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## T. K. A. Announces Debate Question

Plans for the activities of the Michigan Inter-Collegiate Speech League were outlined at the annual meeting held at Michigan State College, Friday, October 2. Professor A. Wesley Rowland and Kean Angelus, debate manager, represented Alma.

As Alma held the presidency of the League for this year, Professor Rowland presided. Schools attending were Albion, Alma, Calvin, Central Michigan, Hillsdale, Hope, Kalamazoo, Michigan State, Michigan State Normal and Western Michigan.

It was the consensus of the League that forensic activity should be continued in every way possible during the war. It was pointed out that never has this country needed strong, aggressive leadership as much as it does now.

The League this year will sponsor, for the first time, a student congress. This is to take the place of two former contests, extemporaneous speaking and discussion. This congress will be patterned after the operation of Congress with the speaker, committees and legislation. This congress is to be held in the House of Representatives chamber on Friday, November 20. Each college of the League will send a delegation. Topics which are to be considered for legislation are: wage control, exemption of college students under selective service, United States mediation between Britain and India, conscription of labor, representative redistribution, and elimination of inter-state trade barriers.

The question for debate for the current year will be:

Resolved, that the United Nations should establish a permanent federal union with power to tax and regulate international commerce, to maintain a police force, to settle international disputes and to enforce such settlements, and to provide for the admission of other nations which accept the principles of the union.

The men's debate tournament will be held at Michigan State College on Saturday, February 13. The Women's tourney will occur at Albion College on Saturday, February 20. The freshman debate tournament will be held at Kalamazoo on Friday, March 12. Professor A. W. Rowland of Alma was elected State debate director for four years.

The Men's and Women's contests in oratory will be held at Kalamazoo College on Friday, March 5.

Professor Rowland is calling a preliminary meeting, for all those interested in any phase of speech activities, for Thursday, October 8, at 4 o'clock in room 15 Administration building. This meeting is for both upper-classmen and freshmen.

## Watch Your Swipe As He Slides Through the Swinging Door

Betsy Ross

The swipes run in, the swipes run out—many's the time we've all watched the swipes hurrying and scurrying about, but have you ever stopped your daydreaming or conversation long enough to notice the great differences in swipes? 'Tis indeed a remarkable experience to sit by the serving room door and study the greatly varied methods of the swipes in entering said door.

## PHIS ELECT MARKES PREXY

At their first regular meeting of the new school year the members of Phi Phi Alpha fraternity elected Graham Markes, Wyandotte senior, to succeed Frank Closson as president of the fraternity. Ed Owens was chosen to fill the vice-presidency vacated by Markes. Bob Lint was elected to the secretarial post.

## PROF. RICHTER LEADS CHAPEL SERVICE WED.

The chapel services for this week are to be led by Professor Hans Richter tomorrow, the student council Thursday, and Professor Roy Hamilton next Monday.

Professor Margaret Foley, chairman of the chapel council, stated that until the committee has replies from the persons written to, she can not give a definite list of speakers. She expects most of the speakers to be local this year, because of the transportation situation. However, if the Rotary club has any outside lecturers, they will probably speak in chapel too.

## Enrollment 20% Under 1941 Mark

In spite of the draft, enlistments, and war work, there are still more men than women on the Alma campus. Of the 271 students registered, 154 are men and 117 are women.

The senior class includes 30 men and 26 women; the junior class, 38 men and 22 women; the sophomore class, 44 men and 34 women; the freshman class, 42 men and 35 women. There are 20 special students.

"More upperclassmen returned than we anticipated," commented Professor Robert Clack, registrar, who added that there was a slight drop in the freshman registration. The total enrollment is 20% less than last fall, and 10% less than last spring.

## Hamilton Meets Church Leaders

Professor Roy W. Hamilton, President of the Administrative Council, is attending the annual meeting of the Michigan Presbyterian senate in Detroit, Michigan from the 5th of October through the 10th.

Professor Hamilton has announced that the Co-operative council will again come into being in the very near future. The council is composed of both faculty and student members. This council forms a common bond between the faculty and student body.

## GERLS ELECTED PIONEER HEAD

On Monday, Sept. 28, the freshman residents of Pioneer hall elected four men to act as a house committee for the hall.

Elected to the committee were: Tom Gerls, president; Bill Selson, vice-president; Jim Hupp, secretary-treasurer; and Ken Corbin, athletic manager.

## Kiltie Band to Make Debut Homecoming

The Alma College Kiltie band, one of three of its kind in the United States, is looking forward to a successful year under the capable leadership of Prof. Jess W. Ewer, director; Jerry Duvendeck, president; Richard Fishbeck, manager; and Mary Jean Coley, secretary. Jack Tobin will act as drum major for the band this year.

The Kiltie band will make its first appearance this year at Homecoming, October 17. This will be the first year that the band has been without a bagpiper. For the past three years Charles "Scotty" Purves held this position, but, because he is in the armed services, will not be back this year.

The brilliantly colored plaid worn by the Alma Kiltie band is called the MacPherson plaid. It was selected not only for its beauty and brilliant coloring but also because MacPherson, for whom it has been named, was one of the early founders of the Presbyterian church in Scotland. The material came directly from Scotland and the uniforms were made in Toronto, Ontario.

Marching practice has started for the following band members: Clarinet: John Hensel, Bob Milham, Dick Hamilton, and Ramah List.

Horn: Mary Jean Coley, Jerry Duvendeck, and Margaret Wilson.

Flute: Lois Glenn.

Baritone: Bill Newton.

Drums: Carlton Bortle, James Niccum, and George Thompson.

Alto Saxophone: James Tobin, John Tobin and Henry Osterhout.

Bass: Warren Wille.

Soprano Saxophone: Alice Titus.

Trombone: Al Goodrich, David White, and Bill Bennett.

Trumpet: Don Eaton, Richard Fishbeck, James Hupp, and Duane Waters.

## Interesting Freshmen

Marge McCarty—she comes to us with the blessing of Saginaw High in Saginaw, Michigan. Miss McCarty is a vivacious brunette with more than her share of energy. More than one man on the campus has already been attracted by her friendly personality.

She plans on majoring in chemistry, believing that the future holds a very active place for the woman in that field. Her favorite hobbies are men and tennis. She also finds winter sports among her favorite.

Glenn Miller is, or was, her favorite orchestra. She is going to miss his music in the future.

Among the more classical things she finds the Nutcracker Suite among her best liked works, especially when done by Gus Haenshaen and his orchestra.

## FROSH ELECT CLASS OFFICERS

In a class meeting held last Tuesday the members of the freshman class elected officers for this year.

Freshmen elected to office were: Fred Phillippi, president; Joan Hardy, vice-president; John Benson, treasurer; Jean Humphries, secretary, and Tom Gerls, council.

## ADDRESSES WANTED

Any persons possessing the service addresses of any former Alma college students now in the armed forces are requested to write them out and deposit them in the box placed for that purpose on the first floor of the Administration building.

As soon as a reasonable number of these addresses are collected they will be published in The Almanian. Let's get them rolling in so that letters from Almanian readers will soon be rolling out to the boys in the service.

## Prof. J. W. Ewer Announces New A Capella Choir Plans



PROF. JESSE W. EWER

## PINK AND TAIT GUIDE PIONEER

Pioneer hall is again a hall of peace. After the rule of the class of '45 over those sacred walls, the calm attitude seems too good to be true.

Under the guidance of Bill Pink and Darb Tait, who are doing a splendid job, the hall has taken on an atmosphere that hasn't existed for some years.

Music reigns supreme over the hall at almost any hour of the day, with a continual stream of popular, classical, and vocal music streaming forth.

Studying seems to be something that the new fledglings take to rather easily, which probably accounts for the seeming peace of the class.

## Reporter Covers Football Game Or Does She?

Lois Fowler

EDITOR'S NOTE—Dear Public: This is a woman's view of football. Any similarity to an actual football resume is purely coincidental.

"Alice, where are you going? To Bahlke Field to see the game."

And so did we. All last week we were told, "Don't miss the Hillsdale powerhouse!"—but from the way they were carrying people off the field, we were wondering just which team was doing the powerhouseing. . . . From our seat right in the middle of the sensational freshman cheering section, it looked like a terrific game. . . . Of course there were Bob Rogers and Johnny Benson doing a super job of leading those tricky new cheers, and how we love to yell. . . .

BoBo Skee watten daddle, Wha daten shh!  
Itten Bitten de witten diddle, Itten Bitten de watten diddle,  
BoBo Skee watten daddle, Wha daten shh!

The next step is to work up a little number with lots of hep. . . maybe even Tobin's band to keep us on pitch. Speaking of cheer leading, we might mention Taylor and McCarty out there keeping up the old fighting spirit. . . or Jack Hensel getting back into his best form encouraging the boys with that familiar tenor (?) voice.

Isn't it nice that we have announcers up in the little white booth on top of the bleachers to tell us what is going on. . . but it IS a bit confusing when Harry Morley hysterically exclaims—"There's a pass, and no one in the clear to receive it!" . . . then Hanna grabs the ball nice as you please and romps off with it for a touchdown. . . .

We could have sworn we saw Bud Kohler out there blocking passes and making tackles, but he claims he turned his ankle falling off the bench. . . How about that?

Prof. J. W. Ewer has announced that the prospects for the 1942-43 A Capella choir are very promising. Even though quite a number of last year's members were lost through graduation and the war effort, there are many new voices to fill the vacancies.

The annual Christmas program is the only scheduled program for the coming year. Due to the rationing of gasoline, trips such as the ones taken in previous years will have to be curtailed this season.

Under Paul Guider, president; Elizabeth Miller, vice-president; Andy Edgerton, manager; and Margaret Wilson, secretary, the new group will continue the splendid work done by former choirs.

The members of the new choir are: First Sopranos, Virginia Feighner, Isabelle Purdy, Betty Fee, Mary Jo Furstenberg, Margaret Davis, Shirley Wenger, Nettie Wilson, and Jeanne Anderson. Second Sopranos, Lois Fowler, Phyllis Dunnette, Kay Peshke, Margaret Wilson, Carol Ridley, Judith Oates, Margaret Peshke, and Veda Crewe. First Altos, Elizabeth Miller, Betty Smith, Betty Zoe Elliot, Dona Peterson, Phyllis Babcock, and Dorothy Oliver. Second Altos, Rama Kirkwood, Helen Dehnke, Florence McDonald, Janice Rorem, Nancy Wauchek, and Alice Titus. First Tenors, Paul Guider, Steve Nesbit, Eugene Dyer, Don Allured, Clifford Buckholz, and Charles Kegel. Second Tenors, Harry Kirk, Bob Baker, Paul French, and Robert Rodgers. Baritone, Bill Newton, Allan Goodrich, Jim Towne, Harry Morley, Robert Medler, and David White. Basses, Andy Edgerton, Jerry Duvendeck, Bob Phillips, and Charles Bird.

Then there was that strong silent man Butler scoring for our side. . . . And Dud Emling, one of our favorite men about campus, turning on his record breaking 100 yard dash or whatever it is that he runs, to make another tally. As for Dale Wares. . . we sat there with Jo Anne biting the raven red off our nails every time he went down which isn't often, thank goodness. Bill Pink made the 2nd or 3rd of our six touchdowns. . . . It is our candid opinion that there will be comparative order in Pioneer Hall this year. . . . Need we say more? Corbin and Dyer had ample opportunity to show their colors and they sure came through from what we hear. . . . We were glad to see "my boy Chuck" Kegel in there. . . . you could practically see him championing at the bit and what determination!! . . .

They say Ken Plaxton knows this Manby from Hillsdale. . . . May we suggest that the next time something like that happens he doesn't keep a good thing so quiet. . . . Why did that Hillsdale man throw his helmet in the ring? . . . Does that mean the same as a towel does? . . .

We are glad to see the persistence of a certain President of the Freshman class in defying custom and dating the lady of his choice. . . . No game would be complete without that wired up man Dorsett and his pal Hupp dashing (Continued on page four.)

## DRAMA CLUB MEETS TOMORROW

Would-be Thespians: Come to the meeting in the speech room tomorrow afternoon at 4. There will be a meeting of all old drama club members and others interested in producing a play.

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## Why Don't the Bells Toll

The Dunning chapel bells were donated to the school to ring. They have formed since October ninth, 1941, a bond between the students, the college and the townspeople. Our chapel bells are the only ones in town which ring out the hours, and as such have begun a tradition which at all costs should be continued. As yet they have not rung. Our chimes have not proclaimed far and wide that Alma College is open.

They should, in themselves, represent the fact that even in war an institution of learning is not only open, but working and teaching, so that the youth of today may lead the world of tomorrow; a fact which is not so prevalent in the war-torn countries of Europe. The Dunning chapel bells, donated in the faith of God and freedom, should represent our "Statue of Liberty" here in Alma.

## Knowsey Knews

Hello to—the seniors, who feel more stupid now than they ever have; the juniors, who are beginning to wonder just what is IS all about; the sophs, who have a superior glare; and the frosh who know absolutely everything—

We see that Bill Hunter is hitting his usual stride AND with his usual finesse—and he's not the only one that thinks that Wilson miss is plenty O. K.

Beverly Smith and Hagenbuch are apparently getting along beautifully—and the twosome seems to meet with approval on all sides.

Betty Jane Smith and Coke Reigleman were a pair of plenty happy gals last Sunday. Didn't you notice the glow?

Lydia Silvani has found the darkness in front of Pioneer Hall rather disconcerting—in fact, football players look the same as any other human being, don't they?

Guider has set out on a new career—that of mending a broken heart. His "cure" is exceptionally

easy on the eyes, don't you agree? By the way, has Dorsett found a ready, willing and able "Red Cap?"

Frankie Navarre really looks like a new man—we think his new "V" figger is mighty attractive—Reverend Kegel made a startling debut Sunday evening—the cap set things off to perfection.

Worries, fears, hopes and despairs fill the mind of Bill Bennett—we hope that he will soon reach some satisfactory conclusion. We have glimpsed Rama and Herb Dahl together and are both surprised and pleased.

Nice to see Neil MacNeil back on the campus again... eligible bachelors are becoming fewer and farther between.

Well, guys and gals, it won't be long until Homecoming and then only six weeks until Thanksgiving and not long after that is Christmas and by that time—well, the semester is practically over, which is neither here nor there except that it is as good an ending as any and now Snoopy Sal can put up her hair and go to bed... g'bye now.

## WATCH YOUR SWIPE

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with an odd sliding motion of the shoulder, strolls resolutely on through the opening door.

Last is the cautious man or the worrier. Gently lifting the dishes, he lays them neatly on the tray, and pauses several times to estimate the balance and safety of the burden. Then with a half-stoop and sudden jerk, he lifts the tray and walks carefully to the door. Arriving safely and still retaining his death grip on the heavy tray, he turns around, backs easily into the swinging door, and hastens through as it swings shut.

In closer observation, don't be alarmed by the occasional swipe who hurries up to run through on another man's kick, for even the strongest character has his moments of weakness.



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## Miss Miller Fills Trying Wartime Position in College Dining Hall

### BROTHERS 'N SISTERS

**ZETA SIGMA**  
Zeta Sigma is starting the school year off with an active program. On the schedule for the immediate future is the rebuilding of the porch to replace the old one which has more than earned its keep.

The open house after the football game Friday was the first major social activity of the year.

Henry Osterhout and William Wendt are new pledges to the fraternity. Officers elected this fall are Neal McNeal, first critic; and Harry Morley, corresponding secretary.

### ALPHA THETA

The Alpha Thetas will be under the leadership of Beverly Hopkins this year. Other officers are Mary Jo Furstenburg, vice-president and first critic; Betty Fee, second critic; Mary Catherine Bell, recording secretary; Helen Olander, corresponding secretary; Donna Jeanne Francis, treasurer; Isabelle Purdy, student council representative; Mary Jo Furstenberg and Norma Hass, Women's League representatives; Ruth Kreulen, sentinel; Jean Huff, keeper of the archives; and Wilma Callahan, parliamentarian.

The Thetas will lead off with their annual mixer this Saturday. The dance, a girl bid affair, will be in the gym. The girls promise an imported band and cooling refreshments.

### DELTA GAMMA TAU

At the first meeting of Delta Gamma Tau fraternity, Sutherland Hayden was elected vice-president, replacing Donald Mattison. Committee chairmen were appointed for homecoming.

### KAPPA IOTA

Kappa Iota announces as new pledges, Margaret Peshke, and Shirley Sharpe. These girls accepted bids last week and will soon become full-fledged members of the sorority.

Officers for the year are Helen Dehnke, president; Silena Luchini, vice-president; Barbara Malcolm, secretary; Lenore Meyer, treasurer; Rama Kirkwood, critic; Dorothy Strauss, sentinel; Lois Fowler, keeper of the archives; and Betsy Ross, publicity chairman.

### PI SIGMA NU

Pi Sigma Nu has recently chosen three new patronesses. They are Mrs. C. P. Milham, Miss Charlotte Klein, and Miss Silvia Erickson.

The Pi Sigs have as their officers this year Dona Peterson, president; Virginia Feighner, vice-president; Doris Koppin, secretary; Margery Hines, treasurer; and Virginia Reiberg, student council representative. Dona Peterson and Virginia Reiberg are Women's League representatives.

### PHILO

The Philomathean officers for the year are Elizabeth Miller, president; Mary Jane Slyfield, vice-president; Emma Richter, secretary; and Kay Wilkie, treasurer.

"It's fun to get lunch for the football team after a game," asserted Miss Ruth Miller, the new dietician. "I love to hear the fellows talk over the game," she added. She not only feeds the team—she watches them in action, too. She doggedly sat in the rain until the last whistle blew at the Ypsi game.

Miss Miller lives in Wright Hall and insists that not even the blaring radio, hit-and-miss typing, and gab-fests in the room next door bother her. She explained that she got used to noise this summer when she was a camp dietician and cook.

"I can't think of anything I dislike doing," said Miss Miller, "but I'd rather play golf than do anything else." The busy, energetic dietician loves swimming—she has her senior life saving certificate, enjoys reading and sewing, and, of course, she likes to cook.

A native of Detroit, Miss Miller was graduated from Northwestern high school and Wayne university, where she majored in foods and institutional management.

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# Scots Blitzkrieg Hillsdale 40 to 7

## LINE PLAY DECISIVE IN SCOTS VICTORY

Alma again showed offensive power in whipping Hillsdale, 40-7, in its first league start Friday night. Hillsdale, expected to be a strong opponent, hit a series of injuries and couldn't show their true power.

Alma started rolling early in the game as Pink took the opening kick-off on his five yard line and ran it back to the 29. From this point, with Pink, Wares, and Tait carrying the Scots marched deep into Hillsdale territory. Wares drove from the seven down to the two yard mark where he was hit hard and fumbled but the whistle had blown and Alma kept possession of the ball. Wares, after getting up slowly on the previous play, promptly cracked over tackle for the score. Pink's try was short and Alma took the lead, 6-0.

Pink, whose toe work was one of the highlights of the game, kicked off to Kott who ran the ball from his two yard line back to the 41. On the third play Walters, dependable Scot fullback, hurt his leg. Here the Dales showed some offensive life as Manby, Kott, and Erickson combined to bring the ball down to Alma's 18. But this drive was short-lived as the entire Alma forward wall, lead by Hicks, Navarre, and Saxton, held them on downs. On the first play Tait lateraled to Wares who faded back to his own 10 and chucked

one down to Hillsdale's 45 where Hurray Hanna, who had eluded the Dales' safety man, pulled it in and dashed the remaining 45 yards to a touchdown. Pink's kick split the uprights and Alma pulled away, 13-0.

Pink kicked to Hillsdale's goal where it was taken and returned to the 26. The Dales were penalized for holding on this play and the ball went back to their 11 yard line. Hicks, Alma guard, then intercepted a Dale pass on the 20. However, Hillsdale tightened and Alma lost the ball on downs at the 18. Then with Kott carrying, the Dales marched down the field and smashed over from the two for a touchdown. Manby kicked the extra point.

Manby kicked off to Wares on the 15 and the ball was returned to the 40. At this point Emling and Pink carried the ball into Dale territory. Emling just missed breaking away at the 26 as the safety man cut him down. Tait heaved one to Hanna on the one yard line. Pink then barreled over for the score and promptly added the extra point.

The half ended as Pink kicked off to Hillsdale and at the half-way mark in the game the score showed Alma leading, 20-7.

Alma opened the second half kicking off to Hillsdale on the 38. The Dales then made a bid which carried them to Alma's 29, but they were stopped when Dyer and Navarre came in hard to smear their runners. Hillsdale held and Pink booted a beautiful punt 60 yards to Hillsdale's 10 where it was picked up and returned to the 21. Here the entire line tightened, forcing Hillsdale to kick. Wares took the punt and ran it back to the 46. Alma's offensive then went into action and in a few plays had the ball on the Dales' 12. On a power play Wares romped around end for the score, with Tait, Pink, Walters, Kohler, and Hanna clearing the way. Pink was again successful in kicking the extra point.

Pink kicked off to Manby on the two and returned it to the 28. The (Continued on page 4)

## SCOT SCRIBBLINGS

By Dorsett

Again the Scots came through with a well earned victory but let's say one thing, the "breaks" had a lot to do with the score. The injuries to the Hillsdale team cut down their efficiency and power. It would have been a much tougher game for our boys if the Dales had been able to carry on with full strength. It has been said that those who hit the hardest get hurt the least and that's the way it was on Friday night. The Scots were ahead, 20-7, in the first half but the boys were fortunate to have this much of a lead. Hillsdale showed a lot of fight and determination but simply couldn't take the beating that was handed out.

The line work of the Alma team lacked a fast charge in the first half but they were a hard charging and determined gang when they started out for the last two quarters. Here is where they showed what real blocking and tackling can do. With substitutions running freely they opened up holes that made it easy for the backfield men to go through for the many scores. From end to end they worked together. Frank Navarro, once again backing up the line, made a lot of hard tackles and reminded us of Spanky, as a sophomore. If the draft stays away from our door that line of Kohler, Edgerton, Hartt, Hicks, Swanson and Hanna will equal the best that they meet. Saxton is leaving us. Let's hope no more will get the call. Of course there's one thing we have to consider. That line will have to keep charging. There can be no sitting on its laurels. The backfield will have to keep running like it has been for there are yet five games to play and these teams have shown offensive and defensive power.

We have a whole supply of good backs. Our own Bill Pink is leading scorer of the state and other Scots are close behind. The Dales showed two excellent backs in Kott and Manby. Both boys were tough to stop and never quit driving. Next week will be Alma's first out of town game. The Scots go over to Grand Rapids to play one of their two opponents from that city, Grand Rapids Junior College. Already this season this team showed a fighting spirit. In their first game they fought a more experienced Hope outfit to a 0-0 deadlock and have a defensive power that will be hard to crack. On this first test their offensive seemed to be a weak point, but undoubtedly their coach has worked on this and we will be facing a much improved team on their home ground.

From the looks of things the Scots still have a lot of work to do and can always improve. Let's have no over-confidence for we will remember what this did in the 1940-41 season. The team has started well and here's one who thinks they will carry on with more games chalked up in the win column. The hard running backs and fast charging linemen we have seen can bring home the bacon.

## SAXTON GETS CALL

Gayle Saxton, veteran lineman from East Jordan, and hardluck man of the squad, was dealt another blow on the eve of the Ypsi game. During this game he received a minor injury to his nose. Immediately following the game, Coach Macdonald rushed him to the induction board at Kalamazoo where he was placed in 1-A classification.

Luckily for the Scots, Sax has 15 days in which to straighten his affairs and he will play in the Grand Rapids J.C. game. His leaving will be a great loss to the line. He is the hardest worker on the football squad, a real football player, and an all around good fellow. Good luck, Sax, and keep fighting!

## Co - Rec

### CHOCOLATE

"WAA is striving for participation of all girls," stressed Lennie Meyer, club president at the women's chocolate in Wright hall, last Thursday evening. She declared that not just sports, but reading, knitting, first-aid, and serving on committees for school activities were WAA-sponsored projects.

Lennie introduced the executive board and council for this year. Beulah Brace, vice-president, is chairman of the social committee, which includes Mary Anne Bowen, Dorothy Strauss, Helen Milham, Jean Humphries, Dorothy Oliver, and Dona Peterson.

Beverly Smith is in charge of group sports, with Mary Jane Colley, Virginia Feighner, Carolyn Sanford, and Betsy Ross helping her. Individual sports will be managed by Gerry Wadley, with Rama Kirkwood, Marge Kuehn, Marge Wunderlich, and Shirley Sharpe working with her.

Shirley Wenger, secretary and treasurer, will have Jo Anne Hardy as assistant; while Kay Wilkie will help Donna Jeanne Francis, chair- (Continued on page 4)

## Congrats

This week it's orchids to the "Ridge-runner" Murray Hanna, whose excellent game at end was one of the many bright spots in a line that came back in the second half and gave the Dales a taste of hard football.

Hanna played a heads up football game and was a tough man to get around, through, or over in defense. He did what every good end is supposed to do. He took out the interference and absorbed a beating in doing so, but took it like a true Scot. It was on the offensive that he proved to be a definite threat. He eluded the whole Hillsdale team on one occasion and went for a score. A short time later it was again his pass catching that set up another score.

Let's have more games like this, Murray. You remind us of Carey.

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**HILLSDALE**

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Dales then drove to the 47 where Edgerton recovered Manby's fumble. Dyer and Pink then carried the ball to Hillsdale's 12 where Butler slashed off tackle, reversed his field and outdistanced the secondary to score standing up. Pink's conversion was just to the left of the uprights, making the score Alma 33, Hillsdale 7.

Pink kicked off to Ward who returned the ball to Alma's 40 where Ruehl brought him down preventing a possible score. Swanson, Rogers, and Hicks then slowed up the Dales' running game and forced them to kick out of bounds on Alma's 29.

After three unsuccessful attempts, Pink kicked to the Dales'

30. Ken Corbin then stepped in to stop Hillsdale in their tracks with three successive tackles. Hillsdale punted to Emling on the 15 yard line and he wasn't stopped until he reached the 35. After Alma rolled up a first down on the 45, Emling, running from a short punt formation, swept around right end and danced his way down the sidelines for the score. Pink's conversion was again good.

Pink kicked off to Hillsdale and the Dales tried futile passes before the gun sounded ending the game. The summary:

Alma (40)	Hillsdale (7)
Hanna . . . . . LE . . . . .	Konas
Hart . . . . . LT . . . . .	Lude
Saxton . . . . . LG . . . . .	Davis
Navarre . . . . . C . . . . .	Gress
Hicks . . . . . RG . . . . .	Hayden
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Pink . . . . . RH . . . . .	Erickson
Wares . . . . . LH . . . . .	Ward
Walters . . . . . F . . . . .	Manby

Alma substitutions: Dyer, Corbin, Butler, Emling, Swanson, Goodrich, Ruehl, Dittmar, Rodgers, Kegel, Murry, Fisher, Dahl, Budge, Youngblood.

Score by quarters:

Alma . . . . .	13	7	7	13—40
Hillsdale . . . . .	7	0	0	0—7

Officials: Bean, Voss, and Rich.

**CO-REC**

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man of awards, Janice Rorem, Marie Montieith, and Helen Olander are on the publicity committee headed by Marion Spalsbury.

**PICNIC—WE HOPE!**

"About 5 tomorrow afternoon, we want to see a lot of girls hiking over to Conservation park for the WAA picnic," declared Dorothy Strauss, chairman. "The one planned last week had to be postponed, but we'll have an extra lot of fun and food to make up for it," she promised.

"There will be a treasure hunt with a real treasure for the winner," Dot said, but she refuses to tell what it is. "Dinner will be at 5:30, in case you must get back early," she added.

A special invitation is given to the frosh and other new women, and all women of the college are urged to come.

**Chit Chat From The Hermitage**

Harry Morley

Buenos Dias Senores, here it's another lovely day as this column begins to unfold. Have you noticed how pretty everything has begun to be now that the leaves are turning their myriad of colors. It makes one feel happy just to look at them.

**CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER . . .**

To anyone who has gone out of his way this last week to make Alma seem more like home to someone who feels the lack of friend home. You know what I mean.

**PLEASANT DISCOVERIES . . .**

Betty Elliott, lovely voice, lovely personality, lovely girl. Friendliness of the Freshman class.

The possibilities of the football team. More power to them.

**IT HAPPENED TO ME . . .**

The new Commando type of training reigned over by Chief Frank Navarre. It didn't seem possible that anyone could become so sore from such a little exercise. Now I know better.

**FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO KNOW . . .**

President Roosevelt's secret trip is bringing a great deal of controversy via the press and radio. The New York Herald Tribune says his supposed military inspection trip is ominous. The editorial went on to say that President Roosevelt's actions of late have been a direct attempt to suppress the press. My opinion is that the newsfield must be terribly hard up for news to raise such a fuss over one of the President's frequent trips.

John L. Lewis trouble is again in the offing, with trouble threatening because of the government's request that coal miners start working 48 hours again instead of the 35-hour week that is now in effect.

Hitler's speech in Berlin shows very clearly that the Nazi grand strategy has broken down, and that in order to retain face for the army with the people of Germany, Stalingrad must be taken even if it means exhaustion for the army.

The newspaper censorship problem is about to come to a head with all the major concerns that distribute news insisting that Byron Price establish a policy telling them what they can print and what must be kept from the public so that certain politicians can not complain that newspaper publicity is interfering with the defense program.

**Women's Football View**

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madly up and down the side lines . . . the way they carry on you'd think they were writing a sports column or something . . .

Contributing to a very successful evening was that adorable new addition at Pioneer . . . and we are not necessarily referring to a man . . . This time it is the soft furry grey and white kitten which the boys have taken to their hearts and smothered under their coats . . . We noticed a new awakening of spirit and pep in the crowd, besides there were enough hotdogs to go around (even one left over for Pioneer's mascot). Wonder of the ages—it didn't even RAIN! . . . However Dot Oliver's and our bangs were falling in our eyes before it was over, from force of habit, I guess . . .

Well, that's about all we picked up last Friday night besides some delicious cake and cocoa at the Zeta Sigma open house following the game . . . If you are looking for a report on the game, this isn't the place to find it . . . Fine time to tell you I know . . .

By the way, before I leave you . . . just where DID Alice go . . . after the game? Any ideas on this problem will be gratefully received.

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**THE FRESHMAN IMPRESSION**

Carol Ridley

Every freshman has a special impression of every special activity, class, professor, etc., on the campus, but if they were all mixed up into one, the opinion would be, "It's swell."

What's swell?—the upperclassmen, (especially the sophomores), the professors who helped us so much on our first few days, the dorms, and the general campus activity.

One of the best first impressions, and probably the one that will always stay with us, is the friendliness of everyone. Naturally, we knew no one our first day, yet everyone said "Hello," or "Hi," and believe us, that meant a lot to a new freshman.

As far as we new frosh have it figured out, the recipe for being happy here at Alma is: Take a few

classes, a little fun, a few extra activities, and mix them with as much friendliness as the bowl will hold, and the result can be nothing but a good four years of college, to which everyone of us is looking forward.

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