

SCHOOLS GET \$10,301

State Aid Apportioned and 2,819 Pupils in Mille Lacs County Are Entitled to a Share.

Independent District No. 1 (Princeton) Gets \$2,039.05 and District 13 (Hilaca) \$1,823.46.

The October, 1913, school apportionment for Mille Lacs county amounts to a total of \$10,301.37, derived from the following sources: Apportionment from state, \$9,921.60; one-half penalty costs and interest on real estate taxes, \$379.77. The per capita is \$3.6542, the number of pupils entitled to state aid, 2,819, and the total apportionment is divided among the school districts as follows:

Dist. No.	Pupils	Amount
1	228	\$2089.05
2	21	78.74
3	101	369.08
4	99	361.77
5	70	277.72
6	40	147.17
7	59	215.60
8	32	116.94
9	68	248.49
10	34	124.35
11	63	230.52
12	65	237.57
13	499	1823.46
14	190	694.30
15	102	372.32
16	46	168.10
17	34	124.35
18	51	186.37
19	56	204.64
20	42	153.48
21	9	32.89
22	39	141.15
23	32	116.94
24	31	113.28
25	30	109.63
26	28	102.32
27	28	102.32
28	25	91.69
29	29	105.67
30	38	139.59
31	38	139.59
32	38	139.59
33	43	156.74
34	35	126.37
35	103	376.39
36	30	109.63
37	22	80.49
38	32	116.94
39	8	29.34
40	3	10.97
41	14	51.15
42	3	10.97
43	3	10.97
Totals	2819	\$10301.37

Albert Wilhelm Weds.

Albert J. Wilhelm of Greenbush and Lena E. Gebert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Gebert of Bogus Brook, were married on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Princeton German Lutheran church. Rev. Eugene Ahl conducted the impressive services which made the young people man and wife. William Gebert and Max Kraft were the groomsmen and Ida Noeske and Clara Gebert the bridesmaids.

The bride was gowned in a pretty creation of white silk and the bridesmaids in dresses of pink crepe. Bride and bridesmaids carried bouquets of pink and white carnations.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies at the church the bridal party drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Gebert, where a bounteous wedding dinner was served to many of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties and the event was duly celebrated. The presents received by Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm were numerous and valuable.

Albert Wilhelm, the groom, is a young man of excellent character who by hard work has acquired a fine farm in Greenbush and furnished in modern style the house thereon, and his bride is a young lady skilled in the duties required of a farmer's wife. Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm are now comfortably ensconced in their home.

The Union extends its heartiest congratulations and wishes the newlyweds a long life of uninterrupted happiness.

Dedication of Procaedral.

Archbishop John Ireland officiated on Sunday night at the civic opening of the new procaedral in Minneapolis, delivering a lecture on the subject, "Why Churches and Churches-going People?" An audience of 2,500 friends of all denominations extended the venerable prelate an ovation.

A stirring call to the average good citizen from forgetfulness of the homage due his Creator was voiced by the archbishop. He declared that the future looks dark for a people who attempt to fight the battle of life outside the church in forgetfulness of God. Reasons for churches and church-going people were dealt with in the light of the leavening effect of religion on race advancement.

A Contest of Strength.

Yesterday morning a contest of strength between J. W. Kennedy of Iowa and Charley Palm of Princeton attracted a number of people to the alley back of C. H. Nelson's store. It appears that Kennedy made a bet of five dollars with Palm that he could carry, drag or otherwise remove the said Palm from the platform at the rear of the Svarry home

to a distance therefrom of three blocks. The boys shook hands on the proposition and the fun commenced.

Kennedy, an ex-professional wrestler who is muscled like an ox, started the ball by getting a good hold on Palm, closing in on his neck with both legs. Palm's hands were, however, at liberty, and he obtained a grip on the seat of Kennedy's pantaloons. Thus, in the form of a ball, they rolled down the steps to the alley, striking the ground not much the worse for their experience. Kennedy then grabbed Palm and a hard tussle commenced, but the wrestler, being heavier, had a trifle the advantage and gradually dragged Palm along in the mud. The latter was, however, game and put up a strong resistance with the result that before Kennedy had dragged him more than a dozen feet the two were vestless and almost shirtless and pantless.

As the tussle proceeded pieces of gentlemen's wearing apparel, even unto underclothing, were torn loose and flung to the breeze. Eventually Palm gave up the contest but not until he had been reduced to almost a state of nudity and was looking about for a barrel to jump into. At the same time Kennedy's shirt tails were flapping in the wind, his pants had, bit by bit, almost disappeared, and the marshal was observed in the distance making rapid strides for the scene.

"Down cellar, Jim!" exclaimed Palm to Kennedy, and both of them bolted into C. H. Nelson's basement and donned gunnysacks to enable them to rush to the Svarry home upstairs without subjecting themselves to arrest for attempting the "back to nature" stunt.

It was a friendly encounter and furnished a deal of amusement for the spectators, but each of the boys had at least ten dollars' worth of clothing rent asunder and ruined, besides acquiring scratches on their noses, bumps on their heads and scuffed backs.

The Princeton Potato Market.

Last Saturday the potato warehousemen had a particularly busy time. Strings of wagons loaded with the finest kind of murrhys were lined up at the warehouses from 9 o'clock in the morning until after 6 at night and thousands of bushels of potatoes were received. This week the rush has not been so great but many loads have been brought in.

A shortage of refrigerator cars still prevails and consequently buyers are shipping no more potatoes than is absolutely necessary as there is too great a risk in making long-distance shipments in boxcars at this time.

The potato shipments from Princeton for this season up to November 1 aggregate 635 cars. It is estimated that not less than 2,000 cars will be shipped from here before the season closes.

Prices this week in the local market have been practically the same as those of last.

Road Job Partly Completed.

What a pity that enough crushed rock is not forthcoming to complete that stretch of road in Baldwin that has been made ready for the rock. The job is about half finished as far as rock-surfacing is concerned. A good job has been done as far as completed. But the Olson hill is the worst part of the road, and if possible it should be rocked this fall. In any event the incompleteness of the road should be strawed. Plenty of straw will keep the road in passable condition and make a good foundation for the coating of rock next spring. It will cost only a few dollars to do this and the town of Baldwin should see that it is done. We sincerely hope that the rock-surfacing of that road will be extended a mile further within the next year or two.

Minnesota Wins From Wisconsin.

By a whirlwind attack that proved irresistible when it once got started, the University of Minnesota football team on Saturday overwhelmed the Wisconsin eleven and fought its way to the right to dispute the Western conference championship with Chicago. The final score was 21 to 3 in favor of Minnesota.

It was a one-sided game a good deal of the time, except that the advantage changed from Wisconsin to Minnesota. The Badgers got a goal from the field in such a short time that things looked easily sure for Wisconsin.

Then came some sturdy defense work on the part of Dr. Williams' men and finally a terrific attack that swept the Wisconsin line aside and tore it to pieces seemingly at the

will of the Gopher assailants. Had it not been for penalties and fumbling that hampered the Minnesota advance at least two more touchdowns would have been added to their score.

Engineer Pratt Loses Life.

A telegram was received at the Union office from LaCrosse, Wis., on Tuesday evening stating that Engineer James H. Pratt, who was badly crushed in a railroad wreck on Sunday night, had succumbed to his injuries. James Pratt was a son of H. B. Pratt of Elk Lake park, and was known to a number of people in this vicinity as he often visited his father and mother at their home and became acquainted with many people who spend the summer at the lake. Mr. Pratt was about 40 years of age and is survived by his wife and one son besides his father and mother and one brother, and to them the Union extends its sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

The press report of the wreck is as follows:

LaCrosse, Wis., Nov. 3.—Passenger train No. 58 on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, which left here at 11 o'clock last night, was wrecked near Genoa, Wis., at 12:12 a. m., when the locomotive struck a boulder the size of a boxcar, which had been dislodged by rains and rolled down the bluff upon the track.

James H. Pratt of LaCrosse, engineer, was possibly fatally injured. His jaw was broken and the side of his face crushed. E. A. Evans, fireman, LaCrosse; W. W. Wilson, porter, and four Italian laborers were also injured but not fatally. The injured were hurried to a hospital in LaCrosse and cared for. The train was made up of a milk car, two express cars, a smoker and a day coach, all of which were derailed. While directing the clearing up of the wreck, Thomas Huntley, superintendent of the wrecking crew, fell off a bridge and sustained broken ribs and internal injuries. He was brought to a hospital in LaCrosse and found to be seriously injured.

Upon being notified of the accident by telegraph Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pratt immediately left for LaCrosse to be present at their son's bedside.

Tuberculosis From Milk.

Some of the best work that has been done by those who are studying the relation of bovine to human tuberculosis is by Dr. Park and his associates. Dr. Park is connected with the research laboratory of the department of public health of New York city. They have recently reported a study of 252 tuberculosis children under five years of age, each case studied individually. Of these 252 there were 201 due to bacilli of the human type and 51 to the so-called bovine type of the tubercle germ; or about 20 per cent due to the bovine type. They have also completed a study of 1,511 cases of tuberculosis of all ages, the list including 78 cases of their own. Of this total number there were 368 cases among children under five years of age; and of these 368 cases 292 were due to germs of the human type and 76 to the so-called bovine type of tubercle germs.

Minnesota Butter in the Lead.

Minnesota won first honors at the national butter show last week, not only capturing the state banner but the gold and silver medals in the individual competition. Q. N. Peterson of Rapidan won the gold medal with a score of 96.83 points, and A. Camp of Owatonna the silver medal with a score of 96.50.

The state banner is given for the highest average of 10 highest scores and was awarded to Minnesota for the ninth time on an average of 96.248. Iowa was second with 95.68, Wisconsin third with 95.43, and Illinois fourth with 94.48. There were 551 entries at the national show.

Our young townsman, Archie Jones, of the Princeton Co-operative creamery came out with flying colors in the competition, his exhibit scoring 96.33 points. There were nine competitors from Minnesota whose scores were over 96.

Rines Hill Improved.

The cutting down, claying and graveling of 45 rods of state highway No. 21—the Rines hill, east of the village—has been completed and a great improvement has been effected thereby. Harry Mott superintended the work and Road Expert Kerr, who made an inspection of the stretch, declared that a good job had been performed. The work cost about \$385, of which the town pays one-third and the county two-thirds. The Rines hill was cut down two feet.

SKULL IS FRACTURED

S. P. Babb of Spencer Brook Falls Down Cellar Stairs and Sustains Serious Injuries.

Undergoes an Operation at Northwestern Hospital but His Chances for Recovery Are Slight.

Simeon P. Babb of Spencer Brook fell down a flight of stairs in the rear of the Evens Hardware company's store at about 10:15 o'clock on Saturday morning and was discovered by Mr. Evens a few minutes later in an unconscious condition from the effects of the fall and immediately removed to the Northwestern hospital, where it was found that his skull was fractured and that an operation was necessary. The story of the accident, as related by Mr. Evens is substantially as follows:

Mr. Evens had occasion to go into the cellar and at the bottom of the stairs, with the back of his head on the brick floor and his legs resting on the steps, he found Mr. Babb in an unconscious condition. The hat of the unfortunate man and two cans which he evidently held in his hand at the time of the accident were a short distance from him on the floor. It was clearly apparent to Mr. Evens, who immediately ran upstairs and summoned Fred Newton to his assistance, that Mr. Babb had entered by the back door of the building with the intention of taking the cans to the tinshop for repair but, that for some reason or other—probably absentmindedly—he had turned to the left instead of going directly ahead, opened the gate to the cellar and fallen directly to the bottom of the stairs. That not more than five minutes had elapsed after Mr. Babb fell until he was discovered Mr. Evens is sure of from the fact that the boy had been in the cellar fixing the fire and came upstairs a few minutes before he—Mr. Evens—went down.

The Union editor made an examination of the gate, stairs, etc., where the accident occurred and found as follows: At the top of the stairway a heavy gate, with a strong spring, opening directly toward a person approaching the cellar; that this gate is 3 feet 3 inches in height and self-closing—that it would not remain open unless a heavy weight were placed against it, which Mr. Evens said was never done; that 14 steps, each with a 12-inch tread and an 8-inch rise, lead to the cellar, and that the stairs have a very gradual slope. From the position in which Mr. Babb was found it is evident that he fell directly from the top to the bottom without striking on either side.

The story that Mr. Babb fell down the elevator shaft is entirely groundless.

Mr. Babb is still in a semi-conscious condition and the chances for his recovery are slight. Several days may elapse before it can be determined whether he will survive the injury.

The Income Tax.

The income tax is in effect and the instructions regarding it have been sent out from Washington. While much information is contained in the official pamphlet, it is a document that cannot be digested as easily as a French novel.

The chief points are that if a single man has an income of over \$3,000 a year or a married man has one of over \$4,000 a tax of 1 per cent is due the government on the excess, and that a tax of the same amount is due from interest on all bonds and mortgages or deeds of trust or other similar obligations, including equipment, trust agreements, receivers' certificates of corporations, joint stock companies or associations and insurance companies, even though that interest does not amount to \$3,000 or \$4,000 as the case may be. For example, dividends paid by insurance companies on policies call for a payment of the tax. However, the person receiving the dividend needs to pay no attention to this for it is one of the cases where the payment is "from source." In other words the insurance company pays the tax and deducts the amount from the dividend.

All taxes on interest are paid "from source." In other words that is where the debtor has it on the creditor, for the former will have the satisfaction of not paying the creditor all of the bill as it will be his duty to turn over the required tax to the internal revenue collector. Salaries must be paid "from

source" where they reach the amount mentioned in the law. Employers in such cases must pay the tax to the internal revenue collector. The tax is due from everybody who comes under the requirements whether or not one is a citizen of the United States or whether or not one resides in this country so long as the income is derived from the United States. In the matter of bonds and mortgages, etc., it seems to be the prevailing belief among bankers that the government will eventually have to come to the stamp system, the same as was used on such documents during the Spanish-American war, for the reason that with the complications that are expected to arise from the income tax, that will be about the only way that the matter can be handled with any degree of satisfaction.

The Elections.

Late returns show that Massachusetts, New Jersey and Virginia on Tuesday elected democratic governors, viz., David I. Walsh, James F. Fielder and Henry C. Stuart, respectively. Maryland elected Blair Lee, democrat, to the United States senate. In New York state the republicans elected an associate judge of the court of appeals, and regained control of the lower house of the legislature with a substantial working majority over the so-called progressives and democrats. William Sulzer won a seat in the assembly. In New York city John Purron Mitchell, fusion nominee for mayor, defeated the Tammany forces by a plurality of over 120,000.

William Frazier Dead.

Word was recently received by Mrs. Robert Neely that William Frazier, one of the old-timers of Princeton, had died at a sanatorium in the state of Washington, where he had gone to be treated for rheumatism. One of the attendants found him dead in a bath tub.

Many years ago Mr. Frazier operated a sawmill where the Umbecker ice house now stands, and also mills at Bogus Brook and other places in the country tributary to Princeton. He went west about 15 years ago but has visited Princeton since then. He was about 75 years of age.

Die That Others May Live.

Thirty hogs a week are being sacrificed at the state agricultural college to produce serum that other hogs may be made immune from attacks of cholera which is still prevalent in the western and southern counties of Minnesota. Each hog selected for making the serum must lose its life in the cause. If the operation is successful the serum produced in each case is sufficient to treat about 500 hogs weighing 100 pounds each, by giving up its life; the serum hog under average conditions makes it possible for about 500 hogs to live.

Nelson-Whitney.

At 2:30 tomorrow morning Mr. Alfred Nelson and Miss Jennie Whitney are to be united in marriage at the residence of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Whitney, in this village. Mr. Nelson is a progressive young farmer of Walnut Grove, Redwood county, where Miss Whitney has taught school for several terms. The bride-to-be is a native Princeton girl, beloved and respected by all who have the pleasure of her acquaintance. In advance the Union wishes the pair a long and happy married life.

Baseball Club Meets.

A meeting of the Princeton baseball club was held on Monday evening and Treasurer Goulding's report showed the neat balance of \$137.93 in the strongbox. Fred Newton, Frank Goulding and C. E. Hill were re-elected directors, Art Roos manager and S. P. Skahen captain. The club had a most successful year and preparations are already being made for insuring a strong team for 1914. Let us encourage the boys for they have made good.

A Scientific Boy Farmer.

That 12-year-old North Dakota boy, Henry Granlund, is some farmer. Besides obtaining the highest yield of corn in the state—106.7 bushels to the acre—he won the first prize for the southern section of the state and the sweepstakes prize of \$100 in gold. The corn-growing contest was conducted by the North Dakota Better Farming association.

Big Rummage Sale.

Go to the basement of the M. E. church on Friday and Saturday for good bargains in all kinds of useful articles from hats and shoes to tables and chairs. Adv. 46-1tc

AT NORTHWESTERN HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Chas. Nordstrom of Foreston, who was operated upon last week for tumor of the breast, is improving.

Ole Christian of Orrock was operated upon on Tuesday for an abscess under his tongue.

C. S. Caley is in the hospital for medical treatment.

Jerome Harrington, 82 years of age, sustained a fall from a wagon and a severe injury to his right eye besides a badly bruised face, and it is feared that the sight may be lost as a result. The horses attached to the wagon started to run and Mr. Harrington was thrown off, one of the wheels of the vehicle striking his face.

Simeon Babb, who was trephined last Saturday for the relief of a fractured skull and brain compression is so far doing as well as could be expected, and it is possible that the operation may save his life.

Mrs. J. S. Becker of Mora, who underwent an operation on Tuesday for the removal of an abdominal tumor, is convalescent.

Miss Hulda Larson of Wyannett underwent a surgical operation yesterday morning.

Bob King says he is very fond of roast mallow and partridges, but he much prefers that they be served with fried-egg garnishment. Bob is a particular cuss anyway you take him. Trotting with epicures in the cities is responsible for his peculiar tastes, we fancy.

Rufus P. Morton has returned from Larimore, N. D., near where he raised Triumph potatoes this year, planting 100 acres to this variety. The potatoes planted early, he says, yielded 140 bushels to the acre, but the later ones scarcely came up to an average yield. Insufficient rain—the season was very dry—he gives as the reason for a light late crop.

District court for Sherburne county convenes at Elk River next Monday. No grand jury has been summoned. Among those drawn to serve on the petit jury are the following: Frank Wallace, Frank Patten and Fred Murphy of Baldwin; Matt Johnson and Adolph Anderson of Blue Hill; W. F. Orrock, Santiago; Will Swanson and Henry Martins, Zimmerman.

That the Union's advertising brings results was again forcibly demonstrated last week when the Caley Hardware company announced a sale of five-cent enameled ware. Before the store closed on Thursday evening every piece of this ware had been sold. In this issue of the Union another ad for Cream City articles appears. Keep your eye on the Caley Hardware Co.'s show window for bargains.

We were more than pleased to meet Mr. Gus Erickson, a newcomer in Greenbush, last Saturday, for the reason that he is a staunch advocate of better roads and expresses himself as being ready and willing to contribute more than his share toward bettering the roads west of town. Mr. Erickson hails from Chippewa county and took an active interest in road improvement there. The main road leading west from town must be permanently improved next year.

There is no use of talking, Main and First streets must be improved next year. These two important streets are a disgrace to the village. Steps must be taken to pave or otherwise improve them. The improvement of these streets is an absolute necessity, and the abutting property-owners should bear the brunt of the expense. The Union proposes to discuss this matter until something is accomplished in the way of permanently improving these streets.

Several Wyannett and east Princeton farmers complain bitterly of the almost impassable condition of the Princeton and Cambridge main-traveled road about three miles east of town, at the Steeves meadow. It does seem as if that piece of road had been sadly neglected, and it could be made passable at a small expense. A few wagon loads of brush, hay or straw and sand would be all that is necessary. The matter of improving this bad spot should be attended to at once.

Special Sale.

Beginning Saturday, November 8, I will place on sale all stamped and tinted pillow tops: 50-cent tops for 39 cents and 25-cent tops for 19 cents; also hats and patterns at a discount. 46-1tc

Miss Anna Sadley.