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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winters visited at Elm Hall Saturday.

See Strongheart in "The Silent Call"—Strand, Sun, and Mon.

Dale Giles and L. J. Archer were in Detroit on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Ella McLean visited with Midland relatives on Wednesday.

Attorney L. C. Palmer of Stanton was here Wednesday on business.

Charles R. Murphy was in Mt. Pleasant on business Wednesday.

William Murphy who is in business in Detroit is home for a few days.

Miss Lillian Swartout spent a few days in Lansing the first of the week.

Dr. Reginald McClinton is spending a few days here visiting friends.

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Charles H. Goggin, attorney, was in Mt. Pleasant on business Wednesday.

Miss Lew Warner visited with friends in Lansing over the week end.

President H. M. Crooks of Alma College was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Corl attended the Sheldon reunion at Coruna last Wednesday.

Chas. H. Goggin was in the Eastern part of the state the first of the week on business.

If you want good Tea and Coffee buy it at the Grand Union Tea Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ervin have returned from a three-weeks trip through Michigan.

Mrs. R. H. Adams of Flint is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame for a short time.

Health Service by Chiropractor Smith, Phone 213, Polinsky Bldg., Alma, Mich.—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Winslow have left for a two weeks automobile trip through northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Van Amster visited at the home of the latter's sister in Lansing over the week end.

Herbert McLean of Midland visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McLean Thursday.

Dr. E. G. Shuyter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones. 57-tf

Dr. Wing and family, who have been spending two weeks at Clifford lake will return to Alma, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Wirt Smith of Los Angeles has been visiting her nieces Miss Lillian Swarthout and Mrs. H. Stuckey for a few days.

M. E. Lown, has resigned his position here, and with his wife is leaving for Howell, where he expects to be employed.

The Misses Nina and Una Gage, of Wixom are visiting with their sisters, Mrs. H. S. Babcock, and family for a few days.

Miss Winnie Boyd is spending her vacation in Chicago and assisting in the selection of new goods for The Gaffney Style Shop.

Miss Edna Carney who has been visiting her uncle, Daniel Goggin and family for a few weeks returned to her home in Chicago, Friday of last week.

Professor and Mrs. Albert P. Cook and daughter have returned from their three weeks tour through northern Michigan, during which time they visited at Manistee, Petoskey, Sault St. Marie and other points of interest.

Rev. H. H. Anderson and family left Thursday for a weeks' visit with relatives at Traverse City. Rev. Anderson will appear on the program of The Crystal Beech Assembly, a Disciple meeting near Frankfort.

Several members of the E. Superior Christian Church are planning to attend the International Meeting of Disciples of Christ at Winona Lake, August 29-Sept. 3.

Verne Calkins, who has been in a hospital in Saginaw for the past several weeks, has so far recovered from his operation that he was able to return to Alma the first of the week.

Dr. James M. Barkley of Detroit, chairman of the board of trustees of Alma College, has been very seriously ill for the past two weeks. His condition is still regarded as very serious.

A shower was given by the Misses Sawkins, Saturday evening at their home on West Center street in honor of Miss Rose Judge. About twenty of her girl friends were present and brought a plentiful supply of gifts. Light refreshments were served.

Provide More Rooms In Girls' Dormitory

With all rooms except two in Wright Hall applied for two weeks ago by young ladies who intend to come to Alma College this next year, a big problem arose as to the care of additional girls, and this has been met in part at least by a decision to enlarge living quarters at the hall by finishing up a part of the front floor, which in past years has been used for trunk storage, etc.

The new rooms will be located on the fourth floor of the east wing of Wright Hall. A large room at the rear will be provided as a meeting place for Kappa Kappa Gamma, a new literary society which was organized last year. In addition several large double rooms will be made available which will provide for fourteen young ladies. A communal bath room for fourth floor use is also provided for in the plans for the alterations.

The decision to finish up this wing of the fourth floor has just been reached by the members of the building committee, who were advised by President Crooks of the problem of caring for the young ladies.

No figures are available as to the cost of the work which is to be put under way at once, but President Crooks has estimated that it will cost between \$5,000 and \$7,000.

Church of God to Have Campmeeting

The Church of God will hold its thirtieth annual campmeeting on the grounds two miles east of Alma, from August 17 to August 27, and an interesting program is being arranged every day.

Efforts are being made to make this meeting a very profitable and such enjoyed ten day spiritual feast. The committee has been fortunate in securing the services of E. G. Smith and J. A. Morrison of Anderson, Mr. Smith, a former Michigan man, is a returned Missionary from Syria and is at present the editor in chief of the Gospel Trumpet, a religious magazine published at Anderson, Ind. He is also the president of the mission board of the Church of God. He is the author of many religious works, among which are the books, "What the Bible Teaches," "Revelations Explained," "Evolution of Christianity," etc. Mr. Morrison is the assistant principal of the Anderson Bible Training School, and also the registrar of the Clergy Bureau of the Church of God. These and other able speakers will be present with vital gospel themes which will be of profit to all who attend.

The grounds have been greatly improved with new buildings and cement walks, making better accommodations for everyone. There will be three regular services daily, at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 8:00 p. m., eastern standard time.

Meals and refreshments will be served on the grounds. Camping on the grounds with no cost, is one of the things that has been worked out by the committee in charge.

CREDITORS GIVEN NOTICE

Notice has been sent to creditors in the matter of Malcolm B. Wilcox trading as Alma News Company, that on July 18, the said Malcolm B. Wilcox, trading as the Alma News Company, of Alma, was adjudged bankrupt in the District Court of the United States for the eastern district of Michigan, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Ralph Goggin at St. Louis, August 24, at 1:30 p. m., central standard time.

CIRCUS BY TRACTOR

The tractor, which is rapidly invading many fields of industry as a power of locomotion, has this season entered the circus lot and when the majestic Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus arrives to exhibit in Saginaw, Saturday, August 12, there will be seen many of these machines pulling the animal cages from the cars to the lots.

Of course, the tractor has not displaced the old faithful horse, which is so prominent on the circus lot and of which the Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus has almost 500 head. We are told old dobbin is still the popular power of locomotion and reigns supreme in moving the circus onto the lot.

Though the horse and the tractor are the mainspring of transporting from the train, they have often had to call for assistance and then the big herd of elephants were given a duty to perform. These animals are

Blight Threatens 1922 Tuber Crop

Prompt measures in spraying must be taken if the Michigan potato crop, which gives promise of totaling 30,000,000 bushels, is not to fall victim to the late potato blight, according to G. H. Coons, plant pathologist at M. A. C. Rainy weather the first half of the season is responsible for the danger, he says. Farmers may prevent appearance of the blight by thorough spraying with Bordeaux mixture, 100 gallons to the acre, with applications every 10 days, beginning when the plants are from 6 to 10 inches high.

Alma Girl Wedded To Midland Man

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday morning at St. Mary's church for Miss Rose Judge of this city a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Thompson of Midland, and Mr. E. A. Murray performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by Miss Helen Judge, sister, and Mr. Thompson was attended by Lane Daugherty of Midland.

A wedding breakfast was served upstairs at the home of the bride's parents after which Mrs. and Miss Thompson started an automobile trip to Chicago, from which they will make a later trip to Toledo.

They will be at home in their residence in Alma after September 1, when Mrs. Thompson is employed at the Capital Hotel.

The banquet with the friends of the newlyweds, a social entertainment, was given at the Capital Hotel.

The annual Michigan Fair to be held at Lansing August 21, 22, 23 and 24 is being organized by being one of the best of the season fairs of the state and is certain to attract thousands of people to the Capital City during the week.

Non-residents wanting to realize the value of such a fair in Lansing have come to the fair with prizes and premiums for the stock show, and they are also sure to bring a large number of entries in the stock show.

The fair also has the promise of a new trade. Several attendances are being made in addition to the stock show in the evenings there will be a big display of fireworks.

Those for the fair have all been told and have of late been very busy in the city, which will include the better known kinds of farm implements, engine parts, electrical equipment, etc.

LARGE CROWDS AT SERVICES

Last Sunday night a large and appreciative audience attended the union services in Wright Park. The Salvation Army was in charge of the program. Captain Simonds gave a very helpful address. Her Bible illustrations and illustrations from real life were very interesting and sound.

Those who are out for an auto drive in the evening will find it very pleasant to drive in with their cars in leaving the city and join in many places on the way.

Rev. J. H. H. of the Episcopal church will be the speaker next Sunday night. Mr. Frank Smith will have charge of the community singing. Come on time 7:30 p. m. and enjoy the music.

In case of rain the services will be held in the M. E. church.

Literarians of the New York Library in the foreign districts report that the present-day immigrant is of a much higher type than those of before the war. Recent arrivals are anxious to learn the English language and adopt American customs.

Weather and Crop Bulletin

Rains during the past week have been too local in character, some sections getting heavy showers, while other localities have had no rain whatever. More rain is needed, especially in the southern counties. The temperature has been cool, somewhat retarding growth, but also not drying up the crops so fast where rain has not fallen. A few local hail storms are reported in the south, but of very limited extent and little damage.

Corn is coming well. Meadows and pastures are improving except where rain has not fallen. Early apples and some plums are being picked, and early peaches and pears are beginning to ripen. Some fruit is falling. Wheat and rye are harvested, except possibly a little in the extreme north, and oats are being harvested in the northern counties of the lower peninsula. Oats are disappointing, but are a fairly good yield. Sugar beets are reported good, also potatoes, the late planting now blossoming in southern and central counties. Beans are spotted, some fields being good, others poor. Garden truck crops have improved under the rains of the past week, but are suffering where rain has not fallen.

In the future no student will be given an academic degree in the University of the South unless he shall have completed at least one year's course in the Constitution of the United States.

Of the \$4,000,000,000 automobile bills of the country, approximately \$1,000,000,000, or nearly one-fourth is spent on the maintenance and purchase of commercial cars and trucks.

The city taxes are now due and payable any time from July 1 to September 14, 1922, without any penalty. From September 15 to November 1, 1922, four (4) per cent will be added to the amount of your taxes.

Dated July 10, 1922. D. W. ADAMS, City Treasurer

REGISTRATION NOTICE To the Qualified Electors of the City of Alma, State of Michigan: Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, as amended, the undersigned City Clerk will upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day or any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said City not already registered who may apply TO ME PERSONALLY by mail or messenger as provided by Act 7, Public Acts of 1919, as amended, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election.

August 16, 1922 last day for registration by affidavit.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at the City Hall on Aug. 19 and August 26, 1922 from the hours of 8:00 o'clock A. M. until 8:00 o'clock P. M. on each said day for the purpose of receiving the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said City as Shall Properly apply therefor.

CLARENCE F. BLANCK City Clerk

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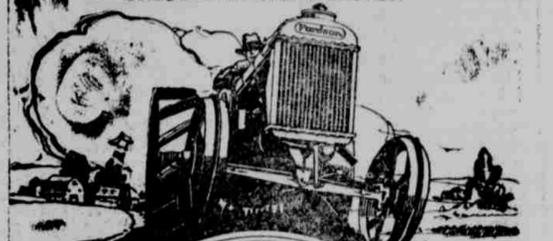
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