

Baptists Sponsor Speaker May 19-26

Charles A. Wells, newspaper editor, writer and world traveler, who will speak here during the week of May 19-26 at First Baptist Church comes to the field of religious interest with a unique preparation and equipment.

A university graduate, Mr. Wells has had many years' experience as a feature artist and writer, his work now appearing regularly in many newspapers and in religious magazines.

In this capacity he has frequently traveled to Japan, China, India, Russia, Germany and other countries that embrace the major programs of political and religious interest.

Born of Quaker parentage, his father was one of the outstanding leaders of that faith during the past generation, though Mr. Wells inherited a deep interest in religious life and problems. Although he began his newspaper work as a sports cartoonist and writer, he soon moved on into the field of editorial cartoons and feature writing which brought him opportunities for foreign travel.

Mr. Wells' cartoons and editorials on world affairs from the religious and ethical angle attracted wide attention and were taken up for syndication to the secular and religious press.

WILL VISIT COURT

The three Ballou civic classes under the supervision of Wilson Jenkin are planning to take a trip to the Circuit Court at Pontiac in the near future.

The students will also visit their county offices.

ALBION COLLEGE DAY

ALBION—Three hundred high school seniors and their guests from Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois, are expected to visit the Albion college campus Saturday, May 4, to participate in the eighth annual Meet-the-College day.

Try an Eccentric Classified Ad

Lathrup Townsite News

by LILLIAN DIEDERICH

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Drago, of Bloomfield drive, invited 12 guests for turkey and trimmin's Saturday night. Mrs. Drago also gave a bridge luncheon at Redford Inn, on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Maddock, of San Diego boulevard, had dinner guests from Detroit, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Howard J. Stock, of San Diego boulevard entertained her Detroit bridge club on Friday.

John A. Freese, of Lathrup boulevard has been in Gotham these last ten days.

Under huge colorful sombreros a pair of happy faces appeared. To be sure . . . Dick and Inez Diederich returned from Havana, Nassau, and other exciting places. They were surrounded by important looking bottles wrapped in straw and bearing strange labels. A few were perfume bottles.

Mrs. William Orth, of San Jose avenue, gave a shower for Mrs. Joseph Wall, Thursday afternoon. After lunch was served, a shower of dainty gifts, completely surprised the guest of honor. The afternoon was spent in playing cards.

Welcome to Lathrup, Mr. and Mrs. William Waddell, of Eckman boulevard, not forgetting Betty, Esther and young Bob.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mason have returned from a six-week cruise. They sailed from New York around the coast of Florida, through the Isthmus of Panama, up the Pacific coast to California, and thence home by rail.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. France, of Lathrup boulevard, gave a novel dinner party Saturday. It was an informal Italian dinner, and the decorations carried out the idea.

Residents Here Distinguish Selves In Florida Fishing

By LILLIAN DIEDERICH

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Wilson, of Lathrup boulevard, who have been vacationing at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., since Feb. 1, have had several successful Gulf stream fishing trips.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lake, of Arlington road, Birmingham, were hosts to the Wilsons and other friends on various fishing trips, and much of the deep sea fishing was done aboard the yacht "Dash the Second," owned by the Frank Lakes.

Violet, 13-year-old daughter of the Wilsons, landed kingfish, mackerel, and bonitas. Mrs. Wilson hooked a 42-pound amerejack, a 32 pound tarpon, and a 37 pound barracuda. This last named is known as the Tiger of the Sea. He put up a terrific fight, lasting 23 minutes; is now being mounted along with a large sailfish in readiness for shipping back home to verify this astounding story of a woman's prowess.

Mr. Wilson hooked a sailfish weighing 55 pounds, and 432 pound blue marlin. On March 27, Mr. Wilson had the thrill of a life put up a terrific fight, lasting 23 minutes; is now being mounted along with a large sailfish in readiness for shipping back home to verify this astounding story of a woman's prowess.

Weights of fish and landing time was certified by charter captains and officials. A Silver Button Trophy was presented by Florida East Coast Anglers at their annual Gulf Stream Banquet held at Fort Lauderdale and attended by 1,100 sport fish enthusiasts.

Frank Lake holds the record for sailfish on Florida east coast and was awarded first prize grand trophy. His record sailfish, weighing 114 pounds, was hooked Dec. 20, 1939, in 78 minutes, on ten three line.

Other guests of the Lakes were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harshbarger, of Detroit who are building in Lathrup Townsite; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kallen, of Bloomfield Hills; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glynn, of Grosse Pointe; Max Helen Glynn, of Detroit; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Shusa of Detroit.

The Fred Wilsons, their two daughters, and Mr. Wilson's mother, will arrive home about May 15.

Lacked Finances

"Where's old Bill been lately? I haven't seen him for months." "What? Haven't you heard? He's got three years for stealin' a car!"

"What did he want to steal a car for? Why didn't he buy one and not pay for it, like a gentleman?"

We Heard It Said By:

Mr. HOWARD COX, 1090 East Maple: "If rabies exists, why don't we go all the way and immunize ALL dogs? Why just insist on immunization of dogs which happen to be taken to the city pound, as the city ordinance now provides? As a city of fine homes, I think it would be a wonderful advertisement for Birmingham if we were among the first to insist on immunization for all dogs. However, I don't think that \$1.50 should be charged; that is too much. Some city employee could do it and include the slight cost in the fee charged for the license. Why make it a burden?"

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Dr. Daniels to Talk on Cancer Control

Dr. Lewis E. Daniels, who lives on Telegraph road, not far from Birmingham will be the speaker at the public meeting here, Monday, May 13, sponsored by the Oakland County Cancer Control Committee.

The meeting, to be held at the Community House, is one of the nation-wide series being sponsored by the American Society for the Control of Cancer.

Dr. Daniels was born in Cambridge, Mass. He attended Amherst College and the University of Michigan, then Harvard medical college. He returned to the U. of M. as an instructor in obstetrics and gynecology. Dr. Daniels has practiced in Detroit for 15 years and is still serving as an assistant professor at the U. of M. He is also chief obstetrician at Woman's Hospital in Detroit.

To illustrate his talk, he will show 40 slide pictures.

The Oakland County Committee consists of members of the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Auxiliary.

Cub News

New Cub Pack
Since its introduction into Birmingham last November, the Cub program has been growing by leaps and bounds. There are now two registered Packs in the community and soon there will be a third. This latest development is in Adams School, where the P.T.A. has directed its efforts to the organization of the Pack. Two preliminary meetings have been held and the next one, which will be held May 10 at Adams School, will feature an effort of Den I of Pack B-5 to demonstrate the typical Den meeting.

Den Mothers to Take Over
The next meeting for Pack B-5 will be held in Quaron gym Monday evening at 7:30. This meeting will be under the direction of Den Mothers and Mrs. Robert F. Grindley will be master of ceremonies.

Reorganization in B-5
In a recent shakeup in organization, members of the B-5, two definite changes have taken place. The first is in Den II, where Mrs. F. Stewart Den Mother, turned over her office to Mrs. Charles Hoff. Jim Thomas retained his job of Den Chief.

In Den VII, John Staples resigned as Den Chief and George Anstutz took his place.

Handicraft Tops in Pack B-4
Sponsored by the P.T.A. of Rutland School, Pack B-4 had its first Pack meeting on April 10. The next one will be during the second week of May. Handicraft is a major interest.

Detroit Choir Coming to Troy Church

The Northwestern Baptist Church Choir, of Detroit, D. E. Johnson, director, will present a musical program at the Troy Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, May 9, at 8 o'clock. This program occurs during National Music Week.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

A session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in conformity with the 13th day of April, A. D. 1940.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

The Matter of the Estate of Alice Viola Gustaf, Deceased.

Guarantia sister of said deceased, having filed a petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court and admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to petitioner, the executor named in said last will and testament or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of May, A. D. 1940, at 9 o'clock, Eastern Standard Time, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that prominent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail return receipt demanded, on each of the above heirs at law, legatees and devisees, that have known their address at least ten days prior to said date of hearing. ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
FLORENCE DOWDY, Register of Probate.

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