

The Farm Fireside.

Gleanings by Our Country Correspondents.

OXBOW.

Henry Steeves is reported on the sick list. Gus. Roadstrom is visiting friends at St. Cloud. Mrs. Aaron Steeves visited her son, Henry Steeves, last Saturday. Wm. Stubbs of Long Lake was visiting Oxbow relatives last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Bockoven called on Mr. and Mrs. Otto Belfanz Sunday evening. On Monday Allan Hayes of Princeton was in this section for the purpose of purchasing furs. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harter were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dehn. Miss Emma Roadstrom left last Friday for Minneapolis, where she has secured employment. J. L. Graves of Long Lake returned to Oxbow last Thursday, bringing with him a phonograph. Rev. and Mrs. Koenig of Princeton were visiting at P. O. Anderson's and Ernest Radeke's on Friday last. Miss Rena Winsor and Henry Buleigh spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Annis last Sunday. At Lennie Bockoven's last Saturday evening were J. L. Grave, Chas. Steeves, Albert Black and Wm. Stubbs. The time was spent in card playing and enjoying the music furnished by Mr. Stubbs. Friday night found a crowd of young folks skating on Oxbow lake. The south and east portions of the lake are too rough for skating, as it was all frozen over during the hard wind on Monday night of last week. Val Mott returned Thursday after an absence of about two weeks. He visited Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Talbert at Lake Minnetonka, and reports that as soon as the lake freezes they will remove to their new house, which is now completed. The ladies of the Woman's Auxiliary to the number of a dozen met with Mrs. Allie Mott last Thursday afternoon. There was a very busy time finishing up the year's work. Lunch was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ernest Radeke on December 17, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Tuesday evening of last week was a very pleasant one—to sit at home by the stove, hence there was a very poor attendance at the A. S. of f. meeting at the Gates' school house. We have been requested to announce a change in the night of these meetings, the next meeting to occur on Saturday evening, December 26. Election of officers will take place then. There was not a very large attendance at the sale at the Gates' school house, nevertheless the time was pleasantly spent and about \$25 taken into the treasury of the Woman's Auxiliary. A number of articles left over will be sold at private sale or auctioned off at some future time. Geo. Tomlinson entertained the crowd for a time with his phonograph and some of the young ladies present sang a few songs. All seemed to enjoy themselves.

Muscular Pains Cured.

"During the summer of 1903 I was troubled with muscular pains in the instep of my foot," says Mr. S. Pedlar of Toronto, Ont. "At times it was so painful I could hardly walk. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was recommended to me, so I tried it and was completely cured by one small bottle. I have since recommended it to several of my friends, all of whom speak highly of it." For sale by Princeton Drug Co.

BATTLE BROOK.

Why not attend Sunday school even when it isn't too cold to skate? Mr. and Mrs. R. Carter have moved to Zimmerman, and Mr. Daml and family are to occupy the place vacated by them. The skating parties in Wurzhuber's pond on Wednesday and Thursday evenings were a howling success—at any rate, they were howling. The rains so enlarged the pond that there is not only room for the girls but old maids as well. A birthday china shower was given for Mrs. Lewis Larson on Saturday evening, December 5. Mrs. Larson was surprised almost into a collapse, but "one, two, three," etc, with accompanying slaps on the back, restored her to consciousness. The evening was spent in games, and chocolate and cake were served. It was John Bender's birthday also, and while he received no china, he was not at all slighted as to pounding.

Marked for Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams of Bac, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at C. A. Jack's drug store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

NEW GERMANY.

Max Kruske called at the Johnson ranch Thursday. This fine, open weather is just the thing for the livestock business and farmers in general. Numerous skating parties have taken advantage of the fine ice on the Rhine the past week. Uncle Fritz had a grand dream the other night. He dreamt that they had created a national department of good roads, with the vice-president at the head and supported annually by a half a billion dollars. Then each state had a road department joining hands with the national department, with the lieutenant governor at the head and supported annually by a million dollars. Then they had all

the prisoners and hoboes out building roads. Just then Uncle Fritz awoke from his pleasant dream and, remembering that he had to make a trip to Milaca that day, lamented his bad luck in seventeen different languages.

You know as well as any one when you need something to regulate your system. If your bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneys pain, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35 cents, tea or tablets.

BLUE HILL.

The Indians are still trapping on Rice lake. Robert McQuaid disposed of some cattle recently. Tom Belair shipped a carload of hay last week. Archie Rotler disposed of a number of fine furs recently. Mr. and Mrs. Wergin visited friends in South Baldwin Sunday. Elmer Fairchild, of Minneapolis, spent Thanksgiving with the Benders. John Hull's baby has been sick the past week. Dr. Armitage was called. W. H. Thompson has been erecting new chimneys and shingling his house. The Misses Julia and Grace Kalher have been ill the past few days. Edwin Johnson has been visiting his brother, Horace, the past few weeks. Superintendent Bailey of Elk River has been visiting schools in this vicinity. Miss Evelyn Berry has commenced her school again after a week's visit at her home in St. Paul. W. H. Thompson has made quite an improvement to his place by erecting a new cow barn and chicken house. Mr. and Mrs. Mohaupt are the happy grand parents of a baby boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sanford. New floors—nice hardwood floors—are quite the rage in Battle Brook. H. C. Nelson has laid one in his house. If your wife insists upon making the fires these cold mornings coax her to at least allow you to have kindling prepared for her. Albert Mohaupt left for Duluth Friday to take charge of one of the Mohaupt Bros' stores at that place during the holidays. A wagon load, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Mattson, Mr. and Mrs. Durbin, Edna and Harry Neken, John and Louis Wurzhuber, Peter Daml and Miss Hanson, attended the basket social in district 53. Mr. Mattson furnished the team and wagon, Mr. Durbin the advice, in consequence of which the road was lost, and the rest of the crowd the noise.

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality; good health is hard to retain. If you'd retain yours, fortify your system with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, the surest way. 35c, tea or tablets.

LONG SIDING.

Mrs. Clara Evenson visited with Mrs. Henry Uglem over Sunday. Charles Liskey visited his folks over Sunday and returned to Nebraska Monday. Go to Uglem Co.'s for your Christmas goods, where you will find a full line of them. Swan Carlson, Herman Schram and Paul Kruger returned from Wrenshall last Thursday. Ray Lynch departed for the northern part of the state to work the balance of the winter. Miss Lillian Gustafson spent Saturday night visiting at the home of Louis Wicen in Princeton. The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mink Monday morning and brought them a big boy. Andrew Johnson of Greenbush died at his home Tuesday morning. Mr. Johnson had been sick a year or more. They all reported a good time who attended the dance given by the band boys on Saturday night. The boys give another dance December 19. For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum. The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by Princeton Drug Co.

ZIMMERMAN.

R. E. Lynch returned from a visit to Chicago last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Iliff were here visiting friends last week. The work being done on the M. W. A. hall was completed this week. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jennison on Friday, December 4, a son. The Misses Nora and Lilly Stendahl went to Minneapolis last week. Mr. and Mrs. Parker of Elk River were here last week and spent a few days with friends. E. H. Foley went to Elk River last Friday with two loads of creamery fixtures which were taken out of this creamery. Ernest Olson and Milford Jennison started for Cass Lake on Wednesday morning, where they expect to spend the winter. For farm loans go to Robt. H. King. He gives lowest rates, best terms and quick service. 50-1f

DISTRICT NO. 24

Charles Shearston of Baldwin called at George Patten's Sunday. August Lundquist called on Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Satterstrom last Wednesday. Miss Hulda Satterstrom and Gust Dahlin were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Olson last Sunday. Earl and Mildred Edmunds started to school last Monday in district 24. Their parents have moved into the neighborhood just recently. Arthur Gustafson is spending the week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, who live near Cambridge. Arthur expects to do some trapping while there. There was a large crowd of skaters on the slough in front of Mr. Orne's house last Saturday night. All re-

port a fine time and several have proofs in the shape of large bumps. George Patten fell through the floor of a warehouse in Princeton last Wednesday together with several sacks of potatoes and a truck. He was severely bruised all over and has not fully recovered yet. Farmers, Attention. Bring your dressed hogs to L. C. Hummel's meat market, Princeton, and receive the highest market prices therefor.

WYANETT.

Mrs. Louise Severance spent the time during Mrs. Thompson's absence with her nephew, Orville Thompson. Mrs. Cynthia Howard has just returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Steadman, and other friends of Princeton. Miss Helen Thompson spent Thanksgiving at home. She is enjoying her school life in St. Cloud, one would think, for she has gained nine pounds in six weeks. We feel confident that Helen will "make good." Mrs. Swanbro will depart in a few days for a month's stay at Hall, N. D. She will visit her daughter, Mrs. Alice Johnson; and her daughters, Miss Jessie Swanbro and Mrs. Emma Hill, will spend part of the time there also. Mrs. Orville Thompson returned a week ago from an eighteen days' stay in the Princeton hospital. Her recovery was so rapid that she was able to visit a few days among her many Princeton friends before she came home.

Auction Sale.

I will sell at auction on my farm, situated one-half mile south of Blue Hill town hall, on Thursday, December 17, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., all my live stock, consisting of Jersey cows, several fresh; Poland China hogs, three horses, chickens, farm machinery and household furniture. Schuyler Hoyt, Auctioneer. J. C. Harvey, Owner.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the county auditor of Mille Lacs county, state of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the county board at the office of the county auditor of said county, in the village of Princeton, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m. Dated at Princeton, Minn., this 8th day of December, 1908. E. E. WHITNEY, (Official Seal) County Auditor.

Petition for Public Ditch.

To the County Board of the County of Mille Lacs, state of Minnesota: The undersigned land owners, whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the proposed public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare, and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch for drainage purposes along the following described route in the town of Borgholm, being T. 38 N., R. 26 W., in the county of Mille Lacs, and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility. A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows: Commencing at that point where Vondel Brook (so-called) crosses the line between sections sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in township 38 north, of range 26 west of the 4th P. M., Mille Lacs Co., Minn., thence in a southerly westerly direction through sections seventeen (17) and twenty (20), the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29) and into the northeast quarter of section thirty (30); thence in a southeasterly course through the east half of section thirty (30), the southwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29), the north half of section thirty-two (32), and terminating at a point where Vondel Brook crosses the section line between sections thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in township 38, range 26. It being intended by the foregoing description to follow down the general course of said Vondel Brook as nearly as practicable. And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such proposed ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty (230) of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905, and its amendments. Dated November 25th, 1908. Chr. Carl Eberhardt, A. J. Hurtig, John W. Anderson, John P. Asp, Peter M. Schelin, G. A. Lundine, Petitioners.

NOTICE.

Persons holding county warrants numbered as follows: COUNTY REVENUE. 8402 8384 8156 8283 8400 8406 8435 8491 8499 8492 8408 8500 8503 8490 8496 8501 8387 8502 8507 8509 8541 7438 8550 8494 8614 7650 8012 8281 8311 8522 8528 8529 8538 8680 8624 8623 8626 8633 8613 8635 8627 8646 8617 8326 8634 8641 8549 8637 8636 4623 8652 8825 8615 8656 8658 8370 8545 8546 8668 8670 8601 8671 8688 8672 8683 8678 8670 8727 8728 8716 8880 8648 8647 8682 8683 8731 8707 8729 8734 8738 8732 8739 8741 8745 8740 8740 8730 8747 8737 8735 8744 8742 8738 8748 8551 8655 8656 8687 8553 8758 8755 8782 8798 8794 8779

COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE.

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COUNTY DITCH.

4668 4876 4871 5647 5648 5656 5723 5655 5649 6010 6237 6239 6187 6188 6238 6240 will please present same to the county treasurer at Princeton, Minn., for payment. Interest on the above numbered warrants will cease thirty days from and after this date. Dated at Princeton, Minn., Dec. 10th, 1908. H. BURANZL, County Treasurer, Mille Lacs Co.

NOTICE!

Having sold out my general merchandise business to A. E. Allen & Co. I request all persons holding due-bills against the store to present them and trade them out before January 1st, 1909. All persons knowing themselves indebted to me are also respectfully requested to call and settle before the above mentioned date and greatly oblige E. B. ANDERSON, Princeton, Minn.

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4445-Girl's and Misses' Dress. Sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 years.



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4486-Girl's Dress. Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 years.



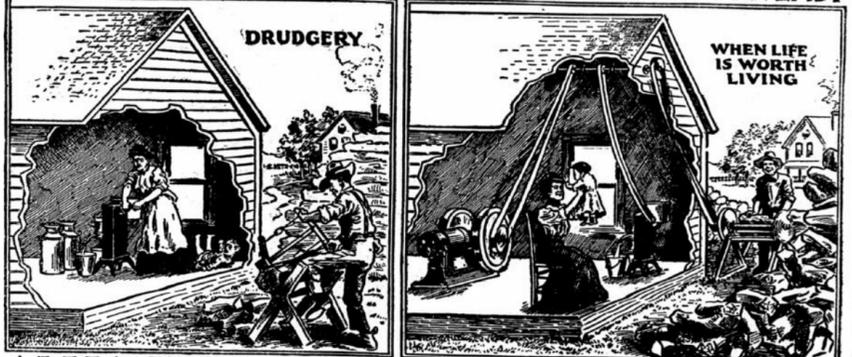
4674-Girl's Coat. Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 years.



3953-Girl's Dress. Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 years.

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