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Mac-Men Down Western, 61-50

Playing great ball all the way, the Scots downed Western Michigan's tough cage team, 61 to 50, here last Friday night before a capacity crowd. It was the 10th straight win for Alma.

Although Western started things off when Center George Slaughter hooped one, Alma came back with a fast-break attack which soon rolled up the points and gained a lead which the Broncos never bested.

Both teams used a fast-break style which made the game an exciting one for the spectators, and which brought out some fine passing on both sides.

Kirby Looks Good

Late in the first half, Western put on a rally to bring the count up to 27-23 at the half time. The Scots came back with a bang in the second half to run the count to 37-25. Here the Broncos started zipping them in, headed by some fine shooting on the part of Forward Harold Gensichen, the sophomore star from South Bend. After drawing up to 42-38, the Broncos faded as the Mac-men again poured it on, and the remainder of the game was just an exchange of baskets.

Bob Kirby did a fine job in holding Gensichen to three points during the first half, and kept up a good defensive game in the second half in spite of a bad cut on the head and trouble with his legs. Gensichen is a fine ball player, however, and showed the crowd (Continued on page 4.)

CHOIRS USE NEW ADVERTISING FOLDERS

Designed for acquainting ministers, school superintendents, and club presidents with Alma's two choirs, a new advertising folder has been prepared by Cliff. Leestma, Choir Manager.

The front cover is very artistic with a balcony view of the Chapel Choir and a drawing of the Chapel by Bob Jackson. The inside contains pictures of both the Chapel Choir and the A Cappella Choir, with appropriate descriptions of each choir. In the center of this page is a view of the director, Prof. J. W. Ewer.

The back panel of the folder gives full information as to the availability, cost, and publicity connected with presenting either of the choirs.

The entire folder is done in maroon ink on heavy white paper and makes a very striking and informative pamphlet.

T.K.A. Initiates Two New Members

Last Thursday afternoon in the Tower Room of the library, the Alma chapter of Tau Kappa Alpha, national honorary forensic society, conducted final initiation rituals for two new members, Dave Kinney and Wilbur McCrum. The two active members of the Alma chapter, Bruce Mellinger and Bruce Lindley, conducted the initiation, with the help of the chapter sponsor, Prof. C. Carney Smith. Three requirements are necessary for election to this society: the candidate must have participated with excellence in at least two years of intercollegiate forensic activities; he must rank in the upper one-third of his class scholastically; and he must be elected to membership by the active members of the chapter. This society's purpose is to foster interest in good speech and to encourage all forms of speech activity on the campus.

Officers to serve for the remainder of the year were selected. Bruce Mellinger will continue to serve as President, Dave Kinney was elected vice-president and Wilbur McCrum, secretary. New officers are to be elected the third week in May.

'40 Homecoming Queen To Become Bride



On Saturday, Feb. 14, at 10 a. m., Miss Bette J. Redman, sophomore, will become the bride of Mr. Kenneth B. Fleming, of Alma. The ceremony will be performed in St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Immediately following the wedding a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare H. Redman. The couple will then leave for Dayton, Ohio, where they will make their home.

College Speedup is Nation-Wide

(Associated Collegiate Press)

Higher education must have for the coming year an intelligent and a consecrated leadership. The selective service and other war measures have already disturbed its program. More drastic changes are quite possible.

In order to gain the victory in this dreadful war and also to win the peace at its conclusion the nation must have a steady flow of educated leaders. This is not only true for the military forces and governmental agencies, but equally so of industry, business and the professions.

Very wisely has the selective service made provision for deferment of induction of those college students training to be physicians, dentists, veterinarians, engineers, physicists, chemists, biologists, geologists.

Because of the lowering of the minimum age for selective service most of the colleges have decided to accelerate their programs. For some years about two-thirds of the member colleges in the Association of American Colleges have had summer sessions. The length of these sessions has varied from six to twelve weeks. The tendency now is for colleges to have full summer quarters of twelve weeks in length.

With this acceleration in the college program, the capable student will be able to complete graduation requirements in three years. If similar acceleration can be made in the grades, another year can be saved in the educational process. For brilliant pupils it has been possible for some time to save a year in the pre-college programs.

With the saving of the two years suggested above, the average young man should be able to complete his college course and be ready for the call to selective service at the age of 20.

Colleges are making changes in the curriculum to meet the exigencies of the situation. New courses have been added and to others have been given a bias of a military nature. Wisdom would indicate that much poise is necessary in proposals for curricular shifts, as the men still need as much time as possible for a well-balanced curriculum of humanities, social sciences and the natural sciences.

Some real heart-searching and rethinking may be necessary for changes in the college curriculum. It would seem quite in order for colleges to insist that students be able to read before being admitted to college, thus obviating college courses in reading.

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STUDENT COUNCIL SELLS DEFENSE STAMPS

A Student Council committee under the direction of the president, Bruce Mellinger, is rapidly completing plans for selling defense stamps to students. The Council realizes that many students desire to purchase stamps at a nearer location than the Post Office.

The merits of defense stamps and bonds are more than evident from both the patriotic and the investment angles. So when this booth is set up, plan to "Buy a share in Freedom."

10 New Students Register for Second Semester

Twenty-four of the students who enrolled last September have discontinued their studies at Alma. The greater part of that number have enlisted or have been drafted into the armed service.

There will be ten new students registered for the coming semester. They are—Miss Irene Riser, senior, who was graduated from the Kindergarten School of Alma College in '27, and has been a missionary teacher in Japan; Bruce Kane, junior, of Detroit; Robert Budge, Ithaca; Arthur Duwe, Frank Young, Saginaw; and Alvin Kirk, Detroit, sophomores; Charles Kegel, Robert Rodger, Detroit; Louis Kohler, Charlevoix; and Betty McCauley, Flint, freshmen.

Choir Sings In Grand Rapids

The Chapel Choir will present its first concert of the new year at the Immanuel Presbyterian Church in Grand Rapids, Sunday, February 8. This evening concert will be presented to the congregations of every Presbyterian church in Grand Rapids. The program will be made up largely of numbers used by the choir on its Christmas tour.

The choir welcomes a new member, Paul Guider, who will replace Bob Brown in the first tenor section.

Chapel Program Opens New Semester

The first opening chapel of a semester ever to have been held in the new chapel was presented this morning. It was opened with an academic procession. The choir sang, Dr. Dunning gave the invocation, and Dr. Brokenshire was the main speaker.

What Is Your I. Q. On Your Alma Mater

What Does It Cost To Run Alma College?

The budget for the current year, 1941-42, for all expense totals \$138,300.

How Is The Money Spent?

The expenditures are apportioned as follows:

Salaries of professors, \$69,395.
Library expense, \$5,285.
Overhead, including administrative salaries, office expense, public occasions, insurance, \$23,700.

Buildings and grounds, maintenance, electricity, insurance, \$11,000.

Heating plant, \$6,700.
New plant equipment, \$500.
Development, publicity, student enlistment, placement, including salaries, \$11,900.

Non-educational, scholarships, interest, annuities, \$9,820.
Total, \$138,300.

From Where Does The Rest Of The Money Come?

The money for the operation of Alma College comes from the following sources:
Student fees, \$72,300.
Endowment income, \$15,000.

War Changes College Program

3-Day Spring Vacation

Announcing several changes in the Alma College program for the remainder of the school year and for the summer, President John Wirt Dunning said today that spring vacation will be omitted, thus moving commencement up a week.

Original plans called for spring vacation from 11:30 a. m. on Saturday, March 28, to 7:50 a. m. on Tuesday, April 7. Under the new setup, school will be dismissed at 4 p. m. on Thursday, April 2, and will resume at 7:50 a. m. on Monday, April 6, allowing vacation for the Easter week-end only.

The new schedule moves commencement up from Saturday, June 6, to Saturday, May 30, on Decoration Day. All other senior week activities will be moved up a week to follow the same routine.

Extension Courses

Because not enough demand was evidenced, there will be no summer school this year, says Dr. Dunning, but special preparations are being made in each department for vacation work. Extension and reading courses will be planned for each department possible, and students taking this work will be required to come back two weeks early in the fall for review and examination purposes. Through this system, they will be able to gain three to six semester hours credit during the summer, if they so desire.

May Carry More Hours

Further aiding the collegian in finishing college earlier, is a new provision whereby all students will be allowed to carry up to 17 hours per semester, while those with a B average may take up to 20

Speed Up Course

By means of these new provisions, some students will be able to finish their full college course in three or three and a half years instead of the usual four.

Several reorganization measures are being planned for second semester, registration for which opens on Monday. Standard Red Cross courses, started this semester under the direction of Dr. Charles F. DuBois, will be continued and credit will be given.

Plans are under way for a new intensified intramural program for both men and women with the aim of getting every student in college into participation in some (Continued on page 2.)

BEG YOUR PARDON

The third place in the women's oratorical contest last week was taken by Lenore Meyer.

Board of Christian Education, \$6,500.

Income from Auxiliary Enterprises, \$14,500.
To Be Raised By Gifts \$30,000.

Total, \$138,300.

Alma College has spent for capital improvement in the past three years:

For rehabilitating its plant, \$42,000.

For the new chapel, \$75,000.

For faculty homes and a fraternity house operated as a dormitory, \$37,000.

These expenditures were an investment based on faith in the future of college education and particularly of Christian Education. The dividends which normally could be expected from these investments are in a measure curtailed by the war situation.

Due to selective service, an actual decrease of income from student fees may be expected rather than an increase; while overhead can not be correspondingly decreased, in fact, is increased in some respects by inflationary trends.

The past years have also seen a substantial decrease in endowment (Continued on page 2.)

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Success . . .

Although there are many conceptions of success, it is generally regarded that the term means the favorable end or result of an undertaking.

Great wealth in money and knowledge, exalted position, prominence in world affairs, contribution towards the saving and bettering of life, and salvation—all these may be included in the infinite list of conceptions of success. But my theory is much the same as that expressed by Ralph Waldo Emerson who said: "The greatest success is confidence, a perfect understanding between sincere people."

It is generally accepted that there are two ways of rising in the world—by one's own industry and by the foolishness of others. It is my belief that these may be grouped as one—by one's own industry—for a person must be on the alert to take advantage of any "breaks" that may appear.

In considering the attainment of success through one's own industry, three points should be discussed—purpose, idealism and determination. To succeed at anything, a purpose must first be set. This should be a clear, concise view of what is desired, and should be in one direction. In setting this purpose, the line of least resistance should not be followed, or it will not bring true success.

Idealism is an important factor, for too often success is acknowledged with no thought of the methods by which it is obtained. In seeking success, one should be true to his highest convictions and then have faith in what he is doing: for, as Mirabeau said, "He will succeed, for he believes all he says."

After arriving at a purpose and deciding what course to pursue, a person should go toward his goal with a patient, persevering determination which will surmount all blunders, even profiting by them. Although patience is an essential quality, one must not wait too long for, according to Montesquieu, a great French novelist and historian of the 18th century, "the success of most things depends upon knowing how long it will take to succeed."

Thus, it is seen that success is the fruit of a slow-growing plant which meets many set-backs in the form of blunders, but which rises steadily if the seed of purpose is stimulated by the sun of idealism and the rain of determination.

—By JACK L. CRITTENDEN.

Student Council Notes

Social Chairman, Jack Heimforth, reported that it might be necessary to curtail Student Council activities held out of town, due to difficulties of transportation. This is expected to have the most effect on roller skating parties sponsored by the Council. The party which was scheduled for Saturday, January 31, will take place, however on this coming Friday evening, February 6.

The committee in charge of purchasing a new intramural softball trophy to replace the one retired by Phi Phi Alpha last year made its report. The council voted to empower the committee to go ahead and purchase a new trophy, not to exceed \$10 in cost. The new trophy will be awarded in the same way as the old, and the first organization to win it three times will be given permanent possession.

At the request of the Council, President Dunning attended this meeting, and told the Council of some of the problems which the college faces, and explained what the administration is doing to meet

these problems. A long discussion followed in which Dr. Dunning answered the questions put to him by members of the Council. With regard to the matter of formal parties, Dr. Dunning explained that the college authorities are NOT forbidding such out of town affairs, but they do ask that the expense of such parties be cut down as much as possible. It was pointed out that other schools are doing away with many of their expensive parties and investing the money thus saved in defense stamps and bonds.

WAR CHANGES

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recreational activity. Chapel programs are also under investigation with the aim of having more student participation next semester, with only outstanding outside features being brought in. This is part of a new ruling whereby students and faculty will be required to attend chapel four days a week, with no "cuts" being allowed.

President Dunning also announces that, in accordance with demands springing from the nation's needs in the current crisis, a thorough health program will be inaugurated at the college in the fall.

Charles A. Duffy, 37-year-old New York city policeman, is enrolled as the oldest freshman at City college.

Spare the Rod . . . Spoil the Child

Circumstantial evidence does not insure conviction of the accused in a murder case. Regardless of the number of clues pointing in one direction, hard, cold facts are sought before a conclusion is drawn. The verdict is withheld until the truth, and the whole truth, is unearthed.

The American legal principle that "you're innocent until you're proven guilty" saved a number of Wright Hall girls from a life stretch "up the river." Stern, tight-lipped Dr. Discipline disappeared the other night. The girls who remained in the dorm between semesters were accused of brutally disposing of him.

The fourth floor, over which he had been striving to gain the upper hand, struck him a swift

blow. Letty Lou bowled him over with her blaring phonograph. It was constantly turned up to its loudest so Fowler, at the opposite end of the corridor, could listen to "How Long Has This Been Going On," over and over and over again.

Some of third's mental giants changed their furniture arrangements "all through the night." Helen Olander and colleagues forgot that people, especially freshmen, are supposed to go to bed. Apple pie at one a. m. is much more appealing than sleep. "Why, anyone can sleep any time!" they claimed.

Showers at 2 a. m. appeal to some. Whistling, racing through halls, and lights out at 3 a. m. were the new regulations initiated during semester week-end.

But discipline is a hard man to down, and a harder one to keep there. Despite the hard knocks he received, he's back in there, fighting. Today is Tuesday. A new semester has started. After being trod upon for a couple of days, Mr. Discipline has come back into his own. No, he wasn't murdered. Beware, girls, he's likely to become a murderer. Be quiet, and remember your honor.

Alma Matter

Since it has been deemed a matter of vital necessity to make an all-out effort for national defense, and since a part of such an effort is the furtherance of the students' (not to mention the faculty's) cultural development, the column this week is dedicated to a literary effort (and it was an effort, all right.) However, as our literary education never advanced before the Mother Goose stage, it will have to stop there.

We dedicate, to the business office:

"A diller, a dollar, a cash-on-the-line scholar
What makes you come so rare?
You used to appear once in a while
And now you're found nowhere!"

We dedicate, to the student body:

"To school, to school, to get an education
Home again, home again, for a vacation.
To school, to school, to get an education
Home again, home again, for a vacation.
Boring, isn't it?"

We dedicate, to the freshmen proctors:

"Now the freshman proctor
Runs through the dorm
Upstairs and downstairs
In her nightgown
Rapping on the door-post
Crying through the lock
Are the freshmen in their beds,
Now it's eleven o'clock "

We dedicate, to Mary Anne Bowen:

"Hickety, pickety, Mary Anne
She makes eyes for gentlemen:
Gentlemen come every day
To hear what Mary Anne doth say."

We dedicate, to all the men who go steady, (or who go, period)

"Dickory, dickory, dock! The man looked at the clock:
The clock struck eleven-thirty, the man did run.
Dickory, dickory, dock! "

We dedicate, to Snuffy Smith:

"Wow, wow, wow, whose man art thou?
Little Helen Dehnke's man, wow, wow, wow!"

We dedicate, to Mary Goodwyn: "Mary, Mary, quite contrary,
How does your garden grow?
Not so hot without George."

We dedicate, to Betty Fischer and Betty Fee:

"The little Bettys have lost their men
And can't tell where to find them,
Leave them alone and they'll come home
Wearing a handsome uniform."

We dedicate, on general principles, to the men of the college:

"Goosey, goosey, gander,
Where shall I wander?
Upstairs and downstairs,
And in my lady's chamber."
We'd like to see you try it in Wright Hall.

We dedicate, to the girls who had hamburgers, at three in the morning Friday night:

"Pat-a-cake, pat-a-cake, my favorite man
Bring me a humberg as fast as you can:
Buy it and wrap it and send it up on a rope
And don't make so darn much noise, you dope."

We dedicate to Miss Bahlke: "Ring around the roses,
Pocket full of posies
Hush! Hush! Hush! Hush!
It's quiet hours."
If Mother Goose isn't exhausted, at least we are.

I. Q. ON ALMA MATER

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income, both in general shrinkage of income from these investments. Revenue from this source has been reduced by nearly two-thirds. People of wealth who formerly gave liberally to Alma have also been giving less.

Is The Gifts Item Amount A Reasonable Sum To Expect?

The sum of \$30,000 from gifts of churches, alumni and friends of the college is not a large amount for a college of its size. Last year, Alma College received somewhat more than \$8,000 from such sources for operating expenses of the college. Of this, very little came from alumni. A substantial increase is expected from all sources this year to bring the College's operation into the black.

For each dollar the student pays, the college matches with another dollar. The college raises about double the tuition income if each student pays in full.

COLLEGE SPEED UP

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It is evident that the war will be won more quickly if we can increase tremendously our air forces both for land and sea. In addition to courage and intelligence the pilots and men in other branches of the air services must have fundamental collegiate courses in mathematics and the natural sciences. Offerings in the high schools and colleges must be available for training thousands of such men.—Guy E. Snively, executive director, Association of American Colleges.

A course in radio appreciation open to the public as well as to students has been opened at Macalester college.

Dr. James A. Ross, Professor of economics at Syracuse university, has been granted a year's leave of absence to serve in the office of price administration in Washington.

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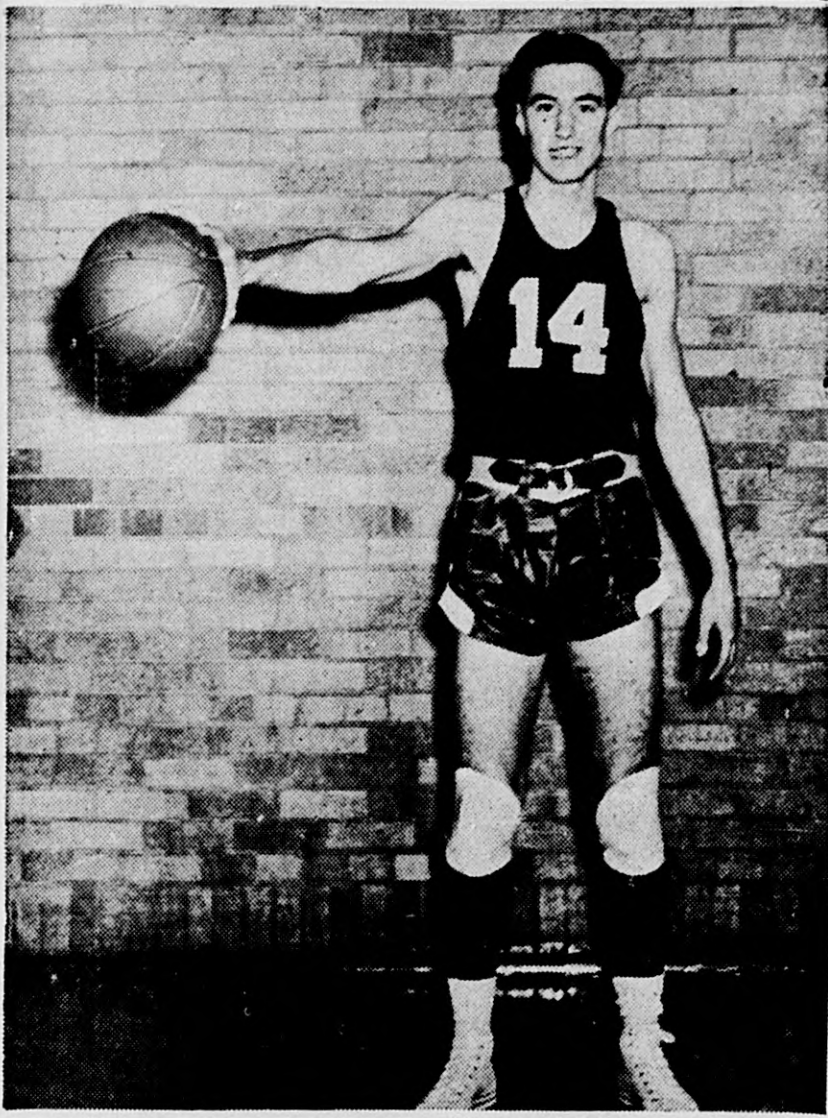
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Second Year on Varsity



SILVIO FORTINO

One of the Alma boys playing his second year on the Alma College varsity basketball team is Silvio Fortino, pictured above, former star at Alma high. Sil is six feet, one and a half inches tall and weighs about 170 pounds. He plays either center or forward, and is especially used for his fine defensive work and his ability at getting the ball off the backboards.

SCOTS FACE CRUCIAL TEST TONIGHT AT KALAMAZOO

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Kalamazoo	3	0	1.000
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Adrian	1	3	.250
Albion	1	4	.200
Hillsdale	1	4	.200

This Week's Games

Tues., Feb. 3—Alma at Kalamazoo; Hope at Adrian.
 Thursday, Feb. 5—ALMA at Tri-State.
 Friday, Feb. 6—Kalamazoo at Hope; Albion at Olivet; ALMA at Hillsdale.
 Monday, Feb. 9—Adrian at Albion.

The Scots will meet another crucial obstacle in defense of their MIAA title when they play Kalamazoo College's cagers tonight on the Hornet's home court.

Old rivals, these two teams are in a virtual tie for first in the league standings, although Alma has a slight edge with one more league game played than Kalamazoo. Neither team has been defeated to date in the MIAA.

Hornets Are Tall

Kalamazoo should cause a lot of trouble because of a squad which averages well above the six-foot mark. The Hornets' starting lineup consists of Captain Jim Kerchner and Freshman Phil Jake-way at forwards; Gerald Gilman at center; and Charles Niffenegger and Wayne Thompson, another freshman, at guards. Good reserve material is on hand in Tom Torgerson, Bob Braithwaite, Hank Thole, Dan Ryan and Al Mulder.

Gilman is the most experienced player on the team and has been leading scorer to date. Kerchner hasn't hit his offensive stride yet, but is to be feared because of his speed which enables him to make many quick set-shots, and because of his underhanded lay-up shots. One of the best passers on the team is Jake-way, former St. Augustine high all-city player in Kalamazoo and a hard scrapper. Niffenegger is the fastest man on the squad and a good shot, while Thompson formerly starred with Central high at South Bend, Ind.

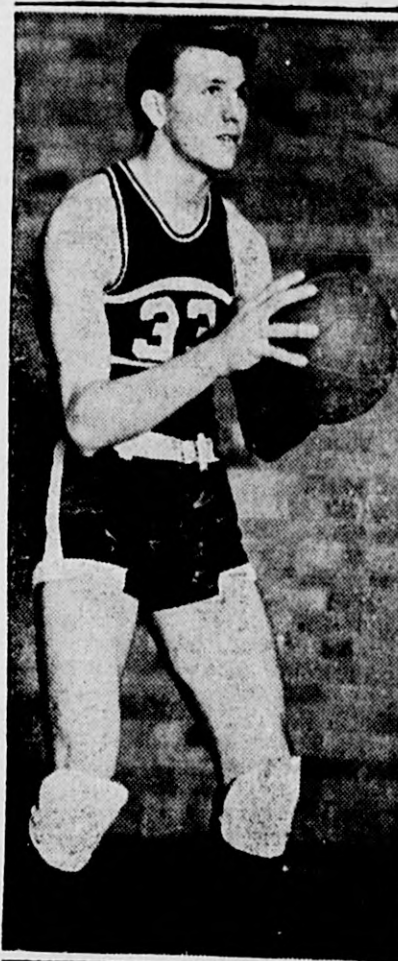
Two More Away

The Mac-men have two other games out of town this week, meeting Tri-State at Angola, Ind., on Thursday night and playing Hillsdale there on Friday night in an MIAA tilt. The boys will make an all-night trip for these two games.

Tri-State should be tough on their home court, especially if Guard Orval Mahnensmith is as hot on long shots as during the game here. One factor which may bother the Scots is the glass backboards used at Angola. All things considered, it will be a tight game.

Friday night the Mac-men will have something easier at Hillsdale, playing the weakest team in the MIAA. In the first encounter between the two schools here at Alma before Christmas vacation, the Scots overwhelmed the Dales, 72 to 20, and are expected to have things their own way again.

Sharpshooter



KEITH CAREY - CENTER

One of the main factors in the Scot's victory over Western Michigan last Friday night was the outstanding, all-around play of Center Keith Carey pictured above. Carey's work was especially notable in that he is hampered by a headgear. Notwithstanding this, he tallied 30 points against one of the best teams in Michigan.

BASEBALL DROPPED THIS SPRING; PLAN SOFTBALL LOOP

Because of war demands, Alma College will drop baseball this spring, it is announced by Gordon A. Macdonald, director of athletics. Replacing this sport will be an intensified intramural softball program.

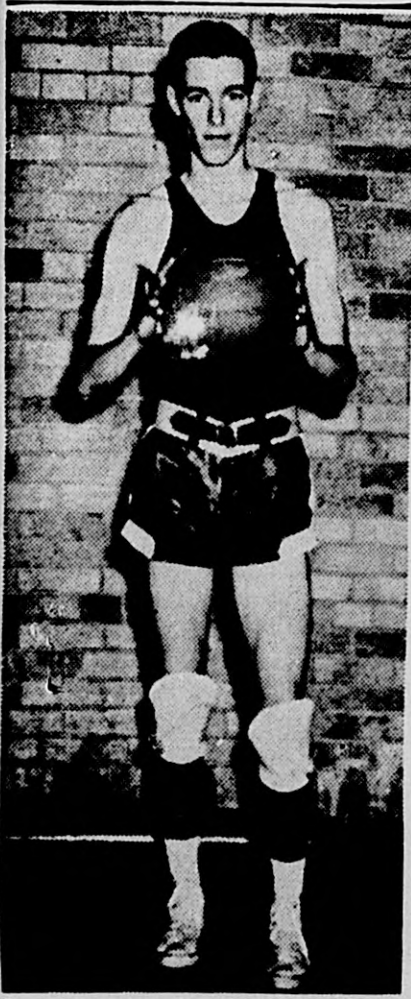
This move is being made because of the present national situation and in an effort to co-operate with the government in providing healthful recreation facilities for the greatest number of students possible.

According to the present set-up, the program will include around 15 to 20 teams similar to the intramural basketball leagues, with the aim of allowing every boy in school to participate.

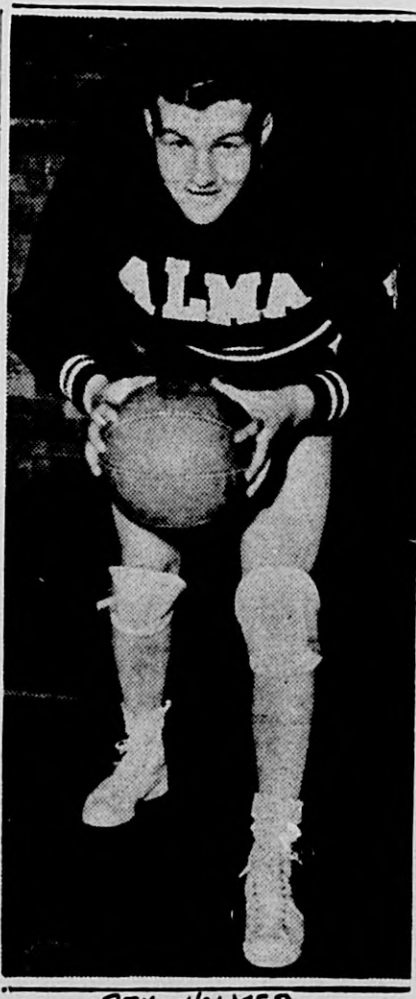
The present baseball diamond will be made over into one of the best softball fields in Michigan, says Macdonald, and will be available for use in the afternoon and evening. The college will furnish the bats and balls for this program.

Coach Macdonald will head the new set-up, aided by a committee of students and faculty and with the prospect of a student judge advocate.

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This season marks the 50th anniversary of the founding of basketball and a special Golden Jubilee committee is heading a nationwide movement to erect a monument to Dr. Naismith.

Plan Hall of Fame

While a young instructor at Springfield, Mass., College, Dr. Naismith was asked to design a game that could be played indoors as well as out, that was devoid of the physical contact of sports like soccer and lacrosse, yet possessed all the elements of skill, amusement and science. The result was basketball in its early stages.

Now this committee plans a permanent monument at Springfield, to be called the Naismith Memorial and Hall of Fame. This temple of basketball will bear the same relationship to the court game as baseball's Hall of Fame at (Continued on page 4.)

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MIAA SCORING — Alma has three of the leading five scorers in the MIAA, although they have played one less game than any of the other leaders. Bob Lynn, Albion, is high with 57; Jack Howe, Alma, 51; John Magiera, Hillsdale, 49; Keith Carey, Alma, 40; Bob Kirby, Alma, 39.

One of the queerest deferments this writer has seen is that granted to Chuck Smith, center of the Central Michigan basketball team at Mt. Pleasant. Smith left school and enlisted in the air corps, and was then supposed to go to Texas for training. At the last minute, he was given a 30-day deferment to allow him to finish the basketball season in the interests of "intercollegiate morale."

GOOD STUDENT—One of the outstanding athletes in Alma College is also one of the best students! Bob Kirby, all-MIAA selection in basketball and football and the league's most valuable grid player for 1941, achieved five A's and one B for a 2.81 rating. Registrar Robert Clack says that the basketball team as a whole has a high average.

Central Michigan's nickname has been changed from Bearcats to Chippewas. Let's put the Injun on them when they come to Alma on Feb. 25... When the Scots meet Western Michigan in Kalamazoo, it should be another hot game with the odds favoring the Broncos because of their home court, which is much wider than the Alma floor... Some suggestions have been made for the college to work out a season-ticket for athletics, or a year plan for all sports. Any suggestions along this line will be appreciated by Coach Macdonald, Mr. Ellis or this columnist.

SOME STATISTICS—Figures for their first 11 games shows that the Scots have scored 598 points to their opponent's 403. Scoring to date for the varsity players follows: Carey, 165; Jack Howe, 147; Kirby, 80; Bob Howe, 59; Holmes, 48; Penner, 38; Walker, 24; Fortino, 18; Saxton, 13; Emling, 4; Tullis, 2; Heimforth, 0.

ALUMNI NEWS

Mary Koffman, '41, is now in the ground crew training school for the army air corps, having left his law studies at the University of Michigan. His present address is: Pvt. Marvin D. Koffman, Barracks, 16, 304th School Sqd., Keesler Field, Miss.

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something of the outstanding shooting eye which has enabled him to become Michigan's leading scorer this year.

Carey Scores 30

In scoring Friday night, however, he was forced to take a back seat as two Alma boys surpassed him. Center Keith Carey turned in a great all-around game and looped through 12 baskets and six free throws for a total of 30 points and high honors. Forward Jack Howe also was on the beam as he collected 19 points.

In the preliminary, Carr's Crushers lost to the Midland All-Stars from Dow Chemical Company, 34 to 48. Bill LaPaugh was high man of the game with 16 points.

The summaries:

ALMA (61)	B	F	P	Tp.
J. Howe, f.	9	1	0	19
Holmes, f.	2	2	2	4
Carey (C), c.	12	6	0	30
Kirby, g.	3	0	2	6
Penner, g.	0	2	3	2
B. Howe	0	0	0	0
Saxton	0	0	0	0
Fortino	0	0	0	0
Walker	0	0	2	0
Heimforth	0	0	0	0
Emling	0	0	0	0
	25	11	9	61

WESTERN (50)

Gensichen, f.	7	2	3	16
Stevens, f.	4	1	1	9
Slaughter, c.	1	0	4	2
Slater, g.	3	0	0	6
Ballard (C), g.	2	2	4	8
Kahler	3	1	2	7
Elsner	2	0	3	4
	22	6	17	50

Half score: Alma 27; Western 23.
Referee: Pritchard (Bethany); umpire: Bauer (U. of M.).

MIDLAND ALL-STARS (48)

Collins, f.	7	1	1	15
Hall, f.	4	1	3	9
Skolnicko, c.	6	2	3	14
Seferian (c), g.	3	1	4	7
Dexter, g.	1	1	0	3
Miller	0	0	1	0
	21	6	12	48

CARR'S CRUSHERS (34)

La Paugh, f.	5	6	3	16
Nisbit, f.	4	0	3	8
Horne, c.	0	1	2	1
Mc Keith, g.	2	1	1	5
Carr (C), g.	1	0	1	2
Dickinson	1	0	2	2
Crimmons	0	0	0	0
Haley	0	0	0	0
	15	8	12	34

Score by Periods:
Midland 10 8 12 18-48
ALMA 12 7 6 9-34
Referee: Walters (Alma); umpire: Tullis (Alma).

GOLDEN JUBILEE

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Cooperstown, N. Y., bears to the diamond pastime. In its hall of fame will be perpetuated the names and accomplishments of the game's foremost players, past, present and future. Deposited here will be documents and souvenirs of the sport. Each year the names of the recognized all-American teams will be enshrined there.

A Fitting Memorial

It is fitting that such a memorial and hall of fame should be erected for this grand sport. Basketball, perhaps more than any other sport, appeals to youth of all ages and of all classes. Easily played, yet difficult to master, it provides contestants with a constant challenge and gives spectators much amusement.

Statements vary as to the attendance at basketball games in a single year, but it is generally agreed that more than 90,000,000 people watched the games in the past season.

Take basketball out of the sport picture today and you would have an empty spot that nothing could fill. It is part and parcel of American life. It exudes the wholesome, healthy, free competitive spirit which is one of the features of the American way of life.

Miss Schaafsma's Pupils Present Recital

The Junior Piano Department, under the direction of Miss Julia Schaafsma, gave a recital on Saturday morning, Jan. 31, in the social hall of the chapel. Three classes demonstrated the group work in rhythm done in their Saturday classes, followed by a piano recital by members of the classes. About 35 children took part in the program.

A course in fundamentals of meteorology has been added to the department of physics at the College of Mount Ste. Vincent, Riverdale, N. Y.

A survey indicates that 66 per cent of co-eds wear anklets.

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The skeleton was taken out of the closet last Tuesday at the first meeting of junior and senior girls taking Red Cross First Aid. If enough freshmen and sophomore girls are interested, a class for them may be organized.

Anyone having snapshots of women's sports on the campus are asked to see Miss Smith, Frieda Volpel, or Dorothy Walton, WAA has been asked to furnish such pictures for an exhibit at the convention in Milwaukee of the Mid-Western District of the national section on women's athletics.

The gym and chapel social hall are proving to be popular gathering places on Saturday afternoons. Badminton and basketball are favorites in the gym.

Mary Jean Coley, girls' basketball manager, promises a surprise opponent at the game next Thursday evening at 7 p. m.

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