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NEWS-ETTES OF GRAND MARAIS AND VICINITY

Jottings Heard About Town of Things of General Interest to Local Readers.

Supt. Wm. Clinch autoed to Duluth Tuesday.

Chas. Seglem is the proud father of a son born last Tuesday.

Alice M. Lindskog, of Duluth, is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Anna A. Berg, of Duluth, visited Grand Marais Tuesday.

A. Bushman of Grand Portage, was a Grand Marais visitor this week.

Harris McIver, of Baptism River, was a Grand Marais visitor Tuesday.

The proceeds of the Ladies Aid sale last Saturday at Hovland netted \$86.05.

Miss Elvira Peterson, of Pigeon Point, was a Grand Marais visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Perry, of Minneapolis, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Hoefler for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowe of the Northwestern Oil Co., were in Grand Marais this week.

Joe Wiscop who had nine months service in France arrived in Grand Marais last Wednesday.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid will meet Friday afternoon, July 11th, with Mrs. Claus Hanson.

Mr. J. W. Sundeen, of Duluth, and a party of four were guests at the Lakeside Hotel this week.

Mr. Louis C. Dohlman and family, of Detroit, Mich., are camping on Maple Hill for the summer.

Word has been received here that Mrs. Hans Gilbertsen who has been very ill in Duluth for some time is improving.

Mrs. Aaron Lince and Mrs. E. Titus accompanied Mr. Ed. Toftey on a visit to see his son Norman at Tofte Sunday.

Miss Velna Monker who is working in Duluth was home on a short visit Sunday, returning on the America Monday evening.

K. E. Luger, fire patrolman of St. Paul, and Frank E. Mullen and Roger Billin, fire patrolmen of Pigeon Point, were in Grand Marais this week.

Edward Dalbec who has been in the service in France for the past year returned to Grand Marais on the Fourth in time to help us celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lien have just returned from an extended auto trip to Washburn, Ashland and Odanah, Wis. They report a pleasant journey all the way.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Lundquist entertained last week in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Five hundred was played and all reported a very pleasant evening.

J. P. Angers and a party of five of the Armour Packing Co., of Duluth, were on a fishing trip in this vicinity and stopped at the Sterling Hotel Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hoopes and Mr. and Mrs. T. Hoopes, jr., of Duluth, were guests of Mrs. Geo. Mayhew this week.

J. C. Murphy has opened a general store in the Stubstad building on Broadway. He received a shipment of stock on the Sunday boat and is equipping his store with a refrigerator and will be ready to handle meats by next week.

The Royal Neighbors gave a surprise party in honor of Mrs. Thos. Joynes at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Winger. Five hundred was played, Mrs. Woods winning the head prize and Blanche Bally the consolation prize.

Matt Johnson and family returned yesterday afternoon from a very enjoyable auto tour through southern Minnesota. The roads were fine, the climate was not too hot to be uncomfortable and the scenery in that part of the state at this time of year is grand.

A tuneful musical comedy entitled, "Pinafor Up-to-Date" will be given under the direction of Mrs. G. F. Alley, of Port Arthur, at the Princess Theatre in Grand Marais July 19th. About a month ago the same company presented a program here which was enjoyed by everyone and we are very glad to announce that we will be given an opportunity to hear them again.

Lieut. Thomas Joynes who was the operator of the wireless station at Grand Marais about seven years ago, and who has been stationed at Frankfort, Mich., for the past five years arrived here last Friday for a visit with relatives in the village. Lieut. Joynes enlisted in the navy shortly after war was declared and is still in the service having charge of a large government wireless station at Frankfort. He says that the government service is fine and Uncle Sam treats him well but he'd rather be a civilian and go into business in Grand Marais.

The following were guests at the Hotel Paine this week: John Kleffman and John A. Redfern, Hibbing; J. H. McNally, Cloquet; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Stone, Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Donald McIver, Duluth; W. W. Springsted and family, Hayfield, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bennet, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gilpin and son, Duluth; John A. Stephenson, Mrs. Jas. Stephenson, W. R. Stephenson, J. A. Stephenson, Elizabeth Stephenson, Duluth; Charles A. Forbes, St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Stone, Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Shambau, Duluth; Mr. and Mrs. W. Dietrick, Superior; W. J. Forsythe, Duluth; Mrs. A. A. Strom, A. W. Kempe, John Kurneander, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Koehler, Superior; Captain and Mrs. H. R. Packard, Minneapolis; Dr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Willis, Duluth; W. Bergquist, Duluth; R. E. Almstead, St. Paul; M. Montague, Virginia; John G. Howard, Duluth; Mrs. M. A. Murphy, Virginia; R. A. Haut, Pine City.

STEAMER LIBERTY AND PART OF DOCK BURNS

Grand Marais Witnessed Beautiful But Destructive Spectacle Sunday Evening.

The people of Grand Marais were witnesses to a most beautiful but destructive spectacle when the steamer Liberty and part of the dock burst into flames as if by magic last Sunday evening.

At first it seemed as if the whole dock was on fire. Every line of the burning boat could be plainly seen outlined in tongues of flames and the red rafters of the burning fish house on the dock were vividly outlined against the rocks. It was a calm night, the moon was up above the white lighthouse, and the whole panorama with the burning Liberty in the foreground was reflected in the water.

After a time the rope attaching the steamer Liberty to its moorings burnt and the boat drifted out in the harbor. For a time it seemed as if it were going out into the lake but instead it drifted over toward the old mill and landed on the rocks where it burned all night and most of the next day, until now nothing remains of the once beautiful ship but the burned out boilers and a mass of scrap iron.

The cause of the fire has not been determined. The chief engineer says that he and a fireman had stayed up to watch and were strolling on the dock when they saw a light. They both ran for the boat but before they reached it it was all aflame and for the next few minutes they were too busy getting the men out of the boat to think of anything else. Some of the men were forced to leave with only part of their clothes, one of the crew lost \$10 and the chief engineer is said to have lost about \$300 worth of tools and a new suit of clothes. The captain and one of the crew both lost their shoes.

The Liberty carried an insurance of \$20,000 and is owned by the Scandia Fish company.

The loss at the dock is estimated at \$1000, two buildings, a fish house and a building used as a garage were burned to the ground and part of the dock destroyed.

An interesting but sad sequel to the excitement was experienced by Bill Moses. Moses was going to Lutsen Sunday evening and having \$60 in his pocket did not wish to carry it on his person, so in his hurry he stuck it in the toe of a pair of shoes belonging to Jim Woods, thinking they would be safe there until his return. When one of the crew of the Liberty came along without any shoes Jim Woods took pity on the fellow and remembering that he had a pair upstairs, gave him the pair with the sixty dollars in. When Moses returned and missed the shoes investigation followed, but the shoes and the man were gone.

ROTARY CLUBS COMING

There will be a meeting of the Commercial club Monday evening, July 14th, to arrange matters for the coming of the Rotary Clubs of Duluth, Superior, Port Arthur and Fort William. These clubs have arranged to be here Saturday and Sunday, of next week, July 19th and 20th, and as the village will no doubt be overcrowded and sleeping quarters at a premium it will be up to the people of the village to do everything they can in the way of providing rooms, and anyone who can provide one or more rooms will kindly list them with some member of the Commercial club or come to the meeting Monday night.

This is a matter of public interest, or at least should be, and everyone in the village should do their part.

J. C. MURPHY,
Pres. Com. Club.

While going back to Fort William from a touring trip to Grand Marais Mr. W. T. Everett and family were forced off the road by a Canadian car going towards the states. Mr. Everett was compelled to turn off into the ditch, striking a rock which banged the car up considerably and Mrs. Everett received a small cut which we hope will not prove serious. The driver of the car did not stop to make any inquiries and Mr. Everett was forced to wait until assistance came to help him pull his car out. The Everett party was composed of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Everett, Mr. Everett's father, Mr. John Everett, and daughters, Gladys and Kathleen, and son Hubert.

SALVATION ARMY CONDUCTS HOME SERVICE CAMPAIGN

3,490,000 Doughnuts Cooked by Army; Good Work Deserves to be Helped Along.

The home folks of Minnesota will have an opportunity to show appreciation for the hot cakes, the cheer, and the welfare work given by the Salvation Army to their soldier boys who were with the army in France. The intensive campaign for \$600,000, Minnesota's quota in the Salvation Army national Home Service drive, has been set for August 10 to 18, and will give a chance for home folks to show their gratitude in a real way.

Julius A. Schmah, secretary of state, is state chairman and has as his first lieutenant Herbert N. Jaffrey, state campaign director, who has divided the state into twenty-seven districts. The state order of Elks, under R. F. Elridge, are interested in "accepting responsibility for putting the local drive through" in the seventeen districts in which Elk lodges are located. In the state convention held in St. Paul recently, the order promised their hearty support and voted unanimously to endorse every move made towards raising the national quota of \$15,000,000.

A total of 3,490,000 doughnuts is reported to be the number of batter cakes, cooked after the Salvation Army lassies own recipe and served by their own hands to our American soldiers during a twelve month stretch in the war time. From February 1918 to March 1918, there were 1651 religious meetings held for our soldiers and during these 1106 conversions were made. These figures do not account for the work done by the Salvation Army with other Allied armies.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION ENJOYED BY ALL

Parade, Patriotic Addresses and Various Contests Features of Celebration.

The Fourth of July celebration held in Grand Marais was pronounced a grand success by everybody. The program began with a splendid parade led by a car in which were the two Civil War veterans of the village, Judge Durfee and Mr. C. N. Ashford. Following were the Red Cross Ladies and members of the Junior Red Cross, then came the returned soldiers and some very pretty floats.

After the parade the crowd gathered in a grove in front of the Paine hotel and the U. S. Inspector of Customs, Joseph Mahon, read the preamble of the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence after which Dr. F. B. Hicks gave a stirring patriotic address.

In the afternoon races, jumping and contests of various kinds were held, the nail driving contest by the ladies and the pie-eating contest were especially enjoyed by the contestants as well as by the spectators. Later in the afternoon the boys played a rousing game of ball.

The list of prizes given and the expenses and money taken in for the celebration of the Fourth will be published next week.

BIRTHDAY AND REUNION

A reunion of the members of the Scott family was held at the Kadunce creek last Sunday the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Andrew J. Scott.

Mr. Scott is an old army man who enlisted in the Civil War at the age of fourteen years and served for a period of two years and ten months.

Mr. Scott is the father of a large family. About thirty-six attended the gathering last Sunday but all the members of the family were not there.

St. Paul.—Although a serious shortage of help exists at the Anoka state insane asylum, conditions there are wholly satisfactory, the state board of visitors announced.

Bemidji.—Bemidji had a big celebration for the Fourth. At an open air mass meeting the principal speaker was R. E. Denfield, former superintendent of schools of Duluth. A baseball game between Bemidji and Pine River was won by the Bemidji team, 3 to 2.

St. Paul.—Tom Brown, said to live in Minneapolis, came over into the Minnesota Transfer district of St. Paul with a stock of fireworks. He fired off a few loud ones to attract customers and Motorcycle Policeman C. Haackert arrested him for violating the ordinance. He forfeited \$10 bail.

STATE BREVITIES

International Falls.—The roads in this section are in fine condition now, with the exception of spots or short stretches.

St. Cloud.—Loretta Deering, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Deering, was quite badly injured when she ran into an auto driven by Dr. Fay Brigham.

Thief River Falls.—Hoag & Co., Minneapolis contractors, have a crew of men at Holt erecting a new elevator there to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

Thief River Falls.—Carl Christoferson, Robert McGinn and E. O. Mogensen have been named by Mayor G. A. Penny to solicit funds for the destitute at Fergus Falls.

Brainerd.—The clerks' union and merchants of the city have generally agreed upon the new schedule of hours, providing that stores shall open at 8 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

Stillwater.—G. W. Tolen received a telegram from G. J. McGraw of Minneapolis, announcing that it had been decided to hold the state shoot in Stillwater next year, probably at Crocus Park.

Bemidji.—The county board received one bid on \$100,000 worth of county road bonds, made by W. L. Slayton, Toledo, Ohio, and he was awarded this amount of bonds. The bonds bear 5½ per cent interest.

Brainerd.—The Minneapolis Working Boys' band enjoyed its annual outing at Mille Lacs lake fishing, boating and swimming. There were sixty in the party accompanied by their leader, C. C. Heintzeman.

Litchfield.—One of the largest crowds ever in this city helped to make the Fourth here a success. A big parade and aeroplane stunts were the morning events. D. W. Lawler of St. Paul delivered an address.

Brainerd.—A feature of the Fourth celebration here was the big dinner served all returned soldiers who were present, for which no charge was made. It was an elaborate spread and in personal charge of Mrs. Tom Smart.

Hibbing.—The village council decided to accept the amended and revised Mesaba Electric railway franchise. In the new franchise the street railway company agrees not to tear up any of the old tracks and to extend the line to Alexandria street and Alice.

St. Paul.—Seven-year-old Helen Smith, daughter of Herbert Smith, was severely burned about her face and body the Fourth, when her dress caught fire while playing with firecrackers near her home. She was taken to the City hospital. Her condition may prove fatal.

Crookston.—On the Fisher road, north of the Northwest School of Agriculture, an Overland, driven by Grand Forks people, went off the road into the ditch. The car was wrecked and the passengers were injured, it is believed, for considerable blood was found around the car. The occupants, however, were picked up by cars westbound and taken to Grand Forks.

Bemidji.—Governor R. G. Pleasant and 100 Louisiana road enthusiasts and Jefferson highway supporters left New Orleans on a sociability run to Winnipeg. They will reach Bemidji July 18, and Frank S. Lyeon, chairman of the Bemidji committee in charge of arrangements, is planning a reception at Birchmont in their honor. It is also planned that a delegation of Bemidji men will motor to Wadena to meet the tourists and pilot them to this city.

"LURE OF THE WANDERLUST" ATTRACTS TOURISTS.

Grand Marais Has a Charm Which Once Felt Can Never Be Broken.

They are coming, those tourists who have felt the charm of our little village and find it grips them more and more as the season advances, until they cannot help themselves, all nature is calling them and they must take a run up here where the Lake Superior breezes blow and where one is safely away from the burning heat of the Southland, and catch a mess of those beautiful speckled trout that are so abundant in the thousands of babbling brooks that leap and play in the sunshine.

And from all over the states they come—Michigan, Illinois, Kansas, Wisconsin, Nebraska, yes and even from Kentucky. And when once they come they are sure to come again. For here we have nature as it has always been, untouched by any spoiling process. And the road from Duluth to Port Arthur is one that rain or wind does not spoil—a fine graveled highway that leads on and on through "whispering pines" and sighing birches, over murmuring streams with speckled beauties and past wonderful waterfalls. No wonder that Grand Marais is bound to become one of the greatest of summer resorts, only waiting to be discovered in order to be enjoyed!

"THE LAND OF THE FREE"

The important announcement has been made that the William Fox photoplay, "The Land of the Free", will be shown at the Princess Theater Thursday evening. This is the film that tells for the first time the life story of General John J. Pershing, and certainly no more interesting subject could be presented on the film today. It is notable that this is the first time the screen has hastened to give the life of a great man before we learn much of him from books.

General Pershing's life has been supremely exciting and interesting. It has been full of adventure that led him to every part of the globe. There is in it romance and tragedy and achievement such as has seldom been recounted in telling the story of a single human life.

The film that tells all this could not help being interesting, but it is far more than this. It gives us a new view of the war and its causes. It is a picture we will all see, and as many as possible will see it promptly, for we shall all hear it discussed and will wish to talk about it ourselves.

Minneapolis.—More than 12,000 residents of Minneapolis attended the community dance on the pavement before the Minneapolis Art Institute the Fourth, bringing to a close the co-operated Fourth of July celebration. There were fifteen community celebrations in Minneapolis parks, playgrounds and other recreation centers. Sixty thousand persons, it was estimated, visited Lake Minnetonka. Thirty thousand flocked to Lake Harriet to enjoy the band concert and other attractions.

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If you are skimming your milk by any setting or dilution method or are using an inferior or worn out cream separator you are surely feeding a lot of butter-fat to your calves and pigs that is worth from 25 to 30 cents a pound.

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