

News From Correspondents

BUENA VISTA NEWS

Mrs. Hazel Smith and son, Dale, were visitors at the Silver Lake school Friday.

Mrs. G. Peterson and daughters, Mamie and Irene, and son, Lester, were Puposky visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. William De Grave visited at the Silver Lake school Wednesday.

Mrs. Irene Solonen and son, Herman, Elma and Lester Peterson were Bemidji business visitors Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Hazel Smith visited Mrs. A. Coy Friday.

Joe Clzner and Lester Peterson were Turtle River visitors Monday.

Mrs. Addie Dickinson and daughter, Helen, and son, Fred, were guests of Mrs. Dickinson's brother, Clarence Speelman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peterson and daughter, Irene, and son, Lester, were Bemidji business visitors Tuesday.

Misses Gertrude Huntoosh and Pearl Becker were guests at the J. Coy home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Becker and daughter, Ruby, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Becker, daughter, Pearl, and son, Earl, left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Gertrude Becker was called to Thief River Falls by the severe illness of her father, Mr. Brandvold. Mr. Brandvold has been very sick for the last three months. He is living on a farm near that town with his wife and son. He has two sons and one daughter in Montana and another daughter in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Albert Norrie and daughter, Ellen, were guests of Mrs. Thomas Bailey Monday.

Misses Julia Nelson and Laura Steele and Messrs. Hans Nelson, Ray Hayden and Lee Worth were guests at the Gilbert Peterson home Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Bailey was the guest of Mrs. Gilbert Peterson Thursday.

The Silver Lake and Buena Vista schools will close Thursday. A picnic will be held at each school in the afternoon.

Mrs. Gilbert Peterson and daughters, Irene and Mamie, and brother, Joe Clzner, and son, Lester, were guests at the J. Nelson home Friday evening.

SAUM COMMENCEMENT

Commencement program at Saum, June 1, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon:

Welcome song—High school.

Prologue—In praise of our school.

A bouquet of flowers to the highest average students.

Story—"What the School Clock Saw," Johanna Dolgaard.

Essay—"Toward the Rising Sun," Elmer Jonsson.

Recitation—"Our Hired Girl," Janette Gilga.

Essay—"The Farmer's Battle," Della Anderson.

Duet—"Beautiful Bells," Janette Gilga, Borghild Lund.

Exposition—"How to Keep House" Eighth grade.

Song—"The Triumph of the Right," Eighth grade class song.

Essay—"The Story of a Leaf," Alvira Fossum.

Song—Mrs. Eberhard.

Essay—"The Combat of Giants," Arthur Arntson.

Commencement song—High school.

Song—Mrs. Peterson.

Play—"The Foam Maiden," Doris Graham, Olive Carlson and Maurice Storteen.

Reports.

Closing song—"A Perfect Day," Saum school song.

Outdoor Program.

Marching, patriotic songs and games: Song—Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, Battle Hymn of the Republic and America.

Games:

Potato race, high school boys.

Potato race, high school girls.

Potato race, eighth grade girls.

30-yard dash, primary girls.

Same by 3rd and 4th grade boys.

Same by 3rd and 4th grade girls.

Same by 5th grade boys.

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Tug of war, 5th grade against 3rd and 4th grades.

Ball game, Saum vs. Foy, played by high school girls.

Lunch served free to all by the Ladies' Aid of Saum.

Commencement play Saturday night, June 2. Admission 15 and 10 cents. Funds used to improve the school grounds.

KELLIFER SCHOOL NOTES

Instead of singing and spelling during the first fifteen minutes in the morning, this time is now devoted to studying.

Friday afternoon, every room had an exhibit in their own rooms, of the articles made this year.

There will be no school Wednesday, May 30, as Decoration day is a legal holiday.

Some of the girls in the eighth grade and high school sewing class have completed their school dresses.

A picture of the manual training work done by the boys during the past year was taken Monday by request of C. C. Swain, rural school commissioner, when he visited our school a few weeks ago. He desires to use a reproduction of the picture in his annual report.

We will have state examinations Friday and during next week.

Miss Duckstad and some of the girls from her room finished planting the flower garden Monday.

About 60 parents and friends viewed the excellent display of work done by pupils during the year, on Friday.

GUTHRIE

H. W. Warren left for different parts of Minnesota Sunday night.

Mrs. Joe Johnson and children went to South Dakota for a visit Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Saathoff went to Laporte on business Saturday to do some shopping.

Miss Norma Dobbetal left for Rochester to consult the Drs. Mayo regarding her health. From there she will go to different parts of Minnesota to visit relatives.

E. C. Stevens has opened his new store for business. He has put in a good line of groceries and hardware.

The St. Hilaire Lumber Co. is building its lumber sheds here now. They plan on putting in a full line of building material as soon as the sheds are completed.

Prof. Walden is here this week giving state board examinations. Both he and Miss Hedman have been re-elected for next year.

Miss Bertha Christopherson came home from Bemidji Saturday evening. She plans on staying home the balance of the summer.

The farmers around here have been busy the last two weeks getting their ground ready for potatoes. Most of them are through planting now.

Mr. Walters, who moved here from Iowa onto the farm he purchased from Mr. Evenson, is remodeling his house and building a cellar. J. M. Oakland is doing the carpenter work.

The petition the merchants and citizens around Guthrie sent to the railroad company for a new depot was granted so Guthrie will have a new depot in the near future. It will make quite an improvement to our little town.

Mr. Berg, who moved here from South Dakota this spring, and Mr. Peterson, who came here from Iowa, have cleared about 20 acres already.

WILTON

The Campbell Lake school closed Friday, May 25. The day was very fittingly marked with an open air gathering under the pines on Picnic Hill, just across Peterson creek. Miss Alice Jacobson, the teacher, deserves and has the thanks and good will of our community for her efficient conduct of the school during the year just completed. By the combined efforts of teacher and board this school has been greatly improved along the line of equipment and apparatus and now compares favorably with the average one-room country school.

Fires are raging all around and under the prevailing dry conditions it seems the flames cannot be permanently checked until the whole country is burned over. Fortunately no serious damage has been done here so far, thanks to telephone connections and willing response to calls for help by neighbors.

Wedding bells will ring soon.

A. P. Christenson drove home from Bemidji in his new Buick Saturday afternoon.

Rev. O. P. Grambo conducted services in the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon. There will be services again June 10 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

Remember the date and place of the next club meeting—At the home of E. W. Hall, June 16. Come, you are all welcome.

DEBS

Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Peterson are the proud recipients of a baby boy which arrived at their home one day last week.

Gust Tnorland went to Bemidji Monday to work in the lumber yard of the Crookston Lumber company's mill.

George Hayes closed his term of school in Myrtle Creek school Dist. No. 97, last Friday with a picnic and foot races, sack races and potato races. Everybody enjoyed the fat man's sack race.

Carl Hoganson and family visited at the Halvor Peterson home Sunday.

Last Thursday morning while leading his bull to the pasture, Carl Winger was quite seriously injured. The animal started to run and the rope becoming tangled around Mr. Winger's hand, he was thrown violently against a stump, breaking several ribs and terribly lacerating his hand.

John Anderson and son, Ben, went to Bemidji Monday and from there they will go to the northern part of the county where they will work in camp this summer.

Rev. Person held services in the Myrtle Creek school house every night of last week.

The Clover Leaf Farmers' club of Clearwater county met with Mr. Woodford near Turtle Lake last Saturday.

FROHN

The Equitable Farmers' club will hold its next meeting at the Ole Hegland home next Saturday.

Miss Betsy Berquist is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rodin.

Gundild Kvale and Melvin Christopherson visited at the Ohrberg home last Sunday.

Carl Opsata has started up his saw mill and is busy sawing logs again.

The Hensel boys, Lewis King, Virginia King and Eleen Berg motored to Bemidji Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. and Johnson of Cass Lake visited at the Severt Melhus home last Sunday.

ECKLES

Miss Anna Bowers of this town has gone to Bemidji and is working in the Markham Hotel.

Mrs. T. J. Brennan and Mrs. John Horen of Wilton visited with Mrs. H. Aldrich last Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Alta Ingersoll is working for Mrs. H. Aldrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wheeler and family visited with relatives in Bemidji Saturday and Sunday.

The contractors of the ditch in this town have returned to finish their work. They began work Monday, May 28.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Olson and Mr. and Mrs. M. Braaten and families spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Brennan.

Mrs. Guy Lasater is giving the examinations of this town in the Bowers school.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Burt Fuller and Tony Stephonie left Sunday to work in the Crookston camp at Whitefish Lake.

Laurence Knox spent Sunday at G. E. Fuller's.

The Ladies' Crochet club was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. W. S. Faulh. Those present were Mrs. J. C. Vogler and son, Burt, Mrs. C. E. Erickson, Mrs. Earnest Norberg and daughter, Helen, Mrs. M. W. Knox, Lenora Ryan, Mrs. N. L. Knox, Mrs. W. S. Faulh and May Faulh. The next meeting will be held June 13 at the home of Mrs. N. L. Knox.

Miss Knox went to Island Lake Thursday evening and on Friday attended the picnic at the Wayside school. The term of school closed on that day and the teacher, Miss Margie Murphy, left for her home near Bemidji.

Mrs. Hedvig Rustvold went to Bemidji Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Jones and daughter, Liela, were callers at the M. W. Knox home Sunday afternoon.

PIKEWOOD

Mrs. L. Leind and Mrs. P. Holm spent Wednesday in Bemidji.

Miss Martha Roen left Thursday for Bemidji where she is employed.

Walter Hynes and sister, Miss Ellen, spent Monday in Bemidji.

Rev. Stokes and family have moved here from Clearbrook and will make their home this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Nelson and Mrs. Mathers of Leonard were in Pinewood Saturday on their way to Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. Rue of Wilton returned home Saturday after spending the past week on their farm near Pinewood.

Miss Maudie Stohl returned Saturday from Great Falls, Mont., where she spent the past few weeks, the guest of friends.

Mrs. T. B. Millar was the guest of friends in Bemidji Saturday.

C. O. Haugen and H. Stal of Aure were Bemidji visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haarklau and son, Carl, were Bemidji callers Saturday.

WILTON

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Soland's and every one present reports a very pleasant time.

Miss Minnie Giness returned from North Dakota where she has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. C. F. Rogers returned from Dakota where she has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. Hare and Mrs. Brennan spent Thursday with Mrs. Aldrich and we're glad to see she is greatly improving from her previous sick spell.

Mrs. Heselman, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Knappton, left for Long Prairie where she will visit relatives. From there she will return to her home in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Horen, Mr. and Mrs. Rognlein and Mr. and Mrs. Soland motored to Redby to visit Mrs. Horen's mother.

Mrs. P. Frodahl left for Trail Saturday where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Dahl.

SPRUCE GROVE

(Too late last week)

J. H. Hardisty and wife of Thief River Falls autoed to the S. Parker home on Sunday.

Andrew Burnseth has been breaking with his tractor for W. Paskewitz the past week.

Heavy frost has made early garden stuff look sick during the past week.

Gilbert Benson of Germantown and his tractor came up to Malcolm on Wednesday.

W. Olson was called to put out a fire on the range line Monday.

Thomas Knutson is breaking on his new place for a flax field.

The women are all busy setting out everbearing strawberry plants and planting garden.

Mrs. W. Paskewitz spent Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. Knutson.

Archie Peters was a caller in this vicinity, from Malcolm, Sunday.

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On August 30th	15.00	30.00	150.00	300.00
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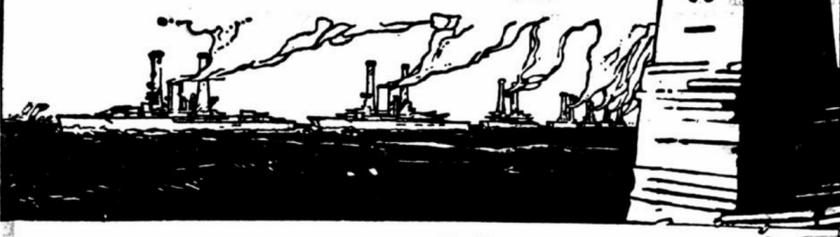
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