

NEWS FROM CORRESPONDENTS

SPUR

V. M. Owens, merchant from Hines, has put in a car to be loaded with Red Triumphs and white potatoes for seed. For Red Triumphs he gives \$1 a bushel and for white potatoes 75 cents per bushel.

Mrs. William Gerlinger and Mrs. William Blakely motored to Bemidji on Saturday with Mrs. Blakely's car.

Mr. Arands, who has been conducting services at Tenstrike and Spur, will go into the army service this week.

Mrs. W. W. Winch was a visitor at G. L. Dodge's last week.

Mr. Crouse of the "Opshal place" has a large crop of potatoes. Henry Miller of Farley also has a large crop. The wells in this vicinity are almost dry.

Crops are good and we hope the farmers will enjoy better times than last year.

LAKEWOOD

(Too late last week.)

Martin and Nels Brekke are haying on the Dave Hessler place.

Martin Bergin and family visited with the Emon family Sunday.

Fred Bridges called at A. Remillard's last Monday.

Adolf Avelson made proof on his claim Friday at Warroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Able of Roosevelt visited at Hedburg's Sunday.

N. C. Hamilton, accompanied Mrs. Hamilton as far as Fred Bridge's on her return to school Sunday.

Grandma Arneson is visiting with Mrs. Jensen this week.

John Jensen died late Friday evening after an illness of about a week. He was about 55 years old and a well liked neighbor. He leaves to mourn a wife and one son who is in training at Camp Grant.

ECKLES

A new daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Aldrich on Tuesday of last week.

The party given at the home of E. Kreig Saturday evening proved highly enjoyable. Games and dancing were features of the evening.

Lewis Hanson threshed for John Stohl Friday. Mr. Stohl is one of the prosperous farmers of this vicinity, having 400 bushels of grain, nine milch cows and a number of hogs.

Olson Bros. have rented the George Tuller farm and are busy plowing for a crop of fall rye.

John Kennedy, camp foreman for the Bemidji Box company, was in this vicinity last week, Tuesday, in search of help to dig his crop of potatoes.

BECIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Malterud are the parents of a new daughter, born Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Christianson visited with Louis Hanson over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Olson and their daughter, Gertrude, and Otto Olson autowed to Ottertail county Saturday to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Evan Nyhus is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morris are the parents of a new son, which arrived Sept. 27.

Miss Mabel Nyhus left for Argyle last week, where she will teach this winter.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and Miss Esther, autowed to Bemidji last Saturday.

Everybody is busying digging potatoes and the crop is good in this vicinity.

ROCKWOOD

Georgia Murray spent the night with Dorothy Edwards last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shipman are now at their home near Fontenac Lake.

Nick Nelson and J. J. Jinkinson shipped a carload of cattle to the cities the forepart of the week.

Born, at the James Morris home, a son, Sept. 27. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Malterud visited at the home of John Olson and family.

Mrs. Frank Frost and daughter, Lavina, visited with her parents Sunday and also visited at her sister's, Mrs. James Morris.

Hannah and Olga Malterud visited with Hazel Vogt last Thursday and also made Miss Pearl Edward a short call on the same day.

Mable Malterud was a guest of Pearl Edwards last Saturday evening and Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Malterud welcomed the arrival of a girl at their home Sept. 27. Mrs. Malterud and babe are yet at the hospital in Bemidji, but will return home as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanborn and

Louis Rudolph, a brother of Mrs. Sanborn, autowed to Bemidji Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. Keehr and family all have a terrible cough and cold, which isn't very welcome these busy days.

Paul Pagel and Gilbert Moe will return home from North Dakota the forepart of this week.

Mrs. Henry Johnson called at the Bemidji hospital last Saturday to see Mrs. J. Malterud and the new daughter.

Nick Nelson hired a potato digger Monday and a group of potato pickers with Mrs. J. Jinkinson as cook. The way the potatoes moved that day wasn't slow.

Pearl Edwards was a guest of Besie Keehr Sunday evening, returning to her home Monday morning.

Threshing at C. W. Kingsbury's and F. G. Wright's Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. B. Edwards called on Mrs. John Olson Sunday afternoon.

PINWOOD

Mrs. Friedlund left for her home at Hawley Monday afternoon, after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Bye.

The Misses Lillie and Maudie Stohl are transacting business in Pinewood for a few days.

Mrs. Eugene La Page returned to Duluth Sunday, having been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Marie Beckon, for a week.

Carl Humerstad and Hjalmer Meland returned from the west this week.

Miles Ousley of Aure returned to his home Monday evening.

NEBISH

Mrs. Arthur Gillman visited with friends in Bemidji Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar Krance from Bemidji is staying with her sister, Mrs. Carl Durand, who has been sick for several days but is some better now.

Knut Strand was threshing at the farms of Jack Reibe, Gus Nordling, J. L. Higgins, Vance Jokavich, Dan Gillman and Arthur Gillman this week. Everyone had a dandy crop.

A number of lady friends met at the home of Mrs. Fred Gillman Friday for a little party.

Mike Doyle returned Wednesday from the harvest fields in the Dakota. A dance was held at the town hall Saturday night.

A Fourth Liberty Loan meeting was held Saturday at the town hall.

LIBERTY

The basket social and dance given in the Long Lake school was well attended.

The home of Robert Helbig was destroyed by fire last Sunday and Mr. Helbig was seriously burned. He was rushed to Dr. Neal who dressed his wounds. Mr. Helbig at this writing is doing nicely.

Mrs. P. P. Malterud and daughter, Miss Blanche, spent Sunday with Mrs. Champy Petri.

NORTHERN

Lila, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson is quite seriously ill.

Earle Huggert came from Dakota to spend a few days with his family returning Sunday evening to his work.

Frank Anderson, an employee of Gamble-Robinson, spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. John Noel spent Monday in Bemidji.

Harvey Whiting, eldest son of D. A. Whiting, made the acquaintance of a nice fat bear Friday, as he was



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BEMIDJI, MINN.

on his way to H. L. Arnold to pick up potatoes. It was hard telling which was the most frightened as both went in opposite directions immediately.

The potato harvest is on in dead earnest and a bumper crop is being turned out, some yielding 300 bushels per acre. Women and children are doing their bit to help care for them. Auto loads from Bemidji are also lending their help.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cronemiller and Mrs. E. P. Cronemiller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Whiting, Thursday evening.

David Day, who has spent the fall in Dakota, returned last week to help harvest the potato crop.

LAKEWOOD

T. O. Tweet went to Rocky Point Sunday.

J. F. Sexton from south of town called at N. C. Hamilton's Sunday.

A. C. Grove returned from the west Thursday and is busy with his potatoes. The yield is better than the price.

Gardiner McGuire and A. Remillard families visited at Euclid Emon's Sunday.

B. A. Arnesen and N. C. Hamilton accompanied Mr. Avelson to Warroad last Friday. The latter proved up on his homestead and is now awaiting his call to join the army.

Mrs. Nelson and son, Walter from St. Paul have been visiting relatives in the neighborhood the past week. They returned home Saturday via Warroad, accompanied by the former's brother, John Kling, and Frank Peterson and Herman Lundquist.

It is claimed that certain parties have informed the fuel administration that wood can be placed on cars as Roosevelt for \$4.50 per cord. Guess that fellow will have the cordwood business all to himself.

A. Remillard and Oscar Servis entertained the threshers last week. The grain yield, of course, was good.

Rev. Loke says, "Self control is the highest achievement of personal character." Guess we're not all up to "snuff."

HORNET

Mrs. Herman Thom and children, Miss Eva Murray and Henry Swartz visited Miss Corinne Costello the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rice autowed out on Tuesday and called on Robert Shaw and family.

Sheriff Andrew Johnson of Bemidji autowed out on Wednesday to see his land at the railroad.

The Liberty Loan committee, consisting of John Thullen, Herman Thom, William Moon and J. D. Bogart, held a meeting at William Moon's Thursday evening of last week.

M. E. Ibertson of Bemidji was

around on Friday electioneering. He was accompanied by Leonard Kolden of Blackduck in the latter's car.

Miss Elsie Jennings went to her home on Saturday.

A meeting in the interests of the Liberty Loan was held at the Murray school Saturday evening. The town of Hornet reached the allotment subscribed.

The sympathy of the community is felt for William Moon and family in the loss of their house and contents on Monday morning.

WELL, THAT'S DIFFERENT.

While high-priced lawyers argued wrathfully for their clients over the ownership of a little white Eskimo dog the animal in controversy was brought into court in a sack by a negro, dead. Instantly the contestants changed sides. This was at Atlanta.

"Give it to that woman there," exclaimed Mrs. M. M. Brazell, who had sworn out a possessory warrant for a Spitz dog before Judge L. Z. Rosser.

"No, give it to her, I want her to have it," retorted Mrs. Anna Lee, who was contesting the possessory warrant.

The confused negro left the dog and retreated.

Judge Rosser gave the dead dog to Mrs. Brazell.

LONGED TO BE A HUN SPY.

The life of a German spy looked inspiring to Leslie Gordon Norris, a small English lad. So he stole six treasury notes from his employers, fitted up his room with a dummy telephone and wireless outfit and had a notice put up: "Morris, Private Inquiry Agent."

In remanding him, Alderman Sir A. Newton said he would have to get a better ambition or his career would not be worth a snap of the finger.

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AERO PROBE NEAR END.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Hearings in the Department of Justice airplane investigation have been resumed after a recess of several weeks devoted to transcribing records of testimony.

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