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SAEs temporarily moved

Small housing unit damage policy implemented

By Pat Soszynski and Kristine Lovasz Staff writer and Assistant News Editor

the Executive Councils took a measure to end what they described as "destructive" behavior on Wednesday, Feb. 7. They temporarily closed the house of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity and moved its ten residents elsewhere on campus because of damages done on to the house.

The house, which was renovated by Alma this incident," College one year ago, had paint sprayed on the walls, holes in the ceiling, two doors kicked in and two basement windows broken. According to the SAE President, Junior Dave Devine, "The damages were a result of the alumni. Had we been at the house when it happened and not at runouts, we would have been able to prevent it."

News Notes

Bruce Hornsby

Bruce Hornsby and the Range will be appearing in the Wharton Center's Great Hall at MSU on Feb. 19 at 7 p.m. Feb. 19 at 7 p.m. Tickets are currently on sale at all Ticketmaster Outlets, Wharehouse Records, and the Wharton Center Box Office.

Job Opportunities

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recruiters will be in
Mount Pleasant on
Wednesday, Feb. 15
and Thursday, Feb. 16
to interview applicants for summer jobs. The amusement/theme park in Sandusky, Ohio will hire approximately 3,200 employees this season.

season.
A job fair will be held at the CMU Finch Field House on Wednesday, Feb. 15 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. On Thursday, Feb. 16, interviews will be held in Ballrooms R and C of the University Center the University Center from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call the Center for Liesure Services at 774-3984.

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president of enrollment and Student Affairs and students affairs, stated, "I don't think we'll stand still for malicious destruction of the

> property." James Kridler, dean sophomore member of students, said, "We (the administration) are disappointed and frustrated." Kridler also stressed that an organization must show respect to the "resources."

"As a result of Kridler continued, "any damages done to any house of a \$100 or more will be

John Seveland, vice closed and its residents moved out." This includes fraternity, sorority and other small housing units.

> When asked the fraternity's reaction house on a temporary to the situation, Grant Walter replied, as soon as the "It's a new policy, and we have no choice and fixed. These in the matter but to comply.

inconvenience because any stupid damages can cost more than \$100," Walter added.

According to Seveland, "We're not at war with the fraternity. We don't want to lose

South Complex to be evenly divided by gender

Committee (SLC), with Bruske and Gelston the support of the Dean of Student's Office, has purposed a change in the living arrangements in South Complex. The committee has taken steps to make available four floors additional for both men and women-- rather than the current five-three distribution.

Beginning with the 1989-90 school year, Brazell and Nisbet Halls will both be co-ed by floor. Bonbright and Carey will remain single-sexed dorms.

While trying to

provide housing for the large number of students this year, the Student Affairs Office noticed there an additional were a large number of double-occupant rooms occupied by onein South Complex. female student in South Complex. The Housing Policy from being placed in these rooms, and there were not enough of Nisbet and female transfer students this year to the first floors. spaces. The problem in Nisbet, the dorm of less-than-capacity with the largest housing has contributed to the overcrowding problem which resulted in study lounges and basement storage areas being used

Due to the lack of housing spaces for upperclass male students in South Complex, a disproportionated number has had to

as dorm rooms.

The Student Life remain in Mitchell, Halls. The housing options available to male students, particularly sophomores, have been limited, according to Dean od Students Jim Kridler. The housing provided by the consolidation plan for South Complex, along with the planned purchases of various private residences, should aleviate the overcrowding problem. Also, Kridler

expressed a hope that the proposal will help Student Affairs "utilize space better, and give more people, more options."

The SLC also made

proposal for the living arrangements The committee suggested that it would be best, for prevented a freshman security reasons, to have female residents on the second floors Brazell, with men on fill the open housing First floor residents percentage of senior women, will have the first chance to claim rooms on the second floor. Female students in Brazell

> floor. Student Congress has been advised of this proposal. Formal approval by the SLC was pending when at press time.

will be required to

move to the second

them...we want to see speed of repairs. them survive. There are great kids in the decide which members group,"

The fraternity is removed from the basis. The SAEs can return to the house damages are paid for factors will be determined by "It could become an Kridler, and by the

Kridler will also will be allowed to return to the house.

"This is the last chance for SAE as far function as an as any house is concerned. If the house isn't maintained, they'll lose it," said Kridler.

Devine stated, "They (the

administration) must be careful to judge what is deliberate and what is intentional (damage). Our group is continuing to organization. This is a temporary set back. We are learning from all of this. The brothers do respect the house. We know what's it's like not to have a house."

Scottie Spectator



photo by Jennifer Remenak Scottie relaxes at Saturday's Men's Basketball ph game. For more sports, turn to page six and seven.

Auction earns over \$3,000

By Karen Suber Staff Writer "Give me one! One. I've got one, will someone give me two? Two. I've got the two and now the Three. And three? now the four? Four!" annual favorite--Four hours of marathon auctioning at the annual African the home of Dr. and Fellow Auction brought in an estimated record-breaking \$3,200-3,400, according to Assistant Provost and faculty/staff Auction Coordinator Sharon Shible. The auction was held Friday, Feb. 10.

Every year students, faculty, donors gather to "raise a pile of money," according to ACCD, Simutis--Provost Ron Kapp. The program sends an Alma College senior to teach at the Mayflower School in Nigeria for a year. Approximately \$5,000 is required to send the student to Nigeria. 40-50 percent of this money is raised through the auction

fund-raiser. This year, members

of the campus community gathered in auction underway by North VanDusen Commons to claim the chocolate chip 122 items being auctioned. Items ranged from the Yavenditti fudge to a for \$3.50. Karen dinner for four at Mrs. Walser to various art pieces from Nigeria. The was a competition between student and auctioneers to see who could raise the most money. Staff auctionners

included Provost Maggie Martin-Ecternach--Mathematics Department, Julie Arnold-- German Department, Jonieta Stone and President Alan Stone. Student auctioneers included the African Fellow applicants Scott Perkins and Tammy Wrench, and student volunteers Jamie Halvorsen, Dana DeWitt, Karen Gaffke, and Julie Kimball.

Kapp got the selling two dozen cookies donated by Gwen and Walter Beagley of the Psychology Department Gaffke followed by selling a pincushion basket donated by Charlotte Schmidtke for \$5. Auctioned format of the auction items ranged in price from \$3.50 for cookies to \$110 for a water color painting by Robert Rozier. Other auctioned items include: dance lessons from Carol Fike (\$14), dinner Kapp, James Mueller-- for two at the Kapp staff, and charitable Economics Department, home (\$28), a Mexican dinner for two at the President's House (\$32), an antique tie-dyed cloth donated by Mueller (\$40), a stuffed leopard donated by JC Penney (\$51), a Nigerian necklace donated by Emerson Green (\$10), and breakfast in bed donated by the Sevelands (\$10.50). In the end, the faculty raised the

See AUCTION page 2



Auction

most money, over coming in not far behind.

The highpoint of the auction came with importance of the traditional pies-in-the-face donated by the Provost's Office. With this item, the purchaser gets the opportunity to throw a pie in the face of his or her "favorite" auctioneer. This year, the favorite faculty/staff auctioneer was Alan Stone while Emerson Greene "topped" the list of student

The African Fellow it all together."

auctioneers.

Heritage Town Square

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Auction has become a \$1,650, with students campus tradition. In reflecting upon the auction, Shible stressed the involving stduents, faculty and staff in the event. Shible also commented that there is more to the auction than just raising money.

> Last year's African Fellow, Emerson Green, said it best, "My goal [for the auction | is for the faculty, staff, and students to support the African Fellow Porgram; [they] tie

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News Notes

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For more information and application forms, please enquire of Professor B. Davis in SAC 353, extension 7269

> I'd like to thank everyone whose hard work helped make this year's Africa Fellowship Auction a success. I couldn't have done it without all of you. Extra special appreciation goes out to Wonder Woman Karen Gaffke for her great publicity ideas and long hours of work. Also to the Fellow candidates who pitched in so enthusiastically. Finally, to all the donors and buyers, thank you for your

Sharon Shible

continued support.



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> I get by with some help from my friends ... "

sing out of key.

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Love ya guys!

Yodi

Hi GPB pledges! Hope your VALENTINE'S DAY is extra-special.

of love, P-MOM. Karen, Judy, Jenny, MaryJo, Chris, and

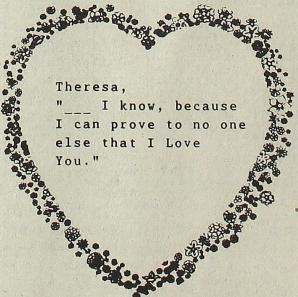
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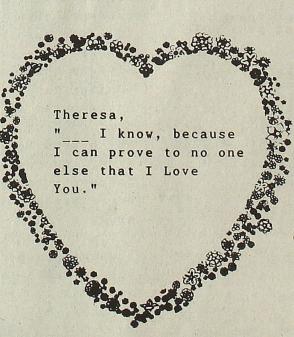
six weeks to go. Lot

I love our family! HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAYIII

LOVE, S.

Lindsey:





sweetie. I Love You! Heather

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As Eddie Murphy's

girlfriend would say,

"Why don't you just go to sleep!"

Keep dreaming hun,

"but flattery will

get you now where."

Love ya tons

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Wilcox reports winter



Haar, Beagley win computer contest

By Wil Shapton Staff Writer

The results are in from ACM's computer programming contest held Saturday, Feb.

The contest, sponsored by Alma College's student chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery, of two people each with four problems to another to find be solved in three hours. Entrants included 10 Alma students, three high and stop). The team schoolers, and one graduate of Alma.

was the team of freshman Phil Haar and Mat Beagley, a high school junior. Second place went to freshmen Paul Kassal and David Martinelli, with Lisa Klusendorf and Charlie Sears third place honors.

Among the four problems for the programmers to solve presented seven teams was one to decode an encrypted message and anagrams (two words with the same letters, such as post with the most programs completed

of the three hour period was declared the winner. If two teams had the same number of programs completed, the team with the shortest total programming time was given the (class of '87) taking higher ranking. The winning team of Haar and Beagley successfully completed two of the programs.

At an awards luncheon held after the contest, everyone conducting a similar received a computer-generated certificate of participation and the picking teams to winners were given Taking first place correctly at the end special plaques.

The contest was conducted and judged by Kimberly Schumacker and Sandra Speiser, who both attended the Central Regional ACM programming contest held in Ohio last

fall.

Current plans for the Alma chapter of the ACM are to make the spring contest an the campus which annual event. The organization will possibly be contest in the fall to be used as a preliminary trial for experiencing grief represent Alma at the respitory infections, regional event.

By Jodi Kurkiewicz In this season of Services, said cold weather, snow and wind, Alma

facing many more obstacles than icy sidewalks and slippery staircases. The first sign of Different forms of virsuses are invading muscles or weakness. makes life much more "immune system has

unbearable.

The Alma College community, students, professors, and administrators are caused by upper coughs, sore throats, the numbers of hours ear infections and aches and pains.

The Wilcox Medical Center has been attempting to treat these symptoms. Cases lot of fluids. This of bronchitis, pneumonia, mono, and strep throat have been documented. Students also have said the Wilcox Medical Center staff.

Sample cultures have been sent to a testing center to determine if influenza is circulating on campus. Unfortunately, the results have not been cases the physicians received.

blahs on the rise William Clark, Director of Health students must "listen to what your body is College students are telling you." The immune system gives the body signals when something is wrong. illness is aching This means the kicked into high gear," says Clark.

Preventative measures may be taken. Clark advises, "don't wear yourself out." Get proper rest; increase slept per night. Do not skip meals and eat a well-balanced diet. Most importantly, drink a is because people do not realize how easily they can get dehydrated. The more fluids in the body, been coming down with the higher the chance; of staying healthy.

> The Wilcox Medical Center is open Monday thru Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1-4 p.m. Call the Medical Center (ext. 7181) or stop in when symptoms of illness arise. In extreme do make house calls.

Orientation Committee apps. available now

It wasn't long ago that yellow Orientation Committee members' shirts could be seen everywhere. The vision brings back memories of the first days on Alma's Campus. The freshmen remember especially well: the planned days of classes, seminars and activities from Explo and Preterm. The Orientation

Committee for 1989 has already begun to form. Juniors Kelly Long and Rick Warmbold have been chosen co-chairs. They will be working with Associate Dean



of Students Herb Nauss to select the other 20 members of the committee.

really honored to be pick up an selected for this position, and I'm

working with Kelly, Herb, and the other OC members." "There is going to

looking forward to

be a new and fresh group of people on the committee this year," said Long.

Applications for OC some flu symptoms, positions are available in the Student Affairs Office. The applications are due Friday, Feb. 17.

Although the deadline is near, Warmbold said, "I encourage everyone Warmbold said, "I'm who's interested to application and get it in on time."

Alma physician Stack named advisor for performing arts center

ACNS Dr. Jack M. Stack, an Alma physician with high expectation of a performing arts facility's impact on his home community, has been named

chairman of Alma College's Gratiot Community Advisory Committee for the Performing Arts, according to Alma President Alan J. Stone. The committee,

involved in the college's \$13 million Campaign for Science and the Performing Arts, will focus on raising funds for the performing arts facility projected to cost between \$4.5 to \$6 million.

"As chairman, Dr. Stack will work closely with me, overseeing solicitation in this area," said Dr. John Ferguson, capital, campaign director. "He has an active interest in Alma College, in the Alma community and in the performing arts. This campaign is another example of his willingness to get involved."

In the college's plans for more than a decade, a new performing arts facility will be essential when the renovation of the Dow Science Center is completed. This renovation will

convert Dow

Auditorium, now the site of the college's theatre and dance performances, to office and classroom use. Dr. Stack is among the community members who see the new facility as an opportunity to combine resources in building a facility to serve college and community needs. He and others are

exploring that possibility as fund raising begins for the new facility. "Every avenue of funding will be explored, " he said.

"Our initial function is to explore the possibility of additional funds within the community community." to make the new facility more than

just a replacement for Dow Auditorium for theatre and dance productions," said Stack. "It's a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. If we don't do it as a community now, we won't have the facility. It could be unique for a rural

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John Ferguson and Dr. Jack Stack



Navmore details "unforgettable experience" in Japan

By Susan Wissel Staff Writer

Have you ever thought about spending a term overseas? If you have then maybe you should talk to junior At least one Alma Glen Narmore, who spent 10 months last year living in a small town 20 miles

outside of Kyoto, Japan.

The trip was arranged by the Japan experience. Adventure Program through Lansing Community College. student each year has English speakers participated in the program since it started.

According to Narmore, the trip was practice their a fantastic

stayed in was extremely small, she said there were everywhere. As a result, she had no trouble finding

Then again, her part

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English, but it was very hard finding Though the town she people with which to because most Japanese to write or read people refused to native tongue.

Narmore explained, however, that Japanese people are very polite and that she was often treated characters. Even "like a movie star."

"It's hard for us to imagine how much they really admire Americans," she said.

Narmore, who had taken Spanish in high interested to travel school and French at Alma, spent two months of intense study last January before voyaging to Japan. Even with all discipline that comes this training, however, she said she were many rules and Japanese.

Carrying on a conversation with a native at about a

people who wanted to 12-14-year-old level was Narmore's speed. Narmore, the Japanese In addition, she said countryside is also it was a lot easier to learn to speak the gardens and shrines practice her Japanese language than it was everywhere. About 80 Japanese. This is speak to her in their primarily due to the because that's fact that there are over 2,000 characters while the rest are to learn. Narmore estimates a knowledge orderliness seems to of about 300 natives don't finish learning Japanese, or never like to create Kanji, until they

> Narmore said she encourages students overseas, but that for everyone is not

complete college.

"Living in Japan takes a lot of from within. There still only knew basic restrictions that had (and Alma!) living to be followed to ensure for the success of the trip," will stay with her she explained.

very beautiful, with percent of the cars in Japan are white considered clean, red. This go along with Narmore's contention that "Japanese people a fuss."

She feels that her Japanese experience seems to be like nothing else that will ever happen again in her life.

Although she is adjusted to American again, the memories of that faraway land forever.

Her Alibi might cut it as cute Movie Review decent acting skills.

By Tupper Lysaght Shockingly, there wasn't much happening jail as a suspect. socially on the Alma Completely intrigued not to see this film, College campus Friday by her glamorous night, so I traveled beauty--though he's to Mount Pleasant and not too bad

Before I state my own personal view of at the same time is the film's worth, let terrified of her me tell a little about the leading characters and the

Tom Selleck and

Paulina Porizkova.

plot. Porizkova, who in real life is a top international model, portrays a young girl secretly writes who is in the process throughout the film. of defecting from the Communist country of certaintly not a Romania. Throughout great movie, but it the movie she is being pursued by several men of the Romanian government who are planning on preventing her from defecting. Porizkova Selleck is one of a suspect for a murder that her Romanian pursuers are time maintains an

to prison. Enter Tom Selleck, comically cute. who portrays a mystery writer. One beautiful and she

and he witnessed Porizkova get put in

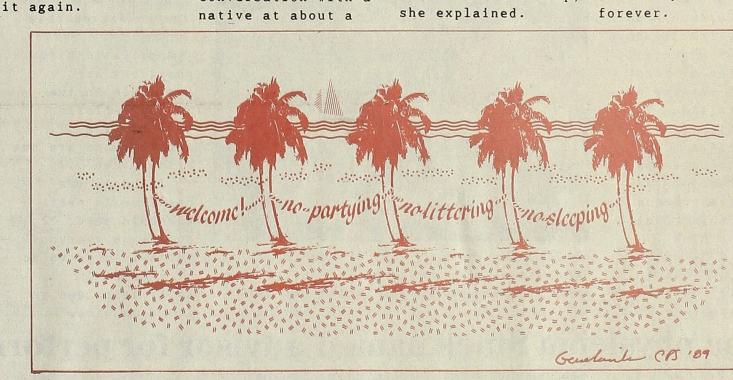
caught the new movie himself -- he invents "Her Alibi," starring an alibi to get her into his custody.

> Selleck soon falls it's entertaining. in love with her, but However, there's because she may be a it, but I honestly murderer. This entire situation gives Selleck a best-seller plot for his next mystery novel, which he This is most

can be categorized as cute. However, if you're a Selleck or Porizkova fan you won't be disappointed.

accidentally becomes the few stars who is ruggedly handsome while at the same responsible for, and innocent charisma is consequently taken that could at best be described as

Porizkova is very day he was in court really did have



Hot spots not welcoming students

(CPS)

Spring break hasn't been what it used to Calif. -- still be during the last three years. There have been terrible riots in Palm Springs ran wild, vandalized and South Padre Island, a string of deaths in Daytona Beach, and a rigid crackdown on public drinking in Fort Lauderdale.

Yet, though the size of the welcome mat varies, most of the traditional spring break getaway spots say they want students back. Sort

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., for example, sun, sex and fun during break, in 1987 in Fort Lauderdale passed a series of strict new laws to punish students who sleep on the beach, look drunk in public, 1985, about 350,000 and are crammed too

Palm Springs, smarting from a 1986 riot in which hundreds of revelers property, threw rocks, ripped clothes year either. off women, and briefly took over the 10,000-15,000 center of town-- met students last spring with a show of force, empowering police to ticket and arrest vacationers for public drunkenness and rowdy behavior on national sales the spot instead of letting officers use their discretion to issue warnings.

The crackdowns have

Only about 20,000 students are expected this spring, city recreation superintendent Steve Person says. In students descended on

many to a hotel room. the resort, snarling police officers." traffic, littering beaches and outraging local residents.

> Person added the city is making no special attempt to invite students this

Something like revelers are expected Mexico instead. in Palm Springs, city promotions director Pam LiCalsi said.

"Palm Springs is way out," complained Chris Schneer, a representative for College Tours, the largest spring break operator for Mexico. "It's too strict,

The Florida resorts have become so rigid that "it's really slowed down, and you can't even do what you want," added Schneer, who of course gets paid to lure students to Nevertheless, some

U.S. resorts still want students to come. Some 230 miles up

the Atlantic coast from Lauderdale, Daytona Beach gladly has tried to fill the void, spending about \$40,000 on marketing gimmicks to draw

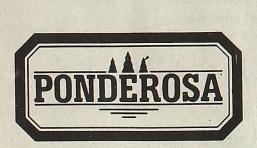
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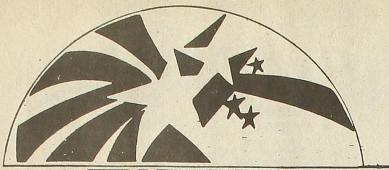


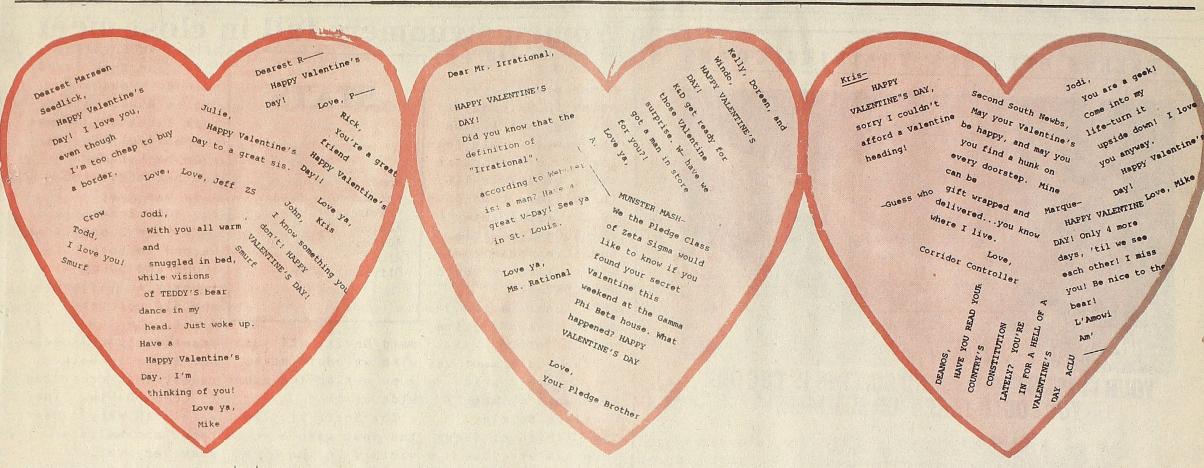
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SAEs raise \$\$ for Charlie Brown

By Kris Kyle Staff Writer

The Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity sponsered the second annual Charlie Brown charity dance last Saturday night, raising approximately \$450 for the cause, up \$200 from last

Charlie Brown is a man who carries near "hero" status in the eyes of the Alma community, dedicating his time to fix up and repair toys for children who otherwise would have no Christmas gifts under the tree.

The SAEs came up with the idea of combining charity dancing and entertainment last wear when the fraternity decided to concentrate their efforts on a local level.

According to SAE of the Charlie Brown event is to show the SAE fraternity as well as the Alma College's commitment to the Alma



Above: Shannon Smith wins a door prize. Right: SAEs Jim Reis and Bill Arnold with Charlie Brown fundraiser participants photos by Jenny Dine

community.

Entertainment was provided by a competition between the new pledge classes of Alpha Gamma Delta, Alpha Xi Delta and Gamma Phi with a fun evening of Beta, with the Alpha Xi pledges taking first place for their skit.

Master of ceremonies Suresh Rajagopal was the bearer of gifts to the door prize Jim Ries, the purpose winners, with prizes and gift certificates evening was a great donated by local merchants.

> SAE Todd Moeggenberg said he felt the whole



success.

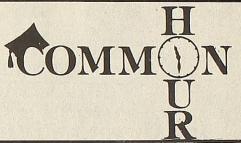
"We had a lot of fun and hope to improve and even

expand upon it for next year," he said. Music for the evening was provided by Todd Deci and Tim

Hoover.

Scripps, conductor; Amy Abler, piano; Marie Breed, bassoon; Marlo Chittick, mezzo-soprano; Elise Eversole, soprano; Mindy Kundinger, mezzo-soprano; enjoyed performing in cello; and Kevin Putz, piano.

The changing Indian women



By Laura Holmes Staff Writer

Last Thursday's Common Hour was entitled "From Purdah spend their days to Parliament: Indian Women Today." It was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Saleem Peeridina. Mr. Peeridina is a visiting instructor in literature and creative writing.

The hour illustrated Indian women's progress and advancement through many examples. For instance the word "purdah," meaning veil, comes from a language called Urdu. marriage. Traditionally, Indian women wear veils or purdahs covering themselves from head to toe symbolizing their position in society.

In contrast, Indian and how it will women today are starting to advance in education as well as bettering their lives as a whole.

However, the social position of Indian women is still relatively poor. Over 75 percent are without the basics of example of a education and basic medical care. They are also hindered much because of religious taboos and economic reasons.

In a real sense they are trapped; they are bound by their husbands and laboring with sometimes only one meal a day.

Women are bound almost at birth as in these examples. In Bombay, the parents of daughters at ages three and four are already promising the engagement of their daughters. Also, mothers abruptly stop a girl's education upon puberty so that she might stay at home and prepare for

However, according to the lecture, some women are beginning to break away from the traditions. They have realized the value of education better the quality of their lives. Some Indian women

in larger cities are now receiving good educations and obtaining better jobs. The speakers wrapped up their lecture by giving an courageous Indian woman.

She now lives in the United States, is a teacher and a lecturer at a college, and is happily married with two children. She has set an example for other Indian women to follow to better their social position and further improve their quality of life.

Concert showcases young local artists

Kundinger, a

By Elizabeth Burchill Feature Editor

The annual Young Artists concert was performed last Sunday afternoon, Feb. 12, to a packed audience in Dunning Memorial Chapel.

The concert was composed of Alma area and Alma College students performing classical pieces of music, such as Beethoven, Mozart and Copeland.

According to junior Mindy Kundinger, the concert is the final result of months of preparation and hard

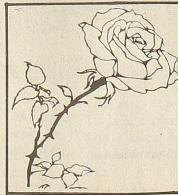
mezzo-soprano who sang the piece "Che faro" from Gluck's Orpheus and Euridice, the concert many explained that students audition for Music Director Douglas Scripps in late November for theit," Kundinger said. concert. Scripps then picks the performers he feels best for the Young Artists concert.

According to Kundinger, who began Copeland's Lincoln working on her piece Potrait. for the performance last July, all

performers put a lot of work into their music and, like herself, usually begin practicing for months in advance. "The concert was a lot of fun. I really Jennifer Olschefski,

The Ambassador to Cuba and Haiti from the Bahamas, His Excellency Davidson Hepburn, narrated the last piece,

Other performers included Douglas



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Women swimmers fall in close meet

By-Tia-Brandel Staff Writer

Despite some good swims in Saturday's meet against Albion, the womens' swim team lost by a very close score of 103 to 116. The victory came down to the final relay, the 400m-freestyle. Whichever team could win that relay would win the meet. Unfortunately the Scots couldn't quite pull it off.

"The whole meet was wish we could have very close," said sophomore swimmer Charlene Bartley. "The finish of every race had everyone cheering because the swimmers were so close."

Coach Kathy Davis echoed Bartley's comments.

"It was a close meet, a good meet,"

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	W	L	
Норе	6	0	
Kalamazoo	5	1	
Calvin	3	2	
Albion	3	3	
Adrian	2	3	
Alma	0	5	
Olivet	0	5	

said Davis. "I just drastically reduced side of it."

The Socts started the meet with a victory in the 400m medley relay by teammembers Carrie Howell, Cheryl Reibling, Charlene Bartley and Kerry Jelenchick. Alma took one-two in the 50m-freestyle with

Teresa Wood taking first and Erin Fenner second. Wood and Carrie Howell also took first and second respectively in the 100m backstroke. Another first for Alma was Bartley in the 100m freestyle. Melissa Sondej took

1000m and 500m freestyle. Although she did not take first, she her times in both come out on the other races, and, according to Coach Davis, "They were both very close races and Melissa swam very well."

second in both the

The next meet for the women is Wednesday at Olivet. This will be their last meet before the chamionship meet the Thursday, Friday and Saturday of break.

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By Tia Brandel

The men's swim team Team members were lost to Albion 121-82 Saturday in what was their last meet before the championship meet.

According to Coach Kathy Davis, there were many good swims, a double win for the backstroke and Tony the depth to pull out the 200m and 100m the victory.

The 400m freestyle relay brought a victory to the Scots. Todd Emerson, Geoffrey Lyttle, Dave Anderson and Jim Ledyard. Emerson also swam for victory in the 1000m and 500m freestyle races. Also coming out with Ledyard won the 100m Scots was Anderson in Nellis came out on

freestyle contests.

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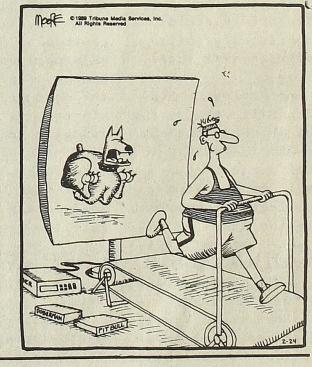
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Kalamazoo	5	0
Hope	4	1
Albion	3	2
Adrian	1	3
Calvin	1	3
Alma	0	5

top in the 200m Individual Medley.

IN THE BLEACHERS

"Nice pass, you idiot."

by Steve Moore



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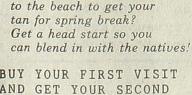
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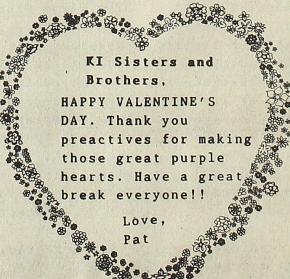
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Women cagers take two more wins

By Ann Fuller Staff Writer

The Womens' Varsity Basketball team won both of their games this week, clinching at least a share of the League

Championship title. Wednesday, the Scots defeated the Adrian Bulldogs 73-57. Kelly Spalding was high

and seven assists, taking over the first half in scoring. Chris Comtois came close behind Spalding, scoring 18 points. Heather Hall contributed eight assists to the victory. Lisa Elbers had nine rebounds.

Saturday, the Scots travelled to Hope to take on the Flying scorer with 20 points Dutchmen. In a

	League					Overall		
	W	L	Avg.	OAvg.	W	L	Avg.	OAvg.
Calvin	9	. 1	88.6	78.7	14	5	85.4	79.8
Kalamazoo	6	2	83.9	78.1	17	4	83.5	74.0
Hope	6	3	84.6	81.0	16	4	88.7	76.6
Alma	4	5	83.1	84.6	14	6	91.0	86.3
Olivet'	3	5	72.8	74.4	8	11	75.6	78.3
Albion	3	6	71.4	75.1	14	7	74.0	68.2
Adrian	1	8	77.6	89.7	9	11	73.5	78.1

come-from-behind victory, Alma overcame a 10 point deficiency in the second half to come out the winners with

a score of 62-58. "I thought it showed a lot of

character for the team to come back from 10 points down in the second half and win," said Spalding. "We received a tremendous effort from the bench."

The Scots must win just one of two games this week to assure them of the league title.

IM season comes to an end "All O.K." and "Pile Drivers - T.T.B." take A-league championships

By Ann Fuller Staff Writer

The Intramural basketball season has come to an end. The games started at the beginning of January, immediately Christmas mens' C-league were following break. 36 mens' teams and six womens' teams signed up to play in the athletic contests which were coordinated by senior Prepejchal.

Bret Roberson. The final tournaments in each league were held Sunday, Feb. 5, in the gym.

The winners of the men's A-league were called "All OK" and consisted of members Phil Bowen, Kris Giles, Rob Gillette, Mark Gilling, Jason Martin, Mike Skinner and Chris Welch.

The winners of the mens' B-league called themselves "N.A.D.S." and included Dooney

Lewellen, Steve Muenzer, Bryan Pope, Dave Rieman, Doug Smith, Drew Walker, Mike Willison and Steve Willison.

The winners of the "I.M. Tough" made up of Jeff Appelt, Brooks Byam, Fred Camaj, Steve Clink, Jon Gilbert, Eric Nelson and Jeff

The winners of the womens' league called themselves "Pile Drivers -- T.T.B. (Team Alma leading despite resulting foul To Beat)". The team included Val Hitsman, Jenni Kanary, Amy Kunse, Stacey Layle, Jenny McDonald, Mary McDonald, Tracy Shilling, Carie Skinner, Mary Weitzel and Deb Wroubel.

Each team paid a \$10 registration fee. The winners of each league were awarded t-shirts.

Heisman winners says no to Prez

(CPS)

just say no to the president, Heisman Trophy winner Barry Sanders daclined an Bush's inaugural festivities.

University junior didn't want to miss any more classes than the Maxwell Trophy necessary, so when the call came from the White House staff, he gave them an answer they didn't a two-day

expect. "It was an interesting call," said OSU's sports information director Steve Buzzard. "It was also interesting when I told them no. " any more class time."

"She (the Bush While it's hard to staffer who extended the invitation) said 'What?'"

Sanders was scheduled to skip invitation to George classes for trips to New Haven, Conn., for the Walter Camp The Oklahoma State All-American Dinner, and to Philadelphia, where he will accept which is awarded to the nation's best football player.

> "It was going to be extravaganza," said Buzzard of the inaugural gala to which Sanders was invited. "He (Sanders) just didn't feel he could miss

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Men win on the road, lose at home

By Mary Buckley Staff Writer

The mens' varsity basketball team won on the road Wednesday make up a five point at Adrian, but could lead by Hope. not maintain their winning streak to beat Hope on Saturday.

Five minutes into the Adrian game, the score of 31-28 and Scots had a nine-point lead. The crowd roared. A remainder of the half three-pointer by was plagued by Scot turnovers. At halftime, the score stood at 35-29, with subsequent steal and a 9:1 turnover ratio increased the for the Scots.

After eight minutes 42-41. of play in the second half, the Bulldogs bringing the score to the victims of 41-40. After playing numerous turnover hard to widen the gap and missed shots, for the remainder of while the Dutchmen the half, the Scots finally came out on top with a score of 75-64.

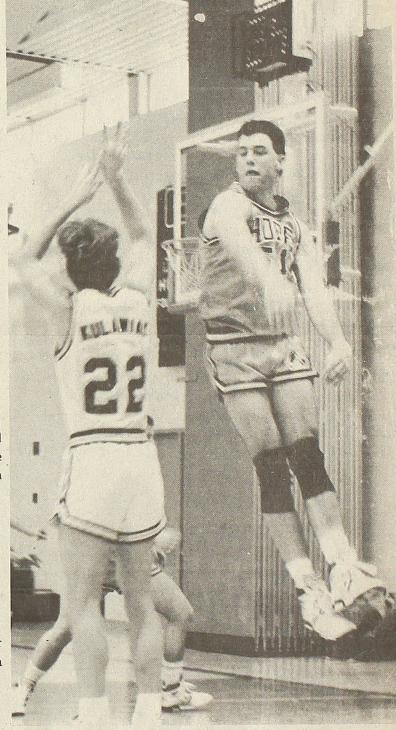
High scorers were Andy Mangin with 23, Mike Friar with 15, and Todd Kulawiak with nine. High scorers for the Adrian Bulldogs were Brent Kelley with 18 and Mark Wagner with

The Alma gym was filled for Saturday's rematch against Hope's Flying Dutchmen. The Scots were looking to take revenge for the nine-point loss they had suffered previously at the hands of Hope in

earlier league play. Throughout the first half, the Scots were struggling to Starting a comeback, Friar connected for two points and brought the Scots within three to a the fired-up Alma Mangin followed with 59 seconds to play in the half. Mangin's halftime lead to

At one point in the second half, Hope had had pulled within one a 10 point lead. The point of Alma's lead, Scots were once again appeared to be hitting every shot they attempted.

With 1:05 left to play, a three-pointer by Ernst brought Alma back to within five as the scoreboard read Hope 85, Alma 80. In the last 60 seconds, Mangin had



Saturday's game

Total No.							0	VERALL		
		W	L L	AVG.	O. AVG.	W	L	AVG.	O.AVG.	
	ALMA	9	1	61.1	55.2	16	4	63.2	53.8	
	HOPE	6	3	65.8	58.0	. 14	5	69.2	55.9	
1	CALVIN	6	4	59.0	50.9	14	7	58.3	53.0	
	KALAMAZOO	4	4	57.0	55.9	12	6	62.6	53.0	
	OLIVET	4	4	69.9	67.5	10	10	70.5	68.0	
	ALBION	1	7	55.4	70.9	6	11	58.2	64.2	
	ADRIAN	1	8	58.2	71.1	6	12	64.1	65.8	

one turnover, while Ernst had two. The resulting score of

Dutchmen the victors over the Scots. Mangin led the

a contriobution of 28 points, making seven three-point shots. were Friar with 22

Ski trip cancelled last weekend

By Tia Brandel Staff Writer

Student Affairs was forced to cancel the ski trip which they had originally planned for last Saturday.

Assistant Dean of Students, Linda Harleston felt that

the trip had been mis-timed.

"We planned a similar trip in January which was a great success," said Harleston. "I think the fact that mid-terms are this

week really hurt the turnout."

Harleston plans another trip later this year, but this time, it will be a canoe trip in the spring rather than trying to return to the slopes.

93-84 left the Flying Scots in scoring with Other leading scorers and Ernst with 14. Coach Ralph Pim was

unavailable for comment Sunday, but co-captain Mike Friar said, "The loss to Hope on Saturday hurt because we beat ourselves, but we can't give up." Friar added, "We have to finish strong in our last four games to maintain our pride as a team."



Valentine's remembrance

Many have disjointed views of love

Robert Henry Opinion Editor

upon us, and I have been thinking about love. It seems to me our society's ideas about love vary in compass and depth and we progress from in terms of commitment. Many of us have disjointed views about love and relationships, often reflecting a sense of our lack of emotional honesty and stability.

I remember sending Valentines to friends frustration can be in elementary school. We bought enough for everyone, these gaudy, trite cards complete with envelope. I always picked the best ones to give to the girls I liked most. Love was easy then, except if you had "cooties."

Those early relationships will always stay with us: the notes passed across the room with "check the box," chasing each other on the playground at recess, and kissing

Valentine's Day is someone on the lips for the first time. As we mature, those idealistic moments continue with us, then fade somewhat as "swimsuit issue." relationship to relationship, getting Men and women are stepped on or doing the stepping on.

> Relationships can be well worth the struggle and pain, but our ability to cope with failure and we set these monumental if we are not somewhat objective about our sense of what is right or wrong about a relationship.

love has become inseparable with sex and physical attraction rather than mental or emotional appeals. This is not an all-enclusive statement. All I mean for meaningful to say is what we already know; that is, that we usually are first attracted

to a person's look, and, of course, the images in our society then we have very verify and dictate this attitude. Just look at the latest issue of Sports Illustrated, the This is the standard we use many times. both guilty of this. We buy into the Don't get me wrong. "cheesecake" and "hunk" standards though most of us cannot compete.

standards is debatable and obviously differs from one individual to another. Not all of us fall for the lean, tan bodies with means sacrifice and For our generation, flesh exposed to reveal a sensual and (or week or month) sexual image. From music videos to pornography, the message is clear: the our hearts broken more flesh, the better.

What room is left romance and for lasting relationships? If we sure if this believe in the

superficial doctrines unwillingness to of popular culture, little hope. Granted, it is very possible for beauty and personality and intelligence to intermingle. The joke Whatever our reasons about "body by Nautilus, brains by Mattel" is not always the case, and perhaps we occasionally misjudge people which is the same type of prejudice.

The idea here is The extent to which that we not be misled into equating physical appeal with love. Perhaps we don't even do that anymore. Maybe love is a four letter word we work to avoid. It commitment. One night stands usually aren't too messy, and we don't risk getting (now the risk is in getting AIDS).

> This all reminds me of the myth that Alma College students don't date. I am not indicates an

commit ourselves to others, or if we simply choose to be individuals, or if we for security and fear the rumors and stigmas of dating on in intimate a small campus. for remaining uncommited to the

opposite sex, we all must soon recognize the need existent in most humans, the need emotional stability relationships. This is the ultimate goal of one's journey through life.

Letter to the Editor

The administration at Alma College is not "anti-Greek". The administration is against destructive behavior toward other people and property whether it comes from Greeks or independents.

We are against:

- negative leadership
- alcohol and drug abuse
- deplorable living conditions
- reckless abuse of property
- poor scholastic achievement - lack of concern for others
- illegal conduct such as hazing or drunk
- lack of respect for authority Our role as administrators calls for us to take action when behavior is antisocial. Students' parents, other students, faculty, and members of the Board of Trustees expect that from us; for us to do less would be shirking our responsibility.

Now let me tell you the greatest goal of the administration for Greeks on this campus.

We are for:

- high scholastic achievement
- values and morals
- standards and principles
- strong, positive leadership
- good communication with insiders and outsiders alike
- encouragement to grow
- friendship and support of others
- strong and lasting bonds of brotherhood and sisterhood
- support, guidance and motivation
- freedom from illegal behavior
- positive role models
- service to others
- respect to others
- respect for another's property

Many of the Greek organizations at Alma College reach for this latter list of ideals as part of the experience that they provide for their membership. They are applauded, they do a good job of it everyday and the administration recognizes the good that these groups provide for the campus. Actually, it is these groups that make the administration "pro-Greek". John Seveland, Vice President Enrollment and Student Affairs

Munch Money: the continuing SAGA

Chuck Gerlach **Guest Columnist**

The cost of pop went up last week on all. But we don't campus. A sign went up in our convenience price hike on a campus staple. Soft drinks went up to a whopping 70 cents a can. It is preposterous!

Now the cost of to worry very many of THE POP!!! you, and I hope it never does. What should cause some concern among Alma students is the fact that we haven't got much choice but to pay it. It's all a matter of monopoly

getting screwed. There are two virtual monopolies on nonexistent munch campus. The first one money I would never is one of necessity. In order for our small campus to stock the texts we dearly need, we have to guarantee a virtual monopoly to the good folks at the Scot Shop. Still we have a They have both the choice. We can buy brand new books, or cheaper used books,

not buy any books at have to buy the pop. The other monopoly store and announced a is the snack station, good old Joe's, and his cousin, the Campus Cooler. What sets these two utilities apart is the fact that Joe already has our Coca-Cola isn't about money, WE HAVE TO BUY unlike the Scot Shop, store, nobody really

I'm not exactly sure, but something is way off. I have never heard of a business that already understand why the has your money before convenience store is you decide to buy anything, and if I ever did hear of such Cooler Band really economics, and we're an animal outside of the Alma bubble you can bet your put a dime anywhere

close to it. Let's study a little bit of supply and demand as it applies, or doesn't apply, to our convenience store. supply, our pop, and worth of our money

get \$75 of value out the choice of how of the store we have much money, if any,

Wait a second. Who determines what \$75 worth of stuff is? Well, since Joe has our money, and the stuff, I gues Joe does. If Joe says his utilities. stock is worth quite a bit, its worth quite a bit. If the price is too high, we have no real choice other than to simply give up our

I am beginning to so convenient. Good old Joe and the don't have to compete. Hell, they don't even have to stock the stuff we want, like pop in bottles. God bless America!

\$75 and pay it.

As I see it we have three choices. One is we can get Dr. Stone to get rid of this dismal monopoly all together. Two is we can attempt to have them run like any the demand, up to \$75 other store, that is on a competitive or foolishly pray and stored on a chip in a basis using cash or

computer. In order to at least allowing us to "buy" \$75 worth of we want to put into a Munch Money account. And finally, we could create a committee to regulate our fattening monopoly like the real world regulates the

> The way I see it, the situation has got to change, because unlike the book needs the snack stations except the Marriot Corporation, and we all could use a little more freedom when it comes to spending our hard earned money. After all, if business is good . . . or bad, Joe has our cash.

Charles S. Gerlach Senior

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