one answer to this hardened old campaigner. He said simply, "I dunno."

Maybe it's a little too early to start thinking about softball, "I dunno."

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