

# ANNOUNCEMENT SALE

We wish to announce to the public that we have taken over the store of L. B. Wagner & Co., of Princeton, Minn., and that we are now ready to meet and serve the many friends and patrons of this store. We hope that the new firm may enjoy the continuation of your much valued patronage that L. B. Wagner & Co. have enjoyed during the past years. We assure you that you will receive courteous and generous treatment at all times. We trust that our dealings with you will be pleasant as well as profitable.

*Below We Quote a Few Specials for Saturday, April 18:*

Dress Goods	Collars and Ties	Groceries
15c book fold gingham.....12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> c	All 25c neckties.....19c	22 lbs. granulated sugar for.....\$1.00
12c book fold gingham.....10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> c	All 50c neckties.....39c	5 lbs. 25c coffee for.....\$1.00
10c book fold percales.....8c	All linen collars.....10c, 3 for 25c	3 cans Red Bird E. J. peas for.....25c
15c percales and cambrics.....12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> c	All rubber collars.....15c, 2 for 25c	3 cans Golden West E. J. peas for.....25c
We will give special prices on all laces and embroideries.		
	\$1.00 to \$2.00 Case corsets, while they last.....59c	3 cans Red Bird wax beans for.....25c
	\$1.00 ladies' wrappers and house dresses.....79c	2 33-oz. cans G. W. tomatoes for.....25c
	\$1.50 ladies' wrappers and house dresses.....\$1.19	25c can Logan berries.....18c
		25c can G. W. salmon.....18c
		2 15c cans G. W. salmon.....25c
		2 15c cans Golden Rod salmon.....25c
		8 bars Rose Queen soap.....25c
		7 bars Swift's White soap.....25c
		10c can Calumet baking powder.....8c
		15c can Calumet baking powder.....10c
		25c can Calumet baking powder.....15c
Men's Hats	Shoes	
50c men's hats.....39c	\$3.50 men's vici kid and gun metal shoes.....\$2.98	
\$1.00 men's hats.....69c	\$4.00 men's gun metal shoes.....\$3.49	
\$1.50 men's hats.....98c	\$4.25 to \$4.50 men's gun metal shoes.....\$3.49	
\$2.50 men's hats.....\$1.79	\$4.75 to \$5.00 men's gun metal shoes.....\$4.39	
\$3.00 men's hats.....\$2.69	\$2.75 to \$3.00 ladies' and misses' shoes.....\$2.29	
	\$3.50 to \$4.00 ladies' shoes.....\$2.98	
	\$1.75 to \$2.00 ladies' and misses' shoes.....\$1.39	
Men's and Ladies' Raincoats		
\$5.75 men's raincoats.....\$4.79		
\$7.00 ladies' raincoats.....\$5.98		

Remember that we only name a few of the many bargains we will offer in every department of our store on Saturday, April 18.

Yours to please,

## EICKSCHEN MER. CO. - Princeton

### The Farm Fireside.

Gleanings by Our Country Correspondents.....

#### FREER.

Louis Peterson returned to Minneapolis on Tuesday after having spent his Easter vacation at home. Mr. and Mrs. Olson, J. S. Jacobson, John Erstad and Miss Johnson spent Friday evening with the Johnsons at the poor farm. Ye merry Freer bunch called on John Larson Monday evening to wish him many happy returns of the day. Rev. Rem, Mr. and Mrs. Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Uglem were entertained at dinner at Jacobson's on Easter Sunday. Miss Karen Uglem, who is teaching near Green lake, came home to spend her Easter vacation. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Berg of that place. Miss Hildegard Erstad returned to the cities on Thursday after a week's vacation at home. Mrs. Homme, Mrs. Larson and Mrs. Ege spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Erstad.

#### GREENBUSH.

Arvie Lindstrom visited a few days in Minneapolis last week. Elvina Hartman, Pearl Labbissoniere and Ben Hartman spent Friday evening at Hartman's. Henry Forster is building a new granary. Miss Elvina Hartman, who is attending high school at Princeton, visited at her home here over Sunday. Miss Pearl Labbissoniere is a guest of her friend, Miss Alma Magly, during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Hartung. John Lindstrom returned to Fargo on Monday after spending Easter with his parents here. Those who have gone to Mankato for a few days' visit are Mr. and Mrs. George Hartung and family, Mrs. F. Rebestein and son, Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Forster and family. Charles Forster made a trip to St. Cloud on Tuesday. Elmer Dubuque is spending a few days with relatives here.

#### BRICKTON.

Mat Barthel arrived here on Monday evening from Minneapolis. He intends to spend his summer vacation at the Markgraf home. Several of the young folks of this place spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Olson in Greenbush. Mrs. Knutson of Becker is staying with Grandma Johnson. Gladys Latteral went to Minneapolis the latter part of last week to have some dental work done. We are all glad to hear that Oscar Steinbach has returned from Florida. Sophie and Tenny Thompson of Greenbush were visitors at Markgraf's on Sunday afternoon. Sophie is employed in Minneapolis and returned to that place on Monday

morning.

A large number attended the Easter dance on Saturday evening and everyone had a splendid time. Mr. and Mrs. Redmond of Blue Hill will make their home here. They moved here last week. Mrs. L. Southard of Princeton was here on Friday trying to get a number of people to join the International Liberty union.

#### SPENCER BROOK.

A farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. John Bengston at their home last Saturday evening. Mrs. M. A. Thompson came up from Anoka on Monday evening. She returned Wednesday morning. Mrs. Wellington King visited in Minneapolis from Saturday until Monday. She then went on to see Mrs. Mary Witham at Park Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McKenzie and son, Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Babb motored to Anoka on Monday. They all returned on Tuesday except Mrs. McKenzie, who had to stay until Wednesday to have her eyes treated. Mrs. M. C. Scanlan and daughter, Olive, spent Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Luker. Enos Way and wife and Frank Way have moved onto the Free Edmison place. Frank has rented it this year.

#### ISLE

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Haggberg and daughter, Florence, were visitors at the Carlson home on Sunday afternoon. John Grant and family of Grantville spent Sunday at the Dan Elgren home. Nels Munson and wife left on Friday evening for Isanti to attend the funeral of Mrs. Munson's sister-in-law, Mrs. Alfred Bergman. Mrs. John Carlson has been on the sick list the past few days. While splitting wood on Friday Dana Moyer had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly. The many friends of Jessie Haggberg gathered at her home here on Saturday evening to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. A nice time was passed. M. Wicklander and wife, Mrs. J. A. Wicklander and Mrs. P. Wicklander spent Sunday at Opstead. Jonas Grant and John Carlson were Wabkon visitors on Saturday. Mrs. Elleson entertained the pupils and teachers of the school here in honor of her daughter, Hazel, on Wednesday evening, the occasion being Hazel's birthday anniversary. Miss Caroline Malone spent Sunday afternoon at the Grant home. Clarence Munson left on Monday for Duluth, where he expects to be employed this summer. Chas. Wicklander is busy building boats. Alfred Johnson, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is reported a little better at this writing. John Haggberg of Redtop was in town on Tuesday. Bernard Carlson, who is employed by Frank McGrath, spent Sunday at his home here. Irvin Carlson is now employed as

Allie Noraus of Redtop, who has been spending a week with relatives here, returned to her home on Monday. Miss Mabel Worcester is again able to be out and around. She was in town for the first time since her illness on Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Wilkes of Wabkon called at the Grant home on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Mabel Worcester was a caller at the Jonas Grant home on Tuesday.

#### PEASE.

The Misses Mary and Margaret Jensen were the guests of Mrs. Orle Jones on Thursday. They returned to Milaca on Friday evening. John Brinks has blood poison in one of his hands and makes regular trips to Milaca to have it treated by a doctor. A. J. Jetsinga is having his house painted. Jake Pluimer went to Princeton on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bartelt and family were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Jones on Sunday. The Callendar family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Salee on Sunday. A large number of the farmers have been hauling hay the past week from S. DeBoer's. He seems to be the only one who has any to spare. Some of the young men have been lucky enough to spear a few fish in the brooks and now the older sportsmen are having a very bad attack of spring fever—they want to go fishing. The creamery shipped 50 tubs of butter this week.

#### BLUE HILL.

O. G. Bragg has purchased a pure bred registered Holstein bull from Schreppel Bros. of Greenbush. Nels George lost a valuable mare last week from meningitis. Geo. Skrentney is helping Chas. Reichart with his farm work. Mrs. Lindberg and sons have rented the old Larkin farm in east Blue Hill. Wm. Swearingner and family have moved into their new home. Nels and Gunder George spent a few days in Minneapolis last week. Mrs. Alice Taylor went to Minneapolis last week to make her home. Jos. Gustache and wife left for Minneapolis on Tuesday. Joe expects to get a job there. Fred Murphy of Baldwin was hauling hay from the St. Francis meadows last week. Geo. Marpe of Germany spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Newman. Mrs. R. A. Wood has returned to her home here after spending several weeks at her parents' home in the southern part of the state. O. G. Bragg is having a porch built onto his house, which adds much to the looks of it. Wm. Weldon and daughter and Frank Weldon and family of Greenbush spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swearingner. Alex Belair has resigned his job as supervisor of highways and Chas.

Groff was appointed to that position. Wm. Chisholm of Milaca has rented Lou Kuhlman's farm and will take possession this week. We are glad to have the Chisholms settle among us once more.

Ben Haraldson gave a dancing party to his friends on Monday evening. Chas. Kuhlman and Claude Bragg furnished the music. Joe Gustache had a brother from Minneapolis visiting him last week. A number of young friends of Carl Johnson gave him a surprise party on the evening of April 8, it being his sixteenth birthday anniversary. A very delightful time was passed. Mr. and Mrs. James Horton went to Princeton on Tuesday to visit friends.

#### OSBOW.

Pete Lindell had the misfortune to lose a horse last week. Ed and Lambert Ziebarth have erected new windmills. Carl Bengtson is very sick with the quinsy. Dr. Cooney was called last Thursday. John Gates is reshingling his house. Johnson Hyndman and his mother, Mrs. Mary Hyndman, were Sunday visitors at Everett Hall's. Guests at George Taylor's on Sunday were Miss Pratt and Anna and Claud Whitcomb. Oscar Bengtson, who is working in Minneapolis, came up to visit his parents over Sunday. George Tomlinson made a trip to the cities last week. Mrs. Bertha Radeke and Mrs. Ernest Radeke drove to North Branch last Saturday to visit relatives.

#### VINELAND.

Allen Christian of Minneapolis is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. L. Lund. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rummel of Kelliber are visiting at W. A. Warren's for a few weeks. George Montour and family, who occupied the Fred McKay place, returned to Minneapolis on Monday. A party for the young folks was given at the E. E. Dinwiddie home last Friday evening. Geo. Brokaw of Inman, Neb., was here for a short visit. He thinks the country is much improved since he lived here some 10 years ago. Fred McKay boarded the train at Onamia on Saturday for Minneapolis and returned on Sunday in his automobile. He says the roads are not very good.

#### ZIMMERMAN.

Chas. Iliff and family motored to Princeton last Friday. Rev. Stowe of Minneapolis held services at the Union church last Friday evening. The Misses Prescott and Walker returned on Tuesday after a week's vacation. Victor Malm went to Minneapolis last week and returned Tuesday evening of this week. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Foley and children, John Stromberg and Andrew Anderson motored to Nowthen last Sunday and spent the day at

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the Stromberg home.

All members of the Rebekah lodge are requested to be present at the regular meeting on Saturday evening, April 18. Important business on hand.

The baseball game here Sunday between Crown and Zimmerman was a victory for our boys.

Mrs. Harry Pratt and daughters went to Princeton on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Pratt and Beatrice returned Saturday and Ellen remained with her grandmother until yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Swanson and Mrs. E. H. Foley were shopping in Minneapolis on Monday.

Miss Matilda Berquist of Lake Minnetonka is here doing dressmaking.

George Bowles went to Princeton last Thursday to see his brother at the hospital.

M. Blanchett of Minneapolis came up Thursday evening on business.

Mrs. Neumann of Foreston visited Mr. and Mrs. N. Neumann between trains last Thursday.

Louise Hurtt was accompanied home last Thursday by Miss Mae

Richner, who spent the week here. Mrs. Hurtt left Tuesday morning as a delegate to the Sunday school convention at Winona.

Miss Lillian Stendahl spent a few days of last week with her sister, Mrs. Healy, at Elk River.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Iliff of Elk River were in town last Friday.

Miss Elsie Day entertained her cousin, Miss Grace Higgins, of Minneapolis from Wednesday of last week until Tuesday of this, and also her friend, Miss Stella Kirk of Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cohoe visited at John Cohoe's in east Livonia Sunday.

If you want to know how the walking is between Zimmerman and the Livonia school house just ask Oscar Swanson.

Ole A. Erickson's little girl is quite sick with pneumonia.

H. C. Shumacher and daughter, Estella, went to Nowthen on Tuesday to visit friends.

Herman Norberg purchased an auto last Saturday.

Mr. Mallory was called to Illinois last week by the death of his father.