

East Grand-Forks

AWARDS MADE IN THE HOME GARDEN CONTEST

Approximately \$100 in Cash and Merchandise Prizes Given Gardeners.

Prize winners in the Home Garden club contest, held under the direction of H. M. Swift, of the agricultural department of the East Grand Forks high school during the past summer have been announced by Superintendent F. E. Lurton, of the city schools.

Because of peculiar gardening conditions prevailing on Minnesota Point, all children living in that section were formed in a separate group, while contestants in other wards were divided into two groups, those under and those over 12 years of age.

\$100 in Prizes.

Approximately \$100 in cash and merchandise were donated by the business men of the city as prizes in the contest.

H. M. Swift, agricultural director, aided the contestants during the summer months, and scored their gardens on the basis of lack of weeds, plant, appearance and story of their work.

The young gardeners were divided into two groups for prizes for the best story on "How I made My Garden." Prizes for contestants in the fifth and sixth grades were awarded as follows: First, Howard Lowe, \$1.87 in merchandise; second, Doris Graham, \$1; third, Eli Parent, \$1 in merchandise; fourth, Hazel Hanson, 75 cents in merchandise.

Contest Awards.

Prizes awarded in the seventh and eighth grades follow: First, Fitch

Briggs, \$1.87 in merchandise; second, Roland Rottweiler, \$1.50 in merchandise.

Special prizes consisting of trees and shrubs were awarded as follows: First, Eli Parent, \$1; second, Myron Humton, \$1; third, Milton Rottweiler, \$1.50; fourth, Arthur Helm, \$1.50; fifth, Arnold Perestad, 50 cents.

Prizes awarded to contestants for the best gardens in the Minnesota Point district follow: For best garden, Hannah Croy, \$12 in merchandise; first, Doris Graham, \$7.50; second, Leslie Edminister, \$5.00; third, Roland Rottweiler, \$2.00. "Freedom from Weeds," first, Doris Graham, \$2.00; second, Leslie Edminister, sweater; third, Milton Rottweiler, 50 cents. "Plan and Appearance," first, Leslie Edminister, \$2.00; second, Doris Graham, \$1.50 in merchandise; third, Roland Rottweiler, 50 cents.

Children's Group.

Awards in the group of children under 12 years of age are as follows: "Best Garden," first, Charles Main, \$7.50; second, Ellis Purcell, \$4.50; third, Mildred Hartford, \$3.00. "Freedom from Weeds," first, Charles Main, \$2.00; second, Ellis Purcell, sweater; third, Mildred Hartford, 50 cents. "Plan and Appearance," first, Ellis Purcell, \$2.00; second, Mildred Hartford, \$1.50 in merchandise; third, Byron Thomson, 50 cents.

Prizes given in the group over 12 years of age follow: "Freedom from Weeds," first, Hazel Hanson, \$2.00; second, James Evans, sweater; third, Alvin Elliot, 50 cents. "Plan and Appearance," first, James Evans, \$2.00; second, Alvin Elliot, \$1.50 merchandise; third, Hazel Hanson, 50 cents in merchandise.

Business Men Donated.

A total of \$60 on cash prizes and \$40.49 in merchandise prizes were awarded.

Cash prizes were donated by the following: Board of Education, \$15; Dr. W. C. Courtney, \$7.50; Mayor C. J. Kelleher, \$5; Robertson Lumber company, \$5; Weekly Record, \$5; Woman's club, \$5; Civic league, \$5; Thomas Bakke, \$2. Merchandise prizes were donated by Frank Drosky, \$10; Arason, Mercantile company \$10; Giese and Noonan \$10; Bydal & Bydal, \$10; I. Kingman, \$7.50.

PLANS BEING MADE FOR CROP SHOW

Crop Exposition to Be Held in Crookston February 5-9 to Be Big Event.

Elaborate plans for the sixth annual farm crops show to be held in Crookston February 5-9, are being made and from present indications, it will be one of the most successful held thus far.

The executive committee is planning a greater and more varied entertainment and profitable features than in the past, which will prove attractive not only to residents in the rural districts, but to city and townfolk as well.

An effort is being made to obtain the best speakers possible; the various musical organizations of Crookston will do their part; a live stock exhibit is now assured, and the Poultrymen's association also will be on hand to add its support.

F. E. Lurton, superintendent of the East Grand Forks public schools, is in charge of the declamatory contests to be held in connection with the show. The local high school students plan to take part in the program.

The high cost of food supplies does not appear to hinder other trade much.

THAT JAR OF MUSTEROLE ON THE BATH-ROOM SHELF

Has Relieved Pain for Every One in the Family

When little Susie had the croup; when Joimny got his feet wet and caught cold; when father sprained his knee; when granny's rheumatism bothered her; when that jar of Musterole was right there to give relief and comfort.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It will not blister like a mustard plaster.

Quick relief for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds on the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Try Musterole for croupy children.



TWO "VAGS" APPEAR IN POLICE COURT

Lawrence Thompkins, Arraigned Saturday Morning, Given Thirty-day Suspended Sentence.

Two prisoners, charged with vagrancy, appeared this morning in police court before Judge Robert Blair.

Lawrence Thompkins, arraigned Saturday morning on a vagrancy charge, when he pleaded not guilty, was given a hearing this morning. He was given a suspended sentence of thirty days in the county jail, and told to leave the city.

Charles Daley, a transient picked up in a local pool room late Sunday night, was given a thirty day suspended sentence on condition that he leave the city within 10 minutes.

Twelve arrests have been made by the local police since the first of December.

NEW SHOWHOUSE TO OPEN HERE SUNDAY

Reel Theater, Owned by Garber & Freeman of Grand Forks, Near-Ing Formal Opening.

The "Reel" theater, on DeMers avenue, owned by M. Garber and J. M. Freeman of Grand Forks, will be ready for the formal opening next Saturday.

It is expected that the workmen engaged in remodeling and decorating the building will complete their work some in the Windy City during the holidays. Enroute she will visit for a short time with friends in Minneapolis.

One of the best programs it is possible to obtain will be shown here, and an especial good projector is already being installed.

To Leave Soon.

Mrs. James Hanlon of this city will leave this week for Chicago, where she will join her husband, to visit relatives in the Windy City during the holidays. Enroute she will visit for a short time with friends in Minneapolis.

Visits in Crookston.

Miss Esther Arneson spent yesterday in Crookston, as the guest of friends. She returned to her home in this city last evening.

Returns From Crookston.

Mrs. A. E. Voight returned last evening from Crookston where she has spent the past few days with her husband, who is acting as agent for the N. P. at that place, during the absence of the regular agent.

Spends Week-End Here.

Mrs. Joseph Jarvis of Davidson spent the week-end in East Grand Forks at the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. O. Murray.

Returns From McIntosh.

Miss Maude Fender returned Saturday evening from McIntosh, where she has been engaged as instructor in the public schools. She will remain with her parents in this city during the holidays.

Goes to Freeman.

Miss Stella Leslie of this city left last evening for Freeman, Minn., to spend a short time with friends.

Here from Staples.

James Mullaly, Jr., of Staples, an employe of the Northern Pacific, is spending a few days in this city visiting relatives.

Investigating Valuations.

H. B. Hull, of St. Paul, physical valuation agent for the Great Northern railway, is spending a short time in the city investigating the physical valuation of the Great Northern right-of-way in this vicinity.

A REPUTATION FOR SELLING

I have always guarded my reputation for selling the very highest grades of jewelry and silverware with the keenest jealousy and when I announce a sale, the public realizes that the same class of goods will be sold during the sale as at all other times. It is, therefore, scarcely necessary for me to repeat that you will find on sale a full line of standard patterns in Sterling Silver; William A. Rogers, Rogers Bros. 1847, and Community Silver in Plated Ware; Hamilton, Howard, Colonial Waltham, Elgin, Illinois Watches, etc., etc.

Hundreds of Thrifty People

have seen the advantage of buying at once, when sharp reductions have ruled in high grade jewelry. But this sale will not close 'til Christmas, in order to give all tardy shoppers an equal opportunity with the early ones.

THE SNAPPY BUYING OF MY STANDARD GOODS HAS FAR EXCEEDED MY EXPECTATIONS, BUT WHEN I START A SALE I GO CLEAR THROUGH, SO YOU MAY FEEL SURE OF EQUAL CHOICE WITH EARLIER SHOPPERS.

MAX RABINOVICH HIGH GRADE JEWELRY ONLY

211 DeMers Ave. Grand Forks, N. D.

I. W. W. MEMBERS FOLD TENTS AND LEAVE THE RANGE

Salary and Labor Conditions in Minnesota Satisfactory, Miss Flynn Says

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 18.—The Industrial Workers of the World, as represented by Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, Joe Ettore, James Gilray, Carlo Tresca, Joe Schmidt and Sam Scalet, have quit the Mesaba and Cuyuna iron ranges. Announcement was made of the departure at a meeting held here last night.

Miss Flynn declared wages and labor conditions on the ranges are "satisfactory now."

No explanation was forthcoming from her or any of the leaders for the sentencing of the three miners to state's prison for manslaughter and the continuing of the I. W. W. agitators' cases.

"The prisoners themselves decided their own fate," said Miss Flynn. "We put it up to them as we had the facts and they were glad to go to prison. They are noble soldiers in the army of labor, sacrificing themselves. Not one of the eight wanted liberty and those freed offered to take the places of those sentenced."

She said \$8,000 of the defense fund had been spent and that a report to all I. W. W. members would be given on this fund.

King George of Great Britain sets an example by getting along without meat two days every week.

It appears to be an economic fact that had roads cost more than good ones, all things considered.

It seems as if the Electoral college ought to have a football team—but maybe there is kicking enough without it.

GERMANY IS WILLING TO DISARM NATION

Frankfurter Zeitung Says Kaiser's Peace Offer is More Liberal Than Appears.

Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—(Via London.)—The Frankfurter Zeitung in an article on the peace proposals, says: "Germany must try to prevent the entente from giving an evasive answer. We expect a wide cleavage of views at the outset of the negotiations but great apparent divergencies of opinion will have less significance when the oral explanations are offered. The stand-points of both parties are always partly identical as regards the general fundamental aims of the war, and the German note must be understood as meaning that part of the German proposals refer to some of the international conventions for the avoidance of international conflicts and guarantee international peace."

Referring to the possibility of alleviating the burden of armaments, the Zeitung expresses the belief that an agreement to this effect is possible owing to the suffering caused by war, and adds:

"But Germany must not be asked to precede the others in reducing her forces. Moreover, Germany does not believe in abrogating general military service, although there are many objections against such. It would be arrogant if there were a common organization of nations in which Germany would have an important place."

Discussing the naval question, the paper explains that Germany's fleet has been built only for defensive purposes and continues:

"If German ship building is to be restricted in the future other naval powers including the United States must do likewise. Great Britain must recognize the sea as a free route for all nations and must renounce dominions and the British idea that Great Britain has the sole right of policing the seas. The regulation of sea traffic might properly be under international organization."

The Zeitung continues: "If the peace offer is not accepted and Germany is forced to fight until her victory is complete then the peace will be of quite a different kind."

There Is No Reason Why You Should Not Make Money

Men grow rich through wise investment. There's no reason why YOU cannot make money—BIG MONEY—from manufacturing company dividends. One hundred and sixty-one North Dakota farmers and business men have already subscribed for stock in the Northern Packing Company. These men see the big opportunity for PROFIT in the packing business in North Dakota. Why should YOU hand these profits to some one else—to anyone else? Get them yourself.

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It is a land of wonderful opportunities.

Our national wealth is estimated at \$187,000,000—and increasing every year.

Our factories and railroads and other industries are paying out every week millions of dollars in wages.

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Our 100,000,000 people are blessed with larger incomes—on the average—than those of any other country on the face of the earth.

They live better, wear better clothes, eat better food, live in better houses—enjoy more comforts of all kinds.

Out of these manifold needs and wants, mammoth new enterprises are built up almost overnight.

Concerns which five, ten or fifteen years ago had never been heard of are today known the world over.

And again and again we see the growth and success of such concerns bring independence—and sometimes wealth—to the men foresighted enough to recognize a good investment opportunity, the men foresighted enough to put a little spare money to work in such enterprises at the time they were just starting to grow.

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An investment of as low as \$100 will give you a full share in the Northern Packing Company, and in the yearly profits.

And instead of making this investment in a lump sum—you can make it on an easy payment plan, covering almost a year.

Ten percent of your order down, 15% the first of March, 1917; 25% the first of June, 1917; and 50% the first of next October—after next year's crop is harvested and marketed—will make you one of the owners of the Northern Packing Company.

Thus you can acquire an income—producing interest in this profitable North Dakota industry.

NORTHERN PACKING COMPANY, Grand Forks, N. D. 1918

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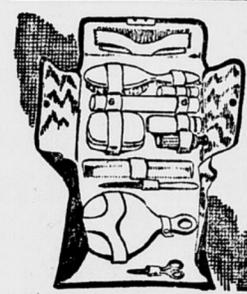
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What could be more appreciated than a handsome case, fitted bag, trunk or traveling set?

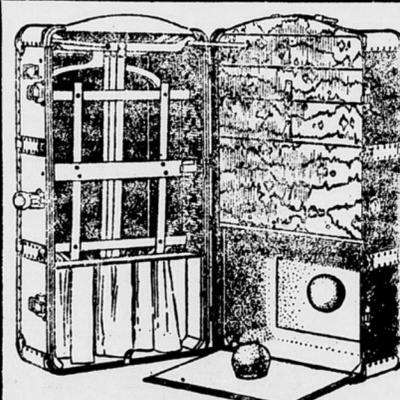
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\$3.25 and up.



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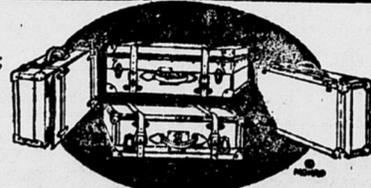
Wide range of sizes—Cowhide, Goat Skin, Walrus and other leathers, fitted with the choicest of fittings. Various mountings.

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