

Game, Dance, for Homecoming Sat.

First Chosen for

At a meeting Tuesday evening in the rectory of the Episcopal church, Canterbury club members planned a Halloween party to be given at 7 p. m. October 29.

Hrama Club Play

The committees on entertainment, refreshments, and publicity met, with Reverend Robert Lawson as their advisor. All Episcopal students, and club members are invited to the party.

entertains assembly

member of the speech department in a program of interpretative readings presented for the student hotly Wednesday during the chapel hour.

Bob realistically gave the audience a peek inside a neighborhood theatre where Cowboy Tex is playing on Saturday

Rush to Signal Start of Days Festivities: Game at 2:00

and activities will commence on Friday evening, October 21, at 8 p.m.

There will be the pep rally at Davis Field, which will include the presentation of the Homecoming Queen, Ruth Swatek, and presentation of the coach and team. This will be around the bonfire, to be built by the frosh men.

An informal dance in the chapel room will start about 9, concluding the first days activities.

Seven o'clock the next morning, Saturday, the rivalry between the frosh and sophs will break out with the

Nan Harden

Heads Drama Club

Nan Harden, Saginaw, was elected president of the Alma College Drama Club at its first meeting last Tuesday.

Types of roles of

Plays the young love interest, a busy gadabout, an Irish woman, a flapper, and an old lady in a skit which took place in the

and Beverly Winters, Flint, secretary-treasurer.

The group has as a faculty advisor, Mr. A. Eldersveld, and the club will hold meetings each Tuesday evening during the school year.

Doctor Einstein, the Peter Lorn type, is to be enacted by Andy Good, while Jeny Pozner and Rnland Gohlke play polli; nitiot man. Paul Stoppert is in tin- role of their superior, Lt. Rooney.

while Bill McMillan plays the Reverend Harper, father of Elaine.

Others in the cast include Jim Inee as Mr. Gibbs, Bob Wolfe, as a wise-cracking patrolman who wrote a play and spends most of his time trying to sell it to Mortimer, and Dick Reid, as superintendent of an Insane Asylum, Mr. Witherspoon.

game.

U.S. Navy Honors Alma Tomorrow

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Roseman Among

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"Hello everybody, glad to see you all here. Now it's my belief there are spooks very near," said Nan Harden, mistress of ceremonies at the Kappa Iota Sorority

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## CHAPEL CALENDAR

Wednesday, October 29 ..... U. S. Navy,  
Presentation of Plaque  
Thursday, October 30 ..... Dr. Dale D. Welch,  
President, Alma College  
Tuesday, November 4 ..... Dr. Josiah V. Roth,  
Dean of Religion

## CAST CHOSEN

(Continued from page one.)

mer has little time to get to the theater to write a play review, let alone, spend any hours with his fiance Elaine.

Abby and Martha Brewster have twelve bodies racked up on their side of the scorebook, and Jonathan has twelve also. Not being able to stand the thought of the women being as expert as he, he sets out to find one more victim, and his brother Mortimer, whom he hates, just about fills the bill. Mortimer, dodging out of death's hands furnishes a good part of the action of the play.

And, in case any are interested, the locale of the play is Brooklyn, where anything can happen, and usually does.

Properties: Betty Lobenstein, Chairman; Jean Craig, Lois McBurney, Lois Giesecking, Barbara

Milham, Mary Ann Morris, Margaret Bennett, and Barbara Compton.

Costumes: Jenette Faber, Chairman; Nan Harden, Ann Hobart, Dorothy Dugal, Norma Pinkerton, and Donna Campbell.

Scenery: Fred Arnold—Chairman; George Lennox, Al Kligman, Bill McMillan, Lorrie Kaplan, and Louise Martinez.

Publicity and Tickets: Dick Reid, Chairman; Harry Craig, Don Richards, Ted Roberts, Vance Soby, Jack Szcukowski, Terry Katz, and Phyllis Hayward.

## ROSEMAN

(continued from page one)

Michigan, 31; Weisenburger, Michigan, 30; Elliot, Michigan, 30; Roseman, Alma, 30; and O'Leary, Detroit, 30.

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**NOVEMBER 1**

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### ALPHA THETA

With Homecoming just around the corner, the Theta's are busying themselves with the float for the big day. Preparation and working committees have been assigned and work starts promptly.

The Homecoming banquet is being held at the Wright Hotel dining room. Speakers at the banquet will be Mike Black, "Alpha Theta of the Past" Dorothy Dugal; "Alpha Theta of the Present, and, Ruthie Schmidt, "Alpha Theta of the Future." All the Theta's are looking forward to seeing the many alumni who will attend.

Plans for pledging are now in process. Bids will be sent out Nov. 10th, as decided by the inter-sorority council.

### SIGMA PHILO

Last week the Philo meeting was strictly business. With three big events looming up within the next month, there was much to do. The brightest thought was pledging which is yet to come. Plans for Homecoming were finally completed, even to the float which is under the direction of Terry Katz.

Arrangements were also made for a tea, given Sunday, October 26, for the patronesses of the sorority and plans for our open dance, November 15 were discussed.

### ZETA SIGMA

"Welcome to the fold and glad to have you," were the sentiments expressed by all the members to the new pledges as they entered the renowned chambers last Monday night. The new pledges are: Kenneth Corbin, Richard Wing, Donald Schultz, James Robinson, Walter McAnallen, Ralph Appell, Robert DeYonker, Donald Shankwiler, Parviz Khabir and John Engle.

Plans for Homecoming are going ahead and from the pile of correspondence on McCarthy's desk, a large return of alumni is assured. Frank Wilson, George Alward and Jerry "Moe" Oliver are taking care of house decorations and they promise to have the best set in the Fraternity's fifty-eight years.

Another step in the house rebuilding program has been completed with the laying of linoleum upstairs and the painting of the music room. It is hoped the shortages of material will let up to allow us to have the floors of the living room and the music room covered by Homecoming.

### PHI-LIP

This is just a bit of reflection about the Phi wiener roast last weekend and what a lot of fun everyone had. Hot dogs, potato chips, cokes, music, a beautiful starry night, and the girl of your choice. What more could a man ask for?

Saturday all the Phis were out in fine style making expeditions into the jungle for colorful leaves, and trips to surrounding farms for corn stalks, wagon wheels, pumpkins, and straw. At the time set, down the stairs to the chapel rec room came eager barn dancers dressed in plaid shirts and blue jeans; and they kept coming until the room was full. We're glad that everyone had such a good time!

Last week was pledge week and we now have seventeen new pledges. We want to extend our welcome to them and also to introduce them to Bob Pollock, pledgemaster.

Added improvements to the fraternity house are the new coke machine and the linoleum on the first floor.

### PIONEER PRATTLE

Girls, what are the latest styles in evening wear? If you don't know, line up along Superior Avenue around 6:30 p.m., Thursday. You guessed it, it's the pajama parade.

The Frosh will do a fast snake dance to the Strand Theater where the boys will put on a twenty-minute show for the guests. Who will be in the chorus line is anybody's guess at this time, but you can rest assured that the boys will be there kicking.

Charles Laughead tells us that his roommate John Woolson has been hiding for the past few days. After reading the morning paper, he ducked into his room. John says he is worried about being drafted. You can tell he's worried about someone's skin. His own!

John Houghtaling, who lives in the basement suite, is the closest thing to "Gil Lamb", the comedian, seen around the campus. If you don't believe us, just ask him. Every day he walks up to the mir-

ror and says, "If my mustache was an inch wider and darker, Lamb would have to retire. Just how handsome can a guy get in twenty-three years!"

Everyone wants to know why Frosh Don Houck from Pioneer likes to take midnight walks in the country.

Wynn Crosby and Ted Roberts were buddies on a midnight hike last week. They were looking for butterflies for Biology. Altogether, the boys walked fifteen miles cross country. They said it was fun and would like to see another hike come into reality. This time they will have the car and the Sophomores will have the walking stick.

Around Pioneer Hall everyone knows that the Kangaroo Court is after one William Waldrop. The other day the court scouted for Bill and couldn't find him. They looked from his room up to the attic and down to the basement. Still no William. "Our Bill" roomed out for the night and outfoxed the court. But never let it be said that our court fails, no sir! "There will be many nights to come," said a spokesman for the court, "and when that time comes, justice will prevail. There is no doubt now that one Mr. Waldrop is GUILTY, and

a just sentence will be passed, Amen!

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# Alma Scots Wallop Adrian, 25-7

## Third Place in M.I.A.A. Gained by Second Conference Win

### FIGHTING SCOTS READY FOR HOPE

Sparked by backs Merle Grove, Cliff Fossitt, and Mike Budge, each of whom scored one touchdown, Alma's injury riddled Scots trounced a stubborn Adrian College eleven, 25 to 7, in an M.I.A.A. league game at Bahlke Field last Friday night.

Playing without the services of Chuck Martin and Ray Mohre and getting only slight help from Max Tullis, the Scots built up a 19-0 lead at intermission and traded touchdowns in the final half to capture their second M.I.A.A. triumph in three starts.

The Scots win set the stage for their crucial Homecoming Day battle with Hope this Saturday.

Although Adrian's T-formation attack piled up 215 yards rushing through the Alma forward wall, the Bulldogs never penetrated past the Scots 25. Only a 55-yard run-back of an Alma punt for a touchdown in the fourth quarter by Babe Schultz, Adrian's hard-running fullback, saved the Bulldogs from being whitewashed.

The Scots rolled up 242 yards on the ground, while completing seven passes in 15 attempts for 93 yards, two of them for touchdowns, to display their best aerial attack of the season.

Halfback Merle Cosgrove paved the way for Alma's first touchdown late in the opening quarter with a 45-yard dash around end to the 10. Two plays moved the ball to the seven from where Cosgrove scored through tackle. Dixie Howell's conversion try failed.

Early in the second period, aided by a 17-yard pass from Rex Roseman to Fred Fyfe, the Scots drove 60 yards to pay dirt, the scoring play being a five-yard toss from Roseman to end Roy Gray. Howell placekicked Alma's only successful conversion of the contest.

Alma struck for its third tally shortly before the end of the first half. A 20-yard aerial, Roseman to end Joe Thibideau, and a 34-yard jaunt by quarterback Cliff Fossitt lugged the pigskin to the three. Then Fossitt went over to give Alma its halftime margin.

With Mike Budge doing some fine ball carrying, one of his runs covering 23 yards, the Scots marched to their fourth and final touchdown in the third quarter. Budge himself scored the touchdown when he grabbed a 19-yard pass from Roseman in the end zone after it had bounced off an Adrian man's shoulder.

In the fourth stanza Adrian's quarterback, Paul Minster, gathered

in Roseman's punt on his own 45 and handed the ball to Babe Schultz, who galloped 55 yards down the sidelines for the Bulldogs lone marker. Tackle Jim Staup placekicked the extra point.

With Alma reserves playing dogs marched to the Alma 25. The most of the last period, the Bull-drive ended, however, when Howell intercepted an Adrian pass.

The starting lineups:

Alma	Pos.	Adrian
Gray	LE	Hoben
Derby	LT	Staup
Lieberman	LG	Maley
Howell	C	Fuller
Corbin	RG	Van Wagner
Albee	RT	Luce
Fyfe	RE	Dawson
Krause	QB	Minster
Roseman	LH	Osenko
Cosgrove	RH	Mitchell
Budge	FB	Schultz

The score by quarters:

Adrian	0	0	0	7	7
Alma	6	13	6	0	25

The statistics:

	Alma	Adrian
First downs	11	13
Yards rushing	242	215
Yards passing	93	51
Yards lost	40	34
Net yards gained	295	232
Passes attempted	15	11
Passes completed	7	4
Passes intercepted	2	1
Average yards punts	39	30
Yards lost penalties	15	35
Opponent's fumbles recovered	3	0

#### M.I.A.A. STANDINGS

	W	L	Tie
Hillsdale	3	0	0
Kalamazoo	2	0	0
Alma	2	1	0
Hope	1	1	1
Adrian	0	3	0
Albion	0	0	0

## Baseball to Be M.I.A.A. Sport

"Baseball is to be an M.I.A.A. sport this year", Coach Skinner announced at a meeting of baseball prospects recently. Baseball also will be included with football, basketball, track, golf, tennis, and cross country as sports in which athletes can gain points toward the M.I.A.A. all-sports trophy.

There will be no fall practice because of a lack of time to draw up a practice schedule.

The returning lettermen include: George Vinson, pitcher who was elected the most valuable player on the team last year; Rocky Walker, Buck Walters, Bill Saxton, Dave Walsh, John Wilkins, and Bill Moore. Ken Swanson, '47 was elected the honorary team captain last year.

## Delts Lead in Intramural League

The Delts won one game and tied one to take a half game lead over the Phis in the intramural touch football league. Skid Row jumped into third place by winning two games and losing one.

The Delts outplayed the Phis,



ROY GRAY, Pontiac, freshman, Scots right end grizzer. Roy is a World War II veteran and has greatly enhanced the Alma title chances this season. He is one of the first Negro athletes to attend Alma College since 1938, and he has already gained a host of friends.



CLARE ALBEE, outstanding Scots lineman was slightly injured in Friday evening's tilt against Adrian. He left the game suffering from a sprained ankle, but will be in there fighting for Alma come Saturday.

## Conference Show Down Certain with Week-End Tilts Scheduled

A showdown nears in the M.I.A.A. when Hillsdale, undefeated in conference competition, stakes its title hopes against Kalamazoo College which has only a 6-6 tie with Hope to mar its record. The two schools meet Friday night at Angell Field, Kalamazoo.

Saturday's tie game between Hope and Kazoo gave Hillsdale undisputed possession of first place, with Kazoo running second with 2 wins and one tie. Alma comes up in third position with 2 wins and one loss, with Hope, Albion, and Adrian running in that order.

Clair DeMull was the star in the Hope contest, taking a short pass from Nick Yonkers, Dutchmen

but a pass from Dave Walsh to Bob Christenson with less than two minutes to play tied the score 12 to 12. The Delts scored twice on runs around right end by Sullivan and Paul Stoppert each good for twenty yards. Although the Delts held the Phis in their own territory most of the game, two long passes by Walsh to Bruce Brown and to Christenson resulted in touchdowns.

The Delts triumphed over Skid Row Thursday night, 14 to 8. Touchdowns were made by Stoppert and Art Fowler, the last one being made with four minutes left to play. Skid Row made a touchdown on a pass from Alex Kish to Tom Washburn. Both teams had a safety charged against them.

Skid Row Wins Two  
Skid Row took third place by defeating the Gremlins, 18 to 6 and winning from the Zetas by forfeit. The Skid Row touchdowns were made by passes from Alex Kish to Warren Eilber and Stan Veselenak. Cicinelli scored the only Gremlin touchdown.

	W	L	Tie
Delts	3	0	1
Phis	2	0	1
Skid Row	2	2	0
Gremlins	0	2	0
Zetas	0	3	0

Games this week:  
Oct. 27, Mon., Zetas vs. Gremlins  
Oct. 28, Tues., Phis vs. Skid Row  
Oct. 29, Wed., Zetas vs. Delts.  
Oct. 30, Thurs., Phis vs. Zetas.  
Nov. 3, Mon., Delts vs. Gremlins.

#### HOMECOMING GAME

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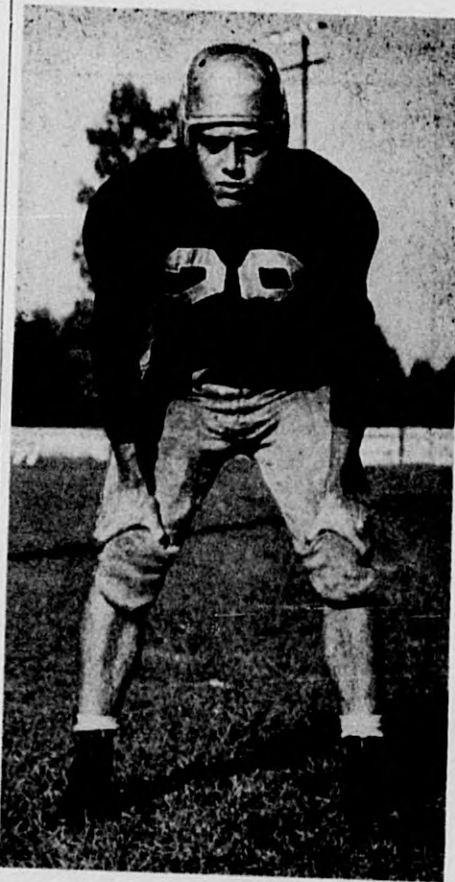
quarterback, for the Hope tally. He then blocked the extra point try by Kazoo following the Nulfmen tally.

Alma's contest could easily be titled the pivotal fray. A win against Hope for Alma, while Hillsdale defeats Kazoo would set Alma up as a strong title threat. All that would then be needed for a co-championship would be an Alma victory over Hillsdale in their meeting next week.

Coach Sebo still has an injury laden squad. Ray Mohre, backfield ace, will be out for the rest of the season according to present indications. Max Tullis will see limited action, as will Bruno Krause, Chuck Lemke, Bucky Walters, and Clare Albee.

Probable starting lineups:

Alma	Pos.	Hope
Fyfe	LE	DeMull
Derby	LT	Collins
Corbin	LG	Dick
Saxton	C	Ladewig
Lieberman	RG	Moerland
Peace	RT	Timmerman
Gray	RE	Holwerda
Fossitt	QB	Yonker
Tullis	RH	Leverette
Roseman	LH	Pfingstel
Hester	FB	Emery



Merle Cosgrove, Petoskey, freshman, who made his first appearance of the year with the Scots in the Grand Rapids JC contest. Friday night he again played consistently good ball, making the first Alma score of the evening.



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# Wrightson's Hall Whims

"We are little black sheep who have lost our way, baa, baa, baa!" Sweeter voices were never heard around old Wright Hall as representatives of the Class of '51 serenaded the girls last Monday evening. T'was very good, boys!

Saturday night was a busy one for the sophomores! The girls

were so quiet as they went about ducking freshmen that few realized what had happened until it was all over.

Barb Wissinger, Dit, Becky, and Barb Girvan were the lucky people who spent the weekend at Kathy Shaw's cottage.

Three cheers for Peggy Woodley! Those grilled cheese sandwiches certainly tasted good after the game Friday night.

All the radios were on Saturday afternoon and all turned to the same station. Everyone wanted to find out if the Wolverines were going to win again this week. Lucky Phyl Smith and Mike Budge drove down to Ann Arbor for the big game.

Those washers are wonderful! At least that's what Pinkie and Putt say. The best part is relaxing with a coke while waiting for them to do all the work.

Did you notice: Marty Haller's sharp maroon hat; what a cute couple Chris and Jo make; the handsome man Nan Harden was with this weekend; Jocelyn Larrabee's "tenting" skirt; how Kasper glows in the dark.

Do you agree: As Sweet as You Are—Ruth Swatek.

The Old Lamplighter — Night watchman.

I Just Dropped in Today—George Snively.

We Knew It All the Time — Kathy and Bud.

Give Me Five Minutes More—Wright lounge at 10:00 p. m.

### A NIGHT AT G. I. HALL

Everything was fairly quiet on this particular night. Quiet with a few exceptions, that is. In suite No. 1, Tommy Washburne was being lulled to sleep by Francis Craig's "Near You," while Chuck Schoenhols was making up his bed for the upteenth time. It seems as though his two roommates "Bee-bee" Bower and Warren Eilber have a lot of fun at his expense.

In the next suite Leon Bonner had gathered a small audience by picking up a quarter from the floor with his teeth without bending at the knees. After an appreciative applause he proceeded to tie himself into knots around a broom. Don "Twinkle-toes" Womack then

took over and showed off his new dance step while singing "Swanee" at the same time.

Passing by suite No. 4, we heard someone groaning. Thinking it was a friend in need, we quietly opened the door. There with his head lying on an open German book was "Chipper" Butler. What we took for groans turned out to be requests for aid. The kid was snowed. "Help-Help," he kept repeating over and over. Having similar difficulty with Spanish, we quietly closed the door and headed for our "rack". We didn't quite may it, however, for just then we heard a cry familiar to all of us at this time of year.

"CIDER! CIDER! Hey, get your cider here!"

It was ciderman George Anderson pushing his cart down HOGAN'S ALLEY. Just the thing for a nightcap.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Tom Purdy '41 is now coaching at Edmore and that his basketball team won the District Class C championship here last spring?

Bob Devaney '40 and William Carr '41 are coach and assistant coach respectively of the undefeated Alpena High School football team.

Another of the state's undefeated high school elevens is coached by James Hicks '46, all M.I.A.A. guard in '41 and '42. Hicks moved as line coach at Alma High School to Fremont this fall after serving last year. His team has five victories to date.

Kenneth Swanson, '47 is now assistant coach in football and head basketball coach at Hart.

Andrew Horne, '42 directs the athletic teams at Shepherd High.

Ken Otis, '39 heads the coaching staff at Allegan high school.

Lyle Bennett, football coach at Central Michigan College, Mt. Pleasant once attended Alma College.

Bud Howe, '46 and Steve Nisbet, '47 are coaches at Lowell High School.

"Tinker" Kirby, '42, one of Alma's greatest all-around athletes was last winter voted the most valuable basketball player in the Pontic Industrial League. Kirby coaches at Auburn Heights.

Malcolm Goebel, '25 has coached at Charlotte High School the past 13 years.

Keith "Stoop" Carey, '42 is playing his third season with the Dow Athletic Club basketball team of Midland.

Don McKeith, '42 was a member of the Midland American Legion basketball team that copped the National American Legion basketball title last winter.

Wally Moore, '47 and Edward Penner, '42 are assistant coaches at Alma High School.

### Beauty Is . . . . Beauty As . . . .

It took ten minutes to decide who was going in first, but Ted Roberts and Bob Freeman, of the Almanian Staff, finally got enough nerve to enter room "four" of the Ad. Building; now known as "Madam La'Fyfe's Beauty Salon." They walked into the room amidst several beautiful (?) girls whose faces were covered with something that looked similar to plaster of paris. . . . but it was actually one of Merle-Norman's famous facial products.

The girls were somewhat surprised to see men in the room and at first Mrs. Irene Kihlstrand, beautician, thought that they were coming for a "treatment" . . . but after explaining that they were getting a story for the ALMANIAN, they were assured that nothing would happen to them such as their fingernails trimmed, washed, massaged or polished by the automatic manicurer, or their faces covered by Merle-Norman's Beauty Cream.

The boys learned that Merle-Norman's products and beauty salons are known all over the world and their newest branch is now located in Tokyo, Japan. . . . but have no fear, girls and boys, your closest shop is in Owosso and they have several shops in Detroit, Chicago, Flint, etc.

Yes, we said, BOYS. Shocked? Bob and Ted were too, when they found out that many men go into Merle-Norman's Shops for facial treatments, in fact, Miss Mary Burns who assists in giving treatments, stated that they were thinking of opening a shop exclusive for men. Believe it or not, fellows, it has been proven that "beauty-treatments" are an asset for the skin and if your skin breaks out from shaving, the treatments

help you from getting a rash. Before we left, we were told that Mrs. Irene Kihlstrand and her assistant, Miss Mary Burns, will be back in two weeks to advise those not able to attend last Thursday. It has been suggested that a men's hour be put aside for male patrons. Good luck, fellows! PS: To all who are on the fourteen-day-Palmolive Plan: no need to last the other seven days, for we learned that soap is for the pores in the face. Brothers. . . Hand me the cold cream. I'm going out tonight!

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