

More About Paris.

Mrs. Mary Rines expects that her granddaughter, Miss Mary Newbert, is on her way across the ocean by this time, as the vessel she was to leave in sailed from Havre last Saturday. Miss Newbert did not get away a day too soon, for the Germans are almost at the gates of Paris.

Subjoined are a few excerpts from a letter received by Mrs. Rines from Miss Newbert this week:

"We went down this morning and stood two and one-half hours in line in a mob to get our papers from the consul to walk in the streets. They are just leading a lot of horses by now for war; they have their regiment mark on them. Where we stood several women fainted, among them a friend of ours—an old lady—and Elizabeth fainted also, so we had two people to work over. We got our papers and now we have to go in another mob to get something else. We saw terrible parting scenes this morning—volunteers going to war and all kinds of sights. Most all the stores are closed and can't get any milk, butter or sugar, but we can always get bread and beer, so that there is no danger of starving. Three of our party have gone out scouting for food—they only give a certain amount to each person—so that we will have a lot. It is serious, but we are very fortunate. There are millions worse off than we are. You should have seen the thousands of Americans gathered together this morning where we were, standing out in the street reading the New York Herald.

"We will leave France our first opportunity and may come home on an American transport. Who knows? I wish I knew where we would be in two weeks. We may go to Spain, but if we do we would have to wait until the war is over. We don't know now what we will do.

"Rah, Hurrah! Vive la France! Well, we got up early this morning, and went and stood in line for our next permission to stay. We stood all morning, nothing doing, so came home to lunch; went back and they were not opened up so we went for a walk. We tried to buy a New York Herald and while doing so, we learned that some Germans under pretense of French, having French flags around their arms, etc., had gone to St. Cloud bridge and had it all ready to blow up, intending to cut Paris off from the country supplies, etc. Well, the French took them and leading them down to a public square, which was near our place, shot them one by one.

"Now I must tell you what happened to us. After we heard this we thought we would go down to the Seine river and look up and down to see if we could see the St. Cloud bridge and Eifel Tower, etc. Gladys and I, (because we knew we would have lots of time to spare) took our diaries, as we wanted to write in them. So while we were standing on the bridge, we looked around and saw soldiers setting up cannon in back of us, and we went over to look at them. Miss Mack asked what they were. One policeman wouldn't answer and another finally said 'rapid firing guns.' Gladys was in the back ground writing in her diary; the gendarme seeing her, grabbed her book and said 'what's this?' He thought she was spying and learning the fortifications and taking down what the officer had told Miss Mack. Well, he saw the word Germany because it just happened that she was writing what a German who was talking to Miss Derby had said about the German boats, viz: that they would sail from Genoa instead of France under an assumed name. Now, believe me, we were in a critical situation; we came near all being arrested. We had a crowd of Frenchmen around us and Miss Mack had to explain what the book was and the officer looked all through it and saw a picture of an actor and wanted to know who he was, and finally after a lot of talking, he was convinced that we were Americans, and he told Gladys to keep the book in her pocket. We got away but we were scared for a few minutes. We went back at 2 o'clock and finally got our papers at 4:30. He called my number and I had to be measured. I must not have stood still because he said, 'Stand still or I'll shoot you.' Well, I knew exactly what he said but I pretended not to understand; the man who was assisting said, 'She doesn't understand.' So that got me off fine. Then I had to go over and tell where I was born and give my height, which I was able to give in French. I have a fine system about my name. It can be pronounced beautifully in French. So I got my permission to walk in the streets and to quit la France when Wilson sends a boat. How about it? Is he going to send boats for us? I hope he doesn't wait as long as he did about Mexico. We will all be blown up. Do you know, Paris, gay Paree, is the quietest place, worse than Watts, California. Have to walk to town and back; can't get

butter and all the German stores have been broken into and the counters and everything hauled out into the streets and battered up.

"This experience is something we will never forget. Will we? I am in bed eating French bread. Yesterday we went back to the Cecelia hotel. That was a sad looking place, no one left but a few guests and the concierge, all the others who ran the hotel had gone to war. We went by the Triniville hotel and it was all boarded up because it was a German hotel. I am glad England has declared war, too. I should think all of them together could beat Germany.

"We are having lots of fun here sleeping five in a room, we call it the barracks. If we can't get back to America, we are going to nurse the French soldiers.

"I have a feeling that this letter will never get to you, or if it does, not much before I will, but send it I will. So here goes."

Princeton Loses.

The Princeton ball team, accompanied by a number of loyal rooters, journeyed over to Foley last Sunday and clashed with the diamond representatives of that village. The day was ideal for fast ball playing, and the contest was close and exciting. Three of Princeton's regulars—Skahen, Doane and Mallette—were not on the scene, but despite their absence the Mille Lacs county athletes gave a good account of themselves and under conditions at all favorable would have undoubtedly won the contest. The final score was 8 to 7 in Foley's favor. However the locals say that they were not aware that a state of war existed between the two villages, and, consequently, were not prepared for the Uhlans that were in line with the opposing side. Neither were they as thoroughly conversant with the unique spirit of "sportsmanship" prevailing within the borders of the invaded village, as they are now.

Wilkes was on the firing line for Princeton and pitched winning ball. He was accorded good support, Princeton's inner defense being exceptionally good. Heilig was at the receiving station and caught a good game. Kasner and Ben Muehl were in the points for Foley and both performed well. During the first two innings both sides played tight ball and no scores were registered by either team. In the third round the excitement started, and Wills, R. Berg and Wilkes crossed the registering station for Princeton. Foley came right back in their half and pushed four scores over the plate. Princeton forged ahead again in the fourth inning by annexing three more runs. Foley was blanked in their half, and at the beginning of the fifth, the score stood 6 to 4 in Princeton's favor. Another score was secured by Princeton in the fifth inning, and Foley also secured two in their half, but Princeton still had a lead of one run. Princeton was blanked during the balance of the game. Foley tied the score in the sixth round, and pushed the winning run over the plate in the eighth inning.

NOTES.

Manager Hofflander was unable to collect all the expense money that had been promised to Princeton, and is somewhat disgusted with the attitude of the Foley management. Excitement was intense at various stages of the game, and unpleasant features developed at times. Next Sunday the East St. Cloud team will clash with the locals and a fast contest is promised. Princeton played a creditable game last Sunday, and, having fairly defeated Foley twice this season, have the edge on their opponents.

"THE WATCH ON THE RHINE."

A voice resounds like thunder-peal, 'Mid dashing waves and clang of steel: "The Rhine, the Rhine, the German Rhine! Who guards today my stream divine?"

Chorus: Dear Fatherland, no danger thine: Firm stand thy sons to watch the Rhine!

They stand, a hundred thousand strong, Quick to avenge their country's wrong; With filial love their bosoms swell, They'll guard the sacred landmark well!

The dead of a heroic race From Heaven look down and meet their gaze; They swear with dauntless heart, "O Rhine, Be German as this breast of mine!"

While flows one drop of German blood, Or sword remains to guard thy flood, While rifle rests in patriot hand— No foe shall tread thy sacred strand!

Our oath resounds, the river flows, In golden light our banner glows; Our hearts will guard thy stream divine; The Rhine, the Rhine, the German Rhine!

Joe Whitcomb's barn, on the north side, was totally destroyed, with its contents, by fire last Friday evening. The alarm was sounded about 8 o'clock and the fire department was promptly on the scene with the chemical engine, but there was no chance to save the building. About \$200 worth of carpenter tools and a Studebaker automobile, which were in the barn at the time, were also destroyed. The total loss is estimated at about \$800, with an insurance of \$300. The fire originated from a gasoline torch which was in the building.

Church Topics

Sunday and Weekday Announcements.
ST. EDWARD'S.
Mass every Sunday. On the second, fourth and fifth Sundays of the month low mass at 8:30, with a short sermon and high mass with sermon at 10:30. On the first and third Sundays of the month low mass only at 8:30. Every Sunday evening at 7:30 vespers sermon, and benediction of the blessed sacrament. You are always most welcome at St. Edward's.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

It looks nice to see a few logs float by occasionally.

N. E. Jesmer returned from Chicago yesterday and is greatly pleased with his trip.

The ladies of the Woman's Relief corps cleared about \$50 out of their dance and supper.

Next to the railroad, the new court house is the best investment Mille Lacs county ever made.

Lew Greenwald, one of Anoka's brightest young business men, was in town between trains Tuesday forenoon.

Again diphtheria has made its unwelcome appearance in Mr. Charles Rogers' family. A little five year old boy is ailing with the disease.

School commenced Monday with Prof. Guy Ewing as principal, and Mr. Charles Caine, Miss Carrie Scoville and Miss Snow, as assistants.

The front drive of about eight million feet of logs is moving nicely, and the rear is expected here tonight. The reports from the rear drives are also encouraging.

Last Thursday afternoon the Princeton boys again downed the Elk River nine, on the grounds of the latter. The score stood 17 to 5 in favor of Princeton.

The Central Park club of Minneapolis "done up" the Anoka nine last Saturday to the tune of 36 to 6. As usual Anoka kicked on the umpire and in the last half of the fifth inning a change of umpires was made.

Capt. Oscar Taylor, county attorney of Stearns county, hardly ever misses a term of the district court in this county. He is on deck as usual this year. The captain's suavity of manners makes him a general favorite.

The Ladies' Aid society will give a sociable at the residence of Mrs. A. W. Woodcock tomorrow evening. The young people are especially invited to attend, as preparations are being made to make the evening very enjoyable to them.

Little Artie Stevens, grandson of Thomas Hannay, was kicked on the mouth by a colt Sunday evening, and three of his teeth were knocked out. His lip was also split. Dr. Gile stitched up the lip wound, and the little fellow is doing well.

Among other specimens of the products of Mille Lacs county that will be exhibited at the state fair by Mr. John Sadley is a 60-pound squash and a snake cucumber 3 1/2 feet long. Mr. Sadley has also some nice specimens of wheat, oats, rye and tame and wild grass.

With the aid of the umpire, the lawyers did up the regular base ball club by a score of 9 to 4, Monday afternoon. The regular battery, Buck and Claggett, also assisted the legal gentlemen. It is rare sport for the boys to see Charley Wheaton attempt to field the ball. Then as a batter, Charley is immense.

Good Roads Day at Ogilvie.

The progressive citizens of Ogilvie will on September 8th hold a good roads day, and will labor on the main street in that village. Volunteer work on the part of those interested is planned for, and teams will also be used. A free dinner will be served at noon to the laborers, and in the evening a banquet will be held at Ohman's hall in that village. Interest in the improvement of highways is rapidly increasing throughout Minnesota, and considerable volunteer work has been done in various communities in the state. Ogilvie is evidently thoroughly alive to the importance of better roads and there is no doubt but what much good will be accomplished when they turn out and labor on the streets.

Fire Destroys Barn.

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Mille Lacs County Fair Leads Them All

The best grounds, biggest premium list and best attractions of any fair in northern Minnesota. Remember the dates, Sept. 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1914.

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 cents.

FOUND.

FOUND—A lady's rain coat, on Blue Hill road. Owner call at this office for information. 37-1tc

FOUND—A purse containing a small amount of money. Owner can recover same by applying to Frank Michael, Princeton. 37-1tc

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a family of four. Mrs. Joseph Byers, 300 7th avenue South, Minneapolis. 37-1tc

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, either with beds or without. Inquire of A. Christianson, north of Moore's planing mill, Princeton. 36-2tp

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—I will sell all of my household furniture, and a good sewing machine: also many garden tools. Mrs. David Whitcomb. 36-2tp

FOR SALE—Four Jersey cows. All fresh. Three, four and six years old. Inquire of A. M. Jones, Princeton, Route 4, Box 104. 37-2tp

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A position on a farm, through the potato season, by a young man. Inquire of Frank Smith, at Raiche's bakery. 37-1tp

CHANGE OF LOCATION—I am now located in my new warehouse, east of Tilley's barn, with a full line of flour and feed. I will buy corn, oats, barley and off-grade wheat. Henschel's Feed Store. 22-tfc

A New Machine.

Will hereby announce to the public that I have installed in my shop an Oxy-acetylene welding plant and am now prepared to weld cast iron, aluminum, steel or anything that cannot commonly be welded with forge and anvil. I have had this plant only a short time but am meeting with very good success and many jobs have already been turned out and proven satisfactory. I think such a plant has long been needed in this village and therefore cordially invite the public's attention to it. N. M. Nelson, Princeton, Minn. 35-tfc

TRUTH TRIUMPHS

Princeton Citizens Testify for the Public Benefit.

A truthful statement of a Princeton citizen, given in his own words, should convince the most skeptical about the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills. If you suffer from backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, urinary disorders or any form of kidney ills, use a tested kidney medicine. A Princeton citizen tells of Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you demand more convincing proof of merit?

W. R. Bigelow, Princeton, Minn., says: "I had a bad case of rheumatic pain and kidney trouble. It hurt me to bend and when I got down or in a chair, I could hardly get up. The trouble kept me from work and several times when I caught cold, the attacks were worse. I was told to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. I soon got relief and a little later, I was cured."

For sale by all dealers or upon receipt of price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. Adv.

Farmers, Attention.

Wanted, hogs and cattle at L. C. Hummel's meat market, Princeton. Highest market prices paid. 13-tfc

Special Village Election Notice.

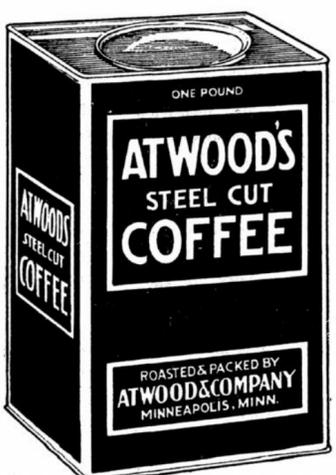
The citizens of the village of Princeton in the county of Mille Lacs and state of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at general elections, are hereby notified that a special election for said village will be held at the village hall in said village on Tuesday, September 22nd, 1914, A. D., between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the following purpose, viz: To vote upon the proposition of whether or not the citizens of said village of Princeton wish to change the present form of government to that of a fourth class city.

Given under my hand and seal this 1st day of September, 1914, A. D.
E. W. HATCH,
(Corporate Seal) Recorder.

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CALEY LUMBER CO.
BENJAMIN SOULE, Manager

Cream Wanted

WHEN you sell your cream to our creameries you get the highest price paid in Princeton. Our test and weight you will find correct. Our buttermaker you will always find courteous, and he will give you your check before you leave if wanted.

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