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The sign judging contest climaxed last Friday night's freshmen induction. The top four freshmen line up to be photographed and display their artwork. Teddy Larkis took first while Tim Dunham placed second.

## Marjorie Dunham Scheduled As First Convocation Speaker

Mrs. Marjorie Dunham will be the first guest speaker in this term's convocation program, speaking Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. on "Getting the Job Done."

Mrs. Dunham, executive secretary of the Kalamazoo County Council of Churches, is the only lay person in Michigan to hold such a position with the church. In this capacity, Mrs. Dunham is much sought after by church groups as a speaker.

"Lay participation and youth involvement in the church" has been the general theme of many of Mrs. Dunham's talks to church groups and organizations. She is particularly interested in this theme and refers to lay people and youth as "raw material for the church."

Mrs. Dunham also has an in-

terest in sociology, particularly in the field of gerontology. Gerontology is the study of the aging process and Mrs. Dunham will be available as a source person on this subject during her visit here.

Mrs. Dunham, a resident of Richland, Michigan, is the mother of senior Linda Brundage.

Scheduled as the second convocation speaker is Dr. George Borgstrom, a professor in the department of food science at Michigan State University. Borgstrom will discuss the topic, "Fallacies About Feeding Us and Feeding the World" on October 20.

"A New Look at Our China Policy" is the topic of an address to be given on November 3 by Dr. Eugene Boardman, a history professor at the University of Wisconsin.

Mr. Edward B. Jolliffe will speak Monday, November 8, on China and its relations with the West. Jolliffe is a Toronto lawyer, political leader and a recent vistor of China.

## Policy Announced For Convocation

Attendance at the convocation scheduled for Wednesday, October 6, at 7:30 p.m. is required of all freshmen, sophomores and juniors, it was announced by Dr. Paul Splitstone of the Academic Standards and Admissions Committee. Senior attendance is optional.

However, these arrangements are not the final convocation policy for the year. The committee hopes to have that policy before the next convocation, according to Splitstone.

Last year's policy -- compulsory attendance of all students, with one absence allowed per semester -- could not be implemented due to the problem of seating a larger enrollment.

A communication concerning convocation attendance will be sent to the student body as soon as possible.

Freshmen and juniors should report to the chapel, and sophomores to Dow auditorium for Wednesday evening's convocation.

## Bids To Be Given Saturday Noon

Bids to pledge three of the Greek organizations on campus will be handed out on Saturday at 12:00 p.m. in Tyler Center. There were an unusually high number of men who signed the rush list this fall.

Fraternities giving bids are Delta Sigma Phi, Sigma Tau Gamma and Tau Kappa Epsilon.

## Plans Delayed For New Dorm

Construction of the new co-educational dormitory and food commons, which was to begin in August, has been postponed indefinitely, according to Dr. Stephen Meyer, college comptroller.

Due to the present building boom in the state, there was an unusually small response to the invitation for contract bids, resulting in bids 30 to 35 per cent in excess of the architect's estimate. The Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency loan and the funds which the college had allocated for construction were not sufficient to award contracts

and start construction.

A series of meetings with the architect have taken place in attempts to find areas to reduce the cost of the project. Assuming a revision plan is approved by the Building and Grounds Committee of the Board of Trustees, rebids could be taken in February and construction could begin in March or April.

The completion date for the four-story residence hall and dining hall accommodating 750 was scheduled for the beginning of the 1966 school year. The two structures will not be ready until 1967.

## Film Series Opens With 'Animal Farm'

This fall's International Film Series begins this Sunday evening, October 3, with the showing of *Animal Farm* in Dow Auditorium at 8 o'clock. This is a feature length cartoon film in color, based on the famous fable by George Orwell. It treats the theme: "All animals are equal but some are more equal than others."

Those familiar with the Orwell work will know that the story deals with the revolt of Farmer Jones' domesticated animals against their cruel masters. Once they have seized power, the animals are taken over by the pigs, the shrewdest of the lot.

The film started picking up important trade awards in 1955. Since then it has acquired the Cannes International Film Festival award and in 1959 was declared the American Film Festival winner.

Bosley Crowther, critic for the *New York Times*, writes of the picture: "A full length adult cinematic satire—vivid and biting—illuminating and devastating—some political realities of our times are emphasized and made more startling—outright laughing humor in it comes from the smartness of its clever caricatures." Life calls it "extraordinarily intimate . . . a rare look at life."

*Animal Farm* is the first of four films in this fall's series. Also to be shown are *Riffi* (October 10), *Come Back, Africa* (October 24), and *Wild Strawberries* (November 14).

Series tickets are available from Mr. Wesley Dykstra at Hood 203 for \$1.75. Individual film admissions will be available at the door for 75c each.

## Election Set For Homecoming

Elections for homecoming queen and court are coming up soon.

On Thursday, October 7, the seniors will nominate ten girls from the senior class. This will be done during lunch hours from 11:00 to 1:30.

Chairman of the election board John Steele stated that he hoped to have the girls' pictures up by the following Monday.

The all campus election will be Thursday, October 14.

## a peek at the world . . .

Pakistan's foreign minister, Z. A. Bhutto, has urged the U.N. to compel India to accept a U.N. force in Kashmir. He proposed that Pakistani troops would withdraw from Kashmir if U.N. forces composed of troops from Asia, Africa and Latin America would replace them. India has so far rejected any plan proposed by the U.N.

A message issued by the North Vietnamese Government stated that from now on U.S. pilots who are shot down and captured will be treated as war criminals. This generally means they will be executed. The State Department has labeled this another gross infraction of the rules of war.

Russia and East Germany have pledged "the greatest possible aid" to the North Vietnamese. These two countries have also issued a new denunciation of U.S. "aggression" and demanded withdrawal of American troops from South Viet Nam.

Hurricane Debbie, the second tropical storm that has threatened the Gulf Coast states in a month is hanging approximately 100 miles off the coast of Florida. Weather forecasters expect it to wane and turn into a squall rather than repeat the destruction of the earlier Betsy.

The Taal Volcano, 40 miles south of Manila, erupted earlier this week leaving the fate of 2000 islanders unknown. The 934-foot-high volcano spewed flames, smoke, steam and lava 15,000 feet into the air. Daring rescue teams have been sent to the lava encased island.

Director of Selective Service Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey proposed that men rejected for military service be given special military training. Those involved would be rejectees considered fit in time of emergency. Hershey stated at a meeting of the National Guard Association that "if a man is fit in time of emergency, he has a right to train for an emergency."

# letters . . .

One mark of the lively ideas and ideals being generated by members of a college campus is the number of letters received by the campus newspaper.

Such letters demonstrate student interest in the newspaper and in the affairs and activities of the campus. They show that members of the campus have something to say and have enough courage of conviction to say it where everyone will see it.

The Almanian welcomes and strongly encourages all letters to the editor. The following is our policy on these letters:

No letter should exceed 300 words, with responsibility placed on the writer to stay within this limit. Any letter obviously exceeding this limit will be returned to the writer.

We will honor requests by persons who

wish to write letters and remain anonymous. However, the writer of the letter must be known at least to the editor-in-chief of the newspaper.

A letter will be revealed to relevant parties, without revealing the writer, and they will have an opportunity to answer in the same issue, if the following conditions apply:

1. A direct accusation is made, calling for an answer.
2. Such an accusation is of a very serious nature.

Although the above policies will serve as a guide for letters, each situation will be treated individually

Hopefully these policies will not discourage students from writing letters to the editor and we hope to receive a large number of such letters during the year.

# a hope . . .

We applaud the decision by the Student Council's Executive Board to promote campus-wide discussion on the issue of the honor code during the year.

The history of attempts to establish an honor code during the last few years has been marked by a lack of sufficient discussion and a lack of sufficient student understanding.

A good example of this is the 1963-64 school year, when a specific honor code was brought to campus vote. Some dis-

ussion was held in advance, but apparently not enough, for rather the code was defeated many said that they had not had enough information in advance.

However, this year students will have an opportunity for almost unlimited discussion of the ideas and principles behind honor codes.

The decision of the Executive Board seems to be a wise one. But to our support of the decision we add a hope that something will come of this campus discussion.

## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

# Are You Studying More Now, And Enjoying It Less?

by D. Merit

Are they serious? I mean, who do they think they are kidding. This 3-3 plan has just got to go.

Sure, Dartmouth College started this program a long time ago. They also increased the suicide rate at the same time. Now that's an interesting little point to dwell on. Maybe it would solve Alma College's housing problem.

The 3-3 program is sort of like baseball. Three strikes and you're out. Three outs and your

side is retired. At this rate, many boys will be spending their retirement discovering the beauties of southeast Asia.

"Now that you only have three classes, students," said three of my professors, casually, "I'm sure you won't mind doing a little extra work in MY class. Isn't it pleasant to have all this extra time on your hands?"

Likely chance! I was only taking three courses last semester!

I'm sure this program must have some good points. They

just haven't turned up yet. After all, we now have more opportunity to go to classes, and more opportunity to take exams. We have fewer weekends to worry about filling with social activities. We somehow end up buying more books (greater chance to read). And our professors get more time off too. Everybody wins! All because we have fewer classes. Can't you just wait till we only have ONE class. Maybe it will be Basic Drill 121, nap 2-3-4. Hup 2-3-4.

# Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor: Please print the following letter in your next issue: Dear "Dirt Farmers,"

Despite the shellacking received at the faculty senior banquet I would like to thank you for your magnificent effort at last year's graduating exercises. Your appearance was beyond reproach and it certainly added to the grandeur of the occasion. Also at this time I would like to thank you for the excellent education with which you endowed me. Although at times we might have differed in our views and opinions I am truly grateful for the knowledge and experiences which you passed on to me. Without any doubt you are the greatest "DIRT FARMERS" that I hope to come in contact with. I thank each and every one of you and wish you continued success with your educational endeavors.

Proud to have been their pupil,  
Henk van Lunenburg  
Class of '64

Dear Editor: With humor, but not much, this letter is addressed to the administration, maintenance department and students of this college.

Over my years at Alma I have been more and more discouraged by the illumination of our campus at night — Too Much. There were too many when I came. The new library added a host of incessant glares. But the time for action has come with the new "lights" on the gymnasium. Not only unnecessary, they are incongruent — that bluish dazzle mixed with all that yellow incandescence! Ick!

But this is not the real argument. We all know WHY they put them up—and it's not because we or they are afraid of the dark, in fact, it is enjoyable, no? There is, however, a case against these unnatural things.

Part of life and learning is gazing up into that massive empty void; good for students (couples), and administrators alike—sort of a humility pill. Well you just try it. Not a thing. There's a better view in the planetarium. We'd never know if someone turned them all off.

Glad to be in Africa—  
Yours,  
Stargazer C. W. S.

Dear Editor: Last Saturday's victory is proof that spirits rallied can produce a positive effect. The spirit of the football team was somewhat transmitted to the crowd, even though this should have been vice-versa. It seems that for the first time in several years we have the chance to place in the upper half of the league. This is due to the fact that what we lack in weight we make up in attitude. The support given a team can help make the difference between a team in the cellar and a team on the top.

Tomorrow our Scots meet one of the toughest teams in the conference. They need our support voices, our noise behind them. Let's keep up the good attendance started last week. At 1:30 tomorrow there will be a pep rally on the library mall. Show up!! Help our team win!!!

The Cheerleaders.

# Student Council News

Members of the Student Council Executive Board discussed plans for the coming year at a meeting last Tuesday evening attended by Dr. John Kimball, dean of student affairs, and Mr. Fred Smith, assistant dean of student affairs.

First business considered by the board was the selection of four students to serve on the Ad Hoc Committee. Council President Bill Brown announced that petitions for the two elective members would be available starting last Wednesday and would be due on Friday, October 8.

The other two members are to be appointed by President Robert Swanson from a list prepared by the Student Council. In answer to a question Kimball said that students selected to serve on the Committee, "will participate completely" in the work of the committee.

Following this, junior John Steele reported that several petitions had been turned in for freshman class officers, with balloting to be held on the following day. Steele also informed the Council of plans to have this year's homecoming queen announced at half time of the football game instead of in advance as has been done in the past.

Senior Karen Smith and Junior Jim McGee then reported on research they had done during the summer on various types of honor codes. After some discussion the Board decided that Student Council would promote campus-wide discussion of the goals and aims of honor codes during the coming year, so that the issue would be well-aired.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

October 1—Friday	5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.	Delta Sigma Phi Closed Picnic Tau Kappa Epsilon-Kappa Iota Picnic	Conservation Park TKE House
October 2—Saturday	11:30 to 1:30 p.m.	Student Division Michigan Education Association Picnic	Mrs. Hatley's Home
	2:00 p.m.	Football—Albion College	Bahke Field
	2:00 p.m.	Cross Country—Albion	Bahke Field
	8:00 to 12:00 p.m.	Tau Kappa Epsilon All Campus Open House	TKE House
	9:00 p.m.	Phi O Dime Dance	Tyler Auditorium
October 3—Sunday	3 to 4:00 p.m.	Gamma Delta Alpha Tea for Foreign Students	Reid-Knox Memorial Room
	8:00 p.m.	International Film Series, "Animal Farm"	Dow Auditorium
October 4—Monday	5:30 p.m.	Panhellenic Picnic	Conservation Park
October 6—Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	Convocation—Mrs. Marjorie Dunham, Executive Secretary Kalamazoo County Council of Churches, "Getting the Job Done."	Dunning Chapel with Closed Circuit TV to Dow Auditorium
October 7—Thursday		Phi Sigma Pi Banquet	To be announced
October 8—Friday	5:30 p.m.	Sophomore Class Picnic	Conservation Park
	8:00 to 12:00 p.m.	Panhellenic Dime Dance	Tyler Auditorium
	7:30 p.m.	Alpha Phi Omega Hayride	
		Associated Women Students State Convention, October 8-9	Houghton Tech
October 9—Saturday		4th Annual Conference on Public Affairs (for high school)	
	8:00 to 12 p.m.	Football—Kalamazoo Cross Country—Kalamazoo Tau Kappa Epsilon Closed Party	Sig Tau House

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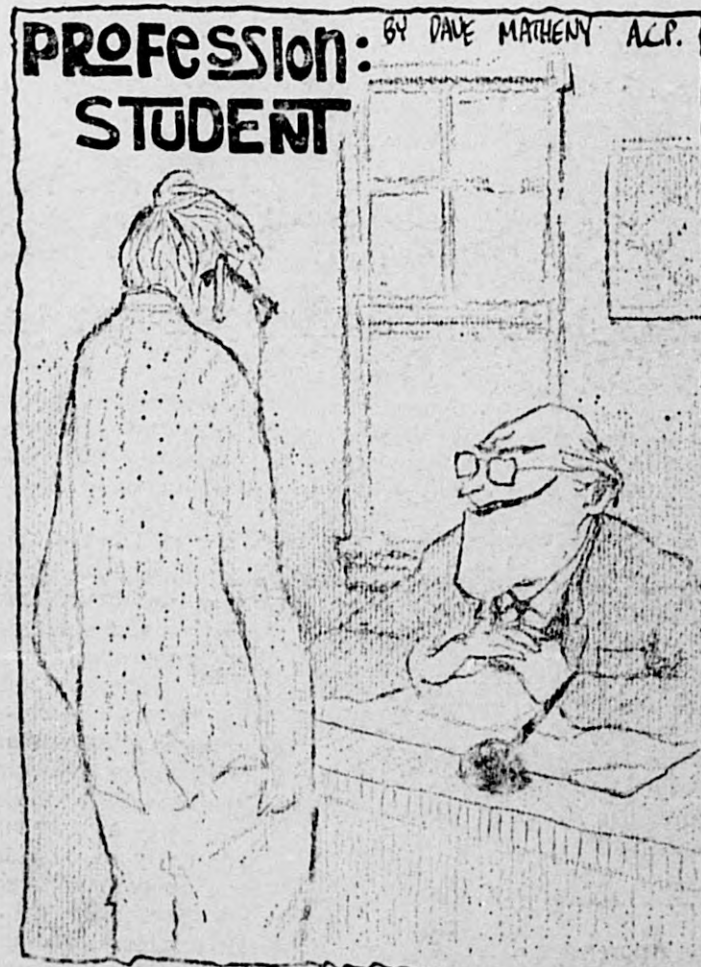
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"OKAY, LEARY, YOU'VE MADE A POINT— SOCIETY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR YOU... SO LET'S SAY IT'S NOT YOU I'M FLUNKING. LET'S SAY IT'S TWENTIETH CENTURY MAN."

## Registration Fees Set For Participants In Alma's Middle East Conference

Senior Ramsey Sa'di, director of the Middle East Conference to be held here November 19-21, has announced that Alma College students, faculty and wives may take part in the conference by paying a \$5 registration fee.

Sa'di said that the regular cost of registration for all participants will be \$10, but the history and science departments have offered to pay one-half of the registration fee for any members of the Alma College campus who wish to take part in the conference. The \$5 fee, said Sa'di, will include both registration and the Arabic banquet.

Registration forms for Alma students will be available on bulletin boards around the campus and from Dr. Edwin Blackburn of the history department at his office in Old Main. Students are being asked to fill out these forms and turn them in to junior Sharon Stephens.

Sa'di said that students wishing to take part in the conference should complete registration as soon as possible, since kits which include a bibliography list and other background materials on the Middle East will be given to registrants as a means of preparing for the conference.

Sa'di concluded that the \$5 fee is an excellent opportunity for Alma students to take part in the conference, since they will only have to pay one-half of their registration fee and will have no expense for room and board as will participants from other schools.

At present, the committee planning the conference is expecting approximately 150 participants from a number of colleges and universities. The com-

## GDA Welcomes Foreign Students

Gamma Delta Alpha, the senior women's honorary is sponsoring a welcoming tea for all new foreign students on Sunday in the memorial room of the Reid-Knox building.

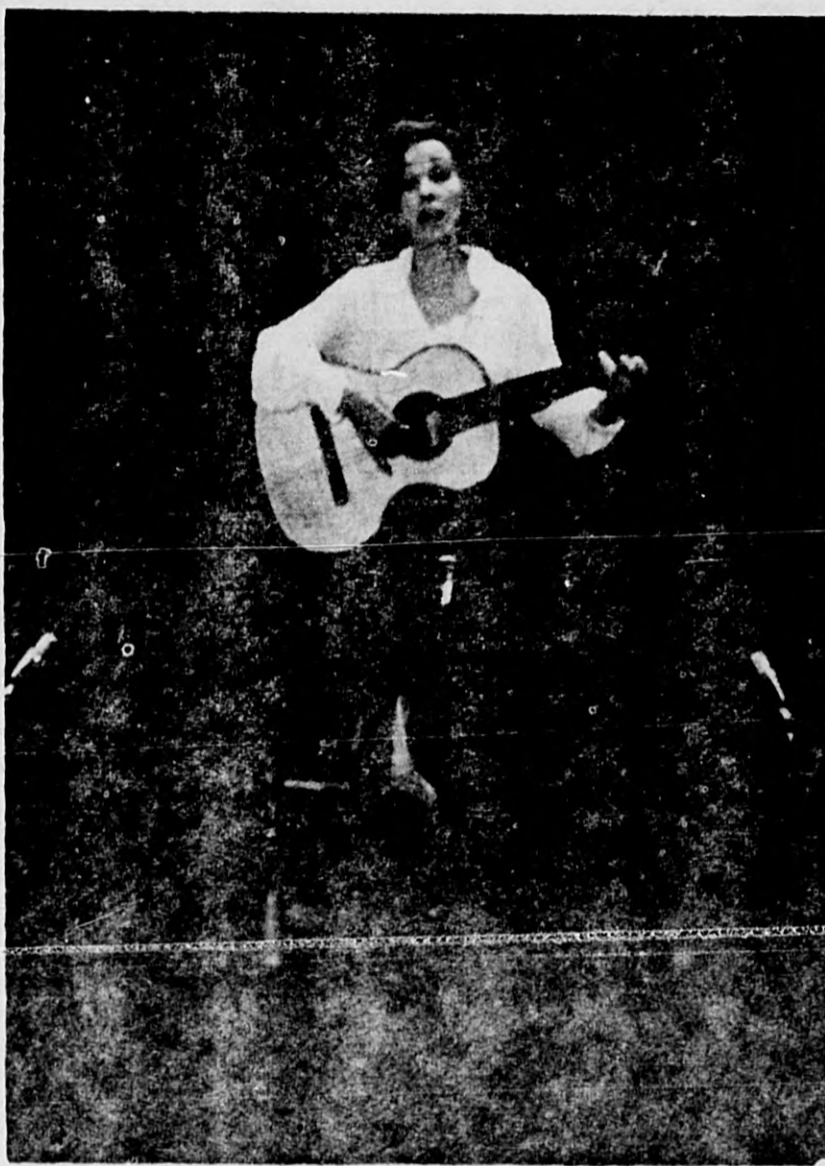
The purpose of the tea is to introduce the students to Alma College and to provide each of them with a student handbook designed especially for foreign students. This handbook explains American customs of "dating," visiting other student's homes, dining, and general Alma College tradition.

This year's students who are being honored are Roger Barcelo from Mexico, Sophie Mends-Cole from Liberia, Gabrielle List from Switzerland, and Chia-Wei Wang from Malaysia. Other organizations who have been invited are Omicron Beta Kappa, the senior men's honor society, the International Club and selected faculty members.

Gamma Delta Alpha's purpose 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. Members are elected the spring of each year after considering each candidate's qualifications. Qualifications are service, scholarship and leadership.

The Apprentice Guild (Parasians), the literary society of Alma College, will meet in Van Dusen Lounge on Tuesday, October 5, at 6:30 p.m., it was announced by Dr. Robert Wegner, the group's adviser.

mittee hopes to house participants from other colleges and universities in dorms and in the homes of several members of the faculty who have offered to house these people.



Kay Britten strums the guitar and sings one of her large repertoire of folk songs and ballads in her performance here last Friday night.

## Kay Britten Presents Folk Song Repertoire

by Kathy Karry

Her designation as a folksinger was perhaps the original impetus for many people to attend the opening of the 1965-66 Lecture-Concert Series last Friday evening in Tyler Auditorium. But Miss Kay Britten's humorous, enlightening, and musical narrative explains why the crowd remained for the two hour performance. Miss Britten immediately acquainted the audience with her talents as an artist, as a teacher, and even as a comedian by singing the well known "Greensleeves," the last verse of which parodied contemporary life by replacing Greensleeves with green stamps.

Real folksongs, according to Miss Britten, were passed orally from one generation to another and from one region to another. The themes are many and various, and their original lyrics were definitely more honest, straight-to-the-point, or in a refined term, "spicy," than are the suggestive and grammatically incorrect lyrics of our hits today. "No, John, No, John" "Once I Had a Sweetheart" illustrated this. The guest artist pointed out the difference between ballads and songs and sang such numbers as "Barbara Allen" (only twenty-five of the ninety-odd verses known), "Wally, Wally," "As I Walked Out One Summer Morning," and "Fare Ye Well." The subjectivity of songs as contrasted to the objectivity of ballads, a part of which becomes the song, necessitates symbolism (thyme and dew as virginity), puns, and emotion and feeling. The former are inherent in the songs themselves, but the latter are dependent upon the singer. Miss Britten accompanied herself on the guitar and in such songs as "Raggle, Taggle, Gypsies, OH," "My Bony, Lighter Boy," and

# Competition Begins For U. S. Grants In May

The competition for 1966-67 United States government graduate grants for academic study or research abroad, and for professional training in creative and performing arts, will open officially on May 1st, the Institute of International Education an-

nounced.

The Institute conducts competitions for U.S. government scholarships provided by the Fulbright-Hays Act as part of the educational and cultural exchange program of the Department of State. Under this program, more than 800 American graduate students will have the opportunity to study in any one of 55 countries. The purpose of the awards is to increase mutual understanding between the people of the U.S. and other countries through the exchange of persons, knowledge and skills.

Candidates who wish to apply for an award must be U.S. citizens at the time of application and have a bachelor's degree or its equivalent by the beginning date of the grant, and be proficient in the language of the host country. Selections will be made on the basis of academic and/or professional record, the feasibility of the applicant's proposed study plan and personal qualifications. Preference is given to candidates who have not had prior opportunity for extended study or study abroad and who are under the age of 35.

Because of the growing interest in Inter-American studies, there are grants available to a number of Latin American republics in the fields of history, social sciences, political science,

law, and humanities and other suitable fields. Grantees will live in university housing when available and will be expected to participate in the academic and social life of the students in the country of assignment. Applicants should have an interest in and knowledge of the Latin American area and specifically in the country or countries for which they are applying. Preference will be given to single applicants and to applicants who are well informed on the American political and social scene. Candidates for grants to Latin America may be called for a personal interview.

Application forms and information of students currently enrolled in Alma College may be obtained from the campus Fulbright Advisor, Mr. Wesley Dykstra. The deadline for filing applications through the Fulbright Advisor on this campus is October 20.

The Institute of International Education is the largest non-profit organization in the field of international exchange. It administers programs involving the exchange of students, scholar leaders, artists, and professional men and women between the United States and more than 100 countries and also serves as a clearinghouse for information on all aspects of international exchange.

## Summer Vacation Sees Building Improvements

During the summer vacation the college was the center of considerable activity aimed at the improvement of the campus and buildings for the new school year.

There were changes in the location of some offices and new space was created. Three offices were constructed on the third floor of Old Main. The Registrar's Office was moved into what was the audio-visual room last year in the library basement. The business office now occupies the space that was used as the Registrar's Office last year. Work is now being done in the library basement to convert a room used last year for storage into a new audio-visual room.

Another improvement mentioned by Dr. Stephen Meyer, College Comptroller, is the fence between the chapel and Gelston Hall. The fence was erected because the students failed to use the sidewalks and ruined the lawn by replacing the grass with a muddy path cutting across the corner near Gelston. Since the college must spend money for the upkeep of the lawns and because the paths created by students neglecting to use the sidewalks are unsightly, Dr. Meyer

asks that students be more considerate of the appearance of the campus and the lawns and use the sidewalks provided.

Other improvements that were made over the summer were two new off campus houses that had to be readied for their occupants, the painting of the arts building, painting in the dorms and the purchase of some new mattresses.

## Former Dean Misses Campus

"I like my work very well, but I miss both the students and the faculty back at Alma," states Dean William Boyd, who has begun his new position as Associate Dean in the College of Arts and Sciences at Ohio State University.

He is working with the architects and departments in planning a new speech and theater building and a new language building. He also acts as the college contact man for the National Foundation on Arts and Humanities. Developing an honors program for undergraduate students is keeping him busy also.

## Deadline Set For Float Themes

Wednesday, October 6, at 12 p.m. will be the deadline for entering a float theme for this year's homecoming, it was announced by Bill Nichols and Kieth Sturgis, homecoming co-chairmen. Any group desiring to participate should sign the list at the booth in Tyler Center. A set of judging criterion will soon be established and passed around to all those with entries in the parade.

Nichols and Sturgis urged that all freshmen lend their support for work on the Queen's Float. Anyone with an idea for a theme, or other suggestions, should contact Rick Vandenberg or Jerry Snyder. Anyone who would like to work on dance decorations should talk to Georgette Moyer or Ted Rowland.

For groups with lawn decorations, the co-chairmen stated that a representative from each group should be on hand to give a short explanation of the entry. This should eliminate guesswork on the judges' part.

## Saints, Sinners Form New Campus Club

Saints, Sinners and Skeptics, will be provided for individual worship. The meditation room over the chapel vestibule will also be open to students from 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. every day.

Weekly chapel will again be held this year at 10 a.m. every Thursday. Faculty or administration members will speak on the theme "I Believe", a series concerning personal commitment in relationships with the campus community and their own profession.

On September 26, a presentation was given by several students who participated in the National Missions inner-city projects in various metropolitan areas.

Morning meditations will be available to students at 7:30 in the chapel. Monday, Wednesday and Friday there will be short devotional services and on Tuesday and Thursday the chapel will be open and organ music will be provided for individual worship. The meditation room over the chapel vestibule will also be open to students from 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. every day.

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All students are being invited to participate in the activities of the Saints, Sinners and Skeptics, and to take advantage of the opportunities for worship, work, study, fun and fellowship.

# Tom Auer Recounts Experience In Nigeria



Tom Auer

by Jan Anderson

Seen a bearded man carrying a small bag across campus? It's Tom Auer, East Lansing senior, recently returned from Mayflower School in Ikenne, Nigeria. Tom is the second recipient of the Alma College African Fellowship established in 1963 by an anonymous donor. Along with teaching at the Mayflower School which was his primary purpose, Tom found time to assist in raising pigs and travel widely throughout Africa and Europe.

Before turning over his duties and responsibilities to Conrad Smith, Coldwater senior and presently teaching at Mayflower School, Tom became a part of some unique experiences.

Tom explains that in Africa manual labor is looked down on by the educated people, educated referring to those having secondary schooling or beyond. Under these conditions there was some doubt as to whether or not the Piggery Society could survive.

The Piggery Society is a group composed of twelve boys who care for the Mayflower School's pigs. This includes feeding, cleaning and helping with the butchering. Such manual tasks would normally be downgrading for youngsters of boarding school status.

Nevertheless, Tom reports that many of the school's 360 pupils were willing to become and sometimes envious of the members. Outside activities such as this were the most enjoyable part of Tom's experience at Mayflower.

Tom relates that very few stu-

dents from Mayflower go on to grass and photographing one of college. Approximately one of the largest collections of plains game on the African continent.

Continuing his tour of Tanzania (formerly Tanzanyika) Tom journeyed to Olduvai gorge, the spot where Dr. L. S. B. Leakey has discovered the remains of a very primitive man named Zinjanthropus.

Also in Tanzania Tom visited Lake Manyara. Here is one of the few places where lions climb in the trees. They seemed to Tom like rag dolls hanging limply among the branches.

Then beginning his city hopping tour Tom found a bustling tourist trade in Nairobi, Kenya. In the multitude of shops he found such articles as elephant skin shoes, bracelets made from the hair of an elephant's tail and a thin pottery sculpture made in West Germany exclusively for sale in East Africa to tourists!

Mombassa, still in Kenya is the resort town of East Africa. It reminded Tom of Montego Bay, Jamaica, due to its beautiful beaches and bustling port. Here he was also able to see the influence of Arabian culture.

Addis Ababa, the capital city of Ethiopia was the next port of call. Here he visited one of the largest African markets. Addis Ababa is the home of emperor Haile Selassie whose lion Tom saw.

Next Tom went to Cairo where he stayed three days allowing time to take a camel ride and see the Pyramids and Sphinx at Giza.

Leaving Cairo Tom flew to Europe where he was able to spend two or three days in several different cities—Athens, Budapest, Vienna, Dusseldorf, Paris, Zurich and Amsterdam were included in his whirlwind tour. Of special interest was his meeting with Alma students and fraternity brothers John Emery and Fred Smith in Dusseldorf. In Zurich he was a guest at the home of a Swiss builder who worked with him at the Mayflower School.

In summation Tom says that people have many wrong impressions of Africa. It is not the primitive existence many are led to think. Tom always had a choice of American or Nigerian food and like all Mayflower teachers was provided by Mayflower with very comfortable accommodations. Africans are quite sensitive in regard to being singled out as the only "backward" continent, mainly because their advancement has been developing at an extremely fast pace.

About the fellowship Tom says, "I have yet to understand why more students didn't apply last year. Much more than just an opportunity to teach and travel, it is an opportunity to develop and learn in an undreamed of capacity."

The sophomores who made the list were: Gladys Motz 4.00, Sharon Stevens 4.00, Neil Jones 4.00, Thomas Schultz 4.00, Lawrence Luchini 4.00, James Butterick 4.00, Keith Bird 4.00, Gwen Ellington 3.80, Frances Parrott 3.76, Linda Bliss 3.73, Mary Sarto 3.73, James Sutcliffe 3.72, Kay Forester 3.66, Richard Osburn 3.66, Chris Anderson 3.60, John Emery 3.55, Joan Yehl 3.53, Alice Townsend 3.52, William Robinson 3.52, Sandra Snyder 3.50.

The freshmen included on the list were: Ronny Sexton 4.00, Gary Fenchuk 4.00, Robert Taber 3.93, Kay Connor 3.93, David Richards 3.93, Diane Long 3.93, Judith Howey 3.93, Wanda Wilson 3.87, Karen Madden 3.86, Carrie Safford 3.80, Ann Romig 3.73, Barbara Baldwin 3.73, Margaret Mueller 3.68, Carole Loesch 3.68, Marianne Miller 3.64, Marilyn Taylor 3.62, James Gould 3.62, Phyllis Weinschrott 3.60, Kathleen Hallin 3.56, Gerald Snyder 3.53, Carolyn Clark 3.53, Susan Spears 3.52, Philip Maher 3.50, and Susan Rogers 3.50.

## Smith Begins Work In Mayflower School

Conrad Smith, Coldwater senior and third recipient of the African Fellowship, recently arrived at the Mayflower School in Ikenne, Nigeria.

Upon arriving Smith was able to survey his new surroundings with East Lansing senior Tom Auer. Tom was last year's fellowship recipient, who after touring East Africa will depart for the U.S.A. and the fall term.

Mayflower School is a private institution similar to an English boarding school, as students reside at the school itself.

Smith was selected for the Fellowship, which was instituted by an anonymous donor in 1963. Last spring, when a faculty committee chose from several applicants.

The criteria for the final selection by the committee was threefold. First the committee reviewed the applicant's academic records, especially in the area of the sciences, since this is what the recipient would be teaching at the Mayflower School.

Leadership ability was the second major consideration of the committee.

Finally the committee discussed the candidate's reasons for wanting the Fellowship as expressed on the application.

Smith will remain in Nigeria until next fall when he will finish his senior year at Alma. Until then we intend to hear from him at various intervals during the school year.

## Spring Semester Sees 88 Make Dean's List

The Dean's List for spring semester 158 listed 88 Alma students with a 3.50 average or better. Although 21 students received a perfect 4.00 record, the total number of Dean's List students decreased by 14 from the previous semester.

The seniors again topped the list with 30 members, the freshmen followed with 25, and the sophomores and juniors had 20 and 13, respectively.

The women, this time by a 52-36 ratio, continued to outnumber the men. Following is the complete list as released by the Registrar's office.

Those seniors receiving Dean's List standing were: Michael Taber 4.00, David Todd 4.00,

Jerry Smith 4.00, Young-Cha Kim 4.00, Rosemary Ballagh 4.00, Karen Roehl 4.00, Nelson Lumm 4.00, Janice Schroppe 4.00, Nancy Thompson 4.00, Gertrud Humbert 3.93, Claudia Cobb 3.85, Richard S. Cook 3.83, Steve Smallcombe 3.76, Bernard Spaulding 3.75, Florence Schwalm 3.73, Beverly Hicks 3.72, Willis Gelston 3.66, Douglas Wahlsten 3.64, Mary Arnold 3.62, John Wilcox 3.62, Karen Wagoner 3.61, Jane Closs 3.60, Ellen Yurick 3.60, Katherine Johnson 3.56, Katherine Bogue 3.55, Kenneth Rhoades 3.53, George Pope 3.52.

The 13 juniors were: Kathleen Karry 4.00, Pamela Nowaczyk 4.00, David Rolfe 4.00, Bonnie Labadie 3.81, Jennifer Wilton 3.80, Ellen Loudon 3.76, Hugh Hawley 3.75, Conrad Smith 3.68, Joyce Thompson 3.66, David Hostetler 3.62, Robert Miner 3.53; Sharon Laidler 3.50, Homer Beltz 3.50.

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# Gordon Beld Directs News Bureau Service

Mr. Gordon Beld, director of information services, has assumed several of the past responsibilities of Mr. Guile Gra-



Mr. Gordon Beld

nam. Mr. Beld's primary duty will be operating the news bureau service.

Any news of the college or of

the students that would be of public interest is released to respective newspapers.

Another of Beld's projects will be to re-organize the alumni magazine, **HOOT MON!** The title, the format and the content will be altered. The distribution of the magazine will be increased.

The latest promotion of the college was a photograph of the unique banana tree in the Reid-Knox building being admired by one of Alma's coeds. It was recently released to Michigan's larger papers to familiarize the public with the Alma College name.

Mr. Beld received his bachelor's degree from Hope College and an M.A. from the University of Michigan, and has been connected with journalism ever since he was in high school, serving as a "jack-of-all-trades" for the Grand Rapids Press. Since 1943 he has held various positions from layout man to feature correspondent on Grand Rapids' newspaper staffs.

His last position before coming to Alma was as information service for the Wyoming (Mich.) Public Schools. Prior to that job he taught secondary school.

"I've always wanted to get into college work," said Mr. Beld. "In my present position one can work with students, the education process and journalism."

# Gelston Greet's Dorm Parents

by Marda Bobier  
Mrs. Brenda Bricker, the new head advisor of Mary Galston Hall, is young, experienced and bubbling with new ideas and enthusiasm. She and her husband, Ron, have been fondly named Gelston's "parents."

Both are 1964 graduates of Michigan State University where Mrs. Bricker was an R.A. for two years. They spent the past school year in Davison, Michigan, where they both taught at the junior high. Mr. and Mrs. Bricker will continue their work this fall at MSU toward Master degrees in college personnel.

After two weeks as head of Gelston Hall, Mrs. Bricker stat-

ed, "I'm very favorably impressed with my staff, the girls of Gelston Hall and all of Alma College." She also commented on the enthusiasm of the students.

When asked if she had any certain guiding philosophy in her new position, she stated that she ignored the idea that the efforts of one person are futile. She believes that an individual working to his capacity in a given situation can make a great deal of difference.

One of Mr. Bricker's comments about his new living quarters was that it seemed strange to be putting his return

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# Saga Food Service Has New Director On Staff

Martin Gehres, who has been known to most of the students as Carl Gehres, has replaced Ken Wilson as Saga Food Service director. Wilson, who is now a district manager, has left Gehres with the responsibility for the over-all food service on campus, including the Commons, snack bar, Heather Room, and all pertaining to food.

The manager of the snack bar and the man responsible for all student training and the over-all sanitation of the dining hall is Carl Wood. He is hoping to pro-

vide more variety and better atmosphere in the Snack Bar.

Franz Gross is the new production manager, and is in charge of all buying and menu planning, and the over-all operation of the kitchen.

The Heather Room has as new manager, Dick Morford.

Saga asks for the students' cooperation in dealing with the crowded dining facilities. Students should make sure that all trays are taken to the conveyor belt, rather than left on the tables.

# Saga Food Begins Training 75 Alma College Students

The Saga Food Service has taken on a new role which, requested by the administration, will not only benefit the 75 student employees, but also the entire campus.

The administration has asked Saga to train student employees so that our pursuit of excellence carries over into all phases of college life. The training program under the direction of Carl Wood will include on-the-job training as well as class type instruction for the waiters. It will introduce them to the proper methods of serving. It is felt with this type of training that the staff will work better as a team and the entire service will improve.

Aside from the Board of Health Regulations, which have always been followed, a new

dress policy is now in effect. The waiters are required to wear dark slacks and black shoes along with the regular uniform of white, maroon trimmed jackets. This policy also affects those behind the lines. Men are now asked to wear dark slacks, and women are requested to wear dresses or skirts.

According to Carl Gehres, the new policies have been put into effect with the hope that the end result will produce a more efficient staff and a more pleasant dining atmosphere.

# College Appears In '66 Opal Ads

by Marda Bobier

If the campus has seemed to be in a bit of organized confusion during the past week, blame the situation on a photogenic landscape. The Alma College campus was chosen by Mr. Douglas A. Mahoney, professional photographer for the national advertising of the Opal automobile.

Mr. Mahoney, whose staff does the photography for the McCann-Erickson Company of Detroit, chose several Alma students to do some modeling along with the professional models. The students are, Bonnie Mancour, Skip Mosshammer, Larry Dickey, Diddy Courtenay, Harry Pitts and Linda Taylor.

This coverage of the new Opal will be published in more than a quarter million brochures. Because the Buick company handles the Opal sales in the U.S., every Buick owner will receive the 1966 catalogue as well as all Buick and Opal distributors.

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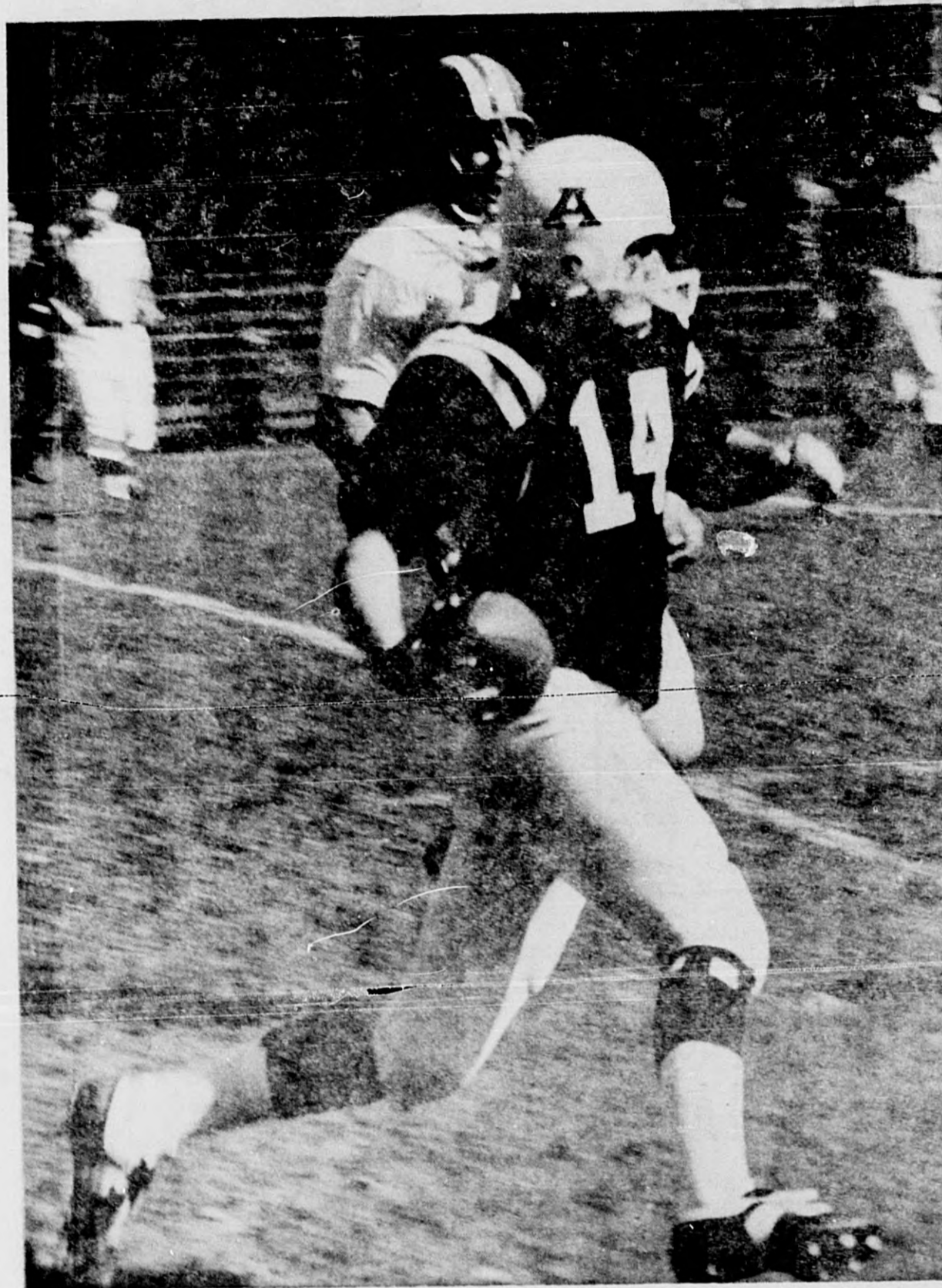
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# Scots Defeat Wilmington



Alma quarterback Dave Gierhart, looking for a possible receiver, tries for a gain against Wilmington in Saturday's game which saw the Scots defeat the Quakers 14-0.

## Alma Defense Scores On Pass Interceptions

by Jim Anderson and Keith Bird

Making their 1965 home debut under new coach Dennis Stolz, the Scots waited until the fourth quarter to score two touchdowns as a result of two pass interceptions to win 14-0. Both teams were unable to sustain any offensive drive as the entire game was marked by a strong defensive battle. Alma's defense rose to the occasion at several key points in containing Wilmington's offense. With 1:32 remaining in the first half, the Scots' defense stopped the Quakers inside the 10 yard line to take over the ball.

Even though Alma was unable to move for a score, the team showed improvement over the previous game and at times exhibited good ball control.

Steve Kovacs played a fine game as he was a threat both ways and sported a 38 yard punting average which moved the Scots out of difficulty several times and put Wilmington into tough field positions.

Quarterback Dave Gierhart led the team most of the game and the total offense was 79 yards rushing and 23 yards passing. Several Gierhart passes were dropped but he still managed to complete 5 of 11 attempts.

The first three periods were marked by the fine defensive line play of junior Al Borgman, freshman Eddie Robertson, sophomore John Milks, senior Jim Anderson, and junior Don Tobias. The defensive secondary and line-backing, grew got most of the glory as Lanny Caverly and Jim Gray collected most of the tackles and participated in the routing of the Wilmington offensive line.

Senior defensive halfback John Randall and senior line-backer Rich Skinner collected the touchdowns for the Scots as Randall picked off a Wilmington pass which had been deflected by John Milks and raced 30 yards for the score. Skinner picked off another pass several minutes later to run 65 yards for the touchdown. Jim Gray kicked both conversions.

## Albion To Meet Scots In Conference Opener

by Jim Bristol

Alma, fresh from last week's victory, will clash with the Britons of Albion College tomorrow afternoon at 2 p.m. in the MIAA season opener for both squads.

Albion has 27 returning lettermen with quarterback Dave Neilson, a Little All-American candidate, leading their offensive attack. Neilson holds all but two of the school's passing records. Senior end, John Ellinger,

will most likely be Neilson's prime target. Both Neilson and Ellinger were all-conference and AP small college all-state selections last year.

The Scots will have to muster up a little more offensive strength if they are going to let their presence be known on the football field. Albion has seven of last year's defensive squad back again and it gave up only 41 points during the course of last year's action which saw Albion establish an 8-0 record.

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address as Gelston Hall. As an old student of Alma College in 1960 and 61, he used to write Mitchell Hall or TKE House. "You should hear the shocked voice at the end of the line when I answer the phone," he added.

The Brickers are looking forward to soon meeting more of the Alma College community.

## Britons Here Saturday For Cross Country

During half-time at tomorrow's football game the Scot Harrier's will open their 1965 season with Albion. Albion is the defending MIAA Conference champions and have nine veteran distance runners on their 15-man squad.

Elkin Isaac, now in his fourth year at Albion cross country coach, led his 1964 team to an overall dual meet record of seven victories against two defeats.

Albion's Harrier's have lost only one dual meet to a conference opponent in the last two years, which means Alma definitely has their work cut out for them.

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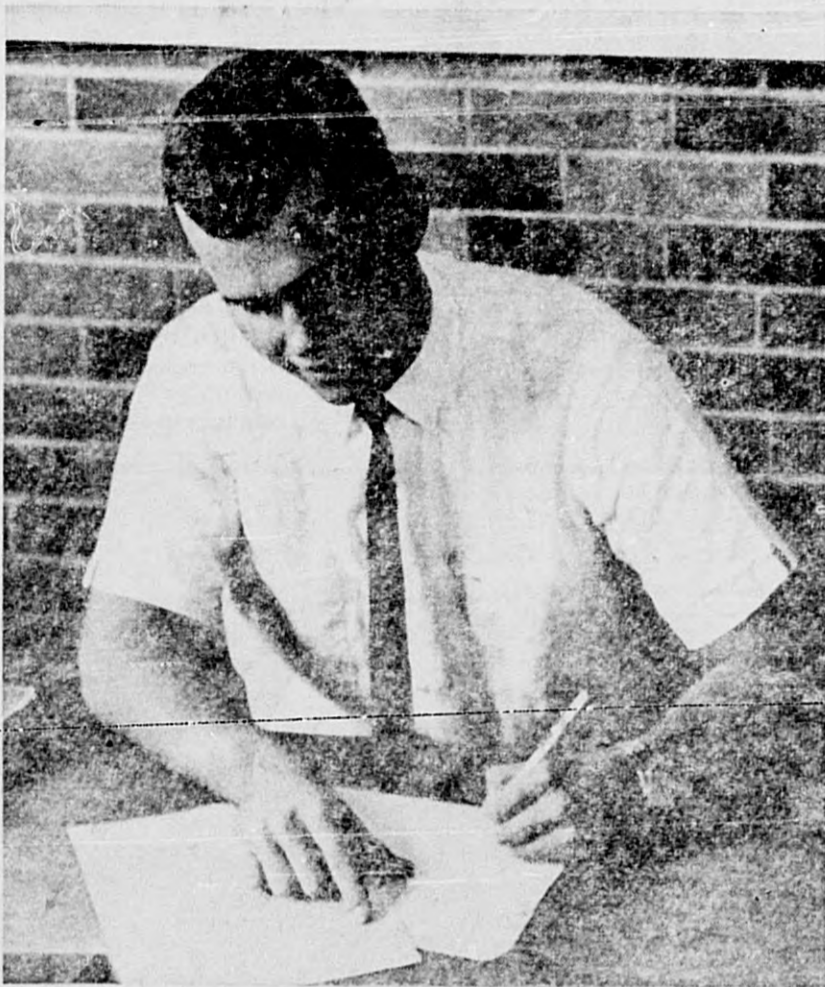
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# Intramurals Meet With Positive Changes

## Earle Appointed Program Director

George Earle, Alma College's new intramural athletic director, is pictured in his office in the Memorial Gymnasium going over some of the many coordinating and league classifying programs.



The new intramural athletic director, George Earle is pictured in his office in the Memorial Gymnasium going over some of the many coordinating and league classifying programs.

A new classification of leagues has been established. Both A and B leagues will consist of fraternity, dormitory, and other major organizational teams. Both A and B leagues will receive points toward the all-sports trophy, but with more points distributed to A league teams. The C league will consist of any independent group, and the champions of each individual sport will receive trophies.

A complete revision of the point system has been made, and is available to anyone in a booklet prepared by the Athletic Department.

One of the basic differences in point distribution is based upon which classification the particular sport is in. Earle has classified the intramural sports accordingly: Class I includes football, volleyball, basketball and softball. Class II consists of track and cycling, with emphasis on individual achievement. Tennis, golf, badminton and horseshoes make up Class III.

There will be a new look in officiating, with more specific rules and a greater degree of organization among the judges.

Also, there will be "representative council" established, consisting of a representative from each dorm, one from each fra-

ternity, one student council representative and the Student Athletic Director, who will serve as chairman.

The Delt Sigs won the all-sports trophy last year with 15 1/2 points, based on the old system. The Sig Taus had 11 1/4 points, and the Tekes had 10 1/4 points. Last year's individual champions were: football—Sig Taus, basketball—Tekes, volleyball—Delt Sigs, bowling—Delt Sigs, softball—Slingshots, and independent team.

Earle comments on the new program. "We are not going to change for the sake of change, but change where it is needed."

A league intramural football will start action on Monday, October 4. All teams must submit names by 3:00 p.m. to participate in any league.

Anyone interested in officiating should contact the Student Athletic Director. The office is in the gym, and open from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

## WITH THE GREEKS

### Greeks Prepare Activities

**Delta Sigma Phi**  
The brothers of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity, Gamma Phi chapter, invite all freshmen and upperclassmen to their annual Fall Concert Dance to be held in Tyler Auditorium Saturday night at 8:30 p.m. The admission is 50c Stag and 75c Drag. Music is provided by a surprise dance band.

We would also like to congratulate the following brothers on engagements, marriages, and pinning: Joe Robertson became engaged to Mary Ellen Moreland; Frank Godwin became pinned to Veronica Ruiz; Pete Peterson was married to Mary Arnold; Mike Reed will be married tomorrow to Jill Radebauh; Gordon Scully was married to Becky McInroy.

On last announcement: We would like to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Alan Baker on the birth of a baby girl last Wednesday.

**Sigma Tau Gamma**  
The brothers of Sigma Tau Gamma would like to join in the welcoming of the new freshman. We hope you all have as good a year as we anticipate. Currently we are busy with plans for homecoming and practicing for football—we hope to retain the championship.

**Tau Kappa Epsilon**  
The men of Tau Kappa Epsilon extend a welcome to all the new students on campus and wish you good luck in the coming year. The Delta Open House is this Saturday night and the

campus is cordially invited to attend.

Congratulations and best wishes to Bruce Haines on his marriage to Diane Heide; Keith Sturgess on his pinning of Li Smith of Alpha Theta; Rick Wilson on his pinning of Carol Halekas; Earl Wilson on his pinning of Alice Townsend; and Dave Kerr on his lavishing of April DuVall, affiliated with Phi Beta Phi of Albion College.

**Kappa Iota**  
Many members of the Kappa Iota sorority had a very prosperous and busy summer. Bonnie Labadie spent the summer at Lake Arrowhead, California, where she participated in the Campus Life program.

Karen Donahoe left in June for a year of study in France. Georgette Meyer and Kacie spent much time travelling between Michigan and New York.

Wednesday night was a welcome back tea in the sorority room. On Sunday the K's will have a tea at the home of their patroness, Mrs. Charles DuBois of Alma.

**Phi Omicron**  
Phi Omicron would like to extend a warm welcome to all of the Freshmen.

This Saturday evening the Phi O's will be sponsoring a dime dance in Tyler Auditorium from 9 p.m. to 12 p.m.

The members of Phi Omicron are pleased to announce the marriages of two of their sisters, the former Peggy Vance to Mr. David Rolfe, and the former Paula Baird to Mr. Joseph Brzozowski. The sorority would also like to announce the engagement of Miss Donna Lower to Mr. James Naberhus, and the pinning of Miss Ann Giebel to Mr. Fred Lux, and Miss Kay Oster to Mr. Denn's Sudheimer.

## J. B. Speaks On Sports

by Jim Bristol

The oldest collegiate conference in the midwest, beginning its 78th season of operation, will see a new mentor. I am, of course, speaking of the MIAA, which finds John C. Hoekje of Grand Rapids as its new commissioner. Mr. Hoekje is succeeding Win Schuler of Marshall, who retired after holding the post for the past three years. He will be the fifth commissioner of the league since the position was created in 1922.

Albion College's gridiron team will field an offensive team that averages 210 lbs. and a defensive team that averages 220 lbs. When one starts comparing Alma's squad with the Britons the result will show that overall Albion outweighs us by an average of 26 lbs. a man on the defensive line.

Last year Albion managed to pound out a 59-0 victory over the Scots. It is fortunate that they were not trying to gain some form of National Recognition as a result of that particular conquest. I can reassure everyone that they were not really trying to pad the score since I attended the game. Albion's coach, Morley Fraser, did take his first team out after the score was 34-0 and put in his second team. He also had his team punting on first down after the score was 48-0. After all, does not every coach in the MIAA want to hold the all-time scoring record in an individual contest? The 59 points scored that sunny day, October 31, 1964, should remain undisturbed in the Record books for a long, long time.

I would like to say that all of those signs posted over the campus are very inspiring. "Those signs", I am referring to are the signs for victory, et cetera. Are they the only symbols of the pride Alma's student body has in athletics? One would think so after a long awaited victory came about last Saturday. If you have been around here for two or three years you would probably say the victory was "great" and continually talk about it over the course of the week. But if this is your first year associated with the athletic teams here at Alma you would, in due time, hear the expression "the victory was nice". The enthusiasm Alma students once had for athletic teams is gone and the only way it can get back on its feet is by the "class of '69". I would think that a conglomeration of about 380 students could be heard if they had the incentive. What more incentive does one need than a victory? Does this mean you lock yourself up in your room and talk about the victory with your roommate? After last week's game the student body managed to show up for their dinner but that was the last you heard or saw of them until Sunday afternoon.

Last spring Alma's golf coach, Art Smith, shot a hole-in-one. Because of this feat he has become eligible for the Annual Old Smuggler Hole-in-One Sweepstakes. The winner of this contest will win a trip to Scotland for two and \$1,000. The announcement of the winner will come at the end of the year. Good luck Coach Smith!

I just received the inside scoop on an outstanding individual on Alma's campus. The main reason for him being "nationally known" is because of the type of work he performs so well. I will let the cat out of the bag now and announce to the world the name of this remarkable individual. Junior Charlie Reed is known throughout various collegiate circles as a reputable trainer. Even last week Charlie received a letter from a student at North Dakota State College asking for advice on certain facets of his training. Anyone who has any ideas be sure to get in touch with Charlie Reed. It certainly would be appreciated.

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# Debate Team Planning For Challenging Year

In Old Main at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Dr. Robert Smith and the Debate Team will hold its first meeting. The purpose of this meeting is to determine how many students are interested in debate and to organize the Debate Team for its challenging year ahead.

Many of last year's members are returning, among them will be Paul Jensen, winner of the 1964-65 first place Lindley Award.

One of the issues to be debated this year, the Intercollegiate

Debate Topic, is to be "Resolved that law enforcement agencies should be given greater freedom in the investigation and prosecution of crime." The debaters will include such points as wire-tapping, the Ku Klux Klan, the Mafia, police brutality and the right to counsel.

Dr. Smith expressed the hope that all interested students would attend the meeting. He added that the students need not have any experience to join.

# Campus Living Space Increased By Housing Units, Dorm Changes

With the addition of two more small housing units and some minor changes in Wright and Gelston Halls, the college has been able to provide living ac-

commodations for some 910 stu- its former resident, Esther dents. Vreeland, and Braemer House

A total of 445 men are housed in the five college dormitories plus the three fraternity houses. By remodeling some doubles and triples in Wright Hall, its total occupancy has been brought to 175. Mitchell Hall is the home of 189 men, while 31 additional students reside in Skinner, McDuck, and Cole Houses. The three fraternity houses provide accommodations for another 58 men.

are being used in addition to Bruske House to house 32 of the women students. The remodeling of two of the Gelston lounges into doubles, and the conversion of the four guest rooms to singles, has brought the housing capacity of Gelston Hall to 214. Newberry, which houses 184 women, and Pioneer, which contains another 35 students, bring the total occupancy of the six women's housing units to 465.

Other women students who have been chosen to be majorettes are Misses Marilyn Grinnell, Judy Reese, and Cathy Smith. Their advisor and also the band director is Mr. James Upton.

Vreeland House, named after

## Around the Campus

Dr. Ronald Kapp of the biology department will be working this term on pollen samples associated with the remains of a mastodon found in Lapeer County.

Kapp said that from all appearances the mastodon had been killed by the weapons of men living in the age of this mastodon. He will attempt to learn the conditions of this animal's environment at the time it was killed.

Working with Kapp on other areas of this project will be professors from U. of M. and Cranbrook Institute.

Kapp did similar work on the

remains of a mastodon found this summer in western Gratiot County.

This Saturday Alma College will host a meeting of botanists and chairmen of the biology departments from schools which are members of the Michigan Scholars in College Teaching Program.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss plans for further cooperation between these schools and the University of Michigan.

Member schools in Michigan Scholars are University of Michigan, Albion, Calvin, Hope, Kalamazoo and Alma.

In the past year Alma alumni have given a total of \$107,533.61. Of this amount, \$28,159.06 was donated to the Alumni Fund in the form of cash and checks. Books, scholarships and more currency came to a total of \$79,374.55. Of 5,336 alumni solicited, only 1,262 responded.

Alma College will once again have majorettes to entertain at half-time, to march with the band, and to perform on Homecoming. Organized last Tuesday and led by Miss Jane Butterfield the majorettes will make their first appearance this Saturday in the game against Albion.

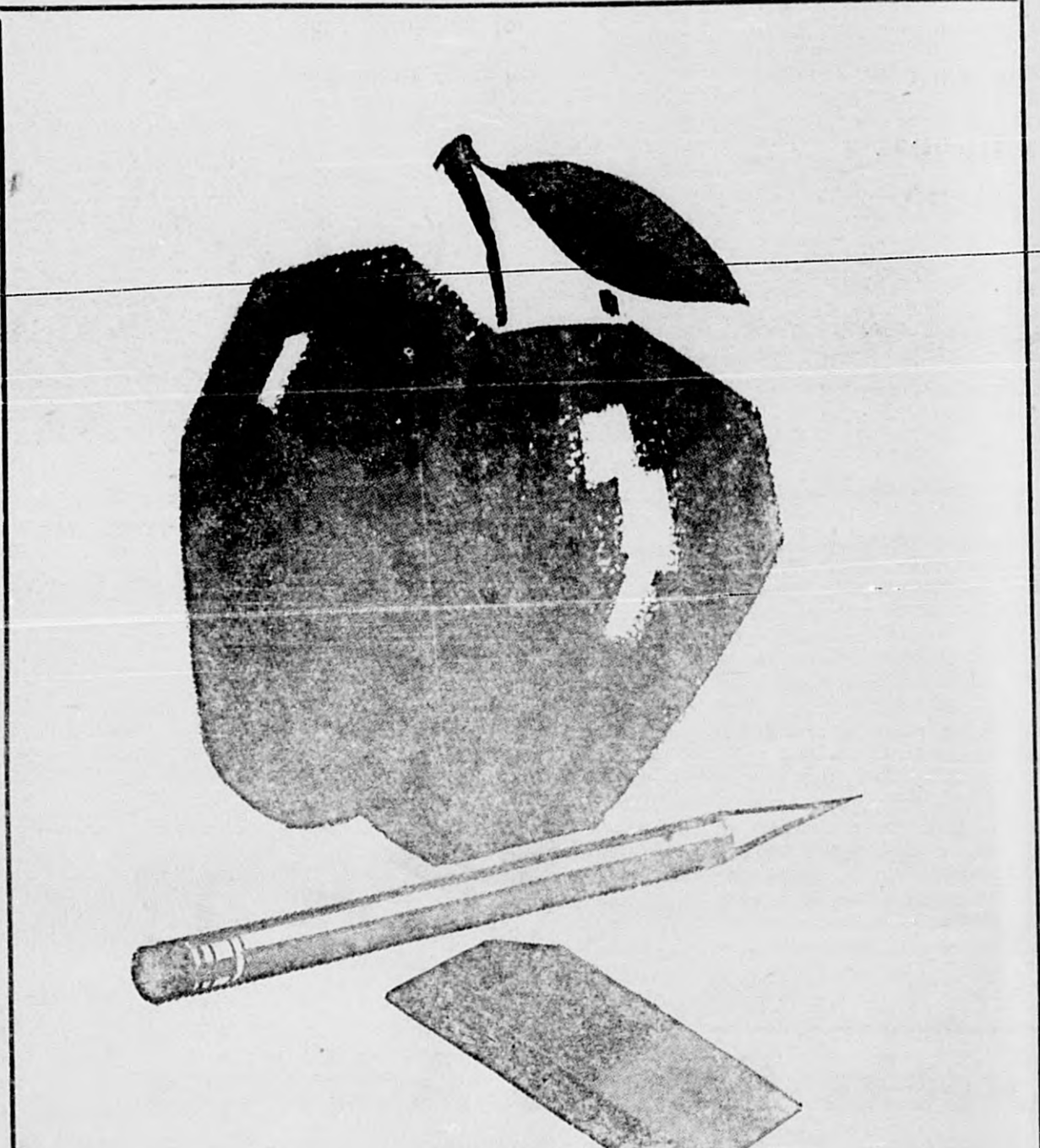
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