# AID YOUR TEAM $\mathbb{C} h \mathfrak{p}$ Amanian 

## Pat Forbes to Wear Queen Diadem

## Open House on Alma Campus

 minute program in the Chapel Program plans anticipate the Cappella Choir, a talk by Presical numbers by students, and a eading by Peg Powers.Tables will pe set up in va Alma College such as catalogues picture bulletins, informational
bulletins, and blotters for the use of visitors. During for the use hoped to have appropriate music amplified through the Chapel chimes.
Invitations are being issued by the President's office to churches in the vicinity-the Saginaw and are being urged to use the Alma College Chapel bulletin cover for their services on October 9.

## CHAPEL CALENDAR

October 5-Wednesday
October 7-Friday
Dr. Roy Hamilton, Alma ColOctober 10 -Monday
Rev. C. F. Bole, Alma, Michi-
gan.

## "Craig's Wife" Selected As First Play

been selected as the first play to in the play, and a special invita-
be presented at the College this year. The play has won the The cast calls for 6 Freshmen. Pulitzer prize and played this women, and tryout results will be try's leading stock theaters. It by Mr. Homer Parday afternoon try's leading stock theaters. It by Mr. Homer Paris. Director of
has been hailed as one of the
the production. most outstanding psychological studies of its kind since Hendrik Ibsen's "Doll. House" and ing the requirements in backwill be presented in the Little Slub and Alpuired by the Drama vember. Tryouts
were held yesterday
 inal trials will be chapel, and work will begin immediately, and final trials will be held tonight anyone with a flair for promotion-
from 7 to 9 in the same place. al ventures is All students are eligible for a part Mr. Paris.


THE ROYAL COURT

The 1949 Homecoming Queen and her court are a very appealing sight. hey are: Pat Forbes, Queen, center front; Sidney Cunningham, Jo A
Dr. Will Durant Gues Speaker Alma College students will have
the chance to hear Dr. Will Durant, one of the greatest philos-
ophers of our time. Will Durant has been on the the last twenty years he has kept er-changing list of leading platform personalities, and shows no His lectures are packed with
substance, broadened with undertanding and yet lightened with humor and wit. Whether he
talks of the present or the past, his
words illuminate the problems our time. To every subject he brings a perspective of historical
background and a depth of philo sophic insight which aid philoially in the interperation of the in the play, and a special invita-
tion is extended to Freshmen.
The cast calls for 6 men and 5
women, and tryout results will be
announced Wednesday afternoon
by Mr. Homer Paris. Director of
the production.
Students interested in fullfill-
ing the requirenents in back-
stage work required by the Drama
Club and Alpha Psi Omega, the
naional honorary drama fraer-
niy, may also apply at the time
of tryouts. Students also are need
ed to work on publicity. This
work will begin immediately, and
anyone with a flair for promotion-
al ventures is urged to contact

P. E. CREDIT

Students who entered Alma 1949, will be given an activity unit for choir and band. Students who are sophomores or upper-
classmen will still classmen will still receive participation in these two for es. The same is true of physical an activity unit for physical education and sophomores and upmic credit will receive acadeunderstood that four academic credits of physical education ac-
tivity will tivity will
graduation.

## DETROIT LASS WILL REIGN OVER HOMECOMING

"All powers that serve the bright-eyed Queen are confident and gay." This in a word would describe the queen and her court who were chosen to represent the Alma student body Pat Forbes, whing festivities.
Pat Forbes, whose home is in Detroit came to Alma from Cooley high school where she graduated in June of this year. Pat is majoring in religious education and eventually hopes become a director of religious education in one of the

## Zeta-Theta free for All

The first free dance of the
ear was held on September 30 in the Union. It was sponsored by the Zeta Sigma Fraternity and
the Alpha Theta Sorority with the Alpha Theta Sorority with
250 guests attending. 50 guests attending.
There was a recorded music
for dancing. The floor show for dancing. The floor show con-
tained three acts. The first was a skit about the Freshmen with
the following people taking part: the following people taking part:
Athletic type person - Leontine Athletic type person - Leontine
Netzorg, Sophisticated son - Ruth Schmidt, Interesting
ype person-Carolyn type person-Carolyn Mesowski,
Home Economics girl type personSue Flannigan, Farm girl type
person-Nam Luther, Shy type person-Jo Hookey, Music major
ype person-Pat Lilgoodwyn. "If Men Play Cards Like Women Do" was a play presented by the Zetas. The characters who participated
were Joe Onbreg, Ralph Appell.
Duke Smith and Bill Paine it Duke Smith and Bill Paine. It
seems that Fee Fee laTour could not make the show last Friday ev-
ening so her sister, Foo Foo laTour sang in her place. Jean Tour and presented two musical
numbers.
After the floor show, cider and
doughnuts were served by the
hosts and hostesses. Mrs. Roecher, Miss Parrish, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill LaPaugh served as chaperones. The committee who plan-
ned the delightful evening were the following: Duke Smith, Ted Jacobs, Bill Waldrop, Lou Gol-
berg, Ruth Schmidt and Joyce the program chairman served as he program chairman
Free Passes
After the Almanian was dis-
tributed last week telling of the exact place of the passes to the exheter, a traffic cop was need-
ed. The scampering of feet ed. The scampering of feet
could be heard all over the place. could be heard all over the place.
Waldrop said he was the first one in the stacks after the Library reaching the stacks the book was found and at that moment there appeared 10 helpers. They were
discouraged for Duane Blough evening Monday and returned Tuesday morning in pursuit of the letter. As the two fellows left
the Library you could plainly see the Library you could plainly see
who was the lucky person as "longfaced" Williams person left last. This week they are in an easier Union, not behind the counter and don't tear the cushions or any
furniture Almanian is not liable.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR <br> tuespay oct

TUESDAY-OCT. 4-
Saginaw Concert-The Wagner Opera Co
FRIDAY-OCT. 7-
IWO Dime Dance in the Student Union after the game.
SATURDAY-OCT. 8-
Zeta, Phi, and Delt closed parties.
Freshman closed party.

Protestant churches. Her fath-
er, who is the chief operator in
the Detroit branch of the Western the Detroit branch of the Western
Union, was very glad as was the rest of her family to hear of Pat's
election as queen election as queen. The family
will be up to see Pat's part in the homecoming activities.
Gwen Laclare, who also lives
in Detroit, graduated from Redford high school. Gwen plans to major in education and is taking father is an engineer in Detroit Sydney Cunningam Detroit. Sydney Cunningham is Cali-
fornia's respective this time Sydney's home is in San Diego Calif. She came directly from LaJolla high school to Alma
where she plans to take ing to become a dental technicianWhittemn Higgens comes from take up social work as a career Jo Ann was previously on the
Queen's court in Silver valley Ann Sugden is an English mahigh school this spring. Ann's father is a real estate man in Lapeer and he will probably be
up to see her part in the parade Marilyn part in the parade. Marilyn Garrett who comes
from Melvindale, Michigan, hasn't decided on a major yet, so she is taking a general course.
Marilyn's father, who is superprobably be up to Body will probably be up to see the type
chassis that are produced here We have treated with the girls rather briefly here, but we hope
to give you a fuller story about while you will later on. Mean while you will probably b
ing them over yourself.

## New President at Kalamazoo

Dr. John Scott Everton will be inaugurated as the eleventh president in the 177 year history of Kalamazoo College, Friday, Chapel and Professor of Philosophy and Religion at Grinnel College, Dr. Everton was elected to the presidency of Kalamazoo Coliege in January. Now 41
years of age, Dr. Everton, as head of the oldest college in the state is the youngest college president
in Michigan. The college, in Michigan. The college, found-
ed in 1833, is a liberal arts college with an enrollment limited ion will be held in Stetson Chapel, on the college campus, as
part of a three day Inaugural part of a three day Inaugural
Homecoming. Traditional Home coming events will be held Saturday, October 8.

NOTICE

Say fellas, the latest on the din ing situation is to leave by the straight dope from the head office.
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## Our Union

Few students realize the controversy that was cause have the information our student union, and as soon as we tory on its occurrence. The important thing isse a feature the nicest student meeting place fort thing is that we have istrict. In our off hours we can for college students in this pong, or even drown our troubles over playing cards, ping-

You could call it the Hollywood and Vine coffee
ge, for if you want to see and during the day sometime you would see the person
I.

In past years the union was managed by an individual, but this year it is under the surveillance of the Business
Office.

During the ensuing year let's keep our union the best by the old coke machine was were left all over the union when soft drink machine whing used, so we now have a new bottles. This ingenious dispenses cups in the place of only thing we miss in the pop is that refreshing fizzors. The to be gone.

The Chapel basement is our Union. Everyone should tak it upon himself to keep this place of recreation clean for dull confinement life at Alma College would lapse into dull confinement of solitude.
Student Council News

The Student Council had regular meeting Tuesday, September 23. Plans were set in proe held the week end of October 9 and which will honor ex-coach Royal Campbell. It was decided
that there will be no definite heme for floats.
Ella Orr, senior, was named the Marshe counterpart of the Student Marshal, her duties being to mediate any Frosh-Soph difficulties The council voted to present

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## Dates Set for LSA Tests

The Educational Testing Serv.
ice has announced that it will hold ice has announced that it will hold
a number of tests throughout the country to aid students in enter ing graduate schools. These tests cine, and a graduate record exam-
ination. ination.
The Law Schoool Admission Test. required for entrance by the country, will be offered four
times in the coming times in the coming year, according to Educational Testing Serv
ice, which prepares and administ ers the test in cooperation with twenty-one leading law schools.
During $1948-1949$ nearly 13,000 students toook the LSAT in partial
satisfaction of admission requiresatisfaction of admission require-
ments of law schools which pre-
This semester, candidates may
take the LSAT on Saturday, take the LSAT on Saturday, November 12 th; in 1950 the dates
are February 25 th, April 29 th, and are February 25 th, April 29th, and
August 12th, all Saturdays. Ad ministrations are held at numer ous local centers in all parts of
the country. Since many law schools select their freshmen
classes in the spring preceding classes in the spring preceding
their entrance, ETS advises candidates for admission to nex year's classes to take either the November or February test where possibe. It should be noted, how versally required. Each candidate should inquire of his prospective law schoool whether or not he Objective in type, the LSAT verbal aptitudes and reasonin ability rather than acquired in TS. it cannot be "craing to the The Medical College Admission Test, required of candidates by leges throughout the country,
be given twice in the be given twice in the coming yea
according to the service, whic prepares and administers the test in cooperation with the Associa-
tion of American Medical Colleges.
on Sandurday, October the MCAT on Monday, January 16, 1950, at administrations to be held at more of the country Since in all parts or the country. Since many medifreshmen classes in the fall preceding their entrance, ETS says that candidates for admission to next year's classes will probably est. Students interested should inquire of their prospective mediexpected to take the test and, if The MCAT consists of a seri and CAMERA SHOP

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of tests of general scholastic abil ty, a test on Understanding o
Modern Society, and an achieve Medern Sosiety, and an achieve
ment tremedical Science
According to According to ETS, no special prep-
aration other than a review of premedical subbects is necessary
All recuirements are of jejctive type.
Tests of the Graduate Record
Examination, required of applicants for admission to a numbe f graduate schools, will be ad
ministered at examination centers throughout the country four times
in the coming year, the testin service has announced. During 1948-1949 nearly 15,000 sudents
took the GRE in partial fulit ok the GRE in partial fulfill of graduate schools, which prescribed it.
This fall
This fall, candidates may take he GRE on Friday and Saturday,
October 28 and 29 ; in 1950 , dates are February 3 and 4, May
and 6 , and August 4 and 5 , he GRE is not required by all graduate schools, ETS advises
each student to inquire of his prospective school whether or not so, on which dates.
The GRE tests offered in these nationwide programs included a tests of general achievement in tudy f achievement in level tests ect matter fields. According sub Educational Testing Servic pandions are permitted severa Application forms and a Bulle in of Information, which provide istration, as well as sample ques tions, may be obtained from ad visers or directly from Education Princeton, N. J., or Box 2416 minal Annex, Los Angeles 54 C fornia. A completed applicatio must reach the ETC office at leas administration for which the can

## didate is applying

## Hazing

During the second week of haz high system of org maintain their now have a general alarm The Pioneer Hall. When any sophs even appear to be looking for
Frosh the fire alarm rings and all the Frosh turn out. In this if nothing else, the Frosh are satis
fying the Sophs, for they enough Frosh to last them quite while.
It seems that the picture on the
front page of last week's ian gave the Sophs an idea, for some of the Frosh have taken cold showers this week. The main dispute right now is whether or not than the Sophs.
Their walks; but most of them The Frosh girls are be feel the effect of hazing too to week they had to wear their hair in pin curls and wear make-up
on only one side of their face,
and on another day they their pajamas throughout the day.
Hazing is slowing down, but it
is still moving forward with deis still moving forward with de-
termination. We only hope that termination. We only hope that Bob doesn't get too bloody
the Frosh, or them with him.
here to see you about that fearless edo
itorial you wrote on local polities."

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## SEEING DOUBLE



Did you think that you were with a braken back, Ruth came
seeing double when you were blithely walking out of the hos watching the majorettes friday blithely walking out of the hos-
what and scared their doc-high-stepping, you were. That tor out of twenty years of exper are the Rose sisters, and as you They are from Kalkaska, Michiprobably noticed they bear a des- gan, (The pronunciation of which
criptive name. Besides their en- is enough to trancing prancing they are both is enough to make anyone see members of the choir, and if you ests. Peggy is taking a general
re blaming the food for optical course, while Ruth is rlusions, bloming the food for optical the firing line in the chow hall. This pair of Queens are so much
alike that members of their own family sometimes confuse them. They wear the same type of cloth-
ing which makes it easy for one ing which makes it easy for one
to go mad when he thinks he sees one girl come through a door of one instance of confusion
where, when she was immobile

## BUZZER BOARD ROMEOS TABOO IN PAST

Those buzzer-board Romeos began with a gift of over $\$ 47,000$ who clutter up the reception room from Ammi Wilbur Wright. Jan
of Wright Hall every afternoon and evening these days were not uary 21, 1902 marks the opening of any noticeable importance in of this institution within an in-
the early history of Alma. Then stitution. It was on this the early history of Alma. Then stitution. It was on this date that in 1914: World War I began and the girls deserted the Ladies' Hall,
now Pioneer Hall, and moved the buzzer system was installed their new dorm. Immediately in Wright Hall. How one ever Her after, this building became the got in touch with a girl without center of student activities. The he startling buzzer is one of the co-eds will think this is because
mysteries of the past. But, on the
the girls lived there, but the fact ther hand, since this was during the girls lived there, but the fac the days when students made new dining hall is the real reason played Sunday baseball could who Among the many things that esent Alma in baseball could repest, maybe dating thetic conwas taboo. At any rate, it was no uns sumen that the modern Rom a slight push of the hand on by buzzer and then stood with their heads resting between their shoulder blades waiting for the
fair one to show her face over the The history of the Hall itself Wright Hall is famous for, such as numerous love affairs and an oc-
casional good meal, it has the casional good meal, it has the
special significance of being the seat of Alma's first student body of government, the Wright Hall Senate, which started to function
on November 5,1912 Without With Hall and all that goes same. We congratulate be the place on its forty-eighth year of
existence.

## Kiltie Band

The Kiltie Band is really stepping out in style, with new skins (drums to the music lovers). The thing that everyone will notice is the new jackets on the major ettes. The color and cut of the
jackets have not been released, but we are eagerly awaiting the
first appearance. In the past the band was main-
y a stationary organization ly a stationary organization, but
this year the scotty dog is of an other color. The band will play
at the Grand Rapids and the Kalamazoo games. I am sure it
will be a refreshing treat will be a refreshing tr
both half time periods. The game here Friday evenin the half time with a theme, "The
Blues" Blues"
Ther
There is still room for one more trombone player, so if you have
the ability to toot, head for the Clizbe House and sign up.

Did it ever occur to you to wonder why people call the point-
ers on your watch "hands"? ers on your watch "hands"? Ac-
cording to the Jewelry Industry cording to the Jewelry Industry
Council, it is most likely because many early watches had dials
with "hands" in the form pointing fingers. Warriors with
swords as pointers were also popular among early watch designs.

## Article Published

The Journal of Entomology rePaul L. Rice, Dean at Alma Colege. The article was entitled Parasites of the European Corn ware during the war years. It
welawas during this time, he made
many studies in this field. His resignation enabled him to come
to Alma College, while his sucessor continued with the work. ticle which appeared in the "Jour-

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## Oustsanding College Choir

We have all noted with a great amount of enthusiasm the con-
tinuing success inuing success of the Scots on
the football field. We have greet ed our pals and made new ones We have noted the shifts that al-
ways follow each summer, and noys con tell with a reasonande
now eatainty just who is dating
certa whom. Classes have begun to doting
interfere with 591 begn interfere with 591 educations
College is under way Every afternoon at three the
Alma College A Cappella Choir gathers, and there is the Chinest
organization organization on the campus. To
choir members there is choir members there is no such
thing as the well known clique Whether a choir member likes the person next to him or not, he works with him and for him as if he were a dear friend or fra-
ternity brother. Choir members are proud of their choir members With a corps of yd, too. the fresh approach of of the new head of our music department
Prof. John Merrill Prof. John Merrill, this has all
the earmarks of being another glorious season. Music rangin from American Negro songs to the Bach will Bach will be sung in the many concerts to be given by the choir
this year. People in many parts of Michigan will have an oppor tunity to hear the best of all kinds of music, sung in a fashion that leaves little if anything to be de-
sired in the way of finesse dic tion, or sheer overpowering beauagain and will be known among music lovers as well as sports
fans, debaters and high schol selors. For nearly a decade the Alma College A Cappella has been the finest in the state of
Michigan, and this year it will be ven finer
Watch the programs 1ssued during the year, and watch the pages
of the Almanian for the choir's itinerary. When you see the
choir will be in the area of your ome, urge your friends and folks attend the concert. They will Alm you for the reminder, and
Alma College will be richer by many new supporters.

Freshmen and Sophomores Physical Education is required
in the freshman and sophomore yers. If you are not enrolled in report to the Registrar's office at once.

## Alma Laundry

## Scots Tease Bulldogs:



The main stays of the Alma MIAA blocks this year. Dick $6^{\prime}$. ball at Alma. Bob, a 165 plenty of misery to the opposing $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered}\text { has twice before from Charlotte, guard from Lansing is playing this }\end{gathered}\right.$

## Dr. Dale's Memo Pad

 The annual meeting of theMichigan Church Related Col Michigan Church Related Col-
leges. of which Dr. Welch is pres-
ident this eidest of this year, will be held a
Calvin College on Tursdy tober 6. On the afternoon of that day there will also be a meeting of the Michigan Colleges Founda-
tion, Inc After thes Dr. Welch will go to Kalamazoo for the inaugural on October 7 of President John Everton. He is to
speak for the speak for the Church Related Col-
leges of the state at in President Everton's honor on Friday noon.

## Touch Football

All group desiring teams in the toucsiring football league,
please turn in Coase turn in your your's office by Wedneshould noon, October 5th. This
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other night. Now, this walk I went for a walk in the country the
along minding my own business wy idea. I was just plodding along might. Now, this walk wasn't my idea. I was just poloding
four big bull dogs. I made masiness, when out of the shadows stepped four big bull dogs. I made a dash for the of thion shadows stepped
grabbed me by the collar just as I went through of them
thing I thing I knew I was walking down a lonely country road trye next Last Friday y inght I decided that I would take in a movie, so I
trudged over to the Strand. The usher show surprise I discovered that I I was sitting next me to to a seat, and to my
Freshman Studen pass some information along to you, ative. He asked me if I would told him that I would be only too happy to do so. It seems that on Satur I day evening, October 8, the Freshmany class is oo. It seems that on Satur-
in the Une a big mion. All Frosh are invited, their friends from home. Its purpose is to get asked especially to bring
quainted with one another and to quainted with one another, and to interest their frieshs in Alma Col
lege. The time is set at 7.30 and and r'd like to see all of you and your friends there too This in ius inere of the many activities that the Freshman class has planned this semes one
ter. Let's all get behind it one hundred per This Fros one hundred per cent.
poodle I told you about last week? Well, these Sophember the little Shifiebored

## :: Scotty Barks ::

How did for lite the pajamas the gals were wearing last whe cruld be so many different patterns! Some were striped and some dots. FHorence Tiarr,- the sheriff's daughter, looked as thoush with polkaThe fellajamas from the county jail. Freshman pajama parade. I'll be anxious to see whether ticipate in the out-do the girls, by having the classiest pajamas. Time will tell.
I have come to the conclusion that Mr. Merrill has overlooked
some wonderful talent. Those freshmen fellas have marvelous Just ask Mrs. Welch, the President's wife. I was prowling around the grove the other night, when through the trees came the entire freshman class (boys that is). They assembled outside of the President's He's a Jolly Good Fellow". All this commotion brought Mrs. Welch to the door. One of the more subtle boys very politely asked, "Is Dale
in?" Mrs. Welch laughingly expressed her regrets, and said that he
was not was not. Better luck next time, fellas.
Freshmen have you seen the flag pole? What a mess! It seems that we Freshmen have at least attained one moral victory, as the " 53 " flag
has not as yet been renioved, nor replaced by the Sophomores.

Boy! That's some machine they have in the Union. You put in they'll have a machine that tips your pot for you you want. Next

Well, I think I'll go see if I can arrange a secret date with that next week. Arf, arf!

Dr. J. V. Roth, Moderator of Parish in Indiana
Dr. J. V. Roth, formerly of Al ma College, has taken a position Rural Training Parish, in thickey Albany Presbytery, Synod of Indiana. This cooperative parish includes 3 churches in Southern includes which, with one Suthern Indiana, charge of student ministers from These student ministers Seminary.
work

PAGE 4-THE ALMANIAN TUESDAY, OCT. 4, 1949
-:- M.I.A.A. Highlights :-47th MIAA Campaign, with cru- field so let's be there for support. cial games being played by all
teams. This year the MIA Albion: The cellar-dwellers of last year are picked by most
sport writers to cop the honors this year. Loaded with
power, the Britons have 14 lettermen returning. Five men were ruled ineligible, 3 lettermen
will be playing regular this year Silturday, October 8 , will year.
the Britons of Albion away at Adrian, in what should
prove to be the crucial game of

Hillsdale: With Bill Young, limes all MIAA halfback, and Doles loom as the No. 1 pre-sea son choice to take MIAA honors
if Albion falters. Saturday the Doles will meet Kazoo on the first for the " 49 " MIAA in their

## Save your Soles

Simmon's Shoe Repair
Kalamazoo: Rated 3rd in the
pre-season standings are power-laden, and stand arnets chance of finishing first with 32
lettermen back. Much of the Hornet's dreams for a championship will depend upon the out-
come of their game with Hillsdale Saturday.
Sat their game with Hillsdale Alma: Rated to occupy the cel-
ler by most writers, the Scots er by most writers, the Scots
strong showing against
D. I. T. louded the MIAA picture, and defend their 1948 title. The key
to Alma's chances lies in their untried line. The Scots meet their first MIAA opponent, Hope, Fri-

Dickey Parish as one of the mos can and should be done through he church toward the Christian enrichment of rural community Sharon Hill, Mt. Lebanon, Hebron, Miller Chapel, Owen Creek open country or in very small vil lages without grade schools. Otis are villages with grades scheom are villages with grades schools.
Henryville, Lexington, New Washington, Lexington, New have consolidated high schools as 1931 the grade schools. (From 1929 es at New Washington the church hem, while Mr. Roth was a Louis-
ville Seminary
The Seminary student.)
The work of the Moderator V. Roth, beginning Sept. 1, 1949) sion to the student ministers act as moderator of the Parish Council which represents and coish as a whole to admion the Parmunions, receive members Comperform other ministerial and and clesiastical functions for which the student ministers are not ye

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Two Hopefuls . . .


BILL "MOOSE" HOLWERDA, LEFT END


ROBERT "RIP" COLIINS, TACKLE

## Scots Tease Bulldogs

## Hope Plans Hard

 Fight for AlmaOnly Ted Barrett, a halfback, gone from the 1948 starting cas Dutchmen through last season, and that spells trouble for the Alma Scots. Topping the returnees is All-MIAA quarterback Nick Yonker, who is a standout at pass-

ing and also the director of the T-formation employed by the Dutchmen.
Jim Pfingstel, a letterman and
Eddie Leverette, a regular before taking one year off from school
will handle the halfback slots with Ted Rycenga again handling
the fullback position, and capable the fullback position, and capable
reserves fill in when needed. And if that isn't enough to fil
the hopes of any coach, the Hope the hopes of any coach, the Hope
line is big and tough, right down
to the last man. Bill "Moose" to the last man. Bill "Moose"
Holmerda is hustling dynamite as he rips off yardage after pas reception, and Clair DeMull at the
other end is just as big and just as capable. Tackles Bob "Rip
Collins and are no mere trimmings, they hit
and hit hard. Guards Abe Moer land and Gordon Timmerman ar line backer and center Gene Campbell is out to gain all MI-
AA recognition at a hot line spot AA recognition at a hot line spot. It isn't going to be easy for the
Scots as they face the MIAA wars for another season, and they know against Detroit Tech and Ferris will be forgotten this week as
they point for a successful defens of the league crown garnered last They'll be tough too, and no team will find the going easy. Each
squad is as capable of an upset, as squad is as capable of an upset, as
the same squad may be listed as a sure thing. The chips aren't all
blue for any eleven, and the rac should be rough right down to th
Coach Eaton will send the same lineup against Hope that ha Substitutions will be frequent,
and the Hope eleven will use the and the Hope eleven will use the
same system. The main job in same system. The main job in
store for the Scots is to stop the passing of Nick Yonker and that
a man-sized job for anyone.

Probablye Starting
Probabl
DeMull
Collins
89 Collins
78
Moerland
81 Campbell
71 Timmerman
84
Van Hoeven
83 Holwerda
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80
Yfingstel
90 Rycenga.
94 Rycenga.
Cross Country Meet
The initial cross country meet for the Scouts will start at 4:00
p. m. Friday, October 7th, at
Bahlke Field. Starting the 3.5 mile trip, the
harriers will run around the track harriers will run around the track
and come out on West Superior.
They will continue out West Su perior, circle the golf course, and return to Bahlke Field via Cedar
Street at approximately 4:20 p. m. Street at approximately $4: 20 \mathrm{p.m}$.
Reurning veter n runners
Chuck Williams, Bob Mobre and Chuck Williams, Bob Mobre and
Rod Grover, helped the Scots Rlace second in the MIAA cross
country last season. Along with these runners will be Frank Morgan, Doug Phillips, Jim Cross-
man, Bill Smith and Alen Bowmen. From all observations, Alma will be as strong if not strong-
er than last season's team. With er than last season's team. With
Hope's five returning letter men, the competition without a doubt
will be keen.
Little known by the average student is the fact that the MIAA Cross Country standings mean as
much towards the All Sports much towards the All Sports
Trophy as football or any other Trophy as football or any other
sport. Very little support has
been shown by the student body in the past years! How about a
little enthusiasm and spirit this little enthusiasm and spirit this
year, kids? It's up to you to back
your Friday, October 7, for the meet. Alma vs Hope, Friday night,
8:00 p. m., Bahlke Field.

## Win 20-6 Thriller

## Spotting the Ferris Bulldogs

 points in the first five minutes ofplay, the Alma Scots stampe play, the Alma Scots stamped
back to a $20-6$ win last Saturday night at Big Rapids. The win
nin gives the Scots another boost 3 along a rough victory trail, extending the winning streak to 12.
As play opened in the Ferris contest, the Alma lads looked like anything but a winning combinafumble Fn recovered an Alma fumble on the Alma 25 yard line after the Scots took the kickoft A pass netted them 25 yards, but still left them on the Alma ten. Then, the Alma defense tightened and Dick Roth, Alma center, snar-
ed a pass intended for the Ferris ed a pass intended for the Ferris Ferris grabbed off a pass from Kish that was intended for end
Bruce Shipley, and Ferris Bruce Shipley, and Ferris whip-
ped off 24 yards on the first play from scrimmage, putting them on Butler took the ball over for the first score of the game. and quarterback Farhat tried for the con-
version which was wide was 5 minutes of the first quarter And then the Scots rolled. Af ter a series of downs during which the ball changed hands several times, the locals finally gained
possession on the Ferris 44 yerd possession on the Ferris 44 yard
line. Piling up four first and executing 10 plays, firs down lads drove to the 4 yard line, and Joe Catarino grabbed up the ball
and smashed through tackle for and smashed through tackle for
the first Alma tally. Bob Tyson rushed in to kick the extra point Time, 2 minutes of the attempt. Later in the same quarter, with oe Catarino intercested remaining, 48 yard line. The Scots piled up our more first downs in a series Merle Cosgrove marched to a score. Merle Cosgrove, right halfback, ook the ball over from the 8
yard line, and Tyson once more Halftime to make the conversion the Sound the score at 14-6 With the second half but five minutes old, the Scots once more
came through with a scoring spurt that dazzled the 1,000 spectators. Alma took over the ball on the erris 34 yard line. Joe Slotnick picked up a yard for the Scots,
and then gained five more when he took a pass from Catarino. Cosgrove picked up five more, and with the goal in sight, Kish passed ond Catarino, 17 yard line to the 10 , and Catarino went the remaining
distance for the score. A rough distance for the score. A rough
Ferris line converged on Tyron and the conversion was blocked. Later activity saw two Alma scores wiped out by penalty
plays. With the ball on the Ferris plays. With the ball on the Ferris alled to Slotnick who went all the way around end for a score, but the officials called a pushing, penalty against the Scots and "Dub"
Martin had to kick the Alma lads Martin had to kick the Alma lads
out of trouble. After a series of out of trouble. After a series of
downs, Alma had the ball again.
Martin picked Martin picked up an Alma fumble and went 17 yards for a tally,
but another penalty clipped the but another penalty clipped the
score. The game ended with Ferris trying to dig its way out of trouble on their own 13 yard line. Defensively, the Scots looked vastly improved over the club that met Detroit a week earlier. Tack-
ling and line backing is more systematized and thorough. Dave Pysh, Etna, Pa., was outstanding at a guard position as was Sam
Stafford, Bob Walcott, although ill most of last week, turned in a creditable performance. Backwide gains, including Catarino, Cosgrove, Hester, Vaugh, Kish and Weaver. Slotnick, although
not his usual self, managed to gain not his usual self, mana


Passes Intercepted by Yards Penalties Net $1 /$ ds Gained
Yards Punt Average Fumbles Opp Fumbles.
Alma - Weaver, Mohre, Conway, Leonard, Walcott, Fossitt, Clark, Slotnick, Carey, Johnson, Tyson, Naru, Acton, Boston, Ferris-Farnum, Irvin, Eichen berg, Brown, Bishop, Hagerman noutes, Janke. Officials: D. Gabrysiak, D.
Rose, C. Barber, Mt. Pleasant.

## Volleyball Team

This year for the first time zere is the possibility of organteam for Alma College. The team State AAU tournament and in the games to be arranged if the other nough interested and enough amitious volleyball players, willing play ball. Volleyball is not new, an international game until as cently. It is being organized today in many Y.M.C.A.'s and colleges Those interested in playing on a egular team will leave their name on a card along with the experence they have had and place it in
he mail box at the college post mice addressed to the Almanian.

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## Wright on the Spot 0

 by VICKI GRUNMANLet everyone bow his head in a moment of silence! George and
Guineviere, beloved wards of Lynn Campbell and Joan Ramsey, have passed away into eternity. There they were that day, swimming mer-
rily through the flickers the bright morning sunshine made in their bowl as it glanced off their lovely gold scales, completely unaware that soon, very soon, their little souls were to move on, fin in fin, to-
gether in death as in life, to bluer waters. gether in death as in life, to bluer waters. We all miss them so.
Say, isn't that some court we have this year? Cuties, all of them. Were proud of you gals. That election, though - - it sure bears an
awfully strong resemblance to a Persian slave market or a horse show -- How time flies! If I try real hard and think 'way back I can re-
member the election of the ' 48 Homecoming royalty. How fresh and member the election of the ' 48 Homecoming royalty. How fresh and
young they were. Now most of them are weighted down by frat pins or engagement rings or the like. Joan Keyes, however, has our vote for
becoming the most staid of the lot. This kid's seldom seen in the dorm with a mere frivolous cigarette. She has been converted by the greater virtues of a big black R. G. Dun. Believe it or not, these make an
enormously effective sight when smoked while reclining amid cushions on the bottom bunk. However, since a young lady with a cigar is
rather unconventional sight, for her public conspicuous, though no less glamorous holder, with cigarette course. The fad has spread. Janni Bleil and Gloria Koch can also be
seen upon occasion using the holders. Not June Beazell, though. No seen upon occasion using the holders. Not June Beazell, though. No
more cigarettes for her. She smokes a pipe. Real old cornco der if it could have something to do with the fact that Jimmy Collins smokes a pipe and doesn't carry cigarettes? new style of hairdo they were all wearing Tuesday was wo ck? Tha and the half make-up job really did something for them. (For them or to them, which, I'm not quite sure.) Friday this place looked like a nursery at bed-time. Those kids really did look sweet in PJ's, lugging those stuffe
should be.
Have any of you outsiders seen the Wright Hall Rockettes in op-
eration? They're just a new gang, but are likely to hit stardom any eration? They're just a new gang, but are likely to hit stardom any
time now. Their first public appearance was at the all-sorority spread given by the Philo's. It was a wonderful party, and the review added
just that certain touch of something (I'm not quite sure just what just that certain touch of something (I'm not
Lookout, Broadway, you're about to be snowed.

## Choral Group Organized

The Music Department reports a busy schedule. Quite a lot of en-
thusiasm is being shown by the choral group which plans to preare eighty singers. Twenty-five of these are our own Alma students. If you like to sing, why More voices to the next rehearsal. gram is well-planned. The program is well-planned and will
consist of nine choruses. As yet the date has not been set. However, Professor Merrill has stated that this musical event will be held on a Sunday evening early
in December at the Alma High School. We are certainly proud of our
Kiltie Band. Last Friday night it took part in the St. Louis Festival Also the band is doing an excelgames under the direction of Mr Rufener.
Yesterday in Chapel the A Cap pella Choir made its first appearance by singing the negro spirit
ual, "Were You There?"

Perhaps the best way to send knowledge is to wrap it up in a person.

Robert Oppenheimer


## Co-eds Column <br> $B_{B y}$ wen <br> Most people never realize <br> color can be to a wardrobe or stop to think about how important

dentification of an object, it creates beauty and it expresses emotion ore, are excellent for ill and tea rose are vita to wear. One of colors and, therea welcome lift on that day when you're feeling tired and droopy. These shades have become increasingly popular during the past few years and you should take advantage of these glowing shades to give you
extra pep. xtra pep.
Green suggests coolness and is especially wonderful in the sum-
mer or when you particularly want to look "coll lected." Have you ever noticed how often green is used to decorate walls of houses, schools and buildings in which people are required to he day after day? This is because it is the color that you can look at wish to choose your next new dress or furnishings for your room in ver refreshing green.
White signifies purity, youth, innocence and cleanliness. Try wearing accents of white on your black costumes and see how much more youthful and bright you look.
Yellow is a very
Yellow is a very cheerful color-people seldom quarrel in a yellow day. If you haven't heard of this, I have a hot tip for you, girls. It's a satile and creates many different to any other color. Blue is very versubdued, vivid and dramatic; darker blues, more sophisticated and Red.
Red, one of the most emotional colors, can be brilliant, intense, warm bright colors. Make full use of the abundance of rich colors that are available for a winter wardrobe.
the average girl. Tall girls to figure is a perplexing problem for outfits; they always seem to can, and should, wear contrasting color A strong personality can use strong colors. An imperteedingly well. by in choosing what you will wear is that the colors you feel best in are probably the best for you.

Suggestions for figure flattery

1. Dark colors make a figure appear more slender. height, wear a complete black outfit from the figure 3. Two-color costumes cut the figure, thereby shorter and wider. ium-sized prints are all right for a perso figure appear larger, med-ium-sized prints are all right for a person of medium or tall height,
and the short person should wear small definite patterns in plain and the short person should wear small definite patterns in plain colors.
In other words, large splashy prints are almost exclusively tabu. 5. Multi-colored plaids and checks make the figure heavier and

In conclusion, I would like to repeat a well-known rule that someone never fails to break. Do not wear more than four colors at any Wear color to cheer up people and to create inter

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## Pioneer Patter <br> "Que on out, ya chickens!" "uiet down, ya lily-livere snakes in the grass! <br> "Come down here and say "O. K. K., you ask. the fight begins. Such begins. <br> Such has run the conver of sophomores and freshmen in Pioneer Hall the last two weeks The sophomores usually hold a narrow margin of victory in these conflicts. Whether in conflicts. Whether it be due to courageous and heroic effort or courageous and heroic effort or to brutal, common lack of brains can't be said. <br> A warning is presented, however, to those poor, stupid little sophomores who enter Pioneer Hall. If you so much as breathe in the joint, the freshmen will not nly tar and feather you, but the shower to a watery grave shower room as well.

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