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## Pine River Anthology Out May 13

Fifteen Represented In Spring Edition

The **Pine River Anthology**, literary magazine published by the Parnassians, will appear May 13, it was announced recently. The limited publication will sell for 25c, and sales will be on a first come, first served basis.

Fifteen contributors are represented in the magazine. The poetry section includes selections by Robert Woods, George Spriggs, Douglas Nietzsche, Robert Fritz, Palm Mayer, Dr. Henry Klomp, Eugene Pattison, Dr. Robert Wood Clack, Richard McMullen, and Carole Cummings.

There is also a musical selection, "Trietto," by John F. Ludy, and art work by Nancy Rearick and Richard Beardsley.

Concluding the magazine are essays by Eugene Pattison and George Spriggs, and short stories by Charles Thomas and Phyllis Dresbach.

## Fellowship Council Holds Meeting Here

The Westminster Fellowship Inter-collegiate Council met on Alma's campus last Saturday afternoon, with representatives from eight different colleges and universities.

The new officers for the coming year are as follows: Moderator, Miss Mary Adams of Birmingham representing Michigan State University in East Lansing; Vice Moderator, Mr. Harry Bertrand of Cass Lake, Pontiac representing Alma College and A.C.A.; Secretary, Miss Sandra Byam of Royal Oak representing Wayne University of Detroit; and Treasurer, Mr. Bill Kramer, of Grant, Michigan representing Central Michigan College.

The group decided on three main projects for the coming year:

1. To start a newsletter to be published twice a year.
2. To have two retreats for all Presbyterian college young people.
3. To have the executive officers visit the different W. F. groups at the different colleges through the state. The first retreat will be some time nearly next fall.

## 200 Students Attend MSCC Here Sat.

The eighth Michigan student Christian convocation was held on Alma's campus last Saturday, April 30, with about 180 students attending.

The theme for this year was "Theology and Social Action." This theme was presented by two outstanding speakers. The first was Dean Hawley, Dean of Students of the Divinity School of The University of Chicago and a member of The National Advisory Council of the YMCA Student Movement.

To begin the morning program and to welcome the students to Alma, there was a small reception serving coffee and donuts in the chapel basement. At 9:45 the students met in the chapel for a worship service and to hear the address given by the morning speaker, Dean Hawley.

After the address the students were divided into small discussion groups over the campus to discuss the preceding address.

Several denominations held

## Kefgen Main Cornerstone Speaker



Mr. Leslie A. Kefgen gave the main address on "My Friendship with Frank Knox" at last week's ceremonies.

The Cornerstone Ceremony for the new Reid-Knox Administration Building was held Wednesday, April 27, at 11:00 a.m. Dr. John Stanley Harker was presiding Master of Ceremonies. The theme of the ceremony centered around the life of Colonel Frank Knox. This theme was in keeping with the purpose of the building being given to the college—to provide offices for the administration and also to donate a permanent memorial for the late Colonel Knox, who was a graduate of Alma College.

## LIT Attends Nat'l Meet; to Initiate Members May 16

Members of **Lambda Iota Tau**, national literary honorary, will attend a national meeting in Ypsilanti next Saturday. Eugene Pattison, vice-president of the local chapter, will read a paper at this meeting. Others attending from Alma will be Margaret Walker, president, and Dr. Henry Klomp, sponsor.

The spring initiation meeting of **Lambda Iota Tau** will take place in Tyler, Monday evening, May 16, at 8:00 p.m. All those who can fulfill membership requirements at that time have been urged to contact Margaret Walker as soon as possible.

## Spanish Clubs Plan May 19 Picnic

The first and second year Spanish Clubs are co-operating in the planning of a picnic. The picnic will be May 19 at Marl-View park. All members of the club are welcome to attend.

private meetings during the luncheon. After a tour of the campus, the students gathered again in the chapel to hear the afternoon address, given by Dr. Robert J. Lamont.

A panel discussion was then held for the students to ask questions about their addresses. The panel included Dean William Hawley, Dr. Robert Lamont, Dr. Ross Miller and Dr. Van Till.

Following the discussion with the panel the students broke up for their individual discussion groups outside the chapel. The students ate supper at 6:30 and then returned to the chapel for the evening worship service and concluding address by Dr. Robert J. Lamont.

This year the convocation was sponsored by Alma Christian Association under the direction of Jim Coombes with assistance from Jim Hall, Don Drew and David MacKenzie and other ACA members.

The main address of the ceremony was entitled "My Friendship with Frank Knox." It was delivered by Mr. Leslie P. Kefgen of the class of 1911 at Alma College. The speech reminded everyone that Colonel Knox was the type of gentleman who exemplifies the democratic, Christian way of life which is so important to us Americans.

Other individuals participating in the program were Robert Kenrick, President of the Student Council; Dr. Stephen Nisbet of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Ross Miller, the college pastor, Dr. William McKeefery, Dean of the College, and Dr. Claude Dicks, Professor of Philosophy.

Unfortunately, Mrs. Annie Reid Knox, the donor of the building, was unable to be present at the ceremonies, but she intends to be present at the dedication of the building, which is being planned for commencement.

## Union Men, Lawyer Address Econ Club

Union representatives and an attorney have been the speakers at current Economics Forum meetings. Mr. Richardson, District Representative of the UAW-CIO spoke to the group recently on the guaranteed annual wage.

On April 20, the group heard Mr. Annis, a Grand Rapids attorney, who discussed everyday applications of law such as contracts, torts, and wills. The group found his speech very informative.

Mr. J. McLanahan, Public Relations Director of the Michigan Credit Union League and Mrs. A. W. Marble, Managing Director of the M.C.U.L. spoke about the place of credit unions in modern economy at the meeting Wednesday night.

## Art Exhibit May 13-14

There will be an art exhibit in the Arts Building next Friday and Saturday, May 13 and 14, it was announced recently.

**SORORITY  
FORMALS  
TONIGHT**

## State Reasons for \$30 Tuition Increase

(Ed. Note. The following is a statement from Pres. Harker regarding the raise in tuition from \$180 to \$210 per semester. We are pleased to present this statement which will clarify the existing confusion in the student body regarding the raise.)

The 1955-56 issue of the Alma College catalog announces the student expenses for next year. All fees and expenses are the same as last year except tuition which will increase from \$180 to \$210 per semester.

## Underwood and N. Nichols Resign

President Harker announces that Dr. Nathan Nichols has accepted an appointment at his own Alma Mater, Western Michigan College of Education, as assistant professor of physics. It is with regret that Dr. Harker has accepted Dr. Nichols' resignation.

Professor Sam Underwood has decided to return to the university to complete his doctorate. He has secured a teaching assistantship at Michigan State College and will work on the completion of his Ph. D. With regret, President Harker has also accepted this resignation.

The entire Alma family joins in wishing these two professors the greatest success and happiness in their new ventures.

## Committee Sets Commencement

During the winter a sub-committee of the Faculty has been at work on new Commencement arrangements and schedule in keeping with the new campus plan. As soon as the student representation on the Commencement Committee is ascertained, this sub-committee will report to the full Commencement Season Committee, which is composed of faculty and student members.

The sub-committee of the faculty has worked out the following proposal. In order to make the Commencement Season more of one piece, it is proposed that Baccalaureate be held Friday evening, June 3, at 8:00. The President's reception will follow Baccalaureate at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harker.

Commencement will be held Saturday, June 4. The festivities will open with Alumni Council meeting, at 10:00, in the lounge of Van Dusen Commons. The Commencement luncheon will be served in the Commons, at 11:30. The luncheon will be followed by the Choir Concert, at 1:30. At 2:45, the Reid-Knox Administration Building will be dedicated, with Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, a life-long friend of Col. Knox, as the dedicatory speaker. Commencement will be held in Bahlke Stadium, at 4:00, with Senator Bridges again speaking.

A meeting of the full Commencement Committee is called for Friday afternoon, May 6, at 2:00, in President Harker's office. The above proposal will be presented, and final arrangements for the Commencement Season made.

## Dave Stockham to Head Senior Class

Dave Stockham was elected president of the Class of 1956 in last Wednesday's elections. Other senior officers elected were Jim Wagar, vice-president; and Janet Anderson, secretary-treasurer.

Junior class officers are headed by Tom Dodd, unopposed for

## Choir Plans Two Final Spring Concerts

Two events held annually by the choir are being planned. The picnic will take place June 2. May 24 is the date for the choir banquet in Van Dusen Commons. Committees are busy planning for this, a gala occasion for choir members.

At that time "Two-year" awards will be presented to those who have just completed four terms in the choir. They are Marieta Aumaugher, Mary Lou Hartwick, Marjory Fuller, Lois Welberry, Dick Knowles, Alan Watterworth, Richard Watterworth, Janet Chadwick, and Carolyn Taylor.

## Plan W.F. Picnic

Westminster Fellowship will hold its final meeting in the form of a picnic Sunday, May 15. Swimming and softball are planned, and a vesper service will close the event. Location will be announced later.

The reasons for this increase are many. Although the cost of living has more than doubled in the last ten years, the rise in tuition at Alma, including this new increase, is only 15 percent. On the other hand, the instructional budget and other operating expenses have increased several times this much.

Although it cannot be expected that a student in a church related college can completely pay for the cost of his education, it is only fair to ask the student to increase his share of the cost when the college invests more in him.

At a recent meeting of the Michigan church related colleges it was learned that only one other college in Michigan had a lower rate of tuition than Alma's. Several of these colleges have announced substantial increases including the college with lower tuition than ours.

State colleges in Michigan have already announced an increase that is even greater than Alma's. A recent study by Schoenfeld of the University of Wisconsin revealed that tuition has risen 75% over the nation in the last ten years.

Alma College added to its teaching staff last year and plans to add to the staff this year. The number of members of the faculty with advanced degrees has increased markedly. The educational facilities are gradually being improved.

Alma College is rapidly becoming an outstanding small college with selective admission and high standards. The improvement in faculty, facilities, and program are the benefits you receive from this tuition increase, which was the unanimous vote of the Board of Trustees.

## Play Pro. Class Presents Last Bill

On Wednesday and Thursday, May 4-5, the play production class presented the one-act plays which satisfy the course requirement. Five plays were presented on the two "show" nights.

Those which appeared on Wednesday were **The Exchange**, directed by Karan Pregitzer, **All My Sons**, first act, directed by Jim Mills and **Suppressed Desires**, directed by Douglas Niezke.

The following is the line-up of shows which were presented on Thursday night: The first act of **Our Bette**, directed by Marilyn Mott and **Arms and the Man**, directed by Robert Woods.

The main purpose of the plays are to give the directors practical experience in the problems encountered in play production and direction. Perhaps a secondary purpose is to give inexperienced actors an opportunity to display their talents before participating in a three-act play. Judging from the performances of Wednesday and Thursday, the plays are successful from all standpoints.

president. Vice-president is Bill Boles, who defeated incumbent Hugh Laird. Secretary-treasurer of the class is Mary Margaret Johnson.

Jim Hempstead will again head the class of 1958, assisted by Ken Hanson as vice-president and Joy Phillips as secretary-treasurer.

Student council seats in the senior class will be occupied by Betty Anderson, Bob Brown, Bill McIntosh, George Spriggs, and Edna Williams.

Junior council representatives are Don Jackson, Marilyn Mott, and Dick Schluckbier.

Dorothy Harker, Bob Freedman, and Wendy Smith were elected to represent the class. There is still a vacancy in the council representation from the classes of 1957 and '58

## Attention Seniors

To clear up any misunderstanding as to the correct date of graduation that has arisen, graduation will be Saturday, June 5, at 4:00 p.m.

The representative from Josten's has been contacted and the graduation announcements have been shipped. You will be notified immediately upon their arrival.

Remember, Skip Day will be May 17.

Gordon Converse, Senior Class President.



# Tuition Increase - Pros and Cons

Last week, students opened their new catalogues and discovered that the price of tuition at Alma College has risen from \$180 to \$210 per semester. The reactions were immediate, and fell into approximately three categories:

1. "They can't do this to us. There ought to be an editorial in the almanian about this." (There is.—Ed.)
2. "There certainly must be some reason for this rise."
3. "I heard that the reason for the rise is----etc."

The reason for the rise in cost should be obvious from the statement carried on Page 1, given by Dr. Harker. Perhaps the extra sixty dollars will cause a pinch in some pocket-books; we feel that pinch also.

It seems to us that there are several implications inherent in this action by the Board of Trustees:

First of all, since we as students are footing a share of the bill, and receiving additional educational services for it, students, faculty, trustees, and alumni should make sure we receive these additional services.

Secondly, a share of this increased cost ought to be used in raising the salaries of professors to the level of public high school teachers.

Thirdly, the increase should teach many students another lesson in budgeting. Everything costs more nowadays.

Fourth, this might indicate that Alma College is not receiving enough support from the Presbyterian Churches of the state and from other interested organizations. Businesses have begun to subsidize small colleges; students should help in making the needs of the college known throughout the state.

All in all, this does not seem a drastic change, and we should all adjust to it with relative ease.

E.H.P.

# Kenrick Outlines Council Duties

As a member of the Student Council, you will find yourself quite busy. Before the last of September, the Student Council meets with the faculty in the organization known as the cooperative council. At this first meeting all school organizations attending submit budgets. After discussion, the money in the activity fund is distributed among all the groups attending.

With money in the treasury, you elect committees and organize for homecoming, set up the mechanics to elect a queen, delegate monies and authority to various organizations on campus and see that their particular part of homecoming is executed to the best of their ability.

With Homecoming past, the next important event is the Student Council Dance. Here, as in all dances, you have the various preparatory committees.

About this time, delegates are elected to attend and represent Alma at the next meeting of the Michigan Association of College Student Governments, an organization made up of students from the eight MIAA schools. Also, at this time the council will choose a person deserving of the Student Council Scholarship. Another will be chosen in the spring.

With Christmas near, committees are set up to purchase Christmas decorations and decorate campus.

Shortly after the beginning of the second semester there is another meeting of the MACSG.



Robert Kenrick

Next, we have the student council assembly, and shortly after we have Campus Day. After this, campus elections are conducted by the student council.

These are just the major projects planned and executed by your student council. There are many problems of lesser importance that find their way into the secretary's records and are solved one way or another by the council. As a member, expect many hours of hard work.

Robert G. Kenrick

## Social Calendar

- MAY
- 6 Vets Club, 5:00 p.m., Friday
  - 6 Sorority Formals, Friday
  - 7 A.C.A. Retreat, Saturday
  - 8 Mother's Day
  - 9 Chapel, 11:00 a.m., Monday
  - 10 Student Council, 6:30 p.m., Tuesday
  - 10 Home Ec Club, 7:00 p.m., Tuesday
  - 10 Chem Club Banquet, Tuesday
  - 10 French Club, 7:00 p.m., Tuesday
  - 10 Frosh Spanish Club, 7:00 p.m., Tuesday
  - 11 Ad Council, 3:00 p.m., Wednesday
  - 11 Assembly, 11:00 a.m., Wednesday
  - 11 A.C.A., 7:00 p.m., Wednesday
  - 12 Band and Choir Banquet, Thursday
  - 12 Faculty Study Group III, 5:30 p.m., Thursday
  - 13 Chapel, 11:00 a.m., Friday
  - 13 Vets Club, 5:00 p.m., Friday
  - 13 Phi Formal, Bay City, 8:00 p.m., Friday
  - 14 Delt Formal, Saturday
  - 14 Delt Sig Formal, Saturday
  - 15 K. I. Mother-Daughter Banquet, Sunday
  - 16 Chapel, 11:00 a.m., Monday
  - 17 W.A.A. Banquet, Tuesday.

## DeMolays Plan Spring Events

The DeMolay Chapter of Alma College announced last week their spring plans for the rest of the semester. Among the activities are the initiatory degree conferred on May 4. They took in three new members at this time. On May 11, the most important meeting of the year will take place. They will stand inspection for their permanent charter in conferring the DeMolay Degree. The future of the Chapter depends greatly on these inspections.

Sunday, May 1, they went out to the Masonic Home to join the chapter of Lansing for a program for the old people of the home. They plan a picnic in the next few weeks for all DeMolay members.

service met at the home of Dr. William J. McKeefery on Sunday at 8:30 for the evening with Miss Bowden. She talked of her experiences at Westminster church. She has been there for six years. She said that the usual length of a Christian Education Director at one church is about two to three years. She feels very lucky that she has been with the one church for six years.

## Aaron Park, Korean Student, Has Attended Four Different Schools

By Harry Bertrand

Back on December 2, 1934 there was born an outstanding bouncing baby boy. No, it wasn't in America, but in Penglak, Korea.

Aaron, one of the quietest students on our campus, has one brother, sixteen, and a sister, twenty-four. You say you're home sick, well—how would you like being half way around the world from home?

Aaron's father is president of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Seoul, Korea. You may remember him when he stopped at Alma for a chapel service last semester on his travels. Aaron's home is now at the Seminary in Korea. Here, he rooms down town with another boy.

Our friend has two favorite pastimes, I hear from his closer friends. One is that he likes to sleep in every morning and the other one, which many of us should take notice of, is studying.

Aaron isn't the type to be satisfied with one college, but has attended four in four different years. After having spent twelve years in primary thru high school he spent two years at college in Korea. His first one was Korea College in Seoul, Korea, and his second year was at Kyung Puk University in Taegu, Korea. On arriving in the United States on June 19, 1953, Aaron attended Bob Jones University in Greenville, South Carolina. As you already know, he came to join the ranks at Alma College last fall.

He had one purpose in coming to America. It was for a better education. Aaron speaks Korean, Japanese, Chinese and English. He also reads German.

Aaron has very big plans for such a small person! On graduation from Alma this spring, Aaron will go to Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. After three years at Westminster he will continue his studies at Princeton Theological Seminary for advanced study

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

By Dick Bibler



for his Ph. D. Aaron hopes to achieve the rank of a professor of systematic theology in an Korean Seminary.

Aaron points out several differences in the school. One is that in Korea they operate on terms. Schools starts in September and runs through July with one month vacation. Another is that all the professors are given nick names. Of course the professors are shown much more respect than ours are, Aaron says.

Say, boys, are you about to pop the question to your girls? Why not try the Korean style! When asking for marriage in Korea, they aren't as bold as we are. The boy says to his sweetheart, "Are you a part of me?" (Which do you like the best, American or Korean?)

Aaron has five statements about our country and our school:

1. "America is a nation where the spiritual progress cannot keep up with the material development."

2. "I like Dr. Miller for his deep religious insight and spirited teaching; respect Dr. Dicks for his Theistic Atomism."

3. "I feel that I am isolated from the student body, always realizing that I am an outsider."

4. "I hope that in the near future, Alma College may have more spiritual and academic activities and less social gatherings."

5. "Nevertheless, when I look back on the days I have spent at Alma I realize that they have been one of the happiest seasons in my life."

Aaron, we the faculty and students of Alma College wish you the best of luck in your success in your future in the States and Korea.

## GREEKS

### Phi Plan Bay City Formal May 13

The Phi Formal, held next Friday evening in the ballroom of the Wenonah Hotel in Bay City, is to be the big social event of the fraternity year. Music is to be provided by Lamont Corp, prominent area musician, and his orchestra. Dinner will be served and favors are to be passed out before the dance.

Rev. Frederick Wyngarden, of Grand Rapids, was the speaker at Phi Phi Alpha's Father and Son Banquet, May 1. Toast to the fathers was given by Brother Doyle McIntosh. Dick Wallace acted as master of ceremonies and Bob DeYoung led group singing.

Thanks to the Kappa Iota Sorority for entertaining the mothers of Phi members during the banquet.

Sports. The Phi Pfeiffers are undefeated in the intramural softball league, defeating their closest contenders, the Motor City Hoods, Wednesday evening, 12-8. Phi Phi Alpha has two other teams entered in the intramural schedule.

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### Delt Sigs Go To Clare for Formal

On April 25, Delta Sigma Phi elected officers for the remainder of the semester and for next year. Bob Kenrick, past president, presented the gavel to Bob Fritch, incoming president, who will have Bill Tracey, vice-president; Don Godfrey, treasurer; Dale Parkinson, recording secretary; Elmer Jamieson, house manager; and Jerry Wolfe, sergeant-at-arms. The new officers took office immediately.

Everyone is looking forward to May 14 and the fraternity formal. This year it is to be held at the Hotel Doherty in Clare. Karan Pregitzer's orchestra will provide the music for dancing.

On Saturday, May 7, the newly elected officers and some fraternity members will travel to Mt. Pleasant, where a meeting of all Delta Sigma Phi chapters in Michigan and Ohio is being held. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss rushing, pledging procedures, and what should be done in general to make things run smoother.

Sessions will be held for the officers of the chapters and there will be a dinner afterwards.

All the members are looking forward to the softball game, to be played in the near future, with the Beta Omicron Chapter of Mt. Pleasant. Last year it was played here at Alma with the Gamma Phis winning, so this year it will be held in Mt. Pleasant.

Remember, every man is welcome to drop around any time, so stop in some time.

### Delts Schedule Formal For Saturday, May 14

The Wenonah Hotel in Bay City has been chosen for the Delta Gamma Tau formal which will be held on May 14.

Delta Gamma Tau welcomes Gary "Pee Wee" Hext as an honorary member. Gary is a young neighbor-boy who has taken a special interest in the fraternity; he is now replacing the big Rueb at bat-boy.

Ford, Jensen, Schubel, Dawson, and Morrison serenaded their true loves at Wright Hall last Monday; the fraternity assisted. Bud Miller's voice took on rather a stout pitch.

It seems that the Delts have ac-

quired a singing bar-room quartet, (or is it the barbershop?) at the ACA sponsored auction. The quartet consists of troubadours Eyer, Edgar, Rufener, and Sullivan.

It seems that Larry Parks, in four years at Alma, has never approached the Wright Hall entrance with amorous pursuits in mind, and has yet to date a Wright Hall girl. Larry is a fine student, outstanding athlete and one who by his charming personality and good looks has quickened the pulse of many a lady fair. Get this, girls, bids are now being considered.

Has everyone seen Diamond Jim Demas' new shiny, ultramodern landcruiser? Anyonegottadimefora cuppacoffee?

## Council Assembly Successful

by Tom Dodd

Something new was added to the variety of assemblies last week. A talent show composed of student talent and sponsored by the Student Council was presented in place of the usual outside talent.

It was very evident that the acts had many hours of outside work behind them. It is quite surprising to find out how much talent we have for a campus of this size. Everything from the Charleston of the gay '20's to a "modern" radio skit! The student body as a whole seemed well pleased with the show and would appreciate more assemblies put on by fellow students.

## To All Reporters

The final edition will appear the day before Campus Day (May 17.) As previously announced, final deadline for submitting copy for the final edition will be Friday, May 13, at 4:00 p.m.

Eugene H. Pattison, Editor

Then there's the definition of "upper crust" as "a lot of crumbs held together by dough."

Crave not to be master in all things, for the mastery which thou didst win hath not followed thee through life. —Sophocles, Oedipus Rex.



# Sports

## Linksmen Undefeated At Press Time

The golf team is undefeated so far in season play with victories over Ferris, Central Michigan, Olivet and Calvin.

Against Ferris the linksmen won 13½-4½ with Captain Bob Rudesill shooting a 79 to win medalist honors. Other Alma golfers who contributed to the win were Dick Ayling, Doyle McIntosh, Dick Rudduck and Glenn Howarth. Ayling shot an 80; McIntosh, 82; Rudduck, 94; and Howarth an 87.

Against Central, Rudesill was again low man with a 74 which was good for 2½ points. Howarth and Jerry Rogers were the other two Alma golfers who won points for the Scots.

Alma forfeited the first match but won the second 10-6 against Olivet. Ayling, McIntosh and Howarth won the points for Coach Klomp's squad. Ayling shot an 86 while McIntosh's score was 84. Howarth won his match with a 94.

The Scots' first conference win was over Calvin 10-6. Although Rudesill and Ayling, the number 1 and 2 men respectively, were defeated, the rest of the squad picked enough points to win the match.

## Hoods Tie This In Intramural Softball

Intramural softball has started with a bang. The defending champions, Phi Pfeiffers, have notched two straight victories in a drive to their fifth straight consecutive league title.

The Motor City Hoods are tied with the Phis' for the first place with each having two wins and no losses. Also tied for second place are the Vets and the Delt Sigs.

The league standings are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Phi Pfeiffers	2	0
Motor City Hoods	2	0
Vets	3	1
Delt Sigs	2	1
Blues	1	1
Phi Zebras	1	2
Delt Dodgees	1	2
Phi Athletes	0	2
Delt Dubbers	0	2

## Thinclads At Calvin; Fourway Meet Tomorrow

In a track meet last Saturday, April 31, at Calvin, Alma's thinclads placed two "thirds", two "fourths" and a fifth.

Coach Eaton entered his squad in the relays and in only a few field events. This Saturday, May 7, the teams travel to Grand Rapids to participate in a meet with Calvin, Olivet and Hope.

The result of last Saturdays meet are as follows:

220 yard dash: Bob DeYoung placed fifth.  
Javelin: Frank Lawrence placed third.  
880 yard relay: Woods, Burge, Taylor and DeYoung placed third.  
Sprint relay: Burge, Hill, DeYoung, Colbert placed fourth.

# Batsmen Warm Up with Weather

## Beat Adrian 6-3

Coach Charles Skinner's baseball team kept right on stroking the baseball as they banged out 12 hits and drove in 6 runs to defeat Adrian 6-3. The Scots defeated the Bulldogs earlier this season in a practice game.

John Noud had a fine day as he rapped out three hits in four trips to the plate. Morrison, Westerhof, Stolz and Godfrey each got two hits and Luckritz got one base knock but drove in two runs.

Jim Barson was handed the mound duties and he scattered eight Adrian hits and allowed three runs to cross the plate. He got credit for the win, his second of

the season. Alma got three big runs in the first inning on two walks, an error and a sacrifice. They picked up two more in the fourth on a base hit and a sacrifice and one run in the eighth on a base hit.

Adrian drove across their three runs in the second inning on a double, two singles and a fielder's choice. Preston started on the mound for Adrian and although he was relieved in the seventh he got credit for the loss.

## Ditch Calvin 12-2, 16-0 In Double

Alma's baseball team kept their winning ways as they won a double-header from Calvin 12-2 and 16-0.

Gordon Rutherford started on the mound for the Scots in the first game and he scattered five Calvin hits as he gained his first win of season. Marv Raab yielded the big stick as he banged out four hits and drove in two runs.

Elton Luckritz and Dave Zietel each got two hits, two of them being home runs, and Chuck Morrison and John Noud each got two hits. In all, the Scots had quite a day at the plate banging out 14 hits and driving in 12 runs.

The Scots scored in every inning but the fourth, seventh and ninth. Calvin scored their runs in the first and sixth innings due to two errors. Rutherford was the winning pitcher and Van Valit the loser.

In the second game, Loren Cook went the distance on the mound and pitched a masterful one-hitter. The hit came in the third inning off the bat of Rottman. Cook's team mates gave him lots to work with as they nicked Calvin for 12 base hits, two of them being home runs, and drove in 16 runs. Zittel and Jack Westerhof got the four baggers while the other fourteen hits were scattered.

The Scots scored four runs in the first, two in the second, four in the fifth, two in the sixth and four in the seventh.

Cook received credit for the win, his first of the season, and Tenne was the losing pitcher.

## Take Titans 3-2 In Second Match

Ralph Springfield and Elton Luckritz starred in pacing Alma's baseball team to a 3-2 non-league triumph over the University of Detroit, May 2 at Alma. The victory, the Scots' sixth in seven games, was the second against the Titans this season. The Scots won an earlier contest, 1-0.

Springfield pitched his way out of a jam in the fourth inning when Guy Sparrow's single drove in one run and left the bases loaded with none out. But Springfield, who fanned five batters, got the next two batters to strike out and forced the third to pop up.

Denny Stolz scored Marv Raab on a sacrifice fly in the fourth inning to tie the game. Then in the fifth inning, Luckritz blasted a 350-foot home run with Raab on base to gain the win.

Detroit scored its other run in the seventh inning. Springfield allowed the Titans only four hits and got credit for the win.

## Hornets Sting Scots For Eight Runs

The Alma Scots were handed their first defeat of the season by the Kalamazoo Hornets on April 23.

The Hornets chalked up 10 hits which lead to 8 runs, while the Scots only received 3 runs on 3 hits. Westerhof got two of the three hits for the Scots with Morrison accounting for the other two. Low was the winning pitcher for the Hornets and Cook of the Scots was charged with the loss.

The fifth inning was the big one for Kalamazoo in which they score four runs. Kalamazoo which has just entered the M.I.A.A. in baseball competition this year, has done a fine job of knocking off some of the big league powers.

## Defeat Olivet 5-3

In a baseball game with Olivet, Alma developed seven hits into five runs as they defeated Olivet 5-3.

Jim Barson got credit for the Scot win as he set down Olivet on two hits. House was the losing pitcher. Marv Raab led the Alma batsmen, pounding out three baseknocks.

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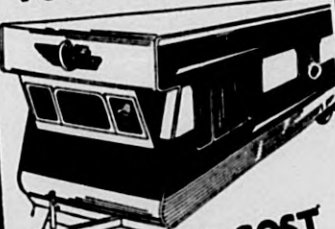
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### Students Attend ACS Meeting

A group from the Chemistry department attended a meeting of the student section of the American Chemical Society in Angola, Indiana, on April 29 and 30. Representatives from colleges in Michigan, Indiana, and Ohio presented papers on research being done at their schools.

Donelda Hamp presented a paper on "The Reaction of the Grignard Reagent on Aryl Sulfoxides." Those attending were Janet Nunn, Donelda Hamp, Irene Emerson, Bill Paige, and John Benner. Dr. Potter accompanied the group.

### When to Yell? That is the Question

LOS ANGELES—(ACP) — The Daily Trojan reports that at a USC yell leader school on the campus the theme was: "When to yell." Said one of the leaders: "We've got to develop communication between the coach and cheer leaders so we'll know when to yell and when not to."

### HARVARD OFFERS ROSCOES

(ACP)—The Harvard Lampoon, student humorous monthly, recently voted "The Caine Mutiny" as the best argument against naval ROTC, and decided "The Long, Long Trailer" was the greatest waste of gas of the year.

### Hope Chapel Collapses?

At first glance in the Hope College Anchor it did look as if someone had actually snapped a picture of the Chapel Tower collapsing. But we suspect that there was a little photo splicing. Here are some reactions to the event: "Some stood too dazed to speak. Others wept openly. One girl, obviously hysterical, was led away in fits of laughter."

"If you're poor at spelling, it helps a lot if your hand-writing is terrible, too."—Sunny Gale.

"Be kind to the girl you married—the wife you save may be your own."—Cindy Adams.

### Home Ec Club Goes To Grand Rapids

Joan Bush, Marilyn Castile, Isabelle Worth, Pat Sowers, Sherra Lee Nugent and Mrs. Mikle attended the Home Economics State Workshop held in the Pantlind Hotel in Grand Rapids, Friday, April 29.

The theme was "Broadening Home Economics Horizons." Miss Mary Barker was the main speaker for the day and she was a food consultant for the army during the war.

The girls attended a luncheon and visited exhibits which the various business organizations of Grand Rapids presented.

Alma College is proud to announce that Marilyn Castile was elected as State Secretary. The next workshop will in the fall for recruiting more members.

The next meeting of the Alma College Home Economics Club will be held Tuesday evening with an election of officers.

### 750 Called Ideal For Small College

TOWSON, MD. — (I.P.)—"HOW LARGE shall a small college be?" is the title of a recent number of the Goucher College Bulletin, published quarterly. "At 750," says President Otto F. Kraushaar, "the College can retain the initiative of a small college, can be cohesive in its community life, and vigorous in its intellectual atmosphere." The added attractions of a new campus have helped to double applications for admission in the last five years, the Bulletin, in booklet form, points out.

A Faculty Planning Committee and a Building Committee of Trustees worked from the beginning with the architects to see that the physical arrangements of each new building were fitted to the academic program and adjustable to new situations. The trustees and faculty in their thinking about the problem of size will have precedents to guide them. President Charles W. Cole of Amherst College recently advised against enlarging Amherst, pointing to the loss of social and educational values when small colleges get too big. He pointed out that in their case to provide new facilities for a fifty per cent increase in enrollment would cost the college \$15,000,000.

If Amherst, with the best endowment per student in the country finds a fifty percent increase undesirable from every point of view, then it would seem indefensible from Goucher's.

The investment portfolio of the College now has a book value of \$2,345,000; that of Amherst a value of over \$20,000,000. Goucher's endowment, which has always been low in comparison with those of other leading women's colleges, has risen little in the past 10 years when the building programs have consumed all available capital.

### Lasses in Glasses

HOUSTON TEXAS—(ACP) — Just to prove that "men will make passes at gals who wear glasses," the University of Houston recently conducted a "Beauty in Glasses" contest, according to The Cougar, campus newspaper. More than a score of lovelies entered, the winner receiving a \$25 defense bond.



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