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# **Announce Songfest Rules;** Participation Deadline, Mar. 14

The Student Council announces that the annual Songfest will be held Saturday, March 18, 1961, in Tyler Auditorium at 8 p.m. All sororities, fraternities, clans, corridors, and honor dorms are eligible to enter one group in each division.

Each entering group must represent some dorm or frater-

There will be two divisions: 1) trio or quartet, 2) ensemble, 8-20 persons.

Each group may enter both classes, but no group or person may participate more than once in each division. The divisions will be judged separately with a trophy going to

the winning group in each division.

You may use hand props and costumes, but no staging as such. All participating groups may use only one musical instrument in the Songfest. This may be any instrument of your choice.

You will be judged on the following:

1. Harmony

2. Blend and Balance

3. Pitch 4. Diction

5. Suitability of Selection

6. Originality or unusualness of arrangement

7. Staging and appearance

8. Audience appeal 9. The overall effect

Please turn in to Harold Cook no later than Tuesday, March 14th, the list of your participating group; also turn in the number which they will sing. If you have any questions, contact Harold Cook, vice-president of Student Council.

# 'Long Is The Night' Conveys Atmosphere Of Tension

3 Readings "Round Off" Evening Of Worthwhile Entertainment

by Edythe Trevithick

"Long is the night to he who is alone," the opening line, sets the tension immediately in this electrifying drama of three men in Death Row. The high level of tension is kept throughout the play, relieved only occasionally by touches of bitter humor. For example, it is the sarcasm of Carl saying "God and me is personal friends" that makes it humorous.

On the whole, the actors put the message across in a very vivid fashion, in spite of a tendency toward

melodrama. The striking visual effects heightened the atmosphere of suspense. Eddie, as the central figure, was played convincingly by Phil Barrons. His portrayal of a man with only minutes to live, searching and questioning the basic reason for being, made Eddie a sympathetic character to the audience

Hal Waller as Carl and Bob Piccolo as Fred are the other two occupants of Death Row. Whereas Carl is hard and cynical, Fred is passive. These two characters complement the role of Eddie to make an integrated

The other half of the program consisted of interpretive readings. Hal Waller chose a dramatic moment of Matador by Barnaby Conrad. His read-

## **Elect Thosteson** YR President

Pete Thosteson was elected president of the Young Republicans at a dinner-election meeting Wednesday evening, January 11, in Van Dusen Lounge.

Other officers for the coming semester are Roger Arbury, vice president; Judy Bennert, secretary; Stu Strait, treasurer; Ed Crook, finance chairman; Dave McFarlane, publicity chairman; Ed Powers, senior party co-ordinator; Diana Zezmar, membership chairman; and Bob Platner, college-state affairs chairman.

Thell Woods will remain chairman of the executive board for next semester, as decided by an executive agree-

The YR club now has 80 paid members. Fifty-four attended the dinner-election meeting.

Representatives of the Alma Young Republicans will attend the YR college board meeting at Michigan State University Saturday.

ing aptly portrayed the excitement and feel of a goring by a bull. Sue Keck read Bed Manners, a sophisticated comment bordering on the risque. However, she carried if off gracefully. Phil Barrons concluded the program with a delightful excerpt from Marc Connelly's Green Pastures. Read in dialect with full use of expression and gestures, this piece rounded off an evening of worthwhile entertainment.



Jan. 1, 1863-President Lincoln signed the Emancipation Proclamation.

Jan. 9, 1929-"The Seeing Eye" was incorporated to train guide dogs for the blind.

Jan. 12, 1896-The first X-ray photograph was made at Davidson College, N. C.

Jan. 23, 1909-Radio telegraph was first used to save lives on a sinking ship, the S. S. Republic.

## CMU's 'Spotlight' Rated Successful By AC Audience

By Guest Reviewer

Central Michigan's Men's Union presented "The Spotlight" here Friday night, the first in an exchange program between the two schools.

Although the audience was not very large, those who did attend apparently enjoyed the show as they called several performers back for encores.

Denny Moore, the Master of Ceremonies, introduced the various numbers and did a fine job of guiding the program through the lulls between acts.

Among the entertainers were dancer, Ellen Taylor; singerpianist, Beverly Wells; vocalist, Karen Bush; and Sandra Bowerman, who read contemporary poetry. Also two instrumental groups, the Beavers and the Counterpoints, caused much toe-tapping in the audience.

The CMU group presented many old favorites throughout the show, but some of the best received numbers were originals. Perhaps the biggest hit of the shov? was folk-singer Bill Hubert and his group. Their refreshing presentation of wellknown ballads and of Bill's own compositions caused much comment.

Many who were present felt that the first stage of the talent exchange was a success not only because of the "professional" appearance of the CMU entertainers but also because they had an opportunity to meet the entertainers at the reception afterwards. Some even had the chance of talking to talented friends from home.

# Wegner Says Snodgrass Writes "New-Type" Poetry Tonight's Talk Of Interest to All

William Dewitt Snodgrass, who will lecture in Dunning Chapel tonight at 8 p.m., was a colleague of Alma's Dr. Robert Wegner when the two of them were attending the State University of Iowa in 1953,

The two studied together there in a writing school under Paul Engle, a well-known writer, with courses taught by several other noted writers.

Wegner says that Snodgrass writes "a kind of poetry that is quite new." He uses simple terminology and

syntax - commonplace topics -- along with a strict and complex form which is very hard to work with, according to Wegner.

"This classic simplicity combined with powerful feeling gives his poetry a flavor distinctive from some of that written in the past fifty years," adds Wegner.

Snodgrass will either lecture tonight on "Tact and the Poet's Force" or else he will give a reading of his poetry along with running comment, according to Wegner.

Since receiving the 1960 Pulitzer Prize for poetry, Snodgrass has been travelling all over the country giving lectures, he adds. He also teaches poetry courses at Wayne State University.

"Either of these topics will be a talk wherein the appeal will be to people who are not necessarily critics or students of poetry, but those interested in hearing a poet talk in relation to his work," says Wegner.

"The lecture should be of interest to everyone," he adds. The chance to hear Snodgrass is a unique opportunity, and "any college student will find his talk of interest and possibly even exciting," says Weg-

Tickets will be available for tonight's lecture at the main switchboard desk in Reid-Knox through 5 p.m. today.

## Here's A Poem By Lecturer

The following is a poem by W. D. Snodgrass, tonight's lecturer, from his book Heart's

#### The Marsh

Swampstrife and spatterdock lull in the heavy waters; some thirty little frogs spring with each step you

a fish's belly glitters. tangled near rotting logs.

Over by the gray rocks muskrats dip and circle. Out of his rim of ooze a silt-black pond snail walks

inverted on the surface toward what food he may choose.

You look up; while you walk the sun bobs and is snarled

in the enclosing weir of trees, in their dead stalks.

Stick in the mud, old heart, what are you doing here?

# Five Films Added To Series, Two To Be Shown This Som

The . Im Committee of the Tyler Board announces this week the enlarged film series program. It has been expanded

by five films with two others yet to be confirmed.

Of special interest are the two to be shown during Dead Week and Exam Week. On Friday and Saturday, January 20-21. "The Perfect Furlough" will be shown starring Janet Leigh, Tony Curtis, and Keenan Wynn. Alex Guiness as "The Promoter" is scheduled for Thursday and Friday, January

In "The Perfect Furlough" Tony Curtis plays a Cassanova corporal who wins a "perfect furlough" in Paris with the movie queen of his choice. Things start happening when a female psychologist goes along as chaperone. The movie is in technicolor.

"The Promoter" concerns an ingenious, young, lovable rogue, who through a series of remarkable maneuvers manages to promote his election to mayor of the town. Glynnis Johns also stars.

There are three other movies scheduled: Lana Turner, John Gavin, and Sandra Dee will star in "Imitation of Life" on February 11; on May 26-27 "Joe Butterfly" will be shown with Audie Murphy, George Nader, and Keenan Wynn; "Pillow Talk," featuring Doris Day and Rock Hudson, is scheduled for June 2-3.

During "Dead Week" and Exam Week, come to the Union to relax. Play cards, checkers, and chess. Equipment may be obtained from the office of the Director of Student Activities.



The children's foreign language class in German is held Saturday morning in Old Main 100 from 9:55-10:55. The class for children between the ages of 5 and 10 is sponsored by the Alma Chapter of the American Association of University Women. One-hundred sixteen children came to the first class meeting held Dec. 3.

German students Fritz Schultz, Rexalee Westhauser, Loretta Pape, Ingrid Gievers, and Tony Lingel assist Mrs. Luida Alssen in teaching the class.

One of the classes for five-year-old students is shown above being taught by Miss Rexalee Westhauser as Mrs. Alssen supervises.

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#### How True

In looking at the world situation today one is able to see just how close to the truth the song writer came when he wrote

Deadlines

All news items, Monday, 5:30 p.m. except by prior arrangement with the Managing Editor.

All photographs to be used in the paper must be in by Tuesday Noon of the week of publication desired.

the lyrics "They're rioting in Africa." Usually the la-de-da lyrics of popular songs do not convey any message of significance. The composers appraisal that "the whole world is festering with unhappy souls" is nearer to the truth than many of us would care to believe. But his hope-

some lovely day, someone will set the spark off, and we will all be blown away," puts cheer back into our souls.

Yes, they're rioting in Africa, Laos, and Cuba, and the civil rights question in the United States isn't exactly solved. And possibly (although we are inclined to be a little more optimistic) a clue to the future of man may be found in the concluding lyrics of the song, "What nature doesn't ful comment that "we can be certain that do fer us, will be done by our fellow man."

# You Say You're Not Alone?

attention of the editor by a member of the faculty that Alma College does not in the "sign issue" have a situation that is unique to this particular campus.

Since all misery loves company, you might be interested in an article which appeared in the Cornell Alumni News of December 15, 1960 under the heading "Campus Gets Labelled."

Signs of ten-inch modern chrome letters affixed to all buildings touched off a quick student reaction. This letter from David S. Gurin '61 appeared in the Sun, Novem-

ber 17: "Signs function either in inform or to sell. Their uncontrolled use for the latter purpose is partly responsible for the disarray of American downtowns. On the Campus, planned growth and absence of a commercial motive have spared us the excuses of State Street or the Elmira Road.

I doubt the informational usefulness of the signs suddenly appearing on the academic buildings, students and visitors have found their ways to Goldwin and Smith and to Day Hall for some time without them. They must have been installed, then, to advertise the buildings. As a denizen of Day Hall once informed me: "We have a product here (the University) and we must sell it." I hope he is "sold" on Sage Chapel as he looks across the green and reads the silver letters placed artfully beneath a Gothic win-

The signs are offensive on the newer Engineering buildings and in worse taste on the older halls. I hope they will be removed as stealthily as they have been affixed."

The next day, the Sun reported that the identifying signs were ordered by President Malott after visitors had told him that they could not find specific buildings. Letters of official signs began to disappear and paper labels were put on such things as "Statue, Andrew D. White," "Statue, Ezra Cornell," "Pillar, Goldwin Smith

This past week it was brought to the Hall," and even "Bicycle" and "Dog." A guide post with numerous directional signs appeared in the middle of the Quad-

> The sign to top them all was the one which the Sun printed in the form of a four inch label, "Student, Cornell University" with the note, "As a service to tourists, students are requested to clip and wear these signs on Campus.'

> The almanian does agree with those who think that all this fal-de-rol about "signs" has about reached its limit and that there are much more important things to think about than the beauty or absolute lack of beauty in a building

However, we do believe, as do students of Cornell, that there is also a more basic principle involved in this question. We are inclined to agree with the writers of the letter in last week's almanian to this matter that there are many more necessary things for which the money spent on these signs could have been used. We are then told that the signs are a part of campus improvement. If the three-figure sum had to be used for campus improvement, aren't there any more worthy improvements than bag-piper ornamented signs?

We are quite surprised that no onenot one person, has suggested to the enterprising sign hangers that if signs were needed to direct the many around the campus, why not make the wanderers feel at home by using pictured signs saying: "The pause that refreshes-Old

Main." Even more astounding is the fact that some enterprising collegian has not sold a side of one of the campus buildings to a tobacco company for advertising space.

## Young Republican Club Sponsors Dance, Concert

Alma's Young Republican club will sponsor a jazz concert and dance featuring Detroit's "Jerry Fenby Five" on Monday, February 6, registration day.

The combo will present a jazz concert in Dow Auditorium in the afternoon and play for the dance, "Wonderland by Night," in Tyler that evening.

Tickets may be purchased from any Young Republican member before January 28. Tickets for both dance and concert are \$2.50 per couple; for the concert only. \$1.00; and for the dance only, \$2.50.

# Letters To The Editor

NOTE: Our policy concerning letters to the editors makes it mandatory that the writers of all published letters be known either to the Editor-in-Chief or Managing Editor. THE ALMANIAN takes upon itself the responsibility for publishing letters, hence it will not reveal the identity of any writer who requests anonymity. The editors do not guarantee publication of letters which exceed the bounds of decency and reasonable courtesy. Whether or not letter-writers take issue with THE ALMANIAN in no way disqualifies their letters for publication.

#### Lost and Unclaimed articles now at the Maintenance Shop:

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- 1 red and black plaid scarf
- 1 black silk scarf
- 1 pair woman's leather-palmed, gray wool gloves
- 1 pair woman's white kid
- gloves 1 pink scarf
- 1 pair woman's glasses-gray and white bows, gray and clear plastic rims.
- 1 pair of woman's gray rimmed glasses.
- 1 No. 500 Western Civ. notebook and black ball point pen.
- 1 Alma High School 1961 class ring.

Pete



"Off again, on again!" (Off

## AROUND the Campus

Professor Henry W. Howe, Head of the History Department, attended the annual National Meeting of the American Historical Association December 27-30.

Approximately 3,000 delegates attended the meeting held in New York City.

According to Mr. Howe, many good papers were read. The meeting was attended by men of national reputation in the field of history.

Last Sunday, January 8, the Alpha Sigma Tau Sorority elected its officers for 1961.

The new officers are Peggy Emmert-president, Jeri Lou Zettle-vice-president, Alice Harper-recording secretary, Mary Payne-corresponding secretary, Sally Henderson-alumni secetary, Karen Larson-treasurer, and Glenda McDanielsassistant treasurer.

Dr. Audrey Wilder, Dean of Women from Albion College, was a campus visitor Monday and Tuesday of this week. She came to Alma as a guest speaker for the local branch of the American Association of University Women. Not having been to the campus in several years, she was, according to Dean Vreeland much impressed by the progress and growth she noted here.

Dean Esther Vreeland's class in Sociology 202, "Marriage and the Family," has scheduled a field trip to Lansing for Thursday of this week. They will visit various community agencies serving the Family.

The resident advisers from the men's and women's hall met for an evening session with Dr. Clancy Hoogerland last Wednesday to discuss various matters pertaining to the student

#### Campbell Heads Gamma Delta Alpha

Margaret Campbell was elected president of Gamma Delta Alpha, the senior women's honorary, at its first meeting of the year Sunday.

Other newly elected officers include: Jan Howarth, vicepresident; Madeline Coleman, Caralyn Keyes, secretary: treasurer; and Mary Onapu, Organization Editor and Historian.

Members of the honorary include Joy Beedell and Nancy Vogan.

Established last Spring, the purpose of Gamma Delta Alpha is to promote college loyalty, to advance the spirit of service and fellowship among Alma \* College senior women, to maintain a high standard of scholarship, to recognize and encourage leadership, and to stimulate and develop a finer type of college woman.

The present membership will elect new members from among junior women sometime this spring. Qualifications for active membership are service, scholarship, and leadership.

Advisor of the group is Mrs. Vreeland, Dean of Esther Women.

health services. Dr. Hoogerland pointed out that the campus Health Service was still in a somewhat experimental stage. He stated that it was organized, as such, only four years ago. He explained that long-range plans provide for an extension of the health services to students, including longer clinic hours. The College Health Service was set up in consultation with the Gratiot County Medical Society and with Dr. Irving Sander of Wayne State University, a former president of the American College Health Association.

## **Band Preparing Next 2 Concerts**

The concert band is now at work on a full schedule of second semester activities it was announced today by Dr. Sam Jones, director of the band.

"We are preparing for concerts in March and May, and we also anticipate sponsoring some type of clinic work with high schools of the surrounding area," said Dr. Jones.

Membership in the band is open to students who have not participated in band this semester. "I should imagine," said Dr. Jones, "that there are several instrumental players who had schedule difficulties and couldn't play with us first semester, but who'd love to come in this semester." Dr. Jones invited such people to contact him at his studio in the basement of the Chapel.

To date, the band has presented six football shows and two concerts. Future concerts, according to Dr. Jones, will include music by Brahms and Wagner as well as music from well-known Broadway shows.

Parnassians will meet on Sunday, Jan. 15, at 7 p.m. in the lounge of Van Dusen Commons. Poems by Carol Phillips will be discussed.

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ter's Student Council in making it what some have called one of the most active councils in years.

mittee confirmed April 27 as the date for the next all school reading test. There is as yet no established policy for dealing with the failure of freshmen or sophomores to pass these tests. One of the books for next semester will be announced this week and the others will be announced later. The judicial committee re-

January 10, 1960

The meeting was called to

order, the invocation was given,

the roll was called, and the

minutes were read and approv-

The president expressed ap-

preciation for the cooperation

of the members of this semes-

The Academic Affairs com-

7:00 p.m.

ed.

STUDENT COUNCIL

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and passed.

Nations Conference, Seconded

May 9 was approved by the

Harold Cook read the rules

for the Song Fest. He moved

their approval as read. Second-

ed and passed. The rules will

Dick Luke moved that a spe-

cial committee be formed to

investigate the feasibility of

setting up a building and

grounds committee. Seconded

Bill Jacobs moved that the

The meeting was adjourned.

Recording Secretary

Respectfully submitted,

executive committee go over

the Student Activities Budget.

Bonnie McBane

New Rel. Course

for Non-Credit

Offered Sem. 150

A new course is being offered

for semester 150. Called "Ele-

ments of Biblical Hebrew," the

course will be an informal non-

credit course since it has not

been approved by the curricu-

at an undergraduate school, the

course could be included in the

curriculum if sufficient response

is shown. The course is open to

both students and faculty. Time

and place will be decided later.

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non-credit course, and contact

10 DAYS

UNTIL

FINAL EXAMS

the instructor, Mr. Brown.

Students wishing to take the

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lum committee.

Seconded and passed.

council as the date for the Stu-

dent Council Banquet.

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ported or their progress. A discussion of the present judicial system and possible improvements followed. Dick Luke inoved that the motion be tabled. Seconded and passed. The steering committee for

the N.S.A. Spring Regional Assembly reported the probability of Governor Swainson speaking on March 25.

Bob Matteson moved that the council appropriate \$27 for registration at the M.S.U. United

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## A Scotch Voice

By Thomas Befulded

Predators keep the fowls in trim, those that know the danger. But the chantecleers I watch strutting toward the Gelston roost each evening aren't aware of the wiley colefox. They wing their pretty young pullets, then into the cold dark night, without any evident concern about the possibility of gloring yellow eyes signaling sharp teeth crouched in the bushes and shadows. The whole world to them is a felicitous bundle of giggle-shook feathers for amorous gratification. They snap their combs jauntily and glisten at the world, a passive hen easily exploited. Maybe they are blessed by this great confidence. Probably they are

If the sure-of-it-all attitude lived with a know-it-all knowledge then, halleluia, let them swagger out cnto the clucking world, work their wonders and multiply. But I'm inclined to think the young cocks I see around Gelston have rather limited knowledge living with their excessive confidence. Their world is probably the world referred to by those who named the world's largest the sad Santa that towered two stories above Superior Street. Their's is the little world of people who never bother to learn much or consider very

There are many Detroiters among them. Yet probably few have seen the grizzly bear of the big city, or its teeth. The whole humbling threat, to them is just part of the hen. They can ride a freeway into the center of the city, dozing blatantly to tawkin the slur about dames and stuff. They probably never shudder the least as the road hum beneath gains another and a hissing beside and another and another, and the cement grows blacker, and the countryside converts into scorified concrete walls, brown buildings with black, pathetic eyes, and above, the sky and blue are snared and caged with wires and choked with heavy hectic clouds from sticks. It's so what that a 60 chevy is double around the fang of an overpass abutment, its back broken, its soft innards ruptured and bleeding. The ride does nothing to impress upon them the realization of any threat. They don't consider deeply enough to see it as anything more than slightly

boring. And even if, perchance, they are occasionally shiveringly aware of obvious hawk shades in the good fat hen, they miss the more subtle. They perhaps have aspirations the worth of which is obscured by the cocky parading of hackle, aspirations essential to their real happiness, the happiness that smiles somewhere down in the white meat. These aspirations perhaps are in jeopardy. The colefox of the real world might be waiting without mercy just beyond Alma and the all's-hen illusion.

> IT'S FRIDAY, THE 13th

in case you weren't aware of if. If you are superstitious, Beware!

# Kimball Awarded Doctorate In Education From MSU

# Dissertation Study on Community Colleges

John R. Kimball, the Director of Admissions, received the Doctor of Education degree from Michigan State University on December 6, 1960.

The title of his doctoral dissertation was "Analysis of Institutional Objectives in Michigan Community Colleges." Dr. Kimball dealt with his study through analysis of several carefully chosen indicators.

The first step in his research was to select from general literature the five most common institutional objectives for community colleges. He found these to be programs in general education, in the transfer of credit after two years of community college education, in education terminating in two years, in community service and adult education, and in guidance and counseling.

His second analysis was of the catalogs of the sixteen Michigan Community Colleges, From these he found the objectives to be similar to those

displayed in the general liter-

In the third analysis, in order to determine how well the objectives were being practiced, Mr. Kimball investigated the courses offered. Here he found that some schools were offering comprehensive curricula, while others were somewhat limited. For this reason, he classified the schools under the headings, "limited" and "comprehen-

In the fourth and final analysis, Mr. Kimball selected three schools from each of the classifications and circulated questionnaires among the teachers and administrators.

From the manner in which the questionnaires were answered, curricula differences appear to be attributed to community limitations rather than the feelings of the faculty.

Other significant conclusions drawn from the questionnaires were that both the administrators and the teachers feel that the liberal arts or transfer programs are their strongest, while the guidance and counseling programs are their weakest.

Among the dissimilarities in administrator and instructor feelings concerning the community colleges are the following: teachers tend to favor a strong liberal arts program, selective admissions policies, and an eventual development of programs to that of a four year institution; while administrators tend to accept the traditional objectives outlined in the first analysis.

Conclusion: "The community college, as it has been established in the United States, offers a unique educational opportunity. The growth and vizor of the community college, as an institution, will depend on how well it deals with its own segment of the total picture of higher education in this country. If the community college fails to provide programs to meet community needs, it then will give way to other types of educational institutions. On the basis of the present study, it would not appear that the five classical objectives of the community college are well accepted by the faculty members of the institutions surveyed nor do their programs completely reflect the stated objectives of the institutions. If the community college concept is to survive, it will be necessary for the persons connected with community colleges, teachers, administrators, etc., to reassert their belief in the unique role of this institution." onclusion: "The community

Dr. Kimball began his education in Brown Elementary School, a country school in Clinton County. After completing eighth grade at the Brown School, he entered Dewitt High School and graduated four years later with a class of nineteen pupils. In the fall of 1945, Mr. Kim-

ball entered Alma College, where he majored in biology and minored in chemistry, history, Spanish, and religion.

During 1949 he worked as a celesman in Lansing. Then, in 1950 he began study toward a Masters Degree at Michigan State University. He began studies in the field of zoology and later changed to education.

In 1951 he reecived his teaching certificate and in 1955, his degree, Master of Arts in Educational Administration. In 1956, he began studies in the doctoral program which he finished in December of 1960.

As a brief summary of Dr. Kimball's career: he began in March, 1951, teaching science in Nashville High School. In 1953, from July to October, Mr. Kimball was principal at Nashville. In October, he was elected superintendent of the Nashville school system, a post he held until September, 1958, when he joined the faculty of Michigan State University. On

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# **Volleyball Championship** Is Nearly Decided

The Intramural Volleyball Tournament is nearing completion. The tournament is a double elimination tournament involving twelve teams in two leagues. It has been running for one week.

The TKE fraternity's first team is leading in Class A, and the Delt Sig third team is leading in Class B.

The TKE first team must beat the Delt Sigs first team to claim the championship; this game will be played tonight at 5:10.

The winner of the A League will be awarded a cup and 5 points toward the Intramural All-Sports Trophy. Second place winner garners 3 points, and third place, I point.

The winner of the B League will be awarded a cup for first

#### **COMING EVENTS** Friday, January 13

Lecture-Concert Series-William Snodgress Reception for Guest Artist

K I Luxury Liner Basketball at Kalamazoo

"DEAD WEEK" Begins Basketball at Adrian

Music Convocation

Dunning Chapel Van Dusen Lounge

Tyler Auditorium

Dunning Chapel

about current events and a lot

of that other rubbish, so what?)

Well, the kid saw my point,

whatever it was, and the girl

said, "nice to meetcha" and I

walked away and out into the

shadowy blackness that is night

(dramatic). Some college boy or

girl or man or woman, what-

ever you prefer . . . dropped a

dime into the juke box in the

union and the refrains of the

latest hit song that collegers en-

joy worked its way through the

window glass of the student

center. I stopped and listened

to the tune which is entitled,

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tan, But I Love You Anyway,

Blues . . . It made me smile a

sloppy kind of smile (dramatic

again) and made me think of

Johnny And the Hurricanes at

Carnegie Hall . . . and I decide

to wonder, so I wondered how

the college buildings would

look with the signs off and how

they would look upside down,

(or if they would look good on

backwards) or if Gina L. with a

bagpipe would make them more

presentable and then I philo-

sophically said to me . . . I.D.G .-

D.A.W. . . . how they look. I

slipped on the ice and lost my

balance for a second, but caught

myself and scribbled . . . Good-

nite Mrs. Calabash, wherever

you are ...

# Scotsmen Hit the Open Road

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Alma will spend their next two games on the road, traveling to Kalamazoo tomorrow night to lock horns with the Hornets of Kalamazoo College, and Monday evening moving to Adrian to play the Adrian Bulldogs.

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# OH PODKINS!

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ter collar up, hands in pockets, dangling cigarette. I heard music and singing in the cavern known as Tyler Aud. (everybody abbreviates these days) by all us of childs of the machine

age . . . clickety clack . . . I leaned up against the wall and listened for the throngs' ovulation, which was to be directed at the performer. The talent show from central michigan ended (small print for C.M.U. on purpose). Don't say what talent show, because Alma college is supposed to return some talent to the north school, and what we're going to send is up to you to figure out. Podkins walked out hand in hand with some little girl about cighteen. An ash that could no longer resist gravity fell to the pad of paper I was taking notes on for use in an almanian article. (Notice the almanian is spelled with a small "a" . . . ah modesty . . ) Melroy beamed at me, whispered a few words to his darling companion and strutted toward me, with his hand glued to hers with sweat . . . uh . . . excuse me . . . perspiration. That's what I think is so promising about today's college youth who just can't resist being cool . . uh, sophisticated, and walking around hand in hand and showing to the world the Gordion knot that even a modern day Attila's sword could not sever. And they just won't admit that their hands get sweaty. Anything for security these days. The words that have just spewed forth from my mind to this sheet of paper were running through my mind as Melroy and his collegiate Sandra Dee with false tipped shoes walked toward me. (I hope my nose isn't getting flat from pressing against the glass.) I withdrew my cigarette from my mouth and held it in the European fashion and smiled at my little

pal. (The kid is beginning to look like everyone else and act the same. Going to college is like putting a gazelle in with a herd of Gozzacas . . . pretty soon the gazelle starts to get wide hips and begins to get sluggish. "The disciplines confine" as Bruno Spielding used to say-he was my Bow and Arrow instructor.) Podkins introduced me to his companion

and I thought over how we'd say goodbye to each other. She would probably utter a "nice to meetcha" and I would probably have to say "It's been my pleasure" or something meaningless like all people say when they are saying goodbye to people they've just met. Go to any fraternity or sorority rush party and you'll hear all the "nice to meetchas" you can stand. I'm victim to it myself . . . the editor said to give this a folksy

touch . . . but slaves of the prosaic fight the "nice to meetcha," for its leads to the ugly thoughts though by the bourgeoise. We stood talking for a while about all sorts of nothings, when Melroy said, "Did I tell you about the article I read in a newspaper at home?" I told him he hadn't and his hand holder smiled at me for being dumber than Melroy or less read or else she thought my ears looked funny or something . . . who knows? I asked the kid what the article said, and he assumed his shocked facial expression and wrinkled his chin. It looked like someone turned on one of his switches, for he said, "It

went over his head. I then said

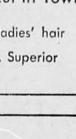
to the kid that things couldn't

be that bad. (Why what if some

college kids don't know much

1.4. college seniors don't know tells about how something like who Ike is, or who the Secretary of State is or who Liu Shao-chi is, or who Daim!er and so on." I told Melroy to turn off the switch, but the words

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Participating in an intramural game are from left to right,

In 1960, Mr. Kimball was awarded a scholarship by the Lily Foundation to a Seminar on Institutional Research of Liberal Arts Colleges. It was held at the Kellogg Center for Continuing Education from October 2-14, 1960.

Mr. Kimball was married August 6, 1955. He has a daughter four years old and a son of 18 months.

Among the positions held by

Dr. Kimball are: president of a region of the Michigan Education Association, 1957-58; member of the Board of Directors of the Kalamazoo Child Guidance Clinic; county chairman for the United Fund, 1956-58; Boy Scouts: Chamber of Commerce; Red Cross; Maple Syrup Association; and president of a Lions Club.

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