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Builders' Page

News of Local Interest to the Builder, Contractor and Prospective Home Seeker.

Living and Dining Room

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PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.

INTERIOR VIEW—LIVING ROOM AND DINING ROOM.

A VIEW from the living room through the columned archway into the dining room shows an attractive finishing and lighting scheme. There is a built-in buffet in the dining room. Finish may be oak throughout, with oak floors.

MAKING PROGRESS

Alma Development Company is Building Many Houses

The Alma Development Company, Limited, now has about twenty houses, on which construction work is well under way and is starting between twenty-five and thirty other houses, all of which are to be completed this fall.

All of the houses, which this company is now erecting are being built in the subdivisions which this company owns, Shadow Lawn and Kensington Heights, both in the eastern part of the city.

It is the intention of the company to start laying sewers in these subdivisions this coming week and all of the houses which are under construction will be given sewage this fall. It is hoped that the weather will also permit some other sewer work to be done before winter sets in.

NEW STATE STREET HOME

Ira Moody of Forest Hill, and a former resident of this city, has started work on a new home which is to be located on the corner of State and Walnut streets. The new home will be a six room house, two stories in height, and will have a full basement. The house will be a brick veneer. When completed Mr. and Mrs. Moody will again make Alma their home.

Coming soon—"Fatty" Arbuckle in his latest picture "His Wedding Night."—Adv.

Douglas Fairbanks in "Matrimaniacs"—Idlehour, Sunday.—Adv.

ELM HALL

Fred Sly returned to his home in Munising Wednesday after spending a month with his mother, Mrs. Seneca Sly.

Gay Stoughton and family of Sumner spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Seneca Sly.

Fred Howe and family of Butternut were in town Saturday afternoon calling on old friends.

Miss Jennie Holmes spent the week end with friends in Blanchard.

Dick Hill and family of Alma spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Winters.

Mrs. Effie Hoxie and son Jeffie, went to North Star Friday where she will teach the coming year.

Elwin Joslin entertained his brother, Fred Joslin of Clark Lake Saturday. He returned home with his brother Sunday, for a few days' visit.

R. Moss and wife of Greenville returned home Sunday night after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Senera Sly. Mrs. Sly returned home with them.

WEST PINE RIVER

Loretta Berry is a new pupil at school this year.

Jess Twilliger began working in Alma the first of this week.

Fred Ainsburg's barn was struck by lightning and burned one day last week.

Wm. Bartley and wife are visiting in Ludington.

C. D. Johnson is shingling his granary.

Anna Lentz of Grand Rapids was home over Labor day.

School began Sept. 4th, in Wright district, with Marion Bartley as teacher.

Coming—Douglas Fairbanks in "In Again, Out Again."—Idlehour.—Adv.

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL BOND SALE

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the City Clerk of the City of Alma, Michigan, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of the following bonds, to be issued by the City of Alma, Viz:

Bonds to be issued in the sum of $10,000.00 lateral and sewer extension bonds so-called, the proceeds to be used exclusively for the purpose set forth in the Resolution heretofore adopted, and of record, said bonds to draw interest at Five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be in the sum of $2,000.00 each, given for a period of 20 years, due at the rate of $2,000.00, each year and each bonds to be sold at not less than their par value, to be dated September 1st, 1917.

Bonds to be issued in the sum of $19,000.00, paving bonds so-called, the proceeds to be used exclusively for the purposes set forth in the resolution heretofore adopted, and of record, said bonds to draw interest at Five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be in the sum of $1,000.00, each, given for a period of 10 years, due at the rate of $1,000.00, each year, each bonds to be sold at not less than par value, to be dated September 1st, 1917.

Bonds to be issued in the sum of $76,000.00, extension water works system bonds, so-called, the proceeds to be used exclusively for the purposes set forth in the resolution heretofore adopted, and of record, said bonds to draw interest at the rate of Five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be in the sum of $1,000.00 each, given for a period of 20 years, each bonds to be sold at not less than their par value, to be dated September 1st, 1917.

Bids to be received up to and including the Fourteenth day of September A. D. 1917, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon of said day; Certified checks of $1,000.00 each, to be accompany each bid on each issue as evidence of good faith; checks of unsuccessful bidders to be returned and checks of successful bidders to be retained as part payment on purchase and delivery of said bonds respectively.

Dated Alma, Michigan,
September Fourth, A. D. 1917.

CARL E. GALLAGHER,
City Clerk.
(37-10c.)

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, in the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot.—In Chancery.

George Stahl and Elizabeth Stahl, Plaintiffs,
vs.
George L. Osborn, John R. Osborn, Benjamin F. Hellem, Charlie E. Hellem, Florence Cottrell and Pearl Leonard, Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot in Chancery, at Ithaca, Michigan, on the 17th day of August, A. D., 1917.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendants, Charlie E. Hellem, Florence Cottrell and George L. Osborn are not resident of this state but Charlie E. Hellem resides in Portland, Oregon; Florence Cottrell in Shelby, Ohio, and that it is not known and cannot be ascertained in what state or country George L. Osborn resides; on motion of O. G. Tuttle, attorney for plaintiffs, it is ordered that the said defendants, Charlie E. Hellem, Florence Cottrell and George L. Osborn cause their appearance to be entered herein, within three months from the date of this order, and in case of their appearance that they cause their answer to the plaintiffs' Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on plaintiffs' attorney within fifteen days after service on them of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by the said non-resident defendants.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the said plaintiffs cause a notice of this order to be published in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

KELLY S. SEARL, Circuit Judge.

COUNTERSIGNED:
B. L. Case, Clerk of the Court.

O. G. TUTTLE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Business Address: Ithaca, Michigan.
(65-7t.)

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Gratiot

In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot: In chancery.

Tom H. H. Harrod and Esther R. Harrod, plaintiffs,
vs.
Nancy Robinson, Eliza Robinson, Nannie Robinson and Robert Robinson, or their unknown heirs, legatees, devisees and assigns, defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in chancery, at Ithaca, in said county, on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1917.

In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the court by plaintiffs' verified Bill of Complaint that said bill is filed under and pursuant to the terms, conditions and requirements of Sections 29 to 37 inclusive, Chapter XII of the Judicature Act of 1915, and that it involves the title to the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section eight of township ten north of range two west, Michigan.

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that it is not known and cannot be ascertained in what state or country the said named defendants reside and that after diligent search and inquiry it is impossible to ascertain the names of the persons who are included as defendants in this cause without being named.

Now, therefore, on motion of O. G. Tuttle, attorney for plaintiffs, it is ordered that said named and unnamed defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order and that within twenty days said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in the Alma Record, a newspaper published in said county, once in each week for six weeks in succession, and also cause a copy thereof to be mailed to said defendants at their last known postoffice address by registered mail.

KELLY S. SEARL, Circuit Judge.
Countersigned: B. L. CASE, Clerk of Court.

TAKE NOTICE—That the above suit involves the title to the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section eight in township ten north of range two west, Michigan, and is brought to quiet the said title thereto.

O. G. TUTTLE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
Business address: Ithaca, Michigan.
(62-7t)

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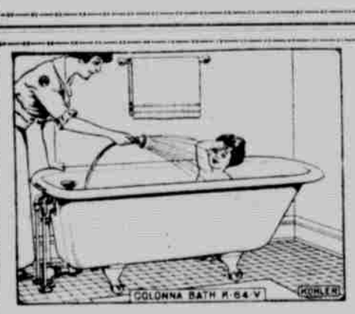

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