

IF You could bottle this heat for next Winter

But You Can't-

You Can ORDER YOUR WINTER'S COAL OF

Eclipse Lumber Co.

C. M. EMMONS, Mgr.

PHONE NO. 47 AUSTIN, MINN.



The Congregational church and Sunday school will take a hayrack ride to Harry Jones' farm west of Ramsey Friday evening and enjoy a barbecue.

The first killing frost of the season came Monday morning, Sept. 22. Ice formed and tender vegetation is killed.

The first fall meeting of the Mower County Ministerial Association was held at the Y. W. C. A. rooms Monday afternoon with a small attendance. Vacation experiences were given. The election of officers holds over until the October meeting which will be held Oct. 27.

There is talk of a fine brick block to be built on the Smith lots next west of the Fox hotel on Water street, to cost \$40,000.

The Water street paving is finished from the Catholic church to St. Paul street and the force is now busy on south Main street.

The old shed adjoining the Smith & Johnson Blow factory on the east has been removed and a storage annex will take its place.

Prepare for something better by attending the U. S. M. at Austin, Minnesota.

The fifty-ninth annual session of the Minnesota Methodist conference opened at Mankato yesterday. Last evening, Rev. James F. Stout, D. D. of Austin gave a lecture on "Folks." Last Sunday Dr. Stout gave statistics of the past year's work with the Austin church showing 45 members received of whom 27 were by certificate, 13 from probation and five from other churches. During the four years of Dr. Stout's pastorate there have been 180 additions.

Mrs. W. H. McKenna is entertaining her cousins, Misses May and Elizabeth King of Boston.

Mrs. J. B. Mills and daughter returned to St. Paul Friday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lon Hollister. Mrs. Mills has sold her eighty in section 13, Austin township, to J. H. Furtney and Jesse Bassett of Austin. Consideration, \$6,000.

T. E. Hartwell and family of Tripoli, Iowa, are packing their household goods and will move to Austin. He will follow his trade of meat cutter here. Mrs. Hartwell is a daughter of Mrs. Belle Duhom and formerly lived here.

Justice N. F. Earl fined a well known Austin citizen \$10 and costs on Friday for slapping his wife because she would not tell him where she had been calling and the justice warned the man that if anything of the kind was repeated he would get something much worse in the way of sentence that would stay by him.

Mrs. D. H. Stinson returned Monday from Minneapolis where she spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Frank R. Preston.

Mrs. Geo. D. Frisbie of North Yakima, Wash. spent Sunday with friends in Albert Lea, returning to Austin Monday. She goes to Minneapolis Friday to visit relatives and will then visit at her former home in Park Rapids.

Do you want a better position? We can help you get it. Send for our catalog. Address: U. S. M., Austin, Minnesota.

Mrs. John Freudenwald and Mrs. Fred Pheen of Milwaukee who have spent the past three weeks with their sister, Mrs. August Smith, returned to their home Monday evening. Mrs. Henry Miller of Austin, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Smith, accompanied them for a visit.

Mrs. Alice, widow of Henry W. Gordon, died Sunday, Sept. 21, at Fergus Falls. The body was brought to Austin yesterday and will be taken today to Woodbury to be laid beside her husband. Mr. Gordon served in Co. F, 4th Minn. Vols. in the war of the rebellion. There was one son, Warren Gordon.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid will meet this afternoon at the church. The September division, Mrs. Geo. S. Burnham, chairman, will entertain.

Hon. T. J. Meighan of Preston visited at the T. M. Foster home here last Friday.

Mrs. Edgar I. Carter and son Warren of Somersworth, N. H. arrived Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Shaw. Miss Elizabeth Pope, a relative, came with them.

The city election to vote on the proposed amendments to the city charter will be held next Tuesday, 30th, from six o'clock a. m. to nine o'clock, p. m. We have published these amendments for the past month and there is no reason why our voters should not understand them. Decide how you will vote on each one before election day and be ready to mark your ballot quickly.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Arthur Lane Thursday. A son was born to Mrs. Frank Ryan on Friday.

Mrs. Joe Ellis of Laporte, Ind. arrived Friday to make her home here, as this is a more central point for her husband, who is traveling for the International Harvester company.

J. D. Rugg arrived home Friday from Buhl, Idaho, where he visited his son, Jay and family.

Dr. E. G. Martin and family left Friday for Boston, via Montreal. He will resume his duties as professor of physiology at Harvard university.

Mrs. Frank Christie went to Milwaukee Saturday to take treatment for her lungs and may be absent several weeks.

Increase your pay envelope by studying Stenotypy, the latest and best method of recording dictation. U. S. M., Austin, Minnesota. Adv. 26-10

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schleuder went to Chicago Sunday night to buy goods for the jewelry store.

We were pleased to see G. Schleuder at the store again Saturday after his recent severe illness.

Mrs. F. H. McCulloch spent Sunday with her mother at Scranton, Iowa.

Geo. Weber and family moved last week from Lansing to their house in Austin, the old Beach property on north High street. Their daughter, Mrs. Wm. King and husband of Waterloo, Iowa, came Wednesday to visit them.

Services at the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening. The pulpit will be supplied by some one from Conference.

There are a few in every community who desire to move to a warmer climate. If anyone reading this is considering such a change this fall and will write to us we will be glad to send you our Free Literature and Map, describing our California lands. United States Farm Land Co., 712 Pioneer Bldg., St. Paul, Minn. 28-29

Lyman D. Baird has made a ten year lease to Chas. W. Gates of Minneapolis of the new opera house he is building on Water street next east of R. R. Murphy's store. Possession Dec. 20. Mr. Gates will soon move his family here.

Col. and Mrs. C. L. West attended the ceremonies of unveiling a monument to John A. Johnson, at St. Peter on Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Manchester of Minneapolis came Saturday to visit her brother, Elihu B. Smith and other relatives.

Mrs. W. J. Hart of Huron, S. D. came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ingalls.

Arnold Johnson went to Evanston, Ill., Sunday night, to study at the N. W. university.

Miss Margaret Wells went to Moline, Ill., Monday, to spend several weeks with her mother. Ethel Williams went with her to visit her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Black left Sunday night for their home at Madison, Tenn., after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Kinsman. He came home in June and she in March. They will visit his relatives at Washburn, Ill. en route.

The young men of the Baptist church organized Friday evening in a permanent organization with the following officers: pres. Frank Scullin; vice pres. Harry D. Earl; sec. and treas. Alex Nelson; Fay Snyder, reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dalager spent Sunday at their son, Norman's home in Lake Mills, Iowa. Mrs. Norman Dalager continues very ill.

The Duodecim literary society organized for the year Friday evening by the choice of Jas. Barrett, pres.; Frank Peck, vice pres.; Ausper Anderson, sec.; Marion Sherman, treas.; Ross Robertson, or. sec. The following new members were taken in: Arthur Banfield, Dow Gregg, Frank Plum, Archie Simpson, Geo. Taylor.

Mrs. Matilda Feldt of Lansing township and her son, Louis, aged 17 years, in Justice N. F. Earl's court Saturday on the charge of the larceny of cream money. The boy had cashed a Lansing creamery check for \$50.97 and had taken it to our county fair and claims that a man borrowed \$40 of it, of him promising to return it the next day. The boy returned the other ten dollars to his parents. The charge was finally made of larceny and the boy was committed to the county jail for twenty days. He is reported to be weak mentally.

The Austin Dairy Co. pays cash for poultry and eggs. Bring them in and get the highest market price. Phone 61. H. P. SMITH Mgr. E. 233 Mill St. 6-6m

There will be a public social given at Maurek's hall this evening by the East Side Catholic Ladies' Aid and five grand prizes will be given for the oldest lady, the man with largest feet, the lady who brings the largest crowd, the smallest man and the man and lady who laughs longest and loudest. A short program will be given. All invited.

Thos. Fairbanks is not improving much since his accident, we are sorry to report.

The Mizota Society will meet Thursday the 25th with Mrs. Herman Chandler, seven miles south of Austin. Dinner will be served at noon. All are invited.

There will be a Mothers' meeting at the summer school Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. As this is the first meeting of the year, a large attendance is desired.

Mrs. Sam Jacobson's division of the Lutheran Ladies Aid, served lunch at the church Thursday. They realized about \$10.

Mrs. J. H. Frazier is entertaining her niece Mrs. Lowry of Footville, Wis. Mrs. Lowry spent Sunday with relatives at Mankato and goes to Milwaukee Monday as delegate to the Grand Chapter O. E. S. from Footville.

Alex Campbell, the miller, has purchased the Wm. Anderson house on west Water street.

Paul Knopf of Fargo, N. D., is visiting his parents here.

Mrs. Merrill of Ovid, Mich., a cousin of Mrs. A. Newell and J. Boulton is visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith went to Spring Valley Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. Kalb, who has been in Europe all summer.

Burr Oak Fence Posts for sale. Call 18-46 Interstate. Adv. 29-2

The Women's Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday, 24th with Mrs. Thomas Beattie, Mrs. P. A. Reilly, leader.

A. J. Sharpstine and wife expect to spend the winter in St. Paul with their daughter Mrs. Henry Deber.

Joseph Keenan was in Mason City Friday looking after a real estate deal.

Mrs. W. T. Forbes and child, and Miss Josephine Ondrick went to Mason City Thursday afternoon. The Forbes family have shipped their household goods to Mason City and will soon be settled there.

The J. C. Johnson Jr., family who have made their home at Austin for a good many years, leave shortly for Aberdeen, S. D., where they will reside permanently. Mr. Johnson is traveling for an implement house, and makes his headquarters at Aberdeen. A reception in honor of Mrs. Johnson was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Henry Jahren. A social afternoon was enjoyed and a five o'clock luncheon was served. A souvenir spoon was presented to Mrs. Johnson.

I will give \$3.00 for one of the Farm Journal Mower County maps issued in 1911. Address E. B. Foote, General Delivery, Preston, Minn. Adv. 29-1

The Koterie of the Presbyterian church have planned an entertainment to be given at the church Friday evening. Miss Jane Todd will tell of her travels in Europe.

Regular meeting of Concord grange this evening. Three new members will be initiated.

Misses Marie Sterling and Ruth Christie left yesterday for Beloit, Wis., to resume their studies at college.

Miss Alice Riley arrived home Sunday from her European trip. She was met in New York by her sister Statia and they visited friends in the east.

A stork and handkerchief was given by Mrs. Geo. Umhoefer Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. E. Hilker. The afternoon was spent in sewing and visiting. A four course supper was served. The shower was a copious one.

Mrs. C. L. Thomas and her daughter Mrs. Lucy Rayman entertained friends at thimble bees on Wednesday and Friday afternoons at the Thomas home.

C. W. Dobbey, foreman at the McCulloch Printing plant, was caught in the shafting while putting on a belt Thursday morning and was thrown violently against the wall, resulting in a broken rib and severe bruises. A set screw caught his sleeve.

Ed Wall has rented the barber shop under Hirsh's store and will open Oct. 1.

Perry Reynolds went to New York state last week to visit his brother.

The W. C. T. U. met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. I. Loomis on south First St.

S. R. Stanton returned Thursday from a visit with his daughter at Crookston.

The only jury case tried at the special term of district court last week resulted in a verdict of the township of Le Roy in the case brought by James K. Iverson for the building of a road from his farm.

Judge N. Kingsley went to Albert Lea Monday to open the regular term of district court.

Prof. F. R. Cran, the agricultural expert on J. J. Hill's railroad was here Wednesday evening and gave an address at the Commercial club rooms.

L. B. Hanna took all the prizes offered for Jersey cattle at the county fair. There are no finer bred.

Engineer Wm. Anderson and wife left Thursday for a two weeks trip in the west going over the Canadian Pacific to Vancouver and returning from Seattle over the Milwaukee and Puget Sound road.

Miss Nellie Mills went to St. Peter Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Anderson.

The Stoddard club held the first meeting of the new year on Thursday with Mrs. Al M. Smith.

A very interesting letter from Harry Rasmussen appears on our second page. He is having a delightful trip abroad.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The domestic science class prepared peaches last week and tomatoes this week. Yum, yum.

Rushing business, eh? We should say. Everybody is busy.

Wonder if there is such a thing as cousins fighting. E. G. Nina and Mildred.

The manual training students keep things busy from morning to night. The Porten brothers are expert teachers.

Rumor: The first foot ball game of the season will be played in Austin next Saturday afternoon with Grand Meadow high.

A girls' glee club with forty voices, a boys' glee club with about twelve thus far and a big high school chorus of seventy voices have been formed. We are going to make a lot of noise and we hope a lot of excellent music.

Mondays are bad days for Louise H.

Thanks to that awful rain Friday, we got out of all our afternoon recitations. Come again.

Simon, keep your feet out of the aisles.

Vernon believes in change of conversation. "Put on a new record."

The Athletic association was organized on Tuesday of this week. Particulars some other time.

The gymnasium work for girls began Tuesday under the direction of Miss Hazel Weedell, physical director.

Alice certainly keeps note paper from moulding.

High school pupils are often threatened in vain. E. F. and Doc. are altogether too intimate.

We have two Shortys in high school and there is no preference.

Beaver Plum says he took a trip to the old country for nothing last Thursday. We didn't even miss him.

"Everybody bring out their old magazines. We need them." Junior English class.

The Bunch are going to cultivate an artistic temperament by taking drawing.

James Barrett, Paul Rockwell, Neel Christopher, Harold Lamport, Archie Simpson and Geo. Taylor are competing for rising prominence as the tallest men in A. H. S.

Marion Stinson had the misfortune of coming in contact with the missile that Beaver intended for Marion Sherman. Altogether un-called for, Beaver.

Our school is harmonious and prosperous under our new friends and superintendent.

The Bunch went to the Movies Friday evening and up to Baird's for picnic supper. Some time.

Wednesday morning, Prof. French gave us one of his good spiffs on the value of education. He also took up the momentous problem, whether a bachelor should pay school tax. It was the first of this year and proved him to be as good as ever.

Irish—What next, Marg?

Rumor, that Fran and Cutey fell into the spring together while getting too frisky on the walking plank.

Oil them up, Squeaky.

Who said, Chet had curly hair? Look at Roland.

Rumor: The Bunch is planning again. It's a wiener roast this time. We've got great expectations as to our football team. Hope the team will fulfill them.

One of our airy Sophies remarked in conversation: "Well, why doesn't that Lily Grow? We have some bright and sparkling Sophies just the same.

Oh, yes, and fleetfooted Walter Damm had a marvelous exploit this week, too.

Freshy says that standing around and saying nothing but looking wise does not pass for recitations.

The Junior English classes are studying the latest American authors.

Monday morning, Mr. Coffin spoke on the work of the Y. M. C. A. in high schools and colleges. Supt. Wheeler introduced him in a delightful manner.

Nervy thing to wonder, but does True think he is in Waltham?

The Sophomore class in agriculture is taking up the study of Farm Animals. They made use of the stock on exhibition at the county fair and have taken several excursions since school began. The Freshman class has an enrollment of 26 and is studying corn and weeds at present. The laboratory work includes selecting and storing seed corn. They have gathered about 25 bushels from the school farm and stored it away. Last Wednesday the class made a trip to the Geo. Dutch farm and observed the work of filling the silo.

MARRIAGES

FERGUSON—FOWLER.

At the home of the officiating clergyman in this city, Saturday evening, Sept. 20, 1913, Harry Ferguson of this city and Miss Mary A. Fowler of Flint, Mich., were united in marriage, Rev. C. D. Belden officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Klimesmith. The ring service was read. The bride was becomingly gowned in white cashmere trimmed in lace. They have taken rooms for a while at the W. H. Symes home on South Main street. The groom formerly lived at Flint and since his residence here has been dry cleaner at the Austin Steam laundry. The bride comes here a stranger but those who know her speak very highly of her. We wish for them prosperity and joy.

CLEMENTS-NELSON.

At the residence of the officiating clergyman in this city, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 18, 1913, Thomas Clements of Waterloo, Iowa and Mrs. Emma Nelson of Austin were united in marriage, Monsgr. E. H. Devlin officiating. They were unattended. The bride's gown was of blue silk with hat and gloves to match and she carried a prayerbook. A reception was given in their honor Saturday evening at the bride's home on Lincoln street, about 35 neighbors and friends spending the evening with them happily. Refreshments were served. A berry spoon was presented. Mr. and Mrs. Clements go to Waterloo this week to make their home. The groom is night foreman of a large foundry at Waterloo. The bride has lived in this city for the past fifteen years and has many friends to wish her joy in her new relations. Her folks formerly lived at Taopi. We join in best wishes.

SVEJKOSKY—DRABEK.

At the residence of the officiating clergyman in this city, Saturday noon Sept. 20, 1913, Frank Svejkosky of this city and Miss Tony Drabek of Lansing were united in marriage, Rev. C. D. Belden officiating. They were unattended during the ceremony. The double ring service was read. The bride's gown was of light tan messaline. They will go to house keeping in the Fourth ward on the East side. The groom is a blacksmith in the Milwaukee railroad shops here and is an excellent mechanic. The bride is an experienced housekeeper and a lady of much merit. We join in hearty congratulations.

COOLEY—FLEMING.

At the residence of the officiating clergyman in this city, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 23, 1913, occurred the wedding of Ray V. Cooley and Miss Margaret M. Fleming, Rev. C. D. Belden officiating. They were unattended during the service. The bride's gown was of blue silk. A wedding supper was enjoyed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Martin Clark on north First street. The groom is the son of J. L. Cooley and works with his father at the painter trade. The bride is the winsome

daughter of M. Fleming. They will go to housekeeping at once at 308 south First street. We wish them abundant happiness.

GET A CHEAP FARM.

I have 320 acres, hardwood timber land in famous Mille Lacs Lake Country between St. Paul and Duluth will sell in 40, 80 or 160 acre pieces. Small payment down, balance long time. Call or write, JOHN DETWILER, Over Wolds Drug Store, Austin, Minn.

THE DAIRY PICNIC.

The picnic called by the Austin Dairy Testing Association for Saturday in Lafayette Park was adjourned to the court house on account of the disagreeable weather.

Mr. Wm. McKerrow of the Extension Department of the University was present and spoke on the benefits of organization and co-operation of the farmers. Mr. McKerrow is one of the prime movers of the Breeders Organizations of Eastern Wisconsin and has an optimistic story to tell of the changes that have taken place in that locality in the quality of live stock.

It was pointed out that a central office or bureau ought to be established with some one with experience in charge. This is just the kind of work that a county agricultural agent can do. The proposition of completing the arrangements to secure one of these men for Mower county was discussed at length. It was finally passed as the sense of the meeting that the committee now having this move in hand confer with the state authorities and determine just what amount of money is yet needed. After this has been determined a mass meeting will be called to receive the report of the committee and act on its recommendations.

A. W. Christgau gave a report of the progress of the Austin Dairy Testing association. It has almost completed six months of the year and the good cows are showing up. Some of the less profitable cows have been sold. Much interest is being aroused in better breeds of dairy stock and more silos are being built.

CAMP FIRE NOTES.

At the County Fair, the Camp Fire exhibit claimed no little attention. The girls entered thirty articles and received nineteen prizes. Besides this they had bead bands, council fire dresses, bead strings, and emblems to show. The following girls won prizes: Evelyn Ober, Milda Hegge, Ruth Peck, Olga Haune, Clara Larson, Frances Nelson, Blythe Schaller, Edna Eastman, Vera Moore, Madge Murphy.

Seven groups are being organized and others will be formed if desired. Any girl who wishes to join should notify one of the leaders at once. There will probably be at least one hundred Camp Fire girls in Austin this fall.

The Camp Fire stands for Work, Health, Love—Wholesome.

Camp Fire Law:

Seek Beauty.

Give Service.

Pursue Knowledge.

Be Trustworthy.

Hold on to Health.

Glorify Work.

Be Happy.

GOVERNMENT INSPECTED

MEAT

Here are a few Cash Specials for you this week. Our "CASH COUNTER" is a money saving proposition for you. This counter will be loaded with all kinds of meat, but we quote on a few articles only.

Sugar Cured PICNIC HAMS Special...	lb.	12½c
Sugar Cured BACON, Strip.....	lb.	18¢
Fresh Pig Pork SHOULDERS.....	lb.	12½c
PORK STEAK.....	lb.	15c
PORK CHOPS, Loin.....	lb.	16c
Best ROUND STEAK.....	lb.	15c
Best SIRLOIN STEAK.....	lb.	16c
Any Cut POT ROAST BEEF.....	lb.	12½c
Good BOILING BEEF.....	lb.	10¢
Our Pure AUSTIN LARD.....	lb.	12½c
Our Pure DAIRY LARD.....	lb.	15c

Why not do your trading at our market? You can save big money on your meat bill if you are our regular customer. Try it and see.

HORMEL'S

PROVISION MARKET