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Staff

Remember that the big Gratiot County Interscholastic meet will be held on Davis Field next Friday. No classes will be held and every man and woman in college will have an excellent chance to get out and show our visitors a fine time. Let us lose no opportunity to be courteous to them and show them what Alma really is.

The officials for the event will be:
Judges at finish: F. McComb, Sayles, B. Chapel.

Field Judges:

Weight events— McCollum, Ackerman, Johnson. Jumps—Kefgen, A. Duncanson.

Inspector: Roy Campbell

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Once upon an evening dismal,
I handed her a paroxysmal
Kiss, and spoke her name baptismal.
Spoke her name it—was Lenore:
Ah, she was a scrumptious creature,
Glib of tongue and fair of feature,
But, alas! I couldn't teach her,
For she had been there before—
And she winked at me and murmured
Murmured the one word: "Encore!"
Only that—and nothing more.
—Chicago News

ORDER OF EVENTS.

G. C. A. A., May 29, 1908.
on Davis Field.

- 1.—50 yard dash, Class A.
- 2.—50 yard dash, Class B.
- 3.—Stand broad jump, Class A.
- 4.—100 yard dash, Class A.
- 5.—100 yard dash, Class B.
- 6.—Stand broad jump, Class B.
- 7.—Mile run, Class A.
- 8.—Mile run, Class B.
- 9.—120 yard low hurdle, Class A.
- 10.—120 yard low hurdle, Class B.
- 11.—12 pound shot, Class A.
- 12.—12 pound shot, Class B.
- 13.—440 yard dash, Class A.
- 14.—440 yard dash, Class B.
- 15.—12 pound Hammer, Class A.
- 16.—12 pound Hammer, Class B.
- 17.—220 yard low hurdle, Class A.
- 18.—220 yard low hurdle, Class B.
- 19.—Discus, Class A.
- 20.—Discus, Class B.
- 21.—220 yard dash, Class A.
- 22.—220 yard dash, Class B.
- 23.—High jump, Class A.
- 24.—High jump, Class B.
- 25.—Half mile run, Class A.
- 26.—Half mile run, Class B.
- 27.—Run broad jump, Class A.
- 28.—Run broad jump, Class B.
- 29.—120 yard high hurdle, Class A.
- 30.—Pole vault, Class B.
- 31.—Pole vault, Class A.
- 32.—Half mile relay, Class B.
- 33.—Half mile relay, Class A.

NIGHT.

The stars shine bright
In the sky tonight,
And my heart throbs full with joy.
The cares that weary and vex the day
Have all of them taken their flight—
Have all of them flown away;
And I sit by my window and ponder
The night
Drinking deep of the fragrance of May.
Night's shades wrap round
The slumbering town
As a mother fondles her child;
Its restless rush has at last been hushed
Its feverish haste beguiled:
And the verdant grove
Where lovers rove
Is resting calm and mild.
The weary earth is fast asleep
City, and plain, and hill—
And even the ships on the restless deep
Are drifting calm and still
The heart of the night is hovering near
It's spirit speaks to me:
Of the hope of joys to be—
It speaks in a tongue no ear can ear
And of things no eye can see—
It's the soul of the night to the soul
in me!

C. L. H.

Prof. H (English IV)—Now, Mr. Sutherland, give us an example of a definition What would be the definition for silk cloth?

Bill (innocent as usual)—Well, er-well it's cloth made of the thread of an unwound silk worm.

"My instructor in English A told me not to say 'hair cut.'"

"How's that?"

"He said it was a barberism."

—Harvard Lampoon.

"You say both his legs were shot off?"

"Yes"

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he got home in a very short time."—
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"Kin a man light a cigar wid a pair of cuffs?"

"Certainly not."

"Um! he can't eh? Well, jes' s'posin' dem cuffs am matches?"

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VISIT KINDERGARTEN.

Miss Parsons, director of the Kindergarten Training School of Mt. Pleasant Normal, and fourteen of her pupils, made a visit of inspection to the Alma College Training School for Kindergartners. Alma College has succeeded in developing, under the directorship of Miss Clara Mingins and Mrs. E. O. Perriam, what is recognized as being the only true kindergarten in Michigan. Miss Parsons and her pupils saw only the regular working of the department, no special exercise being planned for the day. The visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the work being done at Alma. A movement is now under way to introduce Eastern methods in the Training School at Mt. Pleasant. The ordinary work in Western kindergartens at present is mainly of the nature of sub-primary instruction. Alma being the only institution in the state carrying the teachings of Froebel and Pestalozzi to their logical conclusion.

ALUMNI TALK,

W. Ray Raker, '03', now a school teacher in Davenport, Iowa, assures us that it gives him pleasure to read the Weekly Almanian.

Mrs. Vanderbilt Gets Divorce.

Mrs. Vanderbilt has been granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt by Justice O'Gorman in the supreme court on the report of David McClure, the referee who was appointed to take testimony and determine the findings in the suit instituted by Mrs. Vanderbilt. Justice O'Gorman confirmed the report of the referee that Vanderbilt had been guilty of misconduct and directed that Mrs. Vanderbilt be granted a judgment of absolute divorce.

Visits King Edward.

President Fallieres has arrived in London to return the visits which the king and other members of the British royal family have paid to the head of the French republic in Paris. The honors to be paid the president cannot equal those bestowed upon the German emperor during his visit last year, as the president's stay will be but a short one; but what is lacking in great entertainments will be made up for in the enthusiasm of the public welcome.

Subscriptions gratefully received day or night.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

Brief Paragraphs of the World's Latest Occurrences.

Louis Leavin was killed and his brother, Jacob, probably fatally injured by the explosion of a soda water tank, in their store in Philadelphia. The brothers were charging the tank when it burst, hurling them across the cellar. The floor of the place was covered up, and they were buried in a pile of debris. Louis died shortly after being admitted to the hospital. Both of Jacob's arms are broken.

The next annual convention of the American Bankers' association will be held in Denver during the week beginning Sept. 27.

Boyce Stone, a white man, was shot to death by Henry Fowler, a negro, in the negro's home, one mile northwest of Greer, S. C. Fowler is said to have killed Stone because of Stone's attempt to assault Fowler's wife.

The Japanese consul at Honolulu has been advised by his government that emigration from Japan to Hawaii is now limited to Japanese who were formerly residents in the islands and the wives and children of those who now live in Hawaii.

Two crowded trolley cars collided at Devisadero and Sacramento streets in San Francisco at the foot of a steep hill, killing Henry Baer, a traveling salesman, and injuring twenty other passengers, one probably fatally and several seriously.

George P. Andrews, twenty-eight years old, general manager of the Hero Mining company, was drowned in an underground stream at Joplin, Mo., when a scow, carrying State Representative James Roach and Cyrus W. Wycoff, ground foreman of the Hero mine, capsized.

The bodies of Ralph McCabe and Chester McCormick, aged seven and eight years, of Chicago, who were supposed to have been kidnaped, were found in the lagoon on the old Washington Park race track ground. The boys had evidently gone wading in the water and got beyond their depth.

Does this remind you of anything? Subscription Department.

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LOCAL NEWS

The board of directors of the Oregonian newspaper company today announced that they had elected a new president and vice president for the coming year.

The board also announced that they had authorized the purchase of a new building for the newspaper's offices.

The new building is located on the corner of Broadway and Commercial streets, and will be completed in the summer of 1925.

The board also announced that they had authorized the purchase of a new printing press.

The new press is a four-color press, and will enable the newspaper to print its news pages in color.

The board also announced that they had authorized the purchase of a new delivery truck.

The new truck is a six-wheeled truck, and will enable the newspaper to deliver its newspapers more efficiently.

The board also announced that they had authorized the purchase of a new advertising display.

The new display is a large display, and will enable the newspaper to display its advertisements more effectively.

SPORTS

The Oregonian football team today defeated the University of Oregon team in a game played at the University of Oregon stadium.

The Oregonian team scored a total of 20 points, while the University of Oregon team scored a total of 14 points.

The Oregonian team's victory was a significant one, as it marked the first time that the team had defeated the University of Oregon team in a game played at the University of Oregon stadium.

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