

THE ALMAROONS

Their Entertainment was Very Successful and was Given to a Crowded House.

LAST COURSE ENTERTAINMENT

The Committee who Selected Talent for 1907-08 are to be Congratulated.

The entertainment given last Tuesday evening in the Opera House by the Alma College Almaroons was more than satisfying to their large audience.

The program was divided into two parts; the first consisting of solo and quartette numbers and the second of a presentation of Sir Arthur Sullivan's musical farce, "Cox and Box."

On Friday evening of next week, May 1st, the debate between Alma and Olivet College will take place in the college chapel.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jennie S Slater to Mary M Drew pt 12, blk 6, Elyton, Alma \$ 125

SCHOOL REPORT

Report of Elm Grove school Pine River, No. 2, for the month ending April 17. Number of pupils enrolled 25.

Good field peas for seed at Alma Holler Mills.

TRIO CONCERT

A recital of piano, violin and cello music will be given in the College Chapel Friday evening April 24th, by Miss Ransom of the College and Miss Davison and Miss McDonald, of Detroit.

THE COMING DEBATE.

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LAW ORDER LEAGUE

Organized Last Friday Afternoon in This City—Representative Citizens Present.

G. F. PIKE OF ITHACA PRESIDENT

Legislative Committee Appointed—Other Committees Will be Announced Later.

About forty delegates from nearly every part of the county, met in the U. B. church in Alma Friday afternoon and formed the nucleus of a county Good Citizenship League.

County School Commissioner C. F. Pike



MANY CITIES DRY.

Despite the fact that the recent local option election in Michigan and neighboring states showed that the prohibition movement, successful in the country districts, had made much less headway in large towns, many important cities of the country are "dry" or will become so after May 7.

RAW SUGAR WILL BE IMPORTED

The Tuscola County Advertiser of last week said: "The West Bay City Sugar Co., will shortly start up for a short run on raw sugar imported from Germany.

ANNUAL MEETING.

At the annual meeting of St. Johns Vestry held last Monday evening, Messrs G. W. Palfrey, Edward Hannah and H. C. Richardson were elected members of the vestry for the ensuing three years.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

Fifteen photographs for the price of twelve from April 27 to May 9 inclusive. Horn the photographer

FISH LAWS.

Following is the synopsis of the Michigan fish laws for the season of 1908, which protects the fish all seasons except during the open one, and prevents their absolute extinction:

The killing of fish by the use of dynamite or giant powder or any explosive, or the use of Indian cockle or any substance tending to stupefy the fish is unlawful.

Unlawful to take or attempt to take fish in any of the inland lakes with any kind of spear, grab-hook, set lines or night lines, or by the use of jacks or artificial lights of any kind or any kind of net, or by the use of fire arms or explosives of any kind, or any device, except hook and line, except during the months of December, January, February and March.

Streams in which trout and grayling are native, stocked with such fish protected by law four years after planting of such streams.

It is unlawful to place in any stream, race or lake any kind of wire dam or device which may obstruct the free passage of fish.

It is unlawful to catch minnows for other purposes than for bait.

The violation of law in any of the above points is punishable by fine not exceeding \$100 and the costs of prosecution, or in default thereof, imprisonment not exceeding 30 days.

For further information see "Game and Fish laws of the State of Michigan."

INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Northern Michigan Branch of the U. B. Missionary Society Will Meet in This City

APRIL 29TH AND 30TH, 1908.

Large Attendance Looked for--Sessions Will be Held at United Brethren Church.

The North Michigan Branch of the Women's Missionary Association of the United Brethren Church will hold their annual session in this city Wednesday and Thursday April 29th and 30th.

Wednesday evening--Devotion led by Matheron delegate, address of welcome, Mrs. H. C. Purvis; response, Mrs. Sadie Hawood Reading, Mrs. Eva Beers; Duette; paper, the Coming Kingdom, Rev. Ida J. Robbin; announcements; adjourn.

Thursday Morning--Devotion led by Bates delegate; roll call; responded to with Scriptural quotation; miscellaneous business; Reports from Locals; report of Branch Secretary; report of Branch Treasurer; paper, benefits of the W. M. A. of the church, Mrs. S. J. Potter; discussion; report of committees; adjourn.

Thursday afternoon--devotion, South Boardman delegate; unfinished business; round table; (a) Frontier Missions, Bishop C. L. Wood, (b) Chinese Missions, Rev. A. B. Bowman, (c) African Mission, Rev. Ida J. Robbin; election of officers; miscellaneous business; question box, adjourn.

Thursday evening--devotion led by Rev. J. E. Harwood; music, male quartette; annual sermon, Rev. D. H. Shelly; music, male quartet; missionary offering; benediction.

ARCADA GRANGE NO. 500

Arcada Grange No. 500 met in regular session April 18. Sixty answered roll call. All officers were present with W. M. presiding. Minutes of the last meeting read. Two bills allowed and orders drawn for the same.

IN THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Rev. J. M. Wolfe, pastor of the First Methodist church is enjoying a four weeks' vacation granted him by his church.



REV. J. M. WOLFE.

church. He is now at his old home in Georgia, but will later attend the general conference of the Methodist church at Baltimore, returning home about May 2nd.

SERVICES REPEATED.

By special request the choir of St. Johns' church will repeat next Sunday morning and evening the Easter music rendered last Sunday. This will be an opportunity for those who were unable to be present last Sunday morning or evening to hear the music of Easter Sunday.

RAIN PREVENTED GAME

Although the Mt. Pleasant Normal School and Indian School Combination team cancelled last Saturday's game with Alma it was Coach Harper's intention to arrange a contest between the first and second teams.

The other members of the squad were tested last year and hardly need commenting on again this week, except to say that they make an excellent bunch to select a championship team from.

The track men are all hard at work. The discuss is lying better than 120 feet at present and by the time of the June meet "big" McCollum should be able to send it still farther.

The field covered by the stories was two-fold: story telling for children, and story telling for grown people.

The two solos given during the evening, the first one by Miss Caldwell of the college, entitled "Spring Time" and the second by Miss Anna Montigel, were both rendered in fine style receiving much applause.

WASHING EMBROIDERIES

Make a good lather with soap and warm water, adding one fourth of a teaspoonful of powdered borax to each quart of water. Place the articles in an ordinary glass fruit jar, then nearly fill the jar with the lather.

PROBATE COURT

Monday, April 18th, was the hearing on the petition for the appointment of an administrator in the matter of the estate of Daniel Bailey, deceased.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Advertised list for the week ending April 18th, 1908: Mr. Albert Brayton, Miss Lizzie Carters, Mr. Vern C. Chody, Wm. Decker, Mr. Ted Ferguson, Mr. H. S. Hess, 2, Mr. C. E. Marvin, Miss Bertha Miller, Mr. Bertram Raymond, Mrs. James Senaugh, Mr. Herman Stover, Miss Lillian Tynland, 2, Mr. L. Wasserman.

SALE STILL CONTINUES.

F. E. Pollasky the popular merchant, has conducted during the past few weeks one of the most popular sales ever conducted in Gratiot county.

SCHOOL REPORT.

School report of District No. 8 Arcada. Those neither absent nor tardy are Bessie Birmingham, Savilla Birmingham, Nettie Husted. Those tardy but not absent are Flora Daymon, Ruth Thrush, Lulu Thrush, Ethel Rice, Arthur Rice.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Jay Miller, 30, Newark Hazel Allen, 18, Ithaca. Wm. Peck, 46, Alma Hattie Croop, 30, Alma Thomas George Shain, 63, Seville Mary G. Thompson, 32, Seville John A. Brauner, 22, New Haven Mand May Rich, 19, New Haven David Carpenter, 30, New Haven Jennie Husted, 18, New Haven John H. Doan, 29, Wheeler Sadie Dawson, 25, Breckenridge.

GIVES FINE LECTURE

In The Gymnasium at the Alma Springs Hotel Tuesday Evening, April 21.

LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDS

Miss Edna Lyman Lectures on Children's Literature and Story Telling.

Miss Edna Lyman gave her lecture last evening in the gymnasium of the Alma Springs Hotel to a large and appreciative audience, about 180 tickets being sold.

The field covered by the stories was two-fold: story telling for children, and story telling for grown people.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was adopted at Reed City convention last week. The republicans of the Eleventh congressional district through their delegates in convention assembled renew their faith in and allegiance to the principles of present-day progressive republicanism.

We heartily endorse the stand of President Theodore Roosevelt on the great problems of national life, and we urge that the issues so admirably put into form by him be carried forward to their logical conclusion in the interest of our countrymen regardless of wealth or social condition.

On the same day a petition was filed for the determination of heirs in the matter of the estate of Richard W. Finch, deceased. Hearing set for May 14th.

On the same day a petition was filed for the appointment of an administrator in the matter of the estate of Mary Bannister, incompetent.

On the same day a petition was filed for the appointment of a guardian of the person and estate of George McPherson incompetent. Sarah McPherson was appointed guardian of said estate.

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