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List of Morrison Co. Marriage Licenses Issued in 1905

Marriage licenses granted during the year of 1905, by Clerk of Court S. P. Brick, were 170. The greatest number were granted in November, 27. In July and August there were 8 for each month, this being the lowest number for the year.

JANUARY.

Fred Bellamy, Ida Lilly Green
Joseph Stewart, Celia Ethen
Emil Drews, Clara L. Kuehl
J. B. Blechinger, Elizabeth Collignon
Jos. Eidenshink, Annie Bleckinger
Narcisse St. Syer, Hermine Allard
Alex Knopik, Annie Wilczek
William Tindall, Mary Nelson
John Wandenheuvel, Mary Carwett
John M. O'Brien, Ella C. Brown
Ole Lorentson, Bolate Olson
Charley Schenk, Maria Toman
Anthony Bruening, Lena Sitzman
John Yanietz, Susie Yanski
Edward P. Smith, Mary T. Plante

FEBRUARY.

John Angermeier, Lena Urel
Carl E. Peterson, Vilma C. Peterson
Eugene Doucette, Nora Larzoux
Martin Ginter, Martha Trzeniatowski
Kasmir Kryska, Martha Socher
Peter L. Virnig, Theresa Paulsen
Mark Roff, Edna Pritchard
Joseph Ethen, Lena VanHerke
Frank Neidhardt, Melissa Grettin
Isham W. Collins, Ida M. Sutliff
Peter John Sjolander, Lisa Anderson
True W. Clark, Iris Snow
Louis Schaefer, Selma Nordstrom
Fred C. Stoll, Annie E. Lewis
Rudolph D. Kobylka, Minnie Trick
Edward Newman, Theresia Boehm

MARCH.

Frank S. Wildasin, Alpha B. Trask
Arthur Doucette, Azelie Gervais
Ernest Douglas, Eva Fastien
M. J. Wojiechowski, Josephine Cevertowski
Albert Peterson, Lavina Raymond
Sven K. Leikwall, Olga Peterson
George Lutes, Rosie Stowell
Andrew Tubbs, Emma Nelson
Henry Sussman, Fannie Messenger
Frank Vansalow, Paulina Stapel
Nicholas Ehr, Ethel Covert

APRIL.

Henry Harmson, Johanna Ellefson
Arthur B. Love, Eva Kinney
Chas. O. Coe, Velva O. Stout
Gilbert E. Hollenbeck, Tilda Laura Rhoda
Jacobus Norton, Mary Leisner
Adolph B. Bipes, Lillian B. Gablenz
Louis Brummer, Francis Will
Mathew Kowalczek, Mary Trettel

MAY.

Ignatz Preimesberger, Josephine Schomal
Norbert Brummer, Mary Kasella
J. H. Sterr, Mary Gaking
John Dzurik, Francis Yatzkowski
Ignatz Bienik, Anna Zicky
Sidney U. Blaisdell, Barbara Kiefer
Peter Lambert, Sophia Bursy
Michael F. Ward, Mayme Newman
Joseph Pelarski, Felia Brisk
Otto H. Bigalka, Alma Liljeblade
Samuel Gray, Lillie Mortensen
Frank Schwankl, Mary K. Bolster
Arthur Batters, Mary Schuh
Fredrick York, Jeanette York
Charles Heroux, Augustine Dugas
J. L. Wallek, Victoria Cichon
Swan Eden, Mary Person
Stephen Litke, Anna Vosen
John Dickson, Alice Pierce
Henry Gregerson, Annie Anderson

JUNE.

Oliver Peppin, Jennie Rhoades
John B. Gann, Eleanor O'shea
Michael Priglmeyer, Kate Meyer
Nick Kugel, Stella Seaman
Anton Fussy, Paulina Czek
H. J. Cunningham, Nancy Pendelton
Julius Neils, Amelia Kuschel
Albert H. Turritin, Bessie L. Bouck
Eugene Rochelean, Mattie Garron
Adelor Houle, Sadie St. Onge
Ernest R. Grochau, Nora M. Duncan
William H. Randall, Ida E. Prochnow
Perry T. Powers, Julia E. Eckerson
Henry S. Wilcox, Mary L. Hinck
Jay C. Bartholomew, Olive Randall

JULY.

Samuel Stowell, Pearl A. McCoy
Alfred Matteson, Delia Wright
Frank Mengel, Adelaide Golnik
Carl Meyer, Johanna Marshik
Rufus H. Christian, Lena B. Rucker
Andrew Allen, Sarah Brown
Frank Jendro, Julia Sobieck
O. Samuel Hammerbeck, Olga E. Nelson

AUGUST.

Bartlett Y. McNairy, Mary E. Nichols
Henry Terhaar, Cecilia Kapsner
Christ Zong, Gusta Kastorek
August Knop, Hedwig Weisbrick
Ezra L. Dasson, Florence L. James
Gilbert Anderson, Caroline M. T. Bryant
Henry Klingberg, Anna M. Johnson
Theo. Stroming, Jr., Laura Roff

SEPTEMBER.

Wm. W. Boyle, Loise Gaking
Henry H. Wilkes, Anna P. Gross
John Mamer, Elizabeth Terhaar
Ezra Ledoux, Clara St. Marie
John H. Langer, Annie Terhaar
John Bauer, Kate Britz
Thomas F. Connelly, Mary Meyer
Archie E. Niles, Lucy Kelly
E. A. Lemieux, Zilda Roy
Wm R. Thompson, Anna C. Winsher
Albert Grabish, Mary Biennik
Herman J. Lange, Agnes Raymond
Joseph H. Houle, Minnie Lafosce
Frank Myott, Mary L. Richard

OCTOBER.

Theodore Denzel, Annie Garritson
Joseph Gruber, Barbara Lochner
Benjamin Cornell, Cora Crye
Felix P. Klimek, Agnes Jendro
Charles S. Dellmore, Clara M. Carpenter
Peter Syperski, Nettie Tylmann
Jasper Lambert, Jessie L. Broadhead
Paul Bias, Hattie Scepurik
Paul Doucette, Mary LeBlanc
Mathias Dzurik, Julia Rudy
Peter Kasella, Frances Schlichting
Carl S. Knudson, Helga Gilbertson
Frank Bourassa, Minnie Dean
Edward Konen, Maggie Tretter
Carl Ehrenberg, Martha Ganz
Theodore Rosival, Helen Super
Walter L. Schaeffer, Bertha O. Bigalka
Mike J. Salitros, Annie Adams

NOVEMBER.

Robert Schneider, Julia Petrus
Jessie Earl Hanks, Ada Norris
Joe Peia, Paulina Cekalla
Mike Veith, Lena Ridl
Christian Lust, Dorah Schuh
John Borash, Minnie Kroll
Joseph Hammernick, Annie Prodzinski
Nocholas Ethen, Anna Weis
Ben Kiewel, Helen Krych
Joseph Janey, Frances Sobieck
Paul Stanek, Victoria Kanieski
William Mashke, Veronica Bonik
Adam Patyk, Rezina Plomski
Ira W. Gardner, Mabel E. Oliver
Henry Dufort, Melvina Schelling
John Ginter, Anna Tuzinski
Jean B. Leblanc, Adeline Grenier
John Pusc, Georgina Doucette
Theman Olson, Nellie Thomas
Joseph Pakorny, Mary Soltis
Joseph Novotny, Frances Vita
Joseph Meyer, Catherine Angermeier
William Becntel, Emma Vanslow
William Carroll, Hattie Chambers
James Ed. Frazer, Bertha M. Ware
Vincent Dygart, Florence Enke
Nicholas Grundhoefer, Mary Hohn

DECEMBER.

Nels H. Montbriand, Rosetta Robbins
Andy Kieffer, Gusta Lundquist
Albert Beutenmueller, Emma Briese
Wm. F. Siegel, Martha Wittwer
B. F. Boyer, E. S. Fredrickson
Wm. Mack, Maggie Morrilon
Charles Detorick, Effie Bookey
Harry Shern, Ericka M. Rulin
Clarence J. Smart, Christina Nelson.

BOUQUET FOR BOUCK.

Princeton Union 28: Hon. I. W. Bouck, state representative from the 48th district, was in Princeton on Wednesday. Mr. Bouck is a gentleman of whom his district should feel proud. He has worked arduously and unceasingly for the benfit of his constituents and his efforts should at least be rewarded by returning him to the legislature at the next election. No better or more conscientious man has ever represented the forty-eighth. Hon. I. W. Bouck is a brother of Mrs. F. L. Ludden of this place.

St. Paul Dispatch 2: Miss Webb, a bride of this month, will be the guest of honor at an entertainment given tomorrow afternoon by Miss Florence Pease, Grand avenue, Thursday evening. Miss Edgerton will give a card party for Miss Webb and Robert L. Carley, and Saturday afternoon Mrs. Z. C. Taylor, St. Albans street, will give a parcel shower for Miss Webb.

Dr. G. M. A. Fortier has received from the Maryland Casualty Co. of Baltimore, of which W. T. Tourtillotte is local agent, a check for $323.75, to cover his claim for disability on account of sickness caused by a blood poisoned hand. The company allowed the claim in full without question, promptly and satisfactorily. Dr. Fortier has recovered the use of his hand and is attending to his surgical and medical practice.

The Sauk Rapids Sentinel Free Press of Dec. 29th has the following about a former resident of this city: "Albert Selke was most pleasantly surprised at his home last evening by about fifty of his friends, who had learned that it was his 50th birthday. They brought the German Lutheran band with them, and to say that they had a rousing good time is putting it mildly. The occasion will long be remembered by the happy crowd who were present. Before dispersing he was presented with a fine large arm chair, in token of respect and esteem held by them."

NOTICE.

All farmers that expect to want prison binder twine for next year, please notify the Farmers' Exchange Little Falls at once. 39 tf.

HIS FIRST RAIL TRIP.

Frank P. Hinman of Mount Morris, N. Y, has just had his first railroad ride, on the Erie railroad to Rochester and back, and he used a ticket that was issued in 1864 to his grandfather, and had never been cancelled. When the purchaser of the ticket died in 1891, he bequeathed it to his favorite grandson. The latter has since been awaiting to "get a holiday," which he recently enjoyed. Speaking of enjoying a holiday let us remind you of ordering a supply of golden grain belt beer. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Wm. von Domarus, Little Falls.

THE DISCRIMINATING TRAVELER enroute to California, avails himself of the tourist car service via The North-Western-Line, which affords economical as well as comfortable accommodations for this finest of vacation trip. Three tourist cars leave Minneapolis and St. Paul every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. For California literature and information as to rates, etc., write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul Minn.

THEY ARE SUCCESSFUL

Reports of Two Morrison Co. Farmers' Fire Insurance Cos.

Pierz Farmers' Mutual Fire Ins. Co. held their annual meeting Tuesday. Following is the annual statement:

Balance on hand	$254.95
Received on policies, etc. 1905	381.80
Total	636.75
Disbursement 1905	73.70
Balance on hand	$563.05
Policies in force Dec. 31	212
Polices issued in 1905	66
Total number	278
Policies cancelled and withdrawing 1905	19
Policies in force	259
Amount of insurance in force Dec. 1, 1904	$3910.04
Amount issued in 1905	922.04
Total	$3823.08
Insurance cancelled in 1905	245.60
Total in force	3577.48

Towns that business has been transacted in and amount of insurance:

Pierz	$135,504
Buh	224,448
Agram	627,778
Hillman	,650
Granite	27,747
Platte	5 720
Pulaski	3,866
Total in force	$357,748

The following were elected directors: Herman Terhaar, Henry Wuellner, F. O. Bolster, John Mischke, Henry Langer, Henry Gassert, John Kramer. After the meeting closed the board of directors met and selected Herman Terhaar, president, Henry Wuellner secretary and F. O. Bolster treasurer.

Elmer Dearth, state insurance commissioner, has the following to say: "In my opinion the main secret of success of this class of companies is due to the limited territory in which they are permitted to transact business, each member thereby becoming practically an inspector of his neighborhood, furthermore, the fact that no one can secure a policy in an amount exceeding two-thirds or three-fourths the actual value of the property."

MEETING OF FARMERS' MUTUAL INS. CO. OF LITTLE FALLS.

The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Little Falls, which does an insurance business in the towns of Little Falls, Belle Prairie, Culdrum, Parker, Randall, Ripley, Pine Creek, Green Prairie, Bellevue, Scandia Valley, Rosing, Rail Prairie and Cushing, held its annual meeting at the court house Tuesday.

The reports of the officers showed the company to be in a flourishing condition. Dec. 31, 1904, the policies in force were 170, amounting to $132,235. During the year 58 policies, with risks of $743,661, were written, and 13 policies, representing $8,511, expired. At the end of the year there were in force 215 policies, representing $167,485 of insurance.

During the year two claims, amounting to but $40, were paid. There has been no assessment on the members for three years.

The insurance written is distributed as follows:

Little Falls	$10,385
Belle Prairie	9,120
Culdrum	11,300
Parker	5,504
Randall	65,456
Ripley	2,850
Pike Creek	29,517
Green Prairie	16,822
Bellevue	875
Scandia Valley	5,347
Rosing	4,166
Rail Prairie	1,590
Cushing	4,358

Cash received as first payments on policies during the year amounted to $321.71. Commissions to agents were $58, directors expense $24.50, secretary $14.50, treasurer $5.65, clerk hire $25, rent $2, postage $6 39, printing $7.25, advertising $6.96, insurance department fees $3, secretary and treasurer's bond $10. The total disbursements were $202.35. The cash balance at end of year is $267.75. J. H. Schmelzer was re-elected president, Peter Nylen vice president P. A. Kull secretary and John Thelander treasurer.

P. A. Kull and John Thelander were re-elected directors for three years.

The limit of insurance for any member was raised from $2,000 to $2,500.

The full list of directors are—J. H. Schmelzer, Peter Nylen, P. A. Kull, John Thelander, Emil Rebischke, C. L. Freeman, S. M. Bloom.

There was a large attendance at the meeting, and all well satisfied with the progress of the company.

REUNION OF WHITE FAMILY.

Clear Lake Times: There was a reunion of the family of Edgar White at Elk River on Christmas day, and C. D. Schwab and family went down. In addition were F. T. White and family of Elk River, Prof. H. E. White and family of Little Falls, J. deBooy and family of Elk River, Miss Anna White, Miss Helen White, Dan White. Including the parents, children and grandchildren there was a grand total of twenty-seven. It is needless to state that it was a happy occasion for Mr. and Mrs. White, at whose home the reunion was held.

FREEDHEM CREAMERY.

If you want a good Cream Separator go to the Freedhem creamery and get the Empire. 45 9t.

SEE Dr. Gibson's change in ad. 4t

THE NEW YEARS' DAY RACES.

The ice races which took place on the ice on New Year's day between the bridges were well attended. The day was bright and warm.

The races were well attended which furnished a volume of good sport. The free for all race, two out of three heats, was entered by George F., Roy-alton's pacing wonder, owned by George F. Barnard, and Congress Nance, owned by J. F. Greisch of this city, was the star attractions. Congress Nance showed up better than her admirers had expected and nipped one heat away from George F. Congress Nance has the stuff and with some more good training will be heard from. George F., although he had to extend himsef, always did have a little speed in reserve. The heats were as follows:

George F.—Mathews	1	2	1
Congress Nance—Sam LaFond	2	1	2

Time—1.06½ 1.07 1.07.

The green race, two out of three, half mile heats was the next on the card, and was a good one. Leona Queen, owned by Geo. Gordon, showed up best and won the first and third heats.

White Sox, owned by B. Burton, captured second and Lady R., owned by Chas. Rhoda of Royalton was third. Mississippi Maid fell at the finish of the first heat, cutting one of her front legs quite badly, but the cut will not affect her after healing. She was withdrawn. The heats were run as follows:

Leona Queen—Gordon	1	2	1
White Sox—B. Burton	4	1	2
Lady R.—Mahtews	3	3	3
Mississippi Maid—S. LaFond	2		

Also ran—Roy W., Arazabo.
Time—1.17 1.16 1.17

In the Royalton Banner last week appeared "Observations" from Little Falls, signed "R. E. Publican." The letter was an interesting one. Among other observations was one about Postmaster Fuller, part of which is as follows:

"Postmaster Fuller's term of office expires next month and as there is some opposition to his re-appointment it is whispered that he is on the anxious seat. The complaint is that the postmaster should be postmaster in deed, not in name only." This seems to have aroused the ire of the postmaster-editor for he refers to it as "taunted." However, it seems to have had some effect, for we understand that of late Brother Fuller spends at least fifteen minutes a day in the postoffice, which is an increase of about 100 per cent, and most people can have hopes of gradual increase as the time for re-appointment draws near.

It has been a mystery to people of nearby towns that their postmasters should be held down in the matter of hours and reported by inspectors, while the Little Falls stamp licker in chief has attended to the office when he felt like it, dispensing with all rules and regulations. "Pull" may explain the matter.

In the future rural carriers will not have to make daily records of mail delivered and collected.

The Merchants' association will have a dance Jan. 16th at Elks hall, and supper will be served at the Buckman.

The large general store of John B. Gazette, at Rice, was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon, with a loss of over $10,000, which is partly covered by insurance.

Ben Taylor of Culdrum has had his pension increased from $17, to $24 per month. Mr. Taylor was wounded at the battle of Bull Run. N. Richardson was the attorney.

Miss Mabel Buchanan, sister of Mrs. F. A. Sumner, and well known here, will be married to Oren Belyea of New York at Minneapolis next Wednesday evening.

Hibbing Tribune: Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kirby entertained on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Trumere and son, Vincent, of Minneapolis, and Mr. Lafe Kirby of the Saskatchewan country in Canada. Mrs. Turmere is a sister of Mr. Kirby and the latter gentleman, a brother. The entire party departed from Hibbing on Tuesday and Mr. Kirby accompanied his brother on a trip to Detroit, Mich., their boyhood home.

BUH

Jan. 3.—Peter Tretter moved his threshing machine to Little Falls yesterday to thresh the grain on A. R. Davidson's farm. He gets $100 for the job. Mr. Tretter has traded his 12-horse engine for one of a larger size.

E. E. James is visiting relatives in Omaha, Neb.

A dance at Andrew Nelson's Friday was well attended. A good time is reported.

J. J. Leeb pays top prices for all kinds of furs and hides.

Chas. Fuhrman got the contract to grub the new road 4 rods wide between Sections 4 and 5 for $28.

The following left for the woods today: John Leisen, Andrew Kainz, H. Weiss and Ed Kraemer.

Miss Mary Kainz came home from St. Paul Saturday.

PLATTE

Jan. 2.—Albert Jabas of Ledoux is here this week. He is going to start and haul logs to Smith Bros. mill, and will build a house on his farm next summer.

Mike Vieth and wife moved away from here to his parents' place in Buh.

M. J. Kosobuski and Frank Fronski were in Pierz Tuesday.

Six loads of ties went to Topeka Wednesday.

Paul Promdzinski and wife of Little Falls visited here.

Miss Julia Plowski of Little Falls visited here.

CO. COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Lakin Again Chosen Chairman of the Board

The board of county commissioners met at the court house Tuesday morning, present Commissioners Lakin, Stith, Johnson, Virnig and Wahl.

Commissioner Lakin was elected chairman, Commissioner Johnson vice chairman, and Auditor Butler and Commissioner Johnson were appointed purchasing committee.

The financial statement for 1905 was approved.

The bonds for bidders on county printing were fixed at $2000. The bond of the county attorney, $1,000, with J. Mecusker and J. W. Berg as sureties, was approved.

The county superintendent of schools was allowed $100 for incidental expenses, as provided by Chaper 82, Laws of 1905.

The county treasurer was allowed $200 clerk hire.

Wednesday morning bids for county printing were received.

The Transcript Co. offered to publish the financial statement in the Weekly Transcript and the proceedings of the board in the Daily Transcript, at the legal rates, 75 cents per folio for the first insertion, 35 cents for each subsequent insertion.

The Herald Printing Co. offered to publish the delinquent tax list at the legal rate, 15 cents per description.

The Democrat offered to publish matters not covered by other bids, at legal rates.

All bids were accepted.

The bond of the Democrat Co., $2000, N. Richardson and L. Signor sureties, was approved.

The bond of the Transcript Co., S. R. Snow and L. M. Roberts sureties, was approved.

The bond of The Herald Co., $2000, Henry Goulet and A. Simonet sureties, was approved.

The Little Falls Herald was designated the official paper of the county for 1906.

WERE REMEMBERED.

Bertrum Cor. Long Prairie Leader: We acknowledge the receipt of a splendid large calendar presented to us by E. W. Reeder of Little Falls. Also two fine cakes from Mrs. Reeder. It is gratifying to be so kindly remembered by our children.

The famous drama, "The Darling of the Gods," will be at the Minneapolis Auditorium all next week.

Walter Folsom left Wednesday for a trip to Seattle, Vanconver, Spokane, and Bellingham, on business. He will return in about three weeks.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Mrs. Eli Blair, the widow of the man killed at the saw mill last fall, was here Monday on her way to her claim north east of Thief River Falls.

Mahnomen Plaintalk: Samuel St. Pierre went to St. Paul Tuesday evening to look after certain business interests, and at the same time to see a specialist in regard to his throat which has been troubling him for some time. He will not return until after New Year.

Mat Styer, who killed his sweetheart, Pearl Wheaton, near Caledonia Tuesday, wounded her sister and mother, and then killed himself, was a classmate of Stephen Fortier in the dental department of the state university. Stephen says Styer was of a moody and unsocial disposition.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: John Griebler, a former St. Cloud boy, who has for several years past been connected with the W. A. Barto hardware establishment at Long Prairie, has resigned his position there to accept a similar position at Alexandria in the employ of H. A. Leroy. He will soon leave with his wife for Alexandria.

Long Prairie Argus: Miss Nellie Rayner arrived here yesterday afternoon from St Paul to spend the balance of the winter with the family of John Colling west of town. She leaves the city for a few months on account of her health. Miss Rayner's folks resided here some years ago on the C. H. Taylor farm in Reynolds, moving from here to Little Falls, where her father died suddenly a couple of years ago while being taken to the soldiers' home.

North Parker

Jan. 2.—Owing to a typographical error in the last issue the statement was made that the former Parker correspondent was seen "loafing" around Randall, when the word "visiting" was the one written. The party concerned should not have got excited and used objectionable language before knowing whether the North Parker correspondent was responsible. Next time, go gently, and don't fly the track.

James and Nellie Sullivan attended the New Year's ball at Randall.

Oscar Neff is back from southern Iowa, where he attended the funeral of his father.

Mr. Fiester lost a valuable horse last week.

Born—Dec. 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nutter, a son, 9 1-2 lbs.

The literary met Friday evening and had a short, but fine, program. A collection of 75 cents was taken to buy oil. The program committee for next time are Jean Nutter, Dell Donnelly, W. Fesler, James Sullivan.

S. Treacy was in Cushing Saturday with wood.

Will Jones returned to Nevis Tuesday.

PIERZ

Jan. 4.—The St. Joseph society will hold their annual monthly meeting Sunday after high mass.

Two young ladies of upper town have opened up a dressmaking establishment in the Columbia hotel.

The C. O. F. court will hold their monthly meeting and install their new officers Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

The horse that Peter Virnig has been selling chances on will be raffled in B. Gross's hall on Sunday, Jan. 7th at 4 o'clock. Everyone holding a ticket is invited to be present and witness the raffle.

The supervisors of the town of Pierz will meet at the village hall on Thursday, Jan. 11th, at 4 o'clock to receive bids and let the contract to furnish the town 12,000 feet of oak plank and bridge timbers and also corduroy with rock the swamp on the west line of sections 14 and 23. The job to furnish the bridge material was let to Peter Tretter on Dec. 14th at $20 per M. and given a week's time to funish bonds, so the board decided to take bids again.

Joseph Priglmeier gave a party on New Year's evening, during which the roof of the house caught fire from the stovepipe and was burning without the notice of the occupants. Peter Thiea, a neighbor, saw the fire and at once notified Priglmeier and with the assistance of the guests the fire was put out without much damage.

On account of the crowded conditions of the primary rooms the board of education found it necessary to pass the following resolution—That no child shall be allowed to enter school hereafter, who is not six years of age. Those that have attained the proper age for entering school shall be admitted only on the first day of each school year and on the first school day in April.

The school drew from the state during the year $1180, being $950 for apportionment and $230 special state aid. Who paid this under the old system? The board of education has made an application to raise the school from a semi-graded to a graded school. They have every reason to believe they will be successful. That will give the district $550 special state aid instead of $250. The board has levied a tax of $1200.

Christ Langer, age 16, was badly stabbed in the arm by his companion, Willie Bednar, aged 17, on the way home from the village Saturday night. Bednar was intoxicated and when about half way home attempted to lick Langer. Langer defended himself and finally Bednar drew his knife and struck at Langer with the open bladed knife, but Langer guarded off the blow and the knife blade landed into his arm. The cut is between the wrist and elbow and is about two inches long and penetrated to the bone. Andrew Tschida of Buh is the only witness to the affair. Dr. Seguin dressed the wound. Henry Langer, father of the boy, at first intended to have Bednar arrested, but friends of Bednar talked it out of him and he decided to drop the matter, although many people here think it too serious a crime to let go unpunished.

All pupils that attend the village school and live outside the parish will have to pay tuition of $1 per month in advance. All those living in the parish, but not in District 14 will have to draw their apportionment in this district or pay $4 tuition per yer.

Report of school in Dist. 19 for the month ending Dec. 30:

No. pupils enrolled	56
No. days taught	20
Average daily attendance	35

Those perfect in attendance were H. Otremba, C. Otremba, P. H. Thielen, C. Pauser, Anna Medek, Ludwig and Anna Bednar.

GREEN PRAIRIE

Jan. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. O. Larson and children visited at Mr. Waline's Sunday.

John Eckerson and Harry Peters returned from Royalton last week.

Miss Annie Rasicot of Royalton is visiting at the home of E. Eckerson this week.

Miss Elsie Hall of Little Falls is visiting at her uncle's, Chas. Gedney, this week.

John Eckerson, who is employed in Clough, visited his parents Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Neill and daughter visited in Little Falls last week.

George Gedney and John Dickerson, who have been visiting here, returned to their homes in Little Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Forseman visited at C. W. Johns in Ft. Ripley last week.

Miss Annie Waline, who has been visiting friends in North Dakota, returned to her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs Michelson of Randall and Mrs. Anderson of Little Falls visited at J. Jarvis Sunday afternoon.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Schlax Sunday, Dec. 31st, a son.

Miss Pearl Eckerson accompanied Miss Ethel Pearson of Little Falls to Clough last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gedney and Ed. Gammon were in Little Falls Tuesday.

Mr. Miller, of Dakota, is visiting at J. Waline's this week.

Miss Pearle Forseman and Frank Pray attended the dance at Ft. Ripley Monday evening.

Chas. Anderson visited his parents here Monday.

Among the Little Falls visitors Saturday were Ed. Gammon, A. Anderson, E. Johnson, J. Jarvis, E. Eckerson and O. Koskie.

O. Larson was in Randall last week.

Mrs. Franz, midwife, who has been sick for some time, is now able to take cases again.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schiek, Dec. 30th, a son.

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