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## NEW DORMITORY OPEN



ALPENA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DORMITORY

Alpena Community College has opened its first Student dormitory, on its seventy-five acre campus on Besser Lake. Two-hundred forty students; One hundred twenty co-eds and One hundred twenty men can be accommodated

The Russell H. Wilson Resident Hall, the first resident hall to be constructed at Alpena Community College, was opened to students on September 10th. The students began registering at eight o'clock in the morning and continued until six o'clock in the evening. Parents who accompanied the younger generation were invited to coffee and rolls in the Resident Director's apartment. A pop dispenser was available for everyone.

### SigmaPhi Zeta

SIGMA PHI ZETA Fraternity was organized in 1966 by three members of last year's sophomore class. The three men recruited a membership of 15 students during the first semester. In the second semester, the membership had risen to a total of 30. The fraternity is in the process of recruiting members from students attending Alpena Community College this semester.

The fraternity is a service and social organization. Its purpose is to promote the highest ideals of manhood, brotherhood, citizenship and scholarship. (Continued on Page 4)

It was a very busy day, checking in and registering the new occupants, for the staff of the new resident hall. Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey D'Atri are the Resident Directors. The rest of the staff, "Resident Advisors", are Kathy Beemer, Judy Oliver, sophomore at ACC, Pat McDaniel, Sophomore, Dave Sparks, sophomore and Joel Secrist, also a sophomore.

The Resident Directors are in charge of the resident hall and the Resident Advisors are the counselors for each assigned floor.

The resident hall is constructed as an "L" shaped building with a central (Continued on Page 4)

### Sorority May Be Formed At A.C.C.

Rumors are around Campus that a sorority is being formed which would take the place of last years' Organization of Women Students.

When interviewed, Mrs. Buchner said, "No definite plans have been made, but the girls have asked me to be their advisor. I haven't given them a positive answer yet, but I am in favor of a sorority and will give the girls any moral support they need."

### KEITH TITUS IS NEW DRAMA COACH

The Alpena Civic Theatre, located at 401 River Street, is beginning its second year of productions under the direction of Mr. Keith Titus. Mr. Titus is the speech instructor at Alpena Community College. He also teaches classes in Theater Art and is the advisor of ACC's Radio-Drama Club. This is Mr. Titus' second year at ACC. He received his B.A. and M.A. at Central Michigan University after attending ACC for two years.

The Civic Theatre is widely acclaimed for its professional standards. Last year's productions included such Broadway hits as, "Death Of A Salesman", "Everybody Loves Opal", and "Take Her, She's Mine."

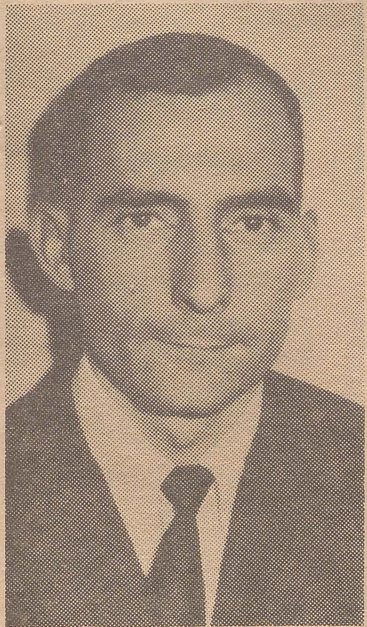
### NEW PROGRAMS

The season opener, October 11th through 14th, is titled, "Come Blow Your Horn." The role of Alan Baker, made familiar by Frank Sinatra, is played by Mike Coepens, who is a disc jockey at Alpena's radio station, WATZ. Other members of the cast include Mr. Richard Mattison, ACC's history instructor, Mrs. Sonya Titus, English department instructor, and Carol Aasland, who is a member of the freshman class. The schedule for other productions during the coming season is: "J.B." - Nov. 29 - 30, Dec. 1-2; "Arsenic and Old Lace" - Feb. 7-10; "Inherit The Wind" - Mar. 27-30; "Unsinkable Molly Brown" - May 15-18.

### Enrollment Rises To All-Time High

A number of new programs have been added to the Alpena Community College curriculum this year. We are presently operating a Library Technology program and the first two years of Occupational Therapy and Medical Technology. Secretarial offerings have been modified. We have initiated an Automotive Service and Repair program and an Aviation Training - Pilot program. The 1967-68 catalog contains information on all of the programs except for the program of Aviation Training - Pilot.

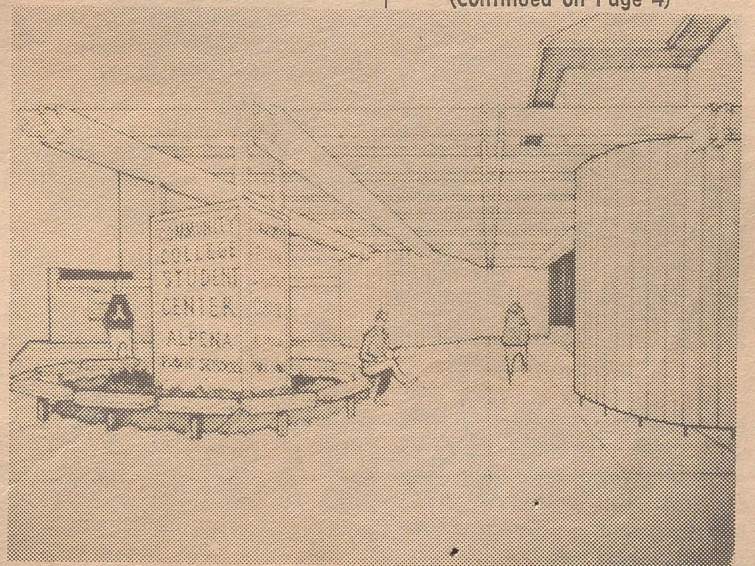
The 1967 figures are not all in on the freshmen and sophomore classes but the approximate guess is that the full-time students of this year outnumber the 1966-67 classes by one-hundred students. Last year there were 370 freshmen and 201 sophomores for a total of 571 attending Alpena Community College. The estimate for this year's full time students are 493 freshmen and 182 sophomores for a total of 675 full-time students. The report from the office (Continued on Page 4)



ROGER HARPER

Roger Harper is one of several new teachers at ACC this year, teaching English Communications. A native of Michigan, he was born in Onieda Town-

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### Student Center to Be Opened Soon

The reconstruction and decoration costs will be approximately \$125,000. In the recreation part of the building there will be a lounge with TV, ping-pong and pool tables, card tables and a snack bar.

The Student Center's operation hours are tentatively scheduled to match the dorm's hours. - Dennis Emerson

The Student Center, a new addition to ACC's campus, will be opening soon. Mr. Ritter, Head of Student Services, said, "We hope the Student Center will be opened by the last of September."

The building, located on the corner of US 23 and Johnson St., will act as a dining hall, recreation center, bookstore and printing shop. The dining hall can seat about 110 people.

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