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ELECTIONS HOLD CAMPUS INTEREST

Officers for Next Year Will Be Elected by Students Tomorrow Morning

With the nominations completed last Thursday and the ballots all printed the interest of Alma College once more turns to the task of electing class and campus officers for the next school year.

Seven persons now holding campus or class offices are seeking reelection in tomorrow's voting. Two class presidents have "cast their hats into the ring" for a second term. Bob Davies, president of the sophomore class, is a candidate for the junior presidency, while Fred Meyer, president of the freshman class, is candidate for the initial position of the sophomore class.

Four of the seven seeking reelection are members of the Student Council. Cyril Lewis is running for a fourth term as Council representative, and Elizabeth Ann Maholm, present representative of the junior class, will try to hold her office for next year. Riley Block, who as president of the junior class is a member of the council, seeks to remain on that body as a representative.

The last of the group of officers seeking to hold their present positions is Arthur Boynton in the race for editorship of the Almanian. It is the first time in many years that such a situation is possible with this office, for the Almanian editor is usually a senior.

The elections will be held between Chapel time and one o'clock under the supervision of the Student Council. Each student will be given two ballots, one for class officers and the other for campus officers.

The following names will appear as candidates for the campus offices:

Editor of the Almanian: Arthur Boynton and Luther Evans.

Business Manager of the Almanian: Fred Meyer and Edward Goggin.

Manager of Oratory and Debate: William Hood and George Walker.

President of the Athletic Board of Control: Russel Ludwig and Bruce York.

Student Athletic Manager: Cyril Lewis.

M. I. A. A. Representative: Riley Block and Louis Wiser.

The nominations for the officers of the various classes are as follows:

Junior class nominations:
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Dean F. Steward to Give Banquet for IRC Tonight

A banquet for the International Relations Club will be given tonight in the Wright Hall dining room by Dean Florence M. Steward, faculty sponsor for the group, after which the club will hold their final meeting of the year for the election of officers and preparations for the Memorial Day Chapel.

In addition to the members three faculty members who have taken part in the meetings and helped in the work of the group will be present. They are Miss Foley, Dr. Schreiber, and Professor Unstad.

The members who will be present are Jane Wright, Louise Hurst, Constance Clack, Claude Knight, Alfred Fortino, Myron Reyher, George Walker, Mack Crooks, Arthur Boynton, president, and Ormill Willis.

SENIORS LEAVE TROUBLES HOME

Skip Out to Crystal Lake, Leaving Lectures, Quizzes and Chapel Talks.

Thirty seniors, headed by Miss Gesner, none of whom are on the shores of the famous Crystal lake accompanied by their potato salad, sandwiches, etc., for their annual skip day last Thursday. The day was given over to playing and eating, even the skipping was left out.

Of course, skip days are supposed to be a secret, but not this one. Plans had been made for it some time in advance, and the preparations were by no means lacking. Some three or four cars set out about ten in the morning with the lunch (thanks to Queenie Schwartz), golf clubs, swimming suits, baseball equipment, and whatever else was felt necessary for a good time. In fact, about the whole sport field was covered during the day.

Baseball was the first, and in this the whole class starred. Miss Gesner was asked to umpire, but she preferred to play, and her slashing single to centerfield, driving in two runs, was good evidence that she knew what she was about. Fanny Seaver and Red Smith were the two captains, each with a powerful team of left-handed sluggers. The spectacular fielding plays of the day were contributed by Wart (Fence Climbing) Campbell, who went three
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RECORDS FALL AS KAZOO WINS MIAA MEET; ALMA 3RD

Schieffley is Individual Star for Alma; Hope Takes Second.

Two track and field records were creaked wide open as the Kalamazoo Hornets captured the MIAA Track and Field Meet on Upjohn Field at Kalamazoo last Saturday. The Scots were nosed out by the Dutchmen for second place, Hillsdale, Albion, and Olivet trailed in that order.

The Hornets with 8 first places amassed 57 points, the Dutchmen had two first places, and the Scots also had two. Albion failed to land a first place, although Hillsdale took two and Olivet one.

The Scots missed out on second place in the shot put, Frank Davis, Hillsdale record holder, put out the sphere 47 feet 9 3/4 inches to break his own record. Stan Bussard, who was the Alma hope for second place in this event, outdid himself with a heave of 39 feet 11 inches, his best effort of the season. Throughout the trials and the finals, Buzz's mark was second best and no one had come uncomfortably close to it. However, Buys, big Hope lineman, on his last throw put out the sphere over two feet farther than any previous throw to take second, and give his team second place in the meet.

John Lambooy, Hornet, dash and sprint star, set a new mark in the 220 low hurdles. His mark of 24.5 seconds bettered that of Rod Goeriz, former Hillsdale hurdler, who now competes with the Detroit police. Ralph Schieffley, the hope of the Scots, was on Lambooy's heels all of the way for second place.

Ralph Schieffley led the individual points scored with 13; consisting of a first in the 220 yard dash, seconds in the 100 yard dash, and 220 yard low hurdles, and a third in the 120 yard high hurdles. John Lambooy and Wilbur Hall of Kalamazoo with 11 and 10 points respectively, and Frank Davis of Hillsdale with 10, were the runners-up.

Bruce York took the other Alma first in the broad jump. His leap of 20 feet 1 1/2 inches topped those of Smith of Albion, Sinclair of Kalamazoo, and Reames of Olivet, who took the other places.

Lyle Bennett with thirds in the high jump and discus added four
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4 Graduates Secure Jobs for Next Year

Four seniors, Helen Walker, Lyle Bennett, Lyle Bennett, and Robert Brown, have already secured jobs for next year and a number of others have excellent prospects for employment in the teaching field or business.

Miss Walker will teach at Portland, Michigan. John Volk and Lyle Bennett have jobs teaching and coaching. John will go to Hesperia, while Lyle will carry out his duties at Hastings. Robert Brown will take up his job as soon as school is out with the Dow Chemical Works in Midland.

Two other seniors will continue their education in graduate school. Emery Kendall, winner of the Michigan fellowship, will take his Masters in Economics at the University, while Gordon Clack will continue his studies in the scientific field at Cornell.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR GRADUATION

Commencement Invitations Mailed; Farewell Communion Sunday Morning.

With the close of another school year only three weeks away, the finishing touches being put on term papers and preparation already started for final exams, the President and Faculty have sent out invitations for the Alma College Commencement program for 1935.

Commencement will begin with the Farewell Communion on Sunday, June 9th and will end Saturday, June 15th with the Commencement Luncheon in the Grove.

The guest speaker for the Commencement exercises will be Colonel Frank Knox, who graduated from Alma College in 1898 and is now editor of the Chicago Daily News.

The men's dress is dark suit, white shirt, white tie, and white socks.

The women's dress is dark suit, white blouse, and white shoes.

11:30 a. m. Commencement Exercises in the Memorial Gymnasium.

7:30 p. m. Commencement Luncheon in the Grove.

8:00 p. m. Senior Promenade and Farewell to Buildings.

Friday, June 14

Alumni Day.

10:00 a. m. Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

12:30 p. m. Faculty-Trustee Luncheon.

2:00-5:30 p. m. Trustees-Faculty, Alumni-Students Golf Tournament.

4:00 p. m. Tea for mothers of Seniors, by Dean Steward, Wright Hall.

6:00 p. m. Alumni Dinner and Business Meeting. Odd Fellows Hall (Tickets 50c).

9:00 p. m. President's Reception at the home of the President and Mrs. Crooks. All friends of the College invited.

Saturday, June 15

Commencement Day.

9:45 a. m. Academic Procession from Wright Hall.

10:00 a. m. Commencement Exercises, Memorial Gymnasium, Commencement Address by Col. Frank Knox.

12:15 p. m. Commencement Luncheon in the Grove.

The objective of "he" is "she".

JUNIOR STUDENTS TO GIVE RECITAL

Will Present Program Next Monday Evening in the College Chapel.

The Junior music students in Alma College Music Department will give their annual public recital Monday evening, June third, at 7:30 o'clock in the College Chapel, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

It has been the policy of the Music Department during the past few years to accept for study in violin, piano, or voice, students who are not yet in college, but who have the talent and the desire to do the required work.

The instructors whose pupils will play in the Junior Recital are Miss Hannah Spencer, violin; Miss Grace Roberts, piano; and Prof. J. W. Ewer, voice. All are very well trained and their recital should be looked forward to with special interest.

Four of these special students who will enter Alma College next fall are Betty Roberts, Gladys Glass, Ward Young, and Elizabeth Frevert, and their present work in the music department will give them an excellent background for continued study in music.

The program has been announced as follows:
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Women's League to Give Dance Wednesday Night

The Women's League will give a spring sport party in the Memorial Gymnasium on Wednesday night of this week. It will be a stag dance beginning at 8:30.

MISS IRENE FOLKERTH STARS IN THE DRAMA CLUB'S PRESENTATION OF "THE BRAT" FRIDAY

With Irene Folkerth playing the title role, the Alma College Drama Club presented its last major production of the year, "The Brat," a comedy in three acts, at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening.

Miss Folkerth, playing the part of a tough young woman from the slums, gave an excellent exhibition of acting. Holmes Sullivan, playing opposite Miss Folkerth as the black sheep of a well-to-do and artistic family, did an equally good piece of work.

"The Brat" is the story of a young woman out of work, hungry and broke, who is saved from jail by MacMillan Forrester, an eminent author, who has gone to fight court to look for types. He finds in the "brat" just the type he is looking for, so brings her home, feeds her, and allows her to live there while he is writing a book.

During her three-month stay in the home of the Forresters, the "brat" falls in love with the author, Stephen, the younger brother of the author, falls in love with the "brat." Angela Smythe, a debutante, is also in love with the author and intends to marry him, using any tactics she can. When his novel is complete MacMillan intends to send the "brat" away again. Meanwhile Stephen has decided to leave for the family's ranch in Montana, where he thinks he will get along better.

The author proposes to Angela Smythe, the debutante, and when the "brat" learns this she sud-

denly realizes that she has been in love with Stephen all the time. It is too late, however, because Stephen has left that night for the west. He returns however to leave money for the "brat" with the servant, and in a swift denouement, the two lovers are united and complications clear away.

The cast was:
Mrs. Forrester—Wilma Wright.
MacMillan, her son, author—Alfred Jenkins.

Stephen, her younger son—Holmes Sullivan.

Bishop Ware, her brother—John Boergert.

Mrs. Ware, his wife—Margaret Randels.

Dorothy, his small daughter—Dorothy Hannigan.

Jane De Pew, a spinster—Madeline Bale.

Angela Smythe, a debutante—Joy Olney.

Timson, the butler—Ward Campbell.

Margot, the housekeeper—Tassie Jordan.

The Brat—Irene Folkerth.

Every member of the cast seemed peculiarly fitted for his role. It was an excellent piece of acting all around.

The production staff included Hanley Rosenberger and Holmes Sullivan as co-directors, Alfred Fortino as stage and property manager, and Claude Knight, business manager.

Between the acts a quartet composed of Paul Ditto, George Roberts, Louis Schneider and Norman Wright sang several numbers.

MUSIC CLUBS HEAR MR. MUELLER OF CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT CONVENTION HERE

Mr. Florian Mueller of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra was the main speaker at the convention of the members of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs of the Bay City District held in Alma, Wednesday, May 22. The main activities of the day were the business meeting in the morning, luncheon at the Wright Hotel and the concert and tea in Wright Hall in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. F. Mueller, director of the Bay City district, presided over the business meeting, which was devoted to reports from the representatives of Bay City, Midland, Mt. Pleasant, Merrill, Breckenridge, Sandusky, Caro, Riverdale and Cass City.

Mrs. Jolly, State Educational Chairman, talked about the plans for the study work for next year. Mrs. Bliss Wells, State President, congratulated the clubs on their season's work and gave helpful suggestions. Miss Mae Nelson of Alma College played "Love Song" by Stojowski, "Etude" by Arensky and "Waltz" by Brahms.

At 12:30, luncheon was served in the Rotary Room of the Wright Hotel, following which Mrs. Mueller introduced the speakers. Prof. Roy Hamilton, of Alma College, extended a welcome to the guests in behalf of the College and city.

Vincent Wright, president of the Gratiot County Junior Musicale, hosts for the occasion, gave a welcome from that club and told of the advantages of being affiliated with that organization. He also spoke of the use of leisure time and the importance of music in that connection. Mrs. Wells talked on the meeting of the Na-

tional Federation of Music Clubs held in Philadelphia in April.

Mr. Florian Mueller, first oboe player with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, gave the history of the orchestra's training school for young musicians. It has served as a laboratory for the compositions by American composers for the past fifteen years and has furnished musicians the various leading symphony orchestras.

Prof. Fred Bush, director of the Mt. Pleasant Civic Chorus, told of the chorus of 125 voices which has been organized less than two years and whose objective is to keep music on a high level. Mrs. Jolly completed the program with a talk on modern music.

Following the luncheon, the delegates attended a concert at Wright Hall given by the Alma College A Cappella Choir assisted by Miss Hannah Spencer, violinist, and Mr. Elwin Carter, baritone.

The musical program for the afternoon concert was as follows:

Fierce Raged the Tempest.....Candlyn
Scherzo, Schumann.....Schubert
Havanna (Cuba).....Sibelius
CHOIR

Queen of Sheba (Herodiade).....Massenet
The Green, Green Dragon.....Charles
M. CARTER

Chant—arranged by
Prof. Hamilton
Arkhanzelsky
Bortynanski
Prof. Hamilton
CHOIR

Allegro (G Minor Concerto).....Bruch
Romanza Andaluza.....Sarasate
MISS SPENCER

Miss Spencer was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Fred Bush, and Mr. Carter was accompanied by Miss Mae Nelson.

May Queen Attends Meet at Kalamazoo

Saturday, May 25, the victory queen, Miss Laurene McCrimmon of Kalamazoo College, held court at the all M. I. A. A. meet at Upjohn Field, Kalamazoo, Michigan. May queens from Albion, Hillsdale, Hope, Olivet, and Alma attended the supreme sovereign.

The queens followed the Kalamazoo college band into the field. Each queen rode in a car decorated with a banner of her college; all the athletic contestants followed the royal cars.

Miss McCrimmon presented medals to the winning athletes. At the end of the meet she also presented to the coaches of the various winning teams of the year their trophies.

The day proved fruitful for the fair rulers; each one received a large box of gum, manufacturers of which sponsored the announcing apparatus.

Zeta Team Wins 4-1 to Remain Undeatable

Last Wednesday evening the Zeta team, led by Fred York, defeated the Albion team 4-1 in a game played on the campus of Alma College. The Zeta team, which has been undefeated since its formation, won the game by a score of 4-1. Fred York, who was the star of the game, hit a home run in the first inning and scored two runs in the second. The game was a close one, with the Albion team leading 1-0 in the third inning. However, the Zeta team scored two runs in the fourth and took a 2-1 lead. In the fifth inning, Fred York hit a home run and scored two runs, giving the Zeta team a 4-1 lead. The game ended with the Zeta team winning 4-1.

Plans are being made to arrange a game between the Zeta team, which has five victories and one tie to its credit so far this year and the champions of the Alma City Softball League.

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EVERY STUDENT GET A STUDENT

VESTMENTS FOR OUR A CAPPELLA CHOIR

Alma College is proud of its A Cappella Choir. Under the able direction of Prof. Ewer it has come to be an organization rivaled by that of no other college in the state the size of Alma. Throughout the year it has given several fine public performances all of which were received with much applause and fine compliments. And with the close of the school year preparation is being made for the annual Spring Concert and also for its part in the commencement program.

The choir faces a handicap, however, in that it has no vestments. How much more dignity and respect it would hold in the eyes of the audience if it could come upon the platform in stately, silent procession robed in maroon vestments. We would not think of having our athletic teams go on the field without the proper equipment for the occasion; why then, if we have any pride in our choir, can we allow it to make its appearances without vestments. It is as much an institution of the college as any other organization. Of course it costs money to buy robes, but certainly athletic equipment is not given away free.

With the wholehearted support of the student body and faculty surely it should be possible in some way to secure robes. Certainly such an investment would be well worth while and would pay for itself by bringing about increased interest in the organization, and in placing it still more favorably before the public. Think it over.

T. H.

ELECTIONS

On Wednesday of this week the students of Alma College will vote for various class and campus officers to represent them and carry on the work of the group during the school year of 1935-36.

It has been most gratifying to study the results of past elections and discover what a large percentage of the student body do vote. This is something that every person attending the College should consider his or her special duty. EVERY STUDENT SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE TOMORROW.

More than this, however, you should vote intelligently, for this is as important as the duty of voting. Study the merits of all the people listed in today's columns as candidates for major campus offices before going to the polls tomorrow, for leaders do not always develop merely by reason of having been voted into office.

Is the candidate a leader of the student group? Has he taken such a part in past affairs as to justify and qualify him for the position he is now seeking? Has he had experience in similar offices before? Has he natural ability? Does he need the job? These are a few of the things that all students should ask themselves before casting their ballot in tomorrow's elections.

We would like to emphasize the idea of voting for the "best" man regardless of anything else, but we know that a large share of the student body is already lined up behind its particular candidate. Intelligence is necessary in their selection, however, if we want things to be run right, and fortunately in this enlightened day and age even college students use the secret ballot.

122 Enjoy Cecil DeRemer At Ki-Philo Spring Party

One hundred and twenty-two persons dined and danced to the music of Cecil DeRemer and his orchestra at the Kappa Iota-Phi-mathean dinner dance at the Midland Country Club last Saturday night.

At seven o'clock the couples entered the ball room for a dinner which consisted of Vegetable Soup, Relishes, Beef Tenderloin, Special Baked Potatoes, Peas, Fruit Salad, Rolls, Orange Ice, Meringue, and Coffee. The orchestra played during the dinner and the couples danced between courses.

Afterwards the ballroom was cleared and the dancing continued until mid-night.

Miss Jane Rice was general chairman for the party and was assisted in her work by Dorothy Glass, chairman of the orchestra committee and Vesta Montague, who selected the programs, which were white parchment and decorated with the sororities colors and seal.

Miss Florence McCallum was general chairman for the Philos,

while Opal Hines worked with Dorothy Glass.

The guests were Dean Florence Steward, Dean James Mitchell, Professor and Mrs. Ewer, Miss Banta, Coach and Mrs. Campbell, and Dr. and Mrs. Schreiber.

Princeton Seniors Renew 175 Year Old Tradition

A one hundred and seventy-five year old tradition was revived recently at Princeton when seniors sang once again on the steps of Nassau Hall.

Each evening at the ringing of the curfew in the belfry of Nassau Hall, the seniors, wearing their white beer suits, stroll across the campus to the steps to sing. The custom was begun in 1760, almost twenty years before the American Revolution.

The music has mirrored the trend of the times, and the type of songs has changed considerably since the Colonial days, when sentimental songs were in vogue. After the Civil War, patriotic songs were sung. This year a depression song heads the list, entitled, "Where do we go from here, boys?"

Alpha Thetas Work Old Sol Overtime on House Party at Crystal Lake

Well, Ed., you've doubtless heard of these recent "back to nature" or "back to the soil" movements, but the Alpha Theta house party last week end at Crystal Lake was a "back to the sun" movement.

Old Sol worked overtime Saturday and Sunday reddening the backs of about thirty girls and a few fellows that were hanging around for one reason or another (mostly one reason). By the way, did you ever think how poor Sol must feel? Were you ever sitting beside some "acme of femininity" and have her turn her back on you? Well, Sol had two days of that, so we weren't surprised to see him have a good cry over it Monday.

The affair got under way about one o'clock Saturday afternoon, but as "love would have it" the girls had forgotten to pick their boy-friends on the basis of their "car value," and a little problem of transportation arose. A mere detail, though, for everyone reached Crystal safe and as sound as ever.

And, just in case your feeling too sorry for the sun, you should have seen the fine crop of sun suits produced by that little group as soon as they reached the cottage. That's the reason why the sun came out in his best for those two days.

After the supper, at which time everyone stuffed themselves to the best of their capacity, and as the silent fingers of darkness crept over the horizon to snuff out the parting glow of the setting sun, the presence of certain members of the male sex was quite noticeable.

Well, let the evening take care of itself, and that leaves us with the story of Sunday's events. The first rays of the morning sun found about thirty sleeping beauties "sawing logs of all sizes," but by the second rays the day was started. As is to be expected, the sun and lake played the major part in this day's activities, too.

A big dinner climaxed the day's program. The fattest calf was carved and cooked, and about three o'clock everyone swarmed in the cottage for a dinner of steak, potatoes, peas, pickles, olives, cake, cookies, and coffee. Then farewells were made to dear old Crystal, and with a glass of lemonade for a stirrup cup everyone returned to their Alma Mater—tired, burned, and happy.

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valuable points to the Alma total. Riley Block took a second in the pole vault with a jump of 11 feet, while Hathaway of Kalamazoo made 11 feet 6 inches. Sayles ran a very good race in the 440 yard run, although he only took fifth. He gave the point winners a good race. Clifton Mapes, with a fourth in the 120 high hurdles, rounded out the Scots' scoring.

The summaries:
Pole vault: Won by Hathaway (K); second, Block (A); tie for third, Lasky (Alb) and Wysel (O). Height 11 ft., 6 in.
High jump: Won by Thompson (K); second, Merritt (Alb); third, Bennett (A); fourth, Raleigh (Hi). Height 5 ft., 9 1/2 in.
One Mile run: Won by Hall (K); second, Thomas (O); third, Clark (Hi); fourth, Esther (Ho). Time 4:35.7 mi.
440 Yard Dash: Won by Douma (Ho); second, Hunt (K); third, Depree (HO); fourth, Schmedlin (Alb.). Time 51.4 seconds.
100 yard Dash: Won by Robbert (Ho); second, Scheffley (A); third, Kreilick (K); fourth, Lambooy (K). Time 10.3 seconds.
Javelin: Won by Greene (K); second, Newell (K); third, Albers (HO); fourth, Birchfield (Alb.). Distance 188 ft., 7 3/4 in.
Shot put: Won by Davis (HI); second, Buys (HO); third, Bussard (A); fourth, Smith (Alb.). Distance 47 ft., 9 3/4 in.
120 High Hurdles: Won by Lambooy (K); second, Graham (HI); third, Schiefley (A); fourth, Mapes (A). Time 15.7 seconds.
880 yd. dash: Won by Hall (K); second, Esther (HO); third, Depree (HO); fourth, Schmedlin (Alb.). Time 2:04.5 minutes.
220 yd. dash: Won by Scheffley (A); second, Douma (HO); third, Robbert (HO); fourth, Hunt (K). Time 23.3 seconds.
Discus: Won by Davis (HI); second, Newell (K); third, Bennett (A); fourth, Birchfield (Alb.). Distance 119 ft., 4 in.
Broad jump: Won by York (A); second, Smith (Alb.); third, Sinclair (K); fourth, Reames (O.). Distance 20 ft., 1 1/2 in.
Two Mile run: Won by Barber (O); second, Clark (HI); third, Newell (K); fourth, Esther (HO). Time 10:15.4 minutes.
220 Low Hurdles: Won by Lambooy (K); second, Scheffley (A); third, Graham (HO); fourth, Terry (Alb) Time 24.5 seconds.
Mile relay: Won by Kalamazoo; second, Hope; Third, Alma; fourth Albion. Time 3:31.8 minutes.

Tennis Squad Loses in the First Round

Albion took the lion's share in the singles and doubles tournament at Kalamazoo last week-end. Leigh Prettyman defeated his own team-mate, Dwight Fisher, both of Albion for the singles crown, while they combined to win the doubles crown. The Alma squad of Ben Ewer, Gordon Purdy, Fraser Malcolm, and Weyant Pangborn were defeated in the first rounds of play.

inson, tried, but it took Gertie Elliott, the little girl who fell asleep to get the good tan. Clack and Dehnke, Nummer and Evans left the crowd for a canoe trip, but all returned for more to eat. Wooley found that you can't escape the camera's evil eye in the most embarrassing of situations and there is a permanent record of her skip day activities. Anthonisen talked the best game of bridge, but Glass talked the best game of promotion (where was the cash? He lost his title for this day—no see 'em no catchem).

With a few smiling faces at Elliott's expense, many faces yet, and a few snarls, then the merry way home. The wayward guard was brought up by the President, Glass, Gert, and Tomes, but of course, they would be like that—and the end of the day was there already.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK

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President: Luther Evans and John Darbee.
Vice President: Jane Allen.
Secretary: Margaret Randels and Constance Clack

Treasurer: Clarence Clohset and Lester Eyer.

Student Council: Elizabeth Malcolm, Cyril Lewis, Riley Block, Fred Battles, and Betty Tenney.

Sophomore class nominations: President: Robert Davies and Robert Reed.

Vice President: Dorothy Glass and Marguerite Witt.

Secretary: Josephine Elliott and Robert Sayles.

Treasurer: Leo Washburn and Louis Wiser.

Student Council: Opal Hines, Al Fortino, Steve Keglovitz, Fraser Malcolm, Vesta Montague, and Molly Parrish.

Freshman class nominations: President: Fred Meyer and Wayne Forrester.

Vice President: Ruth Malcolm and Grace Mathews.

Secretary: Eleanor Burgess and Mary Alice Damon.

Treasurer: Atlee Gilbert and Harold Dean.

Student Council: Cassius Lea, Chester Hardt, June Tindall, and Irene Folkerth.

JUNIOR STUDENTS TO GIVE RECITAL MONDAY

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Waltz Greig
Chaconne Durand
Serenade Chaminade
Richard Baldwin, piano

A Little Pink Rose Carrie Jacobs-Bond
Elizabeth Roberts, vocal

Romance-en-re Chaminade
Jean Cary, piano

Prelude in C Major Bach
Prelude in D Minor Bach
(Arranged from the cello sonata by Mason)

Meditation (from Thais) Massenet
Ann Berman, piano

Arioso Handel
Shepherd and Shepherdess Godard
Virginia Hardgrove, piano

Daises Hawley
Glady's Glass, vocal

Valse Brillante Op. 34 No. 2 Chopin
The Fauns Chaminade
Vincent Wright, piano

Prelude No. 4 Chopin
Valse Brillante Moskowski
Dorothy Ann Dubois, piano

Song of Voyagers Paderewski
Scherzine Paderewski
Ward Youry, piano

Minuet and Trio Schubert
Minuet Paderewski
Elizabeth Frevort, piano

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Tuesday, May 28
NOVA PILBEAM in
"Little Friend"

Wednesday, May 29
EVELYN LAYE in
"Evensong"

Thursday and Friday, May 30-31
ALICE FAYE and JAMES DUNN
in
GEORGE WHITE'S
"Scandals of 1935"

Matinee Memorial Day, one show only
Saturday, June 1
PAUL MUNI and BETTE DAVIS
in
"Bordertown"

ALSO STAGE SHOW
Sunday and Monday, June 2-3
FREDRIC MARCH, ROCHELLE HUDSON and CHARLES LAUGHTON in
"Les Miserables"

ALMA THEATRE
Evening Shows Only Friday,
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Edith Davis, '34, Gives Chapel Talk on Relief

Miss Edith Davis of the class of 1934 addressed the student body last Thursday on the subject of "Relief Work in Kent County," developing the social part of the program of planned speeches on the theme "After School, What?"

Miss Davis took the work of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration as the basis for a talk and explained how it worked to meet the needs of the people from her position as a case worker in Kent County. No better picture of the real problem, and the needs of the people could be presented, for Miss Davis' work is that of providing the personal contact between the individual and the organization.

A very detailed description of the rural work being done by this relief organization accompanied with a brief discussion of the whole set-up and the scientific efficiency employed in such work. After presenting this detailed picture of the work, Miss Davis ended her remarks with, "After relief, what?"

Reunion of '10 Class to Renew Many Tales of the "Good Old Days at Alma"

The Reunion of the Class of 1910, which is planned for Friday, June 14, will bring many stories of "Alma twenty-five years ago" as the old grads renew old acquaintances and swap yarns on the "good old days".

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Careful listeners will hear former football players telling about the time that Michigan Agricultural College (now Michigan State) came to Alma with a highly touted football team and were held to a scoreless tie. Yes, sir, those were the days.

Another one that probably isn't forgotten yet has to do with the baseball team, for at that time Alma had a baseball team that was showing the best of them how it was done. Well, one time Michigan came up for a little batting practice, and the Class of 1910 (with a few others) sent them home with a 4-1 defeat.

Individual stars were not lacking in that class either. "Big Mac" was tossing the discus in those days beyond the western conference mark, and Fleety McComb tied the inter-collegiate record in the 100 yard dash. Ten flat was the official time, though most of the watches caught him at 9.4—"too good" the judges thought.

All other phases of campus life will not be forgotten either when the stories start and old days are lived over again. The jungle, canoe trips, etc., will come in for their bit of reminiscing.

Dr. J. A. Vance, Trustee of College, is Elected Moderator of Assembly

Dr. J. A. Vance, member of the Alma College Board of Trustees, was elected Moderator of the 147th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States last Thursday, May 23. The Assembly was held in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dr. Vance is the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Detroit and has served on the Board of Trustees for Alma College since the school year of 1923-24. He succeeds the Rev. William Chalmers Covert of Philadelphia as Moderator. The final ballot which was the second one taken, stood: Dr. Vance 514; Dr. Charles W. Welch, Louisville, 249; and Dr. Stewart M. Robinson, Elizabeth, N. J., 126.

The pre-election discussion was colored by a brief but sharp break of fundamentalist-modernist controversy. In the voting for Moderator an effort was made to rally fundamentalist support to Dr. Robinson but fell short of success.

Economic Classes Hear Prof. Phelps on Value of Business Training

"Business men must become more enlightened to their responsibility to social groups or else government control is imperative," stated Prof. Phelps of Michigan Business School in addressing the economic students last Friday morning.

Professor Phelps began with a brief talk on the value of a graduate study in business, for, as he pointed out, "it prepares one to be more effective in earning a future living and allows you to look at business from the sidelines, so that when you take part you are better trained and more enlightened business men."

He concluded his talk with a discussion on the Michigan Graduate Business School, which is one of three in the country. The course is a two year one, and an A. B. degree, Economic theory, and Accounting are as the rule required of every student.

Qualities that a student should have before taking this course were set forth by Prof. Phelps in a one, two, three manner. He advised each student have, 1. Ability to express themselves in writing or speaking; 2. Logical thinking; 3. General knowledge of social sciences; 4. A cultural training; 5. A certain degree of maturity; 6. Scholastic ability and a serious purpose.

Students Write College History for FERA Work

This year as part of the FERA program Emery Kendall and Arthur Boynton have been assembling information from all available sources and writing the History of Alma College in preparation for the fiftieth anniversary.

The work has been completed up to the year of President Bruske, and notes on his term of office are nearly complete, so as to permit the writing of a third chapter. In addition to an introduction, chapters have been written on the early beginnings of the College and President Huntington's term.

It is planned to divide the book after the first chapter, which deals with the origin, into four chapters, corresponding with the four presidents, Hunting, Bruske, Blaisdale, and Crooks. The final chapter is to deal with the friends and benefactors of the College.

The book will contain as far as possible all phases of the College. Each chapter is subdivided into a character sketch of the president; buildings; curriculum; student life; finances; and generalizations.

Alma Representatives Attend Round Table of M. L. A. Last Wednesday

Alma College was represented at the Round Table for Northeastern Michigan, of the Michigan Library Association, which met at the Bay City Library on Wednesday, May 22nd, beginning at 10:30 a. m., and continuing throughout the day.

Mrs. D. W. Robinson, Library Assistant, and the Misses Malony Wood and Madeline Bale of the Library Methods classes were the only ones from Alma College, due to lack of transportation facilities.

A most interesting and inspiring program covered the following subjects: A Public Library Objective; Our A. L. A. Militant; News from the State; Discussion of Censorship and the Restriction of Books; A List of Magazines Which Presents Fairly the Economic and Sociological Trends of the Times (with discussion); and Children of the New Day, Their Books and Stories.

A delightful luncheon was served at Trinity Parish House, this hour serving for social intercourse among the members in attendance. The day was voted a decided success.

CAMPUSOLOGY

What would Miss Gesner have done if someone had slipped coming down those stairs.

There is nothing like having a date at the house party, is there, Earl?

They say that Fred Meyer of Saginaw and all points west spent the week end at Alma.

Wadge really did buy those, didn't he, Temple?

Even Joe College Beach came out for a little while Saturday.

Tex Walker came out of hiding Saturday and was seen running around with one of the baby food products.

Betty Tenney again made the social register Saturday night.

What about a big double dip and mc—signed Dan Tenney.

After all, where there is a screen there is a hole, so what.

Then there is the guy that got a chain letter from a Texas ranch.

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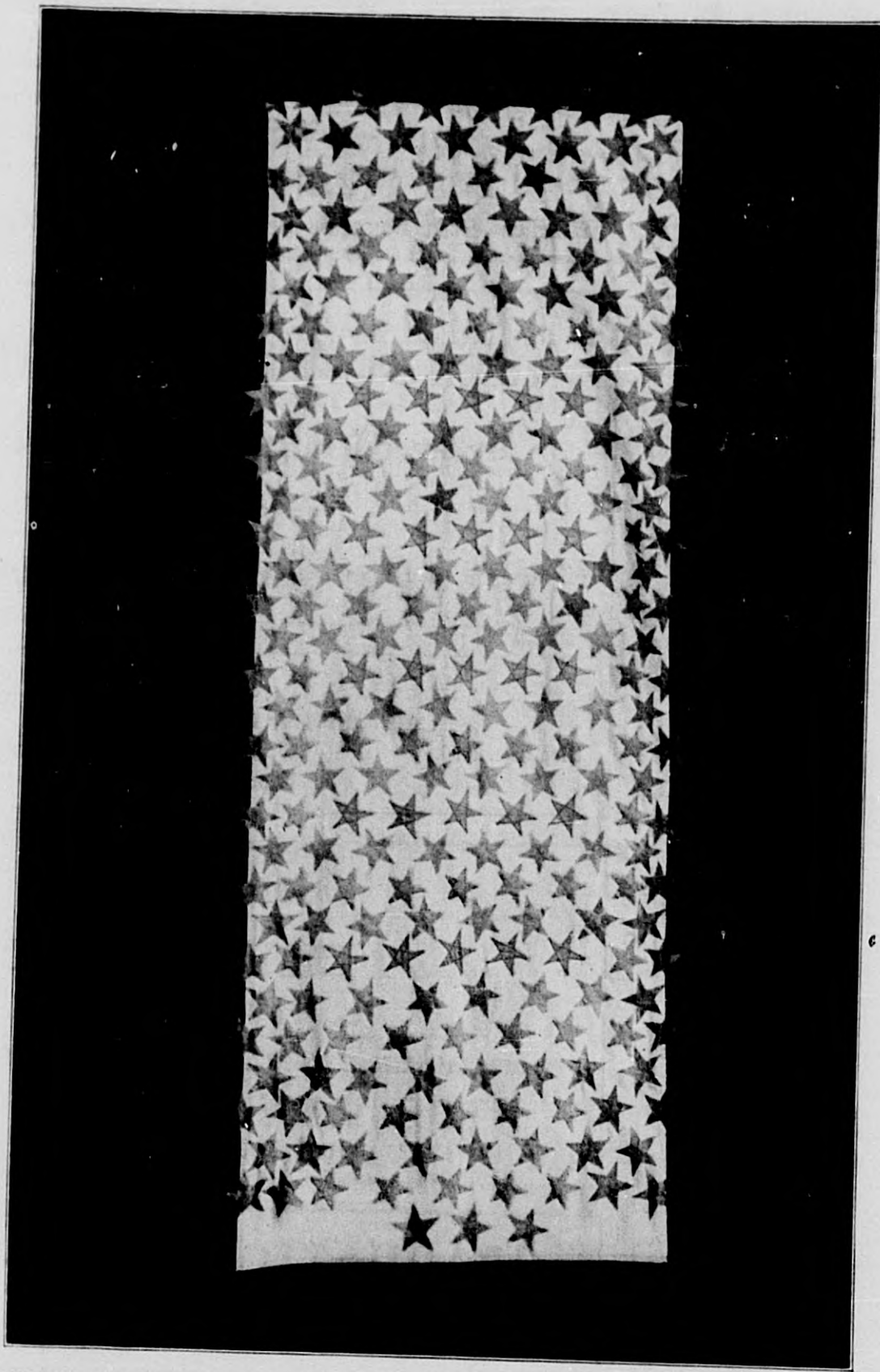
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**REV. PENFIELD IS
CHAPEL SPEAKER**

**Congregational Pastor from
Saginaw Talks on Religious
Work as a Vocation.**

In accordance with the general theme for chapel programs this month—"After School, What?"—those attending chapel Friday were privileged to hear Rev. Thornton Penfield, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Saginaw, on the topic of religious work as a life's vocation.

Rev. Penfield based his address on the belief that there is only one rule of conduct for man. That rule is to do the right thing. For this reason, he refused to urge young people to enter religious

work simply because of the tremendous need for workers there, but proceeded to present a list of "satisfactions" associated with religious work which he hoped might influence someone in deciding that the religious field was the right thing for him or her.

First of all, Rev. Penfield advanced the fact that the type of work which he represented brings one very close to the hearts of people, their lives and vital experiences. Such a privilege could not help but be a source of enrichment and of deep satisfactions.

Next he called attention to the broadening power of religious work, how it forces a person to grow. "The ministry," he stated, "forbids the narrowness into which the average person drifts as age increases. A Christian minister is compelled to keep abreast of the times, to grow in reading, social knowledge, and in every phase of contemporary life. Certainly this is a distinct advantage."

Presenting the third satisfaction accompanying religious work, Rev. Penfield pointed out that such work afforded an opportunity for living dangerously. In order to be utterly true to his beliefs, a minister must live above the average conduct of those about him and attempt to improve society.

In doing so he is stepping ahead of the standards set by society, and hence is put as much "on the spot" as those who fail to come up to the standards. Such a situation should appeal to red-blooded young people who are willing and eager to stand up for the worth while things of life.

In concluding Rev. Penfield challenged each student that he dare to think highly of himself, that he remember who he is.

**Scot Thinclads Meet
State Frosh Saturday**

The Scots wind up the track season Saturday with the annual meet with the Michigan State Frosh at East Lansing. The Scots with a third place in the MIAA meet behind them will be planning for next year's campaign in the MIAA, as only two seniors are on the squad. Stan Bussard and Lyle Bennett will be competing for Alma College for the last time.

**Wanted! \$1500 to Enter
Pangburn's Car in the
Decoration Day Races**

Wanted! Fifteen hundred dollars, yes we said \$1500, to enter Pangburn's car in the five hundred mile speedway classic, which is to take place at Indianapolis on Memorial Day.

Some question has been raised why fifteen hundred dollars is wanted. Well, it's a long story,

but the Free Press some time back told about a man (with a horse you could ride) who wanted five hundred dollars, so as to enter his horse in the Kentucky Derby (Darbee, to you). Well, Pangborn feels that his self-propelling oil can is worth three horses any day.

The car is in top shape and without a doubt will win the race. Fifteen hundred ought to buy first place, if he can't win any other way. All year Ping Pong Pang, the Speedway King, has been taking these four wheels and a motor for trial spins between Alma and St. Louis.

Campus Day it was given its final test. It spit, coughed, and sputtered over the highway at the terrific speed of fifty miles an hour (for the splendid performance it was given a special treat by Miss Dionese—she rode in it). Now then, who has the fifteen hundred dollars.

**Music Students' Recital
June 5; Choir Will Make
Three More Appearances**

The A Cappella Choir and music students of Alma College having been working intensively the past few weeks in preparation for the four recitals and concerts to be given during the next three weeks.

The first of these programs will be given by the music students when they present their recital on Wednesday evening, June 5, for the College students and townspeople.

The Choir will make three more appearances before the end of the academic year. On Sunday, June 9, they will sing for the baccalaureate service at the Presbyterian church.

On Thursday evening, June 13, they will give their final home concert at the Presbyterian church. There will be no admission charge for this, but a silver offering will be taken. They will also take part in the Commencement Exercises on Saturday, June 15.

**1910 Reunion Stirs Up
Interest Among Alumni**

Alumni Day promises to be most successful this year with the Reunion of the Class of 1910 planned for that day and the interest that the reunion has aroused among the members of other classes in the past.

Byron Chapel is stirring up the 1909 alumni, and members of the classes of 1911 and 1912 are promising some action. With these groups well represented and the more recent alumni, Alma may hope for their biggest Alumni Day in years.

**Special Chapel to Show
How Music is Composed**

Prof. Clack and Prof. Roberts are planning a special program to be given during the chapel hour, which will explain briefly how music is written and will present compositions written by music students.

The student body as a whole does not have a very good idea about what the study of theory in music really means. Most people have the idea that in order to compose a tune one must fumble around at the piano until he finds a good sounding combination of tones, then write them down, but this will be disproved by the special chapel program.

It is possible, and in fact the best way, to do the whole thing by mathematics just as in any science. The program will present pieces composed by this method. The compositions to be presented will include various simple forms such as hymns, some Chinese music, and to add a bit of spice to the program, a jazz tune or two.

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