

The Farm Fireside.
Gleanings by Our Country Correspondents.

ESTES BROOK.
Harry Bemis and wife were Foley callers on Saturday.
Willie Beck's smiling face is once more seen at Estes Brook.
Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Lind spent Sunday at Al. Johnson's in Freer.
Alva Bemis finished threshing last week and returned home late Saturday night.
Hildur Kronstrom returned from Princeton on Friday. She spent a week with her sisters there.
A. G. Bemis wishes that the party who found his tank cover would please return it to his place.
There will be services in the M. E. church next Sunday evening conducted by Mrs. Bell of Ronneby.
Misses Ayers, Trunk and Herman-son drove to Ronneby last Monday evening to attend a party at Rev. Bell's.
Albert and Frank Lindquist, Charlie Nelson, Oscar Lind and Jno. Anderson spent Sunday evening at Sand-quist's.
The Ladies' society of the Norwe-gian Lutheran church will hold its annual auction sale at John Aarseth's on Wednesday, November 22. Every-one cordially invited to attend.
A surprise was given at the Barnick home on Friday evening. Refresh-ments were served and dancing was the chief event of the evening. All departed for their homes well pleased.
Mr. and Mrs. Olander Pierson and family, Misses Alma Hermanson and Pauline Trunk, and Arvid Lind and Oscar Schram were entertained at dinner at the Jacob Mahler home on Sunday.
BOGUS BROOK.
Wm. Hofferbert is plastering for V. A. Rowland this week.
The Misses Lindstrom visited Miss Della Rowland on Sunday.
Miss Ella Carlson called at the John Niesen home on Saturday evening.
Axel and Ella Carlson spent Sun-day at the Alfred Johnson home in Hayland.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swedberg called at the W. T. Hofferbert home on Sunday.
Mrs. Louis Tache left on Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Peter Bergsted, at Glendorado.
Mrs. W. T. Hofferbert and daugh-ter, Mrs. Oscar Swedberg, called at the John Franston home on Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Albin Swenson and Messrs. Helger Hanson, Louis and Pete Niesen called on Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swedberg on Sunday evening.
James Westling and sister, Ella, and the Misses Lillie Olson and Emma Anderson were pleasant callers at the Wm. Hofferbert home on Satur-day evening.
Albin Swenson, Theodore Jorgen-son and Ingmar Folwick lost valu-able horses last week. Mrs. E. A. An-derson and daughter, and Mrs. Falk of Milaca were over Sunday visitors at Chas. Johnson's.
James Westling returned on Thurs-day from a visit with friends and relatives at Glendorado. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Martha Hedin, of Grove City and Misses Lillie Olson and Emma Ander-son.
BLUE HILL.
Miss Theresa Boehm has returned from Princeton.
Mrs. Marie Rottier has been on the sick list the past week.
Kohlman Bros. have harvested a large crop of rutabagas.
Mike Kaliber and Sam Tilley expect to start shredding corn this week.
Albert Boehm and Arthur Borneke made a trip to Orrock on Sunday.
Tom Belair has purchased a \$300 Adler piano for his daughters, Eva and Mabel.
Tom Belair has purchased a new corn shredder and is now prepared to shred your corn.
The friends of John South will be sorry to learn that he has another attack of appendicitis.
Chas. Groff threshed 110 bushels of flax the past week and Erick Nelson had a yield of 91 bushels.
Mike Hull and wife and John Hull from Richland county, Wis., are visit-ing their nephew, J. R. Hull.
Otto Borneke had a cornhusking bee last Friday and a number of the boys turned out and helped him.
Tom Belair's mother has made him a short visit the past week, and is now visiting her son, Alex, in Green-bush before returning to her home in Princeton.
Mrs. Matt Johnson went to Minne-apolis on Monday to have her eyes treated by a specialist. She was ac-companied by her daughter, Christina, who will do some shopping.
Albert Boehm gave a dancing party

to his friends last Saturday evening. A fine supper was served by his mother and sister and all spent a pleasant evening.
The Altar society of the Greenbush Catholic church met with Mrs. Kate Borneke on Thursday last. Quite a number of ladies were present and were royally entertained.
Mrs. Clarence Taylor and son, Floyd, spent a few days visiting Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chisholm, at Milaca and also her sister, Mrs. Ephraim Yager.
Billy Thompson gave a farewell party to his friends at the home of Ezra Yager on Sunday evening. Refreshments were served. Billy ex-pects to spend the winter in Minne-apolis.
Miss Nellie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Anderson of Blue Hill, and Mr. Johnson of Glen-dorado were married on Saturday last. They were treated to a splendid serenade in the evening by the boys. There is nothing slow about Blue Hill boys.
WEST SPENCER BROOK.
Corn harvest is in full blast.
Teddie Williams is helping Gill Clough for a few days.
Fred Lund visited at Williams' last Monday between showers.
Ernest Ellingwood made a business trip to Princeton last Monday.
Guess who went to see a girl last Sunday night and had to walk home.
Rev. H. Holmgren is to be the new minister at the Swedish church at the Brook.
Mr. and Mrs. George Patten spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gill Clough.
Miss Annie Lund will go to Cam-bridge next Thursday for three or four weeks.
Jim McKenzie has dug a new root cellar and is now filling it with a fine lot of potatoes.
Miss Esther Holman is working for G. Collins since the Swanson girl went to Minneapolis.
Miss Mabel Prescott and Miss Eleanor Walker spent Sunday at the home of H. W. Prescott.
Jim McKenzie is one of the United States jurymen who is to be in Fergus Falls on November 14.
Our miller at the Brook is very busy grinding buckwheat for flour. He makes rye and graham flour also.
ZIMMERMAN.
Mrs. Heffner and Mrs. Pratt drove to Princeton yesterday.
H. Swanson was in the twin cities on business last week.
Oscar Swanson left on Tuesday for Minneapolis, where he expects to make his home.
Bertha Walker of Spencer Brook visited relatives here on Tuesday.
Mrs. W. A. Smith went to Spencer Brook on Sunday. There she expects to stay for about a month.
R. E. Lynch put in one of his tubular wells in front of the livery barn last week.
Pearl Hetrick came up from Elk River and spent Sunday at home.
Laura Lynch, who is attending school in Princeton, spent Sunday at home.
Sheriff Hiff and County Attorney Tyler of Elk River were in town on business Tuesday and Wednesday.
I. F. Walker shipped stock from here on Tuesday.
John Hetrick and Gid Wennergren have returned home from the west, where they have been since last March.
Mr. Berglund spent Sunday at his home in Sauk Rapids.
L. D. Carter is taking advantage of the good weather by completing his road work between here and Elk River.
The dance in the M. W. A. hall last Friday night was well attended and all report a good time.
George Cohoe has sold his farm to R. Lemke of Crown.
GLENDORADO AND SANTIAGO.
T. Knutson sold a horse to Al. Brown of Santiago last week.
Miss Emma Johnson is having dental work done in Princeton.
Mr. M. Larson entertained the Ladies' Aid society last Thursday.
Misses Lillie Olson and Emma Anderson visited at Milaca last week.
Miss Alma Wenberg of Greenbush is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Ode-gard.
Ole and Isaac Knutson of Santiago spent Sunday in Minneapolis visiting relatives.
Aleck Aleckson has moved onto the Kittilson eighty, which he recently purchased.
John Uran visited at Fergus Falls last week and is now working for Rev. H. Orrock.
Jim Westling of Milaca visited Glendorado friends last week. What's the attraction, Jim?
There will be services at the People's church in Santiago next Saturday evening and Sunday morn-

ing and evening. Rev. Taylor will speak. The public is cordially in- vited to attend.
Mrs. N. H. Nelson of Santiago spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Olson, at Glendorado.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Madson and the latter's mother, Mrs. Abrahamson, are visiting relatives at Peever, S. D.
Melvin and Olin Stowe and Thorval and Carl Clausen are home from the Dakotas, where they have been work- ing the past summer.
Special services were held in the Lutheran church last Sunday. Rev. Larson of Minneapolis conducted the services in the afternoon.
T. Olson had the misfortune to bruise one of his fingers in the engine last week. We understand it was necessary to amputate part of the finger.
Elef Johnson, son of S. Johnson of Greenbush, and Nellie Anderson, daughter of A. Anderson of Blue Hill, were united in marriage at the Glendorado Lutheran church last Saturday, November 4. Rev. P. Langseth officiated. A reception was given at the bride's home in Blue Hill in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. John-son will reside on the groom's farm in Greenbush. Their many friends unite in wishing them joy and pros- perity.
CROWN.
Emma Kriesel has left for Minne-apolis.
Fred Lemke had his telephone put in again.
Herman Fraser left for Minneapolis on Saturday.
Miss Blanche Douglas went to Elk River on Saturday.
Herman Abraham has a new buggy. There's another chance, girls.
Henry Beck has rented Steinke's farm and will move onto it soon.
Miss Ella Whittlof and Gustie Most called on Martha Lemke last Sunday night.
Fred Lemke has a horse and also a brand new buggy and the girls are all glad.
There will be a masquerade dance given at the Stanford hall on Novem-ber 11. Everybody invited.
The Misses Gussie and Lena Whit- lof and Ida Lemke called on Miss Freda Grams on Sunday night.
Misses Ida and Martha Lemke will return to Minneapolis with their sister, Mrs. Ivert, and spend the winter there.
A jolly bunch from here attended the dance at McDonald's on Satur- day, November 5. They all had a very good time.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoeckel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whittlof and Mrs. R. Lemke called at John Whittlof's on Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. William Ivert, daughter of R. Lemke, and son, Clarence, of Minne-apolis arrived here on Monday, where they will spend a few days visiting.
Buckwheat Ground.
If you have any buckwheat, rye or feed to grind bring it to Spencer Brook. Good work and reasonable prices.
45-4c J. S. Bengtson.
WANT COLUMN
Notices under this head will be inserted at one cent per word. No advertisement will be published in this column for less than 15 cts.
LOST.
LOST—On Sunday, a gray shawl, be- tween Miller's and Harter's places on Princeton road. Finder please return to Axel Miller, Route 2, Princeton. 1tp
FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—High bred, single comb White Leghorns. As I bought this lot at a bargain I offer them for sale at a very low price. Call and see them at Mrs. Martin's old house, north of Rum river. J. O. Runsten, Princeton, Minn. 1tp
MARKET REPORT
The quotations hereunder are those prevailing on Thursday morning at the time of going to press:
POTATOES.
Triumphs..... 50
Burbanks..... 60
Ohio..... 70
Rose..... 55
GRAIN, HAY, ETC.
Wheat, No. 1 Northern..... .93
Wheat, No. 2 Northern..... .90
Wheat, No. 3 Northern..... .85
Wheat, No. 4 Northern..... .82
Wheat, Rejected..... .75
Oats..... .36@39
Barley..... .68@65
Flax..... 1.40@1.82
Rye..... .72@76
Wild hay..... 6.50
Tame hay..... 10.00
LIVE STOCK
Fat beefs, per lb..... 3c @ 4c
Calves, per lb..... 4c @ 5c
Hogs, per cwt..... \$7.00 @ \$7.50
Sheep, per lb..... 3c @ 4c
Hens, old, per lb..... 8c
Springers, per lb..... 10c
MINNEAPOLIS.
Minneapolis, Wednesday evening.—Wheat, No. 1 hard, \$1.05; No. 1 North-ern, \$1.04; No. 2 Northern, \$1.03. White Oats, 46c; No. 3, 44c. Rye, 86c. Flax, No. 1, \$1.98. Corn, No. 3 Yellow, 73c. Barley, 68c @ \$1.18.

Church Topics
+ + + Sunday and Weekday Announcements.
SWEDISH LUTHERAN.
Next Sunday, November 12, morn- ing services will be held in Livonia church, Zimmerman, at 10 o'clock.
The Ladies' Aid society of Saron church, Greenbush, will meet on Thursday, November 16, at 2 p. m., with Mrs. Stark, and the Y. P. S. of Saron church will meet the same day at 8 p. m. and at the same place. All are cordially invited to attend.
August Lundquist, Pastor.
METHODIST.
Rev. Service's subject for Sunday morning is "Up Against It." Special music by the choir; leader, Mrs. Clair Caley; pianist, Mrs. Ewing. Sunday school, 11:35 a. m.; A. J. Orton, su- perintendent. Brotherhood class at the close of sermon—second seat in audience room; all men invited. Ep- worth league at 7 p. m. sharp; all young people invited. Prayer meet- ing Thursday evening at 7:30; don't fail to come. Bible study class Mon- day evening. Mr. Clark will deliver a temperance address at the Methodist church on Sunday evening. It will be a union meeting. Everybody come.
CONGREGATIONAL.
Sunday, November 12—Morning service, 10:45; A. H. Clarke will re- present the interests of the Anti-Saloon league. Organ prelude and postlude, anthem by choir. Sunday school, 12 m. No evening service.
A SECRET LIBRARY.
Important Papers That Were Stored Away by Queen Victoria.
Within the walls of Buckingham pal- ace and constructed on the "strong room" principle is a room known as the "secret library," and in this are stored documents and private letters which were they sent forth to the world would doubtless set the whole universe talking.
From the very commencement of her reign Queen Victoria assiduously stored away in nice order all family and other important papers, her only assistant in this duty being a secre- tary, who entered her service within fourteen years of her accession to the throne and who retained his place un- til her majesty's death, though he him- self had no access to nine-tenths of the papers which are docketed, the late queen alone retaining the keys of the safes and cabinets in which her "secret library" was contained.
Just before her death her majesty added to the list of her papers a batch of letters of the most private and con- fidential kind, addressed by the late prince consort to his brother, the Duke Ernest of Coburg, and it is a well as- certained fact that when possible she acquired every scrap written by her late consort to his private friends. It is said by those who are qualified to surmise that the "secret library" not only tells of royal marriages, births and deaths, but that it is virtually the private history of Europe during the last half of the nineteenth century.—London Tit-Bits.
European Civilization.
The first pavements in Paris were laid about the year 1200; in London, about 1417. Berlin was without pavements far into the seventeenth cen- tury. No houses had glass windows before the twelfth century, and as late as the fourteenth century anything might be thrown out of the windows of Paris and London after three times calling out, "Look out!" Shirts were not known until the time of the cru- saders, and the fine clothes which la- dies and gentlemen wore were seldom washed, but only occasionally "scent- ed." So late as 1550 there were to be found in Paris but three carriages, while in England coaches date from 1580. Forks were unknown, and table manners were exceedingly "unsightly."

WARM CLOTHES FOR COLD WEATHER

Ladies' Coats

We have at \$8.50 an assortment of black kersey Scotch mixtures and some two-tone material, made with large collar..... **\$8.50**

Black kersey coat, cut in this year's plainest, shape- liest lines, Corday collar with inset of wide silk braid, splendid satin lining, just a quiet, thoroughly good style **\$16.50**

The "Hudderfield" model comes in a flecked-fleece blanket cloth of much character, the new collar form is draped slightly over the shoulders and is trimmed with nothing else in the world but plaid back of its own cloth, the price is reasonable..... **\$20.00**

Men's Coats

\$22.50 buys a Russian lamb fur coat, made up with a quilted lining and guaranteed to wear, a bargain at..... **\$22.50**

At \$25.00 we are offering a fur-lined coat with good quality broadcloth shell, this coat can't be bought anywhere for less than \$35.00, we only have a limited number, a snap at..... **\$25.00**

DRESS GOODS
Priced Under Value

27c values all-wool Tricot flannel, 24 inches wide, special per yd..... **19c**

\$1.25 value black Retman voile, 42 inches wide, special per yd..... **78c**

54 inch Cheatham flannel, comes in brown, tan, gray and navy, special per yd..... **58c**

\$1.00 value brown poplin, 36 inches wide, special per yd..... **59c**

Seasonable Wear for Men

Men's wool hose, heavy weights and splen- did values, at per pair..... **25c**

Men's wool hose, extra heavy weights, long and warm, special value per pair..... **50c**

Men's mixed wool pants, an exceptional value at **\$1.40**

Men's kersey wool pants, extra heavy, all sizes, splendid value..... **\$2.00**

\$1.50 value men's lined buckskin gloves, soft and pliable, special..... **\$1.25**

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