

MORRILL

Feb. 20.—W. H. Wain is visiting in our town. Mr. M. Blaisdell is visiting at Royanton.

John Hill has been informed by physicians that it would be better for him to live in a warmer climate than Minnesota affords.

The protracted meetings conducted by Dunkard ministers have ended and Mr. Beaver and Rev. Kenberry returned to Iowa.

A Christian endeavor society is a new feature in the makeup of our town's endeavors now. Mrs. Whipple is the prime mover in this.

Peter McKibben found a wolf track and the wolf who made the track had a trap on one foot. Peter gave chase and soon captured the prize but while chasing the wolf Peter lost a letter from his pocket and when the trapper came along, he found said letter, and by it knew who had captured his wolf. Peter had jobs of fun chasing the wolf, but it unsettled his nerves when he found out that the third party knew some of the main secrets which exist between himself and his best girl.

During Rev. Beaver's stay in Morrill he was asked to deliver a sermon on the evils of the spirit of church socials which he did to the amusement of some of his hearers. The same minister was asked to preach a sermon on the Philippine war, but refused to do it on account of it being a political question. If this is not straining at a gnat and swallowing a whole then your correspondent is a sinner.

Furs of all kinds bought by Barney Burton.

LEDOUX

Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Walldowski called on Elm Dale friends Sunday.

A large barn belonging to R. B. Stewart was destroyed by fire last week. Mr. Stewart managed to get the stock out of the barn, but the building was a total loss. No insurance.

A bear track was seen on Mike Yarger's farm, on section 17. Follow him boys!

Mr. Viechorek made a business trip to Elm Dale Monday.

Wm. Sheedy was visiting M. J. Viechorek's Monday.

We are glad that our Elm Dale friends were kind enough to remember us Valentine day.

Those who attended the dance at Zak's hall Monday night, report that some of the boys indulged in too much fire water and the result was several pair of black eyes and sore heads.

Some of our card players report a severe storm Sunday night, although we did not see much snow Monday morning. It must have been the day light they saw.

Mowji zie beuda dobeo czasy, tariff klaudom na slame.

FLENSBURG

Miss Ethel Covert is home from Thorp, where she has been teaching during the past winter.

Miss Eva Janla and Paul Benik were married in the Catholic church at Swan River.

John Perovits was arrested Wednesday charged with running a blind pig here. The case was tried in Little Falls. This is the second person arrested for this same offence during the past year, but the blind pig is still running.

Rev. Ockerstine of Pillsbury was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rylander over Sunday.

Andrew Haddine of Little Falls was out here Tuesday looking at some farms with a view of purchasing.

Vincent Patchkowsky went to Parkertown, Monday.

Mrs. Covert and sons, Walter and James, visited Parkertown, Sunday.

Miss Nellie Rylander is visiting Miss Swanson of Darling this week.

John Burluzky and Miss Frances Minschew had their banns published in the Polish Catholic church here last Sunday.

SWANVILLE

Feb. 21, 1900.—Dr. Corrigan made a professional trip to Randall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ellis of Eagle Bend visited with Thom. Adams and family last week.

Miss Emma Voss returned from Chaska last week, where she had been visiting for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glants, Mrs. Flood, Mrs. Hallenbeck, Lena Sullivan and Robert McKeown visited in Grey Eagle last Sunday.

The Biograph show given in Sullivan's Tuesday Eve was largely attended and the show was very good.

Mielke Bros. are shipping quite a lot of lumber these days.

Mr. Rice is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Pennie the week.

R. E. Moore will build a dwelling house on lots just across the street from G. J. McEae's office.

Thos. Roy, brother of John Roy, and formerly of this city, is here from White Earth to be treated for lung trouble.

LINCOLN

Feb. 19.—Willie Staples has recovered from his recent illness.

S. L. Staples made a bargain with our night operator, Mr. Reed, to leave his overshoes at his boarding place Sunday night, and it snowed, S. L. was to take Mr. R.'s overshoes to him, and if it snowed six inches S. L. was to hitch up his team, get Mr. R. and take him to his boarding place in time for breakfast. The outcome was about 6:30 a. m., Monday, you could see S. L. with an overshoe in each hand making toward the depot.

Our N. P. agent, E. W. Lethrop, lost a valuable driving horse Sunday. G. A. Neal was called but too late to do any good.

Married—Sunday, at 11:00 a. m., at the residence of the bride's father, C. H. Castle, on Lake Alexander, Mrs. Terzah Arrowood and George Cook were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony. S. L. Staples, justice of the peace, performing the ceremony. After a dainty dinner the bridal couple departed for their future home, one mile north of Lincoln. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

C. Troxel of Fort Ripley, is visiting D. F. Randall and family.

Miss Hannah Hanson left for a visit in Minneapolis last Saturday.

The M. W. A.'s of Lincoln are going to build a hall 20x40.

Frank Johnson is much improved.

Mrs. C. A. Neal is on the sick list.

G. H. Palmer, our sawmill man, was at Little Falls on business, Saturday.

NORTH PRAIRIE.

Feb. 19.—Miss Sophia Czest of Elmdale, who was visiting friends and relatives at this place, returned home Sunday.

Fred Wightman was in this vicinity selling liniment.

A crowd of young people went to Kieffer's Wednesday evening to see their new organ.

Wm. Fisher, of St. Cloud was in this neighborhood canvassing for the Plano.

John Preschira of Sauk Rapids is going around repairing sewing machines, selling nursery stock and medicines.

A surprise party was held at Jake Threnner's, Wednesday evening, and a good time is reported.

Jake Thiemes is putting up ice.

Wm. Zwak of Koldingford was a caller in the village, Sunday.

People here are busy hauling logs to Mrosia's saw mill.

Fred Keiffer sold his farm of 80 acres to Mr. Opatz for \$1,110.

John Klunger got some lovely valentines. He seems to be well pleased.

HUFF

Feb. 20.—Fred Hallett made a trip to Little Falls Saturday.

John M. Gish and wife returned from Pillsbury Saturday, after a two weeks visit with their friends at the place.

George Reuner had the misfortune to get one of his fingers badly crushed while handling ties last week, making a very painful wound but is getting well slowly.

Rev. Newell preached at the church Sunday evening to a good house.

Mrs. Nancy Brown has been on the sick list for a few days but is getting well at last account.

Mr. John Kingsley has his saw mill on Sturgis Brook about ready to start sawing and quite a large lot of logs on hand to begin with.

Rev. A. Randall of Eden Valley will preach at the church Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited.

Some of Mrs. S. S. Martin's relatives came from Iowa today to remain until they get a firm opinion of our country and if they like it will remain.

PIKE CREEK.

Feb. 21.—Mrs. Mitchell Blair is not well, has been sickly for the last year or so. Her friends hope she will soon recover from her long illness.

Anton Lipinski and daughter Celia, Vincent Suppa, have returned from Rich Prairie where they attended the wedding of Mr. Suppa's niece.

We are informed that the city Mayor of Ledoux has ordered a new obstruction to be put up on 1st and 2nd Sts.

John Kunza of Swan River took the largest load of wood through here Friday, largest this season.

Miss Celia Roebel spent Tuesday evening with Mary Suppa at Swan River.

Frank Glazik and John Wicherski of Swan River visited friends here Sunday.

Anton Weber's jack-rabbits took a free trip to Swan River and Mr. Weber had the pleasure of running after them.

The correspondent invites the correspondent of Darling to come and visit then there will be another name added to the Pike Creek list.

There was a raffle, well attended, in Swan River Monday evening, but the raffling in Pike Creek won't come off till the ticket are all sold. M. V. has bought no ticket see. Tickets for sale in the corner of Pike Creek.

The Odd Fellows will give a ball at Tanner's hall next Monday evening.

PIERZ

Feb. 21.—Aug. Smuda of Polaski had bad luck Saturday. While he and his wife were after a load of hay, the house caught fire and burned down with the stable and granary. Nothing was saved and he carried no insurance. Several small children were home. The two little ones were sleeping and were carried out by the oldest girl, about ten years old, shortly before the upper story caved in.

The Pierz Union String Band will give a grand dance on Monday, Feb. 26, at the Barney Gross Hall. Everybody invited to attend, and a good time is guaranteed.

John Tschida of Freeport, Stearns county, and Miss Mary Ziegler of Ruh. were married here by Rev. Stephen, Monday.

Dr. Charpentier has left Pierz—Dr. Kerkhoff now has a clear field.

Gross & Kramer dissolved partnership in the saloon business last week. Theo. Gross will continue the business.

A child of Jos. Otramba of Agram died Sunday and was buried here Tuesday.

Dr. Kerkhoff was in Minneapolis on business last week.

The supervisors of Pierz will meet at Mrs. Virgil's place on the 7th day of March at 11 o'clock a. m. to act on a road petition for a road between section 9 and 16, township 41, range 29. They laid out a road between section 23 and 24, Monday.

Oscar Guenther shot a wolf in his yard Friday.

Eddy Ruff who was sick for the last five weeks, was out again for the first time, Tuesday.

UPSALA

Feb. 19.—Johnson was in Swanville, Tuesday.

Hannab Runquist, who has been working in Brainerd the past two months, came home Wednesday.

C. Runquist was in Royalton, Wednesday.

Bettie Anderson is home from Brainerd.

Louie Peterson and Albert Anderson were in Royalton with stock Monday.

Oscar Martinson is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Rasmus Hanson of Elmdale was here on business Monday.

John Strowl of Minneapolis, is visiting relatives here.

We hear that Charley Peterson will soon have an auction sale, and will afterwards leave for another climate.

John Terry returned Monday night from Minneapolis, where he attended the funeral of a relative.

Judge Loebren has issued an order discharging J. Burton from bankruptcy.

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DARLING.

Feb. 20.—Spring election will soon be here. Two good men from Darling ought to be on the ticket. John Thelander would make a good supervisor. He has never held office in Randall town. Chas. Carlson would make a good assessor again. He was assessor two years where he formerly lived, and would make a good, square assessment.

Strange that some of our well-to-do people should be on the tax list.

Mrs. Hulda Carlson, who has been visiting here for about two months, left for her home at Little Falls this week.

Instead of 23, it is 33 that widower No. 3 will move to. Additional farm name in 23: Oakland and Evergreen. Darling schoolhouse in this section: In 31, Maple Island, H. H. Kortner; Lake View, F. Soderstrom.

Some wolves badly scared that Sandpoint man one night last week.

Services were held in the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Johnson of Brainerd officiating. Several new members were taken in, and some old members returned. One child was baptised. There was communion also.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. August Larson, a daughter.

Our farmers are hoping for snow. Many wagons have got broken on the rough roads.

Miss Annie Freeman, who has been here for some time, left Monday with her sister for Little Falls, where F. Freeman has opened a restaurant.

All we want in Darling is a depot, and a postoffice, for of course we have carpenters, blacksmiths, printers, barbers, hotels, boarding houses, restaurant, livery stables, etc. etc. Emil Carlson was in Little Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schelin and daughter, Mrs. C. Liljeblad and children, Mrs. E. Olson and children, visited Culdrum friends Sunday.

Miss Mary Swanson returned home Monday from Culdrum.

O. Duclous expects to get out 40,000,000 brick the coming season.

Lowell Budde, a farmer living near Ft. Ripley, had his leg broken Monday while on his way to Little Falls. He was hauling hay, and climbed a tree to cut off a limb which obstructed the road. It broke, and he fell to the ground. Dr. Chance set the limb, and Budde was taken to his father's home, south of the city.

Little Falls Market Report

Table with market prices for various goods like wheat, flour, beans, etc. Columns include item name and price.

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