

The Farm Fireside.

Gleanings by Our Country Correspondents.

PEASE.

Rev. A. W. Meyer is considering a call from Huntley, Mont.

Gerrit Brink of Raymond spent the Fourth with the Ruis family.

Miss Johanna Kiel of Princeton spent a few days at her home here.

Born on Sunday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Groenvelde, a daughter.

L. H. Brinks returned last Tuesday from Madison, S. D., where he spent a few weeks.

Mrs. H. Baker of Rock Valley, Iowa, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. F. Timmer.

Wm. Vedders, Wm. Brown and J. D. Timmer drove to Princeton on Monday to deliver some stock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Moorlog of Rock Valley, Iowa, spent from Friday till Monday with the G. Kiel family.

Mrs. Bartelt and baby of Wadena and Mr. and Mrs. Rathbun of Rice spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bartelt.

James Brinks left last Saturday for St. Paul and from there departed for Yakima Valley, Wash., where he has accepted a position.

Miss Henrietta Stegeman of Sandstone is staying with Mrs. Meyer during Rev. Meyer's absence. Mr. Meyer is expected home this week.

In spite of the heavy rain we had on the morning of the Fourth the day turned out to be fine and was spent in an enjoyable way in the beautiful grove of E. Ruis. The Ladies' Aid society had the stand and offered everything imaginable for sale.

It makes no difference how many medicines have failed to cure you, if you are troubled with headache, constipation, kidney or liver troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. C. A. Jack.

ESTES BROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mahler spent Sunday at Robt. Ayers'.

Selma Sandquist is dressmaking at J. E. Hughes', Glendorado.

Milaca will play Estes Brook next Sunday on the latter's diamond.

Mrs. M. Sandquist visited with Mrs. Aug. Lind on Monday afternoon.

Miss Elvena Oleson is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Fred Erickson and Jacob Knutsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Knutsen were entertained at dinner at August Johnson's on Sunday last.

The Estes Brook ball nine went to Long Siding last Sunday and were defeated by a score of 11 to 8.

Alma and Harry Bemis are doing some up-to-date grading in Greenbush. They are using A's engine.

Rumors are that our local dealer is contemplating matrimony. So, boys, keep your musical instruments in a handy place as you may need them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erickson, Misses Clara Sandquist, Evana Oleson and Joe Shapanski were entertained at supper at Luther Jones' on Sunday evening.

A big dance will be given in the pavilion next Saturday night. Good music and a good time assured. Come everybody and enjoy yourselves once in your career.

Gene Bemis has disposed of his farm to a Mr. Johnson of Milaca, who will take possession on the first of December. Mr. Bemis and family will move into the Brunkow place, which they recently purchased.

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GERMANY.

Miss Pearl Moore of Princeton visited with Ida May Schmidt from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Kettlehut and children of St. Paul have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bockoven.

R. Manke and family, Fred Manke, Mr. and Mrs. Kettlehut and Lena Jensen of St. Paul celebrated the Fourth at the home of L. D. Bockoven.

Visitors at "Grandma" Bockoven's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitecomb of Princeton, Mrs. Hiram Harrington and children, and Mrs. Leonard Reed and sister, Myrtle. There was a large attendance at the M. E. church on Sunday and the Sunday school will be a success if all attend with regularity. You are invited to come again next Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

Open-air concerts seem to be a sort of fad in this part of the country. One particularly pleasing concert was listened to last Thursday evening when Mr. Tenderfoot sang "Old Black Joe" with variations. Miss

Diana then charmingly whistled a "cornet" solo. It was the duty of each member present to sing something which appealed to human nature. All they lacked was a little vocal training, but Mr. Tenderfoot can train most anything.

The Fourth did turn out to be a bright day after all. The morning of course was rainy, but it would be impossible for humanity to enjoy Independence day without some big black clouds. But, three cheers for the red, white and blue! We all know how to celebrate the day in proper fashion.

We are beginning to realize the fact that we don't like so much hot weather. On Sunday afternoon a party of men folks made a trip to the river to take a swim and also to cool off. After their return they stated that the fish were so plentiful that they had to use clubs to keep them from biting their toes. Evidently more fish stories.

THREE CORNERS.

Laura Freedena is visiting the Holman girls this week.

Mrs. Fiero returned home from Hosea Hunt's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Slaback bought a new buggy on Saturday.

Mrs. Clark and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Charley Erickson is having his barn painted. Mr. Boyl is doing the work.

Miss Annie Orne and Mrs. Johnson returned home from North Dakota on Monday.

Miss Sederland has returned to Minneapolis after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Thompson.

Laura and Helga Chalstrom, Richard Pappenhausen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Dahleen and Mr. and Mrs. William Chalstrom were visitors at Charley Erickson's on Sunday.

GREENWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Reissig spent Sunday afternoon at the Albrecht home.

Will Smith has finished the work of plastering the Leo Peters new house.

Mrs. E. H. Sellhorn and Miss Minnie Sellhorn spent Thursday with their friend, Anna Jaenicke.

We were sorry to hear of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jaenicke of Wrenshall. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Miss Phoebe Johnson was greatly surprised by her friends one day last week, when they dropped in to spend the afternoon with her. A delicious lunch was served by her sister, Edith, which was enjoyed by all.

A parcel shower was given in honor of Miss Phoebe Johnson by Miss Bertha Sellhorn last Monday afternoon. A large number of friends were present to enjoy the afternoon. Miss Phoebe is a bride of the near future.

WYANETT.

Mrs. B. Fritzell called at L. Berg's on Saturday.

The hallstorm last Monday night did lots of damage to plum and apple trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bengtson of Carmody spent Sunday at H. Hanson's.

Miss Mary Norling is spending a week with friends and relatives at Louis lake.

Hans Rust and Chas. Steeves were busy putting in phones for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Engstrom spent a few days visiting friends and relatives in Isanti last week.

There will be another dance at the M. B. A. hall on July 20. Good music and everyone is welcome.

Don't forget the convention at the church which will commence tomorrow and last until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swanson, Miss Elvina Holm, Edward Strandberg and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holm spent Sunday at A. N. Holm's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lundgren, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Lundgren, and Arthur Lyndell spent Sunday evening with H. Hanson and family.

There will be a farmers' picnic on Berg's shore, Green lake, on July 21. A ball game between Long Siding and Grandy will be played. Everybody welcome.

OXBOW.

Mrs. Allie Mott visited Mrs. Leon Annis on Monday.

Oscar Bengtson is the owner of a fine new top buggy.

Ed Hall is transacting business in Cambridge this week.

Hazel and Ida Henschel spent Sunday with Erna Steeves.

Mrs. Wm. Schmidt visited on Sunday with Mrs. John Gates.

Miss Helga Chalstrom is now employed as a clerk in Nelson's store.

A party was given at the Grapentine home on Sunday which was attended by their many friends from

far and near. Ice cream and cake was served and all enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Engleke spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Radeke.

Myrtle Carr and Albert Hoehn were calling on friends in Oxbow on Sunday.

Daisy Mott, Elsie Erickson and Albert Hoehn were callers at George Carr's on Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Palm was on the sick list for a few days but is much improved at this writing.

Miss Mary Smith of Princeton is visiting her friend, Miss Gertrude Steeves, for a few days.

Mrs. P. L. Roadstrom of Minneapolis is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roadstrom.

Mrs. Allie Mott and daughter, Daisy, and Mrs. Chas. Hepburn of Princeton are spending a few days at Val Mott's.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Bengtson and family, Anna Roadstrom and Nellie Swanson were Sunday visitors at Ole Bengtson's.

LIVONIA.

Myrtle James is helping her grandma this week.

Mose Cohoe is home from Hastings to help his father put up hay.

John Melott's mother is here for a short visit at her son's home.

Mrs. Roy Melott of Blue Hill called on Mrs. Swen Kight on Sunday.

The potato bugs are here in full force and just as hungry as ever.

Fritz Perman went to Princeton on Saturday night. Why, Fritz?

Mrs. Minnie Gabrielson transacted business in Elk River on Tuesday.

Henry Murphy was down this way Monday and his smile is as sweet as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Perman called at Earl Briggs' on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckdahl entertained company from Minneapolis this week.

Mrs. Chas. Cohoe and children spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. Montri.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Zimmerman were out this way on Sunday evening in their auto.

Ruby Johnson of Baldwin is spending the week with her cousins, Lilly and Alfred Smart.

We feel quite up-to-date since we have a newsboy who brings us the Tribune every Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wright went to Minneapolis this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wright's uncle.

Henry Murphy, the well-known Baldwin politician, spent Thursday night with his friend, Tom Olson.

Mrs. Joe Cohoe of Zimmerman spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of her brother, B. Jensen.

Chas. Iliff and wife, his mother and his sister, Mrs. Whittemore, spent Sunday with the Bert Iliff family.

Another Fourth of July is past and we are all alive, and no fingers or toes are missing if we did all buy firecrackers.

Mrs. Roy Melott and Miss Daisy Zelenka called at John Melott's on Monday and Mrs. Adessa Melott returned with them.

E. Montri is having a hard time to get his clover hay stacked. He is unable to do it himself and help is a very scarce article in this locality.

The young man and his lady friend who made a trip to Elk River one day this week came near being the victims of a premature charivari, as some of the boys imagined they had gone to be married.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smart entertained the following on Sunday: Billy Lynch, Arthur and Philip Johnson, John Johnson, Chas. Smart, Mrs. G. A. Johnson and family and Mrs. Mellott and daughter.

OPSTEAD.

Frank Morneau of Wahkon was here on business last Saturday.

H. J. Anderson and family entertained a number of their friends at lunch on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Hanson of Faulton, S. D., is here on a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Melsby.

Oscar Nelson of Chicago spent the Fourth at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Haglund.

Charley Anderson is building a cozy little cottage on his land just west of the C. O. Johnson place.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosand and child have returned to their home in Duluth after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Rosand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Haglund.

Rev. Swaney Nelson of Duluth passed through here last Friday on his way to Eastwood, where he officiated at the Brostrom-Anderson wedding on Saturday.

Our friend, Charlie Swanson, has gone to Little Fork in the northern

part of this state. We are sorry to see you go, Charlie, but glad to hear you will soon return again.

Oscar Fredj is clearing and making other substantial improvements on his land. We need many more such men as Mr. Fredj to take hold and open up our beautiful country at Opstead.

Opstead celebrated the Fourth in Engstrom's grove in appropriate manner. There was a parade at noon and a picnic dinner was enjoyed, after which races and other field sports were pulled off.

The Baptist congregation held baptism services at the big point on Mile Lacs lake last Sunday. There was a large crowd there and immediately after the services the members of the church partook of holy communion at the home of H. J. Anderson.

BALDWIN.

Little Robert Hannay, who has been quite ill, is better.

Mrs. John Olsen was calling in south Baldwin on Sunday.

Jos. Stevens, who was operated upon last week, is improving.

Mrs. McCracken called on Mrs. Angstrom on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorff and son returned to Minneapolis on Friday.

Mrs. Eugene Umberg of Minneapolis spent the Fourth with her parents.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Richardson is not any better at this writing.

Gust Johnson and family visited with Fred Smart at Zimmerman on Sunday.

Miss Odegard spent the week end visiting Mrs. James Wheeler and other friends.

Miss Mildred Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Maud Anderson.

John Olsen left last Saturday for Minneapolis, where he will visit his sons, Henry and Hans.

Mrs. Emma Angstrom's sister and brother-in-law of Farmington spent the past week with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trunk and family and Miss Olga Griep spent Sunday afternoon at the Dorff home.

Miss Iva McCracken left on Monday for Spring Brook, Wis., where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Luverne Orcutt returned to Arlington on Monday. He spent the past week visiting his aunt, Mrs. T. F. McCracken, and family.

The Fourth was celebrated at Sandy lake in good old style. There was plenty of noise and fireworks in the evening, and dancing during the day and evening. The day passed without an accident of any kind to mar the pleasure of it.

WEST SPENCER BROOK.

C. A. Babb and wife went to Princeton last Monday.

Tame hay is a good crop this year but only a part of it is cut.

Granger Collins took home a new mower from Princeton last Monday.

There will be a dance at the Brook next Friday night. Everybody invited.

C. A. Williams and wife spent Sunday with O. A. Cotten and wife in Princeton.

We had a fine rain on Monday night which makes everything look fresh again.

Miss Grace Moody is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moody.

Will House and wife spent Sunday with Will's brother, Frank, on the north side of the river.

BLUE HILL.

Chas. Gaulier is building a cement foundation for a new barn.

Mrs. Belair of Princeton is visiting her son, Tom Belair, and family.

It is rumored that wedding bells will soon be ringing in Blue Hill.

Mrs. Swanbro went to Princeton on Friday to spend a couple of days.

Ole Rogers has completed a fine new barn on his farm in west Blue Hill.

There is a big blueberry crop this year and the ladies and children are busy.

Gilbert Maggart of Princeton came out to Blue Hill to help Tom Belair for a few days.

Jos. Seifert and family of Greenbush spent Sunday with Fred Borneke and family.

The Ony Slaback farm was sold recently to someone from the southern part of the state.

Mrs. W. H. Thompson has her mother and sister visiting her. They are from South Dakota.

Arthur Borneke was seen wending his way toward Germany. Must be some attraction over that way.

Albert Boehm is nursing a sore thumb. Better hit the nail with the hammer next time, Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brande, Orrin Brande, Fred Clark, Otto Borneke and wife and Ethel Borneke had a

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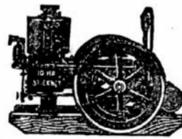
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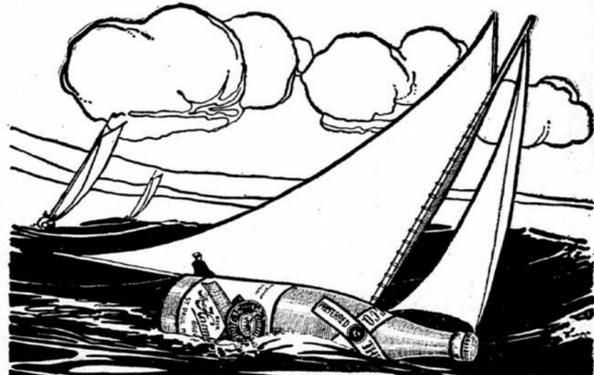
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