

**The Farm Fireside.**  
Gleanings by Our Country Correspondents. . . . .

**KARMEL.**

Arthur Skoglund returned to Minneapolis on Friday.

Borkman Bros. from Chicago have bought out Andrew Lindberg.

Stanley and Ernest Krave visited relatives at Louis Lake on Friday and Saturday.

Willie Skoglund was a pleasant caller at Minnie Johnson's home in Day last Sunday.

Most of the farmers from this neck of the woods are holding their potatoes for higher prices.

Mrs. A. Albertson returned to Minneapolis on Friday after a few weeks' visit with her sick mother, Mrs. Gust Lewis.

Several of the young people of this vicinity walked up to the south Maple Ridge Lutheran church on Thursday evening to attend the Christmas tree.

The Mission church was filled to its greatest capacity twice on Christmas. Rev. G. Larson of Maple Ridge delivered the morning sermon. In the evening a festival was held and the children gave an entertainment.

**ZIMMERMAN.**

Harry Mickelson spent Christmas in Crown.

Roy Fiero of Wyannett was in town on Monday.

Prof. Malm is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Judge of Elk River was in town on Tuesday.

Beatrice Pratt went to Princeton on Monday night.

Wm. Swanson has been quite sick but is improving.

Lynch & Larson made a well for Mr. Nystrom last week.

Miss Annie Negard of Princeton is visiting at Jack Larsen's.

Elias Fiero of Baldwin left for Minneapolis on Monday.

G. H. Blanchett and wife of Elk River were in town on Sunday.

Dr. McKim's brother from Ames, Iowa, is visiting here this week.

Robert Brinks spent Christmas day at D. S. Walker's in Spencer Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Foley attended church at Princeton on Christmas day.

Mrs. D. Kilmartin, who has been sick for some time, is able to be up again.

Rev. Evans will hold services in the M. E. church on Friday evening, January 3.

Miss Clara Johnson of Elk River visited her grandfather, P. F. Malm, on Sunday.

Laura Lynch has been visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis the past week.

Wm. Blocker and Mr. Obermiller of Elk River visited at John Kruger's on Sunday.

Rev. Stowe will hold services in the Union church on Friday evening, January 10, at 8 p. m.

Oscar Swanson, who is clerking in a store at Brainerd, came home last Wednesday to visit relatives.

Miss Nora Stendahl came up from Minneapolis on Saturday night to remain until after New Year's.

Mr. McKenzie arrived here from North Dakota last Tuesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cohoe.

Miss Hill of Princeton came down on the morning train Christmas day and returned home in the afternoon.

Jerry Blanchett and wife and daughter from Marshall were visiting at the Blanchett hotel over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jennison spent Christmas with Mrs. Jennison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olson, at Baldwin.

Irving Jennison came up from Minneapolis on Saturday night to spend New Year's with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Foley drove to Anoka to visit Mr. Foley's sister, Mrs. Conree, on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Edna Barrett of Elk River visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Carter from Thursday until Monday.

Dave Bridge left on Monday morning for Memphis, Tenn., where he expects to remain for five or six months.

Ed Healy and wife and sons left for their home in Elk River on Monday after spending Christmas at G. N. Stendahl's.

Mrs. J. M. Cook accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Morrell, to Chicago on Tuesday. There she expects to remain five or six months.

Earl Iliff and Fritz Perman drove to Elk River on Tuesday of last week. There must be some attraction there for them as they make the trip quite often.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hiller of Crown entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr.

and Mrs. W. R. Hurtt, Winnie Lovell, Robert Brinks, Louise Hurtt, Mr. Youngberg, Dr. Schons and Harry Mickelson.

Rev. Evans and about 15 boy scouts from Elk River took part in the Christmas tree program on Friday night. Mr. Evans takes much interest in the boys and deserves much credit for the way he has them drilled.

Mrs. Larsen and Mrs. Foley conveyed about fifteen women and children to the residence of A. A. Iliff on Saturday. The afternoon was spent in discussing who had the prettiest hat, etc., after which a real feast was served. We expected a bad storm on Sunday but it proved to be a nice day.

**GERMANY.**

John Wilhelm is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rosin spent Sunday at Fred Miller's.

Miss Ida May Schmidt called on Mrs. W. Gerth last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Gebert spent Sunday at John Wilhelm's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Heitman, sr., passed Christmas day with their son, Henry, and family.

Miss Ida May Schmidt visited with friends at Long Siding and Freer on Friday and Saturday.

Wm. Schilling, Emil Gens and Wm. Schmidt passed Sunday evening at Henry Heitman's.

Miss Agnes Horstman returned home last Saturday from Sandstone, where she has been visiting.

Callers at R. Manke's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manke, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Holthus and Otto Manke.

Callers at Sonnenberg's on Thursday were Bertha, Lydia and Fred Hamann; Clara, Irwin and Awaft Rosin; Carrie Schulte, Della and Anita Heitman, Hugo Ziebarth and Willie Miller. Games were played and a enjoyable time was passed.

**THREE CORNERS.**

Mrs. May Libby is visiting in Princeton.

E. W. Severance is visiting in Baldwin for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Turner of Princeton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson King.

Mrs. Lafa Slaback visited her daughter at Pine City during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Moore's children have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Leathers.

Earl and Edward Hamilton have returned home after visiting at Orin Hamilton's.

**GLENDORADO AND SANTIAGO.**

Mrs. Lee is visiting relatives in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Lester Orrock, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Martin Perman of Zimmerman is a guest at the Odegard home.

Miss Thora Kittilson of Minneapolis is home on a short visit.

Miss Ida Lee entertained a few young people on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Carlson of Minneapolis is visiting her parents in Santiago.

Jens Jensen, jr., and Aleck Aleckson delivered steak at Becker on Monday.

Rumor has it that O. H. Stay has sold his beautiful farm to a party from the twin cities.

Miss Thea Madson spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson in Greenbush.

Mrs. Pederson and daughter of Duluth are spending the holidays at the home of Nels Johnson.

Mrs. Amil Stowe of Thousand Islands spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Dahl.

A dance was given at G. Anderson's on Saturday evening and was well attended by young and old.

A sleigh load of young people attended the revival meetings conducted by Mr. Culbertson and Luman Orrock on Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Madson entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. T. Knutson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Uran, and Miss Bertha Wold.

Mesdames Ed Anderson and Edwin Thompson of Greenbush and T. Knutson of Santiago spent Friday at Mrs. Aleck Anderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Naseth were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Madson on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Nelson, Mrs. Julia Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Anderson spent Christmas day at the T. Olson home.

Misses Alice and Marie Holland, who are studying music in Minneapolis, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holland, in Santiago.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Holter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Anderson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Jensen in Santiago on Sunday.

Glendorado and Santiago can boast

of some very hardworking and prosperous farmers. For instance, the following improvements have been made during the past year and many others we have failed to state: Large barns have been erected by T. Jensen, N. Swan, Elling George, Mr. Rogers and O. G. Wold; John Peterson built a residence and machinery shed, J. O. Odegard remodeled his house, John Bergsted built a residence and barn, J. P. Johnson a modern hog house, N. H. Nelson a residence, O. Jensen a large machinery shed, T. W. Thompson a large silo, P. Abrahamson a residence, Edwin Odegard a hall and annex to store, John Odegard an annex to store; and the following have resided and painted their residences: G. Simonson, T. Olson and Geo. Uran.

**OPSTEAD.**

Miss Annie Haglund is spending the holidays in Duluth.

Miss Pearl Freer left on Saturday for Greenbush, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Mabel Mattson has returned after a few days' visit with her parents at Ostun.

Edward Skretting has been appointed clerk to fill the vacancy on the school board.

Oscar Boughton of Iowa is visiting his grandfather and other relatives here during the holidays.

A number of young folks from here attended the Christmas tree program at Ostun on Thursday evening.

Mr. Addington passed through Opstead on Saturday from Malmo, where he had purchased a team of horses.

The Christmas festivities celebrated at the Baptist and Norwegian Lutheran churches were well attended, both places being taxed to their utmost capacity.

Gustave Haglund returned last week from Canada, where he has been employed by a telephone company. Gust always receives a warm welcome when he returns home, as everyone is glad to see his smiling face.

**GREENWOOD.**

Miss Olga Griep of Baldwin spent Christmas day at the Jaenicke home.

Miss Anna Jaenicke visited with Bertha and Minnie Sellhorn on Thursday.

Bert Peters and wife and Iva McCracken called at the Rosin home Friday evening.

John Bornholdt spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Peters.

Will Jaenicke departed on Monday for Camas, Wash. His friends all regret to see him leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy, born December 24.

Will, Freda and Herman Jaenicke and Alvin Rosin passed Thursday evening with the O'Brien young people.

School reopened in district 37 on Monday, after a week's vacation, with five more names added to the enrollment.

Aug. Jaenicke and Leo Peters went fishing at Green lake on Sunday and brought back quite a number of perch and a few pickered.

Wm. Bornholdt and family spent Christmas at Leo Peters', Mr. and Mrs. H. Peters at Fred Eggert's, and Will Gerth and family at Theo. Rosin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Papenhausen, Sophia Papenhausen, Richard and Will Jaenicke and Alvin Rosin were pleasant callers at H. Peters' on Thursday.

**DALBO.**

A few young people spent Thursday evening with Axel Lund.

Thore Olson and Alfred Hedman were callers at Westberg's on Sunday.

Ed Johnson and family spent Christmas day at the Carl Krona home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ericson spent Christmas eve with the John Sarnner family.

Esther and Paul Lindstedt came home from the city on Tuesday to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan Sundberg and son, Edwin, spent Friday at the O. Shouquist home.

Mrs. Axel Lindstedt and daughter, Esther, visited with Mrs. J. Anderson on Saturday.

Edna Ericson and Leslie Garrit were callers at the J. A. Ericson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bjorkstrom and family spent Thursday evening at the Alfred Johnson home.

Misses Ellen and Josie Coline visited with Ellen Westberg from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lindtedt and daughter, Esther, were callers at J. A. Ericson's on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson and family of Cambridge visited with the A. Westberg family from Saturday until Sunday.

Misses Frida Lund and Ellen West-

**NYBERG'S**

# New Year's Reduction Sale

On Saturday, Jan. 4, we will close out our entire line of Ladies' and Misses' Jackets and Coats. Come in if you need one. Any reasonable offer will buy one. Also choice flannels at 9 cents per yard. Best apron gingham and calicoes, choice patterns, only 6 cents per yard. Other goods in proportion.

**Douglas Shoes---Brand new line, exclusive, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Rubbers and Overshoes.**

## GROCERIES

We have a brand new, clean, up-to-date stock of groceries. We offer for this sale, delivered:

19 pounds of granulated cane sugar.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
7 bars of Lenox for .....	<b>25c</b>
4 cans of Capital brand corn for .....	<b>25c</b>
Corn Flakes, 3 boxes for .....	<b>25c</b>
Kerosene Oil, per gallon.....	<b>9c</b>

**Try the New Store. We Will Give You Value for Your Money.**

**Please Don't Forget: If Bought at Nyberg's, "It must be Better."**

**Don't Forget the Date, Sale Begins Saturday, January 4, and Closes Tuesday, January 14th.**

# J. A. NYBERG CO.

berg came up from the city to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ericson and son, George, visited at the Andrew Lundeen home in Maple Ridge on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Johnson entertained on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. C. Westberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ericson and daughters, Emma and Mae, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lundeen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Westberg entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. Soderquist and family, C. Lund and family, J. A. Ericson and family, Mr. Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lund, Axel and Frida Lund, Mr. and Mrs. C. Westberg and family, and Miss Tillie Forslund.

**VINELAND.**

The Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. Bergendahl last Saturday.

Miss Alvina Bauer of Cove has been visiting at the Oliver home.

H. O. Oliver and family were callers at the Smith home last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Starrit of Brainerd visited at W. L. Smith's over Sunday.

Miss Hattie Thompson is working for Mrs. Wm. Generous during the latter's illness.

A dance was given in the Daigle hall last Friday night. A large crowd attended.

Miss Jeannette Gee gave a party for the young folks last Saturday in honor of her cousin, Miss Wanda Jager.

The M. E. church had an entertainment on Christmas eve. A well prepared program was rendered and the young folks proved to be good entertainers. Bags of candy, nuts and oranges were distributed among the audience by Santa Claus.

**BLUE HILL.**

Fred Newman sawed his wood on Friday.

Chas. Groff recently lost a fine yearling colt.

Dick Durbin has been laid up for two weeks with a severe cold.

Arthur Groff and wife were guests at Otto Borneke's on Sunday.

Bert Metzger has returned from his visit at Kennan, Wis.

Joe Gustache has gone to Minneapolis to visit his mother and sister,

and expects to spend the winter at Kennan, Wis.

Jess Harvey of Minneapolis was calling on friends in Blue Hill last week.

Ed Gravener of Minneapolis is spending his vacation as a guest of Chas. Gaulier.

Matt Johnson and family entertained Ben Haralson and wife at a Christmas dinner.

Miss Mina Groff came home from Princeton on Saturday to spend a few days with her father.

Aurora Taylor left last Friday for a week's visit with her sister, Emma, in Koochiching county.

Fred Newman and family and Wm. Newman and wife spent Christmas with their parents in Germany.

Elmer Thompson has sold his 40-acre farm in Blue Hill to a man from Iowa, who takes possession in the spring.

Elbridge Anderson and wife came out from Princeton to spend Christmas with Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. James Horton.

Hartman Camp and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Leonard and family and Mr. and Mrs. John South on Christmas day.

There have been quite a number of new houses and barns erected in Blue Hill the past year, and most of the vacant lands have been bought up.

The school board of district 36 is endeavoring to get a well at the school house. So far no water has been secured. Quicksand is bothering the drillers.

Mrs. C. W. Taylor wishes the report about her daughter, Emma, being in the hospital at International Falls corrected. She has been suffering from appendicitis, but decided not to have an operation performed, and has taught school all the time.

Mrs. Alice Taylor gave a Christmas tree and shadow social at the Wheeler school house on Christmas eve. The tree part was a failure as they neglected to take off the presents till many had gone home. The shadow social was a success and netted \$27. The program by the children was nicely rendered.

A number of brave young men with their maidens fair, from Greenbush, attended the shadow social at the Wheeler school house on Christmas eve and, judging from the prices they were enabled to pay, they must have had well-filled pocketbooks. There is nothing slow about Green-

bush young men.

**GREENBUSH.**

Luther Jones has finished his new house.

Mr. King of Dakota is visiting at Gennow's.

Mr. Harding will shortly start up his new mill.

Sam Shaw spent Christmas with his parents here.

Wonder who doesn't like baking powder biscuits?

Chris Larson and family have moved to Milaca.

Miss Hilda Jacobson spent Thursday in Glendorado.

Mr. Jacobson is busy hauling clover hay to Princeton.

James and Hib Robertson spent Christmas at Shaw's.

Fritz Baumann is home from Minneapolis for the holidays.

Octavie and Albert Rocheford spent Christmas at Dasney's.

Honus Peterson has purchased his father's farm in Greenbush.

The M. B. A. lodge met at A. E. Grow's last Friday evening.

A Christmas party was given at Hartman's last Tuesday evening.

George Raiche has sold 54 cords of dry stove wood to Charley S. Grow.

Mr. Christopherson is going to Granite Falls in a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sager and family spent Christmas at the Gish home.

John Uglem of Canada is expected home after the holidays for the winter.

A crowd of people were entertained at O. H. Uglem's on Christmas day.

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Hartman are visiting them. They are from Wisconsin.

Owen Bracken, jr., spent Christmas with his aged father, Owen Bracken, sr.

The buttermaker of the West Branch creamery spent the holidays at his home.

A crowd of young people were entertained at the Gennow home on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Forster and family spent Christmas at the Pederson home.

Miss Mabel Gennow is spending her vacation at home. She is teaching at Wahkon.

Mrs. Grimshied and son, Gordon,