



# Your Heart is in the Right Place

If you give her Candies bought at this Confectionery DeLuxe. Always the best and made by ourselves.

## DeLuxe Candy Company

STATE STREET

Watch Our Window for Specials

ALMA, MICH.

TWO BUSY STORES

ST. LOUIS, MICH.

# YES SIR!

This is the place where they always have bargains. Let's go in and look.

## Proud's Department Store

ALMA, MICHIGAN

45c Wool and Silk Crepe, unloading price	29c
50c Winter Plaids, unloading price	29c
50c Shepherd Plaids, unloading price	29c
\$3.50 good heavy fleeced Bed Blankets, unloading price	\$2.50
20c Cotton Batts, at	12c
\$1.50 Ladies' Fleeced Underwear, special	98c
35c Ladies' Fleeced Stockings, unloading price	19c
30c Bleached Muslin, unloading price	29c
39c all Linen Crash Toweling, special at	29c
One lot of 35c Ginghams and Percales, while they last	21c
\$2.00 Ladies' Mercerized Underskirts, special at	\$1.19
\$1.25 Men's two-piece heavy-fleeced Underwear, at	69c
\$2.50 Men's heavy fleeced Union Suits, special at	\$1.98
Ladies' fleeced Petticoats, special at	29c
10c and 15c Pearl Buttons, special at, per dozen	6c
Children's, Misses and Ladies' Hose Supporters, black and white, all lengths at	10c
<b>SHOES</b>	<b>SHOES</b>
<b>RUBBERS</b>	<b>RUBBERS</b>
Children's Storm Rubbers, good quality, sizes from 6 to 10 1-2	49c
Boys' Rubbers from 2 1-2 to 6	59c
Men's one-buckle arctics, special	\$1.19
Men's four-buckle Arctics, special	\$2.98
Men's four-buckle, all rubber, Arctics, \$4.50 value, large sizes, will sell at	\$2.98
Rubber Boots for Children, Ladies, Boys and Men, at	\$1.98 \$2.98 \$3.98 \$4.45 \$5.19 \$5.95
One lot of Misses' gray Dress Shoes, \$6.00 value, will sell at	\$3.69
One lot of Ladies' High Grade Dress Shoes, \$6.50 value, a few left at 2 pair for	\$5.00
One lot Ladies' fine Dress Shoes, black or dark brown, \$7.00 value, big special at	\$4.49
One lot Men's black and tan Semi-dress Shoes, Rinex sole, rubber heel, will give lots of wear, \$6.00 value, will sell at	\$3.49
One lot Men's English Dress Shoes, black, \$5.00 value, this is certainly a big bargain; will sell at	\$2.98

### Meritol RHEUMATISM POWDERS

are highly recommended by druggists in all parts of the country. Mr. Oberdorfer, the leading druggist at Paris, Ky., writes as follows: "One of my customers who bought Meritol Rheumatism Powders has had rheumatism for seventeen years, says he has tried everything, but these powders have given him more relief than anything he has ever taken. I anticipate a large sale on them." You may think there is no relief for you, but try Meritol Rheumatism Powders and you are sure to be pleased with the result. Price 50c and \$1.00 the box.

**Winslow Bros.' Drug Store**  
"Where Service and Quality Meet"

## Furs and Hides WANTED

We want all the FURS we can get and are prepared to give you an honest sort and highest prices for the same. Mink, Skunk, Fox, Muskrat, etc.

Also HIDES and all kinds of JUNK

### E. BERMAN & SONS

Union 167 Bell 275  
Location: Old Monitgel Foundry Building, North of Roller Mills

## Bartley's Market

Bell 58 Phones Union 28

FREE DELIVERY ON ORDERS OF 50c AND OVER

Short ribs of beef, lb	17c	Blueberries, 10 lb can	\$1.00
Kettleroads, lb	19-22c	Dill pickles doz.	20c
Veal for stewing, lb	24c	Cookies plain lb	20c
Pure lard in 10 lb lots	24c	Cookies iced lb	22c
Pork steak, lb	27c	Crackers in 8 lb boxes	18c
Chickens well fattened always on hand		Kansas bread flour, 44lb	\$1.55
Lake trout, lb	27c	Pure buckwheat flour lb	8c
Salmon, red tall can	28c	Graham flour lb	6c
Salmon, pink	26c	Rice flour lb	5c
Cheese, full cream	38c	Out flour lb	5c
Peanut butter, best grade, lb	25c	Rye flour lb	5c
Golden Spread Oleo, lb	40c	Barley flour lb	4c
Nut oleo, lb	35c	Macaroni lb	14c
Choice dairy butter always on hand		Corn starch lb	6c
Tea, best quality, lb	55-60c	Corn, 3 cans	47c
Coffee lb	28-40c	Peas, 3 cans	47c
Karo syrup, 10 lb can	75c	Ocean Pearl soap, 5 bars	27c
		Swift White, 5 bars	27c
		Good broom	80c

HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID FOR LIVE STOCK, POULTRY, EGGS AND BUTTER

## HARD COAL SOFT COAL

We have a quantity of hard coal, and plenty of soft coal for the winter months which are still ahead.

If you desire Hard Coal get your order in promptly, as it is going rapidly.

We carry the finest soft coal that can be obtained, and will be pleased to fill your orders at any time.

### Home Lumber & Fuel Co.

Alma Michigan

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

DeLuxe ice cream.—77-11-c.  
You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers. 02-11-c  
Last year farm and city property with Boyd & Parnell. 78-1-c  
William Cople of Clare was in Alma on business Friday.  
Jersey gives 19c at the "Lindquist Store," Saturday.—adv.  
Ed. Winchell of Fremont is visiting with Alma friends this week.  
Earl King spent Sunday in Ithaca, a guest at the home of his parents.  
Teamsters' coats, special at \$2.09 for Saturday at the "Lindquist Store."—adv.  
Naomi Scott of Breckenridge spent the week end in this city, visiting with friends.  
Miss Ada McLeod visited at the home of her parents in Breckenridge over the week end.  
Eat Model Bakery bread and pastry and be happy the whole year through. 74-1-c  
C. M. Johnson was in Saginaw on Tuesday attending a meeting of the Ford dealers of Eastern Michigan.  
Dr. E. G. Slayter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phases. 57-1-c  
Men's 75c heavy wool socks, special for Saturday, at 50c at the "Lindquist Store."—adv.  
A. I. Barber of Mason is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Glass, this week.  
The W. R. C. Thimble club will meet with Mrs. Dell Irish Tuesday, January 28, for an afternoon meeting.  
One lot of men's \$25.00 overcoats, special for Saturday at \$15.00, at the "Lindquist Store."—adv.  
Men's heavy corduroy pants \$3.00, special for Saturday at the "Lindquist Store."—adv.  
Bart Miller of Grand Rapids was in the city for a few days this week. He will be remembered as a former Alma resident.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Harrington of Holland, who have been visiting at the home of W. D. Strong for a short time, returned home Tuesday.  
Men's caps regular \$2 value, with fur ear bands, special at \$1.00 for Saturday at the "Lindquist Store."—adv.  
The Alma fire department was called to the store of the Grinnell Piano company last night. The fire was extinguished with practically no damage.  
B. J. Lowery of Howard City, former editor of the Howard City Record, was in Alma the first of the week on business and paid The Record a friendly visit.  
President H. M. Crooks of Alma college will address the Hope college, Holland, students next Thursday, this day being the annual observance day of prayer for colleges.  
Ed. Moffett of Saginaw is in the city on business today. He reports the business of the local paint company in Saginaw county as exceptionally good. He is the agent for that territory.  
E. C. Crandell was in Chicago and Grand Rapids the latter part of last week on business and this morning left for Grand Rapids again with a view of purchasing spring stock for the Crandell & Scott store.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jotham Allen will leave Friday morning for Salt Lake City, where Mrs. Allen will take treatments for some little time. Mr. Allen will go from there to Logan, Utah, in the interests of the Michigan Sugar company.  
Anyone wishing to start in the grocery business this coming spring, and wishing to save money on their stock and fixtures call at this office, as there is a complete grocery stock to be sold at old prices. Fixtures at a sacrifice. 79-2-c  
A horse, owned by Royal M. Hyde, was injured Tuesday night and his rig damaged when the horse shied at an automobile and crashed into a truck opposite plant 3 on East Superior street. Mr. Hyde was uninjured.  
At the meeting of the Board of Trade held Monday evening action was taken towards holding a banquet for the returning soldiers from this city. The matter is being taken up with Company 87, Michigan State Troops. It is probable that such a banquet will be held within the next few weeks.  
The Alma college basketball team will play the strong M. A. C. All-Fresh team in the high school gymnasium on Friday evening. The All-Fresh team is rated as exceptionally strong. This game has been scheduled to take the place of the Olivet game which was postponed for two weeks.  
The Adrian college game for Friday evening, January 31, will be the last game in which Helmer will have charge of the college basketball five. The game, which will be the second M. I. A. A. contest will be played on the local court. The high school team will mix with Arthur Hill high of Saginaw in a big preliminary, which is exciting considerable attention.

Among the 6,215 officers and soldiers to arrive in New York harbor yesterday, January 22, was Sergeant Theodore G. Kress who has been overseas since March 1st, 1918, and who belongs to the 55th Artillery (CAC) which has done heavy fighting in France, and was thus engaged at the front when the armistice was signed. Attorney Kress, who had not received a letter from his son since one dated December 9th, at which time he was in a hospital in France, is very much relieved by the good news of his son's safe arrival at New York.

### INSTRUCTION SCHOOL.

Women to be Given Voting Instructions at School Here.

Mrs. V. H. Shepard has announced that there will be a school of instruction in about two weeks for all women who are eligible to vote, at which time a capable speaker will be present to enlighten the women on this subject.  
It is the desire of the local committee to impress upon the women the need of turning out for this event so that they may acquire this knowledge which will be needed greatly by the women, now that the ballot may be used by them.  
It is highly important that the women, who expect to vote this spring should be registered as soon as possible, that they may be prepared to take their part in the elections which are coming in the near future.

The equal suffrage committee has sent out the following information regarding the qualifications needed by the women to vote:

Qualifications for voters in Michigan: Every citizen of the United States, twenty-one years of age and upwards, who has resided in the state six months and in the township or ward in which he or she offers to vote twenty days next preceding election, is eligible to vote in Michigan.

Any woman in the following classes may register to vote:

Any unmarried woman twenty-one years of age and over, born in the United States.  
Any unmarried woman, foreign born, twenty-one years of age or over, whose father was naturalized before she was twenty-one.  
Any unmarried woman, twenty-one years of age or over, regardless of where she was born, whose husband is an American citizen.  
Every voter must have lived in the State of Michigan for six months prior to the date of the election, and must have lived in the ward in which she votes for twenty-one days prior to the election.

Every woman must register regardless of whether she has been registered to vote for school board or anything else before this time. This means that every woman, legally qualified to vote, must register.

A list of the classes of women who cannot vote, and information as to what they should do, follows:

A woman cannot vote if she is married to an alien. When she marries an alien, even though she was born in this country, she loses her citizenship, and becomes a citizen of the country of which her husband is a subject.  
A woman cannot vote if she is foreign born and is the daughter of a foreign born citizen, who became a citizen after she was twenty-one years of age.  
If you are the wife of an alien, have your husband go to the county clerk's office in the county building and start citizenship proceedings.  
If you are unmarried and were born in a foreign country, start citizenship proceedings.  
The women in the rural districts are urged to register before February 15th. Blanks are now in the hands of the township clerks.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Morton's Pep dancing parties, beginning Wednesday, January 29, and each week thereafter, will be held in the K. of P. hall, above the Liberty theatre. Morton's Saxophone orchestra, with trombone, saxophone and drum novelties. Oh, boy, some jazz! Make each Wednesday night the big night of the week. A regular whale of a time. Won't it be elephant? 1-p

### G. B. PORTER



REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST

Fine Watch Work a Specialty  
State Street, Second Door South of Ellison's Grocery