

**GREEN PRAIRIE**

June 16.—Chas. Henderson visited with friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. R. Neill and Mrs. Wm. Edden visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paddock at Freeborn Thursday.

Mrs. J. Eckerson and George Henderson left Monday for Minneapolis, where they will visit with friends.

The "G. P. Stars" played the "Never Sweats" here Sunday and defeated them by a score of 10 to 4.

Miss Florence Henderson was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmick and family of Darling visited with friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Madie Dugas and little son Leo, arrived here Wednesday from Cass Lake for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Eckerson.

The Green Prairie ball team went to Ft. Ripley Sunday, where they were to play Rail Prairie, but Rail Prairie team failed to appear.

Mrs. Perry Powers of Aurora, Iowa, spent Wednesday with relatives at Little Falls, and returned here Thursday.

Misses Jessie and Geraldine Bame, who has been visiting with relatives here for the past two weeks, left Saturday for their home at Grey Eagle.

Mrs. J. Mausolf and daughter, Miss Clara, left Thursday for Montana, where they will visit with relatives for the summer.

A number of our young people attended the surprise party at Wm. Seigal, Sr.'s at Clough Friday evening. All reported a good time.

R. Neil left Tuesday for Montreal, Can., where he will visit with relatives for some time.

Mrs. E. Neil visited with friends at Clough Tuesday afternoon.

The following program was rendered Sunday evening:

"The Light of the World," Song, "bringing in the Sheaves," by congregation.

Responsive reading, Lord's Prayer, by congregation.

Scripture lesson John 1:1-2.

Song by school, "Jesus the Light of the world."

Recitation, Willie Schlar.

Recitation, Jessie Swanson.

Recitation, Hannah Harlander.

Song by the children, "Little Sunbeams."

Exercises by five girls.

Recitation, Mamie Nauertz.

Song, "Footsteps of Jesus," by Mettie Eckerson and Siam Laiture.

Recitation, Bertha Larson.

Recitation, Alfred Nauertz.

Recitation, Lizzie Swanson.

Song, "Over there," by several young people.

Recitation, by Olympia Laiture.

Exercise, "Light of the World," by fifteen children.

Song by the school, "Let the Sunshine In."

Reading, Miss Nellie Sullivan.

Offering for American Sunday school Union.

Song, "More about Jesus," by congregation.

Recitation, Edna DeLong.

Recitation, Nellie Harlander.

Recitation, Albert Harlander.

Song by congregation, "My Country 'tis of Thee."

**RANDALL**

June 16.—Mrs. George Dantelson arrived here Wednesday for several weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. F. G. Noggles of Royalton spent Wednesday with her mother at this place, returning home Thursday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. Barnes.

James Keller returned home Thursday after several weeks spent in Fargo and has again opened up his barber shop here and is now ready for business.

Mrs. H. Simons was in Little Falls Thursday.

Miss Mamie Tracey, who is teaching near Ft. Ripley, came home Friday for a short visit, returning Sunday.

Miss Etta Berry arrived here Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Hollister.

Mrs. Nettie Schimmerhorn of Little Falls is the guest of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schimmerhorn.

Miss Cora Davis returned from Little Falls Saturday.

Mrs. C. Barnes returned Saturday after a few days' visit with relatives in Royalton.

C. Valentine left for St. Paul Sunday.

Rev. J. B. Wilkes of Birch Lake held services in the Catholic church here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lambert visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kempenich.

Chas. Grey, Geo. and Paul Miller and Alfred Gumbly spent Sunday at this place.

Willie Mueller returned home Sunday from Glenwood.

Mrs. Will Schimmerhorn of Little Falls visited between trains here Monday.

Walter Folsom of Little Falls was here Monday.

Miss Ethel Danielson visited Monday with friends in Little Falls, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Snow of Minneapolis is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. Covert.

Miss Cora Raymond spent Tuesday here as the guest of Mrs. G. Calhoun, leaving Wednesday for Little Falls, where she will visit a few days before leaving for her home in Wheatland, N. D.

Irene Noggles of Royalton is visiting relatives here.

A. Kennedy returned home Tuesday after several months spent at Walker.

An ice cream social will be given Saturday evening, June 19th, in the town hall by the ladies of the Catholic church. Everybody invited.

**Southwest Darling**

June 15.—War between Darling and Pike Creek. The Pike Creek banker says that John Regnell, the new road overseer, is taking too much dust off his land. If we are to have four roadways, the people should not kick on these matters.

Everything is growing fine.

Crows are doing quite a little damage. We hope our hunters will get after them. We understand that there is a bounty of ten cents for them.

Rev. Edward Olson and family will soon leave for a visit to Sweden.

Ole A. Thingstad will leave for

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Minneapolis this week, where he expects to purchase a home. We don't like to lose folks like Mr. Thingstad. He was a fine citizen.

It seems to us that Aaron Engstrom is visiting at Little Falls pretty often. The girls think so too.

Julius Abramson is helping Anton Knudson build a large barn.

Willie Thelander visited with his uncle, Gust Thelander, at Fergus Falls.

Look out for a wedding at Happy Corner pretty soon. A lot of sewing has been done lately.

Mrs. G. Lind is employed as cook at C. A. Swanson's hotel.

There will be a private picnic in the Third ward Midsummer Day. All others will go to Fish lake. It is a fine place and a good time is sure to be had. Bring your dinner along. Everybody come.

June 16.—John Zillich is home from St. Paul, and is painting his house.

The Rich Park farmer is still clearing land.

Only four children in district 35 received diplomas. We expected that a much better showing would be made.

Miss Minnie Peter writes from Cass, seton, N. D., that crops look good and that the weather is fine.

C. A. Swanson took a load of visitors to Little Falls today.

Another good rain today.

Everybody is working on the roads these days. Hope Pike Creek will do something.

**East Darling**

June 16.—The Ladies' Sewing society of the Swedish Lutheran church will hold a Midsummer Day picnic on June 24, at Oliverdale Farm, section 26. A sale of fancy articles will also be held.

Rev. John Nordstrom of Scandia Valley will make an address. Refreshments will be served. Ladies don't forget to bring your baskets. This is a great Swedish holiday and should be well attended. Program begins at one o'clock sharp. Everybody invited.

The fine rain was a great help to the crops on sandy soil. In southwest Darling they don't pray for rain so hard as the soil is heavier.

The ladies of Darling have organized a singing society. The officers are: President, Mrs. Tilda Erickson; vice-president, Mrs. B. P. Nylén; secretary, Mrs. Minnie Rendahl; treasurer, Mrs. Tilda Rendahl. They will meet once a month for practice.

Look out for a wedding in the First ward pretty soon.

Edward Fredrickson was in South west Darling with groceries Saturday.

**SWAN RIVER.**

June 16.—John H. Hanfler attended to business matters at Bowls Saturday.

Mrs. Martin Peterson of Brainerd is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. William Lewis of Pequot is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. M. Larsen, this week.

Mrs. Peter Larsen of Royalton and family are visiting relatives here this week.

Corps are looking fine and a good crop is looked for.

There was a dance at Jos. Valetzka's Monday evening and a good time is reported.

Mrs. Christina Wittke of Little Falls is visiting her brother, John H. Hanfler, this week.

Fred Hafler of Little Falls is out here this week attending to business matters.

John H. Hanfler's large barn is all completed. The finishing touches were put on Monday. The barn is 30x68 in size and will hold about 60 tons of hay and is installed with a hay fork and sling. Mr. Hanfler will have a litter carrier put in in the fall. This makes one of the largest barns in this part of the country.

John H. Hanfler attended to business matters at Little Falls Tuesday.

Martin E. Larsen drove to Bowls Tuesday on business.

Lightning struck the house of Anton Kanesa Saturday evening and killed the family dog which was lying on the outside on the porch and stunned their five-year old girl. But the little girl soon recovered. The bolt entered the chimney on the kitchen and tore it all up and then passed through the wall on the outside, where it killed the dog instantly. The house was damaged to some extent, which is partly covered by insurance.

The funeral of the late Stanislaus Gosiak which was held Saturday at the Swan River Catholic church, was one of the largest ever held here for some time, the funeral procession being one half mile in length.

**ROYALTON**

June 17.—It rains often, but the weather between showers is the kind that can only be found in Minnesota.

Jerre Murphy has purchased the store recently operated by Fred Cairns at Bowls and will go into business at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Batzer left Sunday for Hazelton, N. D., where they will visit their sons, Herman and Winch for several weeks.

Miss Ruth Barstow, who has been visiting here, returned to her home at

Barnum last Saturday.

Miss Freda and William McDougall are visiting friends at Brainerd.

Miss Hazel Brown of St. Cloud is visiting Mrs. J. P. Chasco.

Postmaster E. A. Joalin is under treatment in Minneapolis, where he was taken early in the week.

The girls of St. Agnes' guild, with their commander in chief, Mrs. Street, are to visit Sartell Saturday afternoon between trains.

Mrs. I. W. Bouck is recovering from a very severe attack of rheumatism in her left arm.

Rice's auction, which has been a rendezvous for the women of leisure the past ten days, is fast coming to an end.

The co-operative company that is to operate the I. W. Bouck store, has secured about fifty-five shares.

The spavined horse alluded to in these items, is still doing duty on the R. F. D. route. If the owner could hear the remarks made about the matter he might possibly realize how this inhumanity looks to other people.

There could have been no doubt about Dr. Countryman and his bride having arrived in Royalton Monday night when all the young fry were out en masse to extend their welcome and make the night hideous with bells, tin pans and shrieks. There was a horrible din for about three hours and the neighborhood at least was thankful when the Dr. so generously paid off the gang.

C. A. King, the man who says he will walk around the world in seven years, spent Sunday night in Royalton.

Grace church Guild meets with Mrs. A. M. Watson Thursday afternoon.

The little girl, Marvel Tabor, who was poisoned a week ago by eating sheep sorrel, is recovering slowly from the effects.

Dr. J. P. Chasco's auto is in the repair shops, so is Norris Carnes' car. In the meantime they—the men walk just like common folks.

Operator C. Withers is substituting for Station Agent Walters at Rice.

L. J. Wakefield has accepted a position as bar keeper at Sauk Centre, and will move his family to that place in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Dinsmore and Miss Dinsmore, of Maine, have been guests of their cousin, Mrs. Mary Street the past week.

**PIERZ**

June 17.—When is the Fourth to be celebrated? Saturday or Monday?

John Dombovy, chief of the Pierz fire department, returned from Cloquet last week, where he attended the convention of the State Firemen's association. He informs us that nearly 100 cities and villages were represented and over 600 delegates were present. Cloquet has about 7000 population and is a fine city, as he says. All kinds of amusements had been provided and the firemen in attendance enjoyed their trip to Cloquet very much.

The next state convention, in 1910, will be held in Alexandria.

John Schmolke of Buckman, merchant and land agent, was a business caller last week Friday.

P. A. Hartmann has received a letter of Nick Henn, our postmaster, who is at present visiting with his brother in Iowa. He says traveling seems to become him and he feels good, but the scenery does not please him. The railroad runs through narrow valleys in most places and one can see no farther than half a mile on either side of track.

Ben Schwieter of the New Munich brewing firm, Pitzl & Schwieter, was in Pierz a few days the latter part of last week.

Robert Kluge went to Brainerd last week, where he will be employed as bricklayer all summer.

The picnic held in Lastrup last Sunday for the benefit of the St. John's Catholic church of that place, was a success, although the weather was not very favorable.

J. F. Schwinghammer, who taught school in district 14 in the village of Pierz during two terms a few years ago, visited here a few days last week. He has taught in Albany, Stearns county, during the last school year.

The Vawter baseball nine came to Pierz last Sunday and again defeated the second Pierz team, by a score of 15 to 11.

Pierz is to have a newspaper in the near future. H. C. Bailey of Erskine arrived here with his newspaper plant last Friday. He bought the "Polk County Journal," which was published in Crookston, and moved the

**RANDALL R. F. D. 2**

June 16.—P. A. Holmgren left Friday for a visit with friends at Spencer, Neb.

Mrs. Ben Bates and Henrietta Johnson visited at Little Falls Wednesday.

A. B. Nichols transacted business at the county seat Wednesday.

Wm. Patton drove to Little Falls Friday.

Martin Jasarke is excavating for a cellar, which will be used under his new residence which he intends to build.

W. H. Ryan, Little Falls' general hardware man, passed through these parts on his way to Fish Lake.

K. M. Rudolph transacted business at Little Falls Monday.

One of the most enjoyable social functions of the season was held at the home of Wm. Siegar, Sr., Friday night. A large crowd was in attendance and all join in saying that they enjoyed themselves hugely. Those from a distance were Joe Munson, George Bates, E. Breeze and sister, Louise, Etta and Ines Potter of Darling, Jack Eckerson and sister, Pearl, Dave Swanson, Harley Pray, Willie DeLong, Charlie, Willie and Fred Whittier.

Tom Krause was a business caller at the county seat Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coal drove to Little Falls Tuesday.

Miss Florence Nichols, who has been attending high school at Brainerd, returned home Friday.

Jud Nichols is breaking land for Wealey Gilson.

Mark Trask has been breaking land for Charlie Cummings.

Sam Tedford and wife made a business trip to Ft. Ripley Wednesday.

Miss Katie Kimbal met with a very painful accident by running a silver in her foot, and will be confined to her home for several days.

W. J. Coal has been doing some needed repairs at the school house.

During the electrical storm early Wednesday morning the frolicking lightning struck in the yard of B. B. Bates place, totally demolishing one of his prettiest pine trees. Luckily no one was hurt and no other damage done.

A complaint was entered with the postoffice department at Washington against Rural Letter Carrier W. R. Campbell, and stating that the services were very unsatisfactory that he

**Little Falls Market Report.**

Wheat, No. 1 Northern.....	1.22
Wheat, No. 2 Northern.....	1.20
Wheat, No. 3 Northern.....	1.17
Oats.....	.55
Barley.....	.65
Rye.....	.77
Hay.....	5.50
Shorts, per 100 lbs.....	1.45
Ground feed, per 80.....	1.40
Cracked Corn.....	1.35
Bran, per 100.....	1.40
Flour, pat. pro. per bbl.....	7.00
Straight grade, per bbl.....	6.80
Bakers.....	5.80
Low Grade per 100 lbs.....	1.60
Rye flour, per bbl.....	5.00
Oil Meal, per 100.....	1.95
Steers, fat.....	3.50-4.50
Cows.....	2.50-3.50
Calves, alive.....	3.00-4.00
Hogs, live.....	6.00-6.50
Pork, dressed.....	7.50-8.50
Sheep, alive.....	8.00-4.00
Mutton, dressed.....	.06-.07
Chickens, dressed.....	.09-.10
live.....	.08-.09
Chickens spring.....	.08-.09
Wool.....	.15-.18
Potatoes, per bu.....	.50-.60
Beans, per bushel.....	-.80
Peas, per bushel.....	1.50-1.75
Onions.....	-.60
Dairy butter, per lb.....	.18-.22
Creamery butter, per lb.....	-.28
Eggs.....	-.15
Granulated sugar 16 lbs.....	1.00
K-croscme.....	.15
Butter Fat.....	.25%

plant to Pierz. In a few weeks "The Pierz Journal" will make its first appearance, as we are informed by Mr. Bailey.

Sam Trebby of Little Falls was a business caller in Pierz last Wednesday.

Pierz is to get electric lights some time this fall. It was so decided at a meeting of the village council last Tuesday evening. T. C. Gordon of Little Falls, manager of the Electric Power Co., and F. W. Lyon, attorney of Little Falls, were here and attended the meeting. We are informed that negotiations made are satisfactory to both parties concerned. The village is to get ten arch lights and is to pay \$850 annually.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Meyer of Meyers Grove, Stearns county, are here visiting with relatives and children, Theo. Ortman and Lastrup and Mrs. Adam Tembreull of Buh.

The school entertainment held in Faust's opera house last Sunday evening was a grand success. The attendance was large and the Faust opera house was taxed to its utmost capacity. The managers were even compelled to get chairs in the neighborhood to furnish seats for visitors. The pupils of district 14 had many rehearsals before the entertainment was held and the scholars did well. All who saw the performance were well pleased as far as we have heard.

The best game of baseball played this season so far will undoubtedly be played next Sunday afternoon on the Pierz grounds. Matched are Pierz and Randall. The team of Randall is a good one and lovers of ball playing should not miss the chance of seeing a good game.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gau, Mrs. Math Gross and daughter and F. Schwankl of Pierz went to Torah to attend the funeral of Mrs. Christina Diedrich, mother of Mrs. P. J. Gau and Mrs. Math. Gross.

Cement sidewalks are being built all over in our village. Those who have begun building are others who will build are P. L. Foster, Herm. Koenig, Frank Schwankl, John Premsberger, Lorenz Koser, Christ Berg and Frank Faust. Frank Wanning is doing the work.

Dr. E. D. Jones, osteopathist, will be at the Buckman Hotel each Monday and Friday afternoons; room 3.

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1 lb. package gem cleaned currants.....	.10c
1 lb. package Bengal brand currants.....	.10c
1 lb. package Silver Nugget raisins.....	.7c
1 lb. package Victoria raisins.....	.8c
1 lb. package blue ribbon raisins.....	.09c
1 lb. package Calumet corn starch.....	.6c
1 lb. package Celluoid clothes starch.....	.8c
1 pkg. puffed rice.....	.10c
1 pkg. Dr. Prices jelly dessert sugar.....	.8c
1 lb. pkg. shredded whole wheat.....	.13c
1 package Quaker corn flakes.....	.8c
7 bars Santa Claus soap.....	.25c
7 bars Lenox Soap.....	.25
7 bars Rose Queen Soap.....	.25
1 two oz. bottle McMurray's vanilla or lemon flavor.....	.8c
1 two oz. Utila vanilla or lemon extract.....	.8c
1 16-oz bottle Home brand catsup.....	.22c
1 16-oz bottle Eddy's catsup.....	.22c
1 16-oz bottle Columbia catsup.....	.22c
All 10c bottles Eddy's mustard.....	.8c
All 15c bottles Eddy's mustard.....	.10c
3 cans Crow River corn.....	.20
3 cans Carol corn.....	.25
1 can Baby brand tomatoes.....	.10c
1 can Carol brand tomatoes.....	.12c
1 can Marrowfat peas.....	.9c
1 can early June peas.....	.11c
1 can golden wedding red gage plums.....	.12c
1 can golden wedding green gage plums.....	.12c
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**APPLICATION FOR LICENSE**

Notice is hereby given that Mary K. Wermeraki has filed with the Recorder of the Village of Pierz her application for retail liquor license granting her the right to sell intoxicating liquors in her hotel building on lot (1) Block (2) Bergen-houser addition to the Village of Pierz, County of Morrison, State of Minn. at a said license to be granted for the term of one year commencing on the 21st day of June, 1909, and terminating on the 30th day of June 1910.

She hereby agrees to obey all the laws, of the state and ordinances of the village relative to the sale of intoxicating liquors. Said application will be considered at a meeting of the council of the Village of Pierz, Saturday, June 19th at 8 P. M. All persons who may have reasons to object to granting such license are hereby notified to appear at such time and place and exhibit their reasons.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1909.

FRANK GRELL  
(Seal) Recorder

**HERCULES' WARNING.**

By F. A. MITCHEL.

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In a garden behind one of the principal dwellings of the ancient city of Herculaneum sat a youth and a maiden. Beside the girl, its base resting on the marble seat, stood a harp, the strings of which she now and again struck plaintively. Above them to the east towered the cone of the Vesuvian volcano, to the west reposed the pale blue waters of the Mediterranean, while to the south were visible the tiled roofs of the temples of the neighboring city of Pompeii.

"Hercules," said the youth gloomily, "this intention of your father to make you a priestess in this religion of the Egyptians will surely bring down upon him the wrath of the true gods. Yet it may be that you and I shall go free to wed in a foreign land."

"Have you consulted the oracles, Gavius?"

"No; but Hercules, from whom your city was named and whose name your father gave to you, last night appeared to me in a dream and told me this."

"Oh, Gavius, be not deceived! There is no hope. Tomorrow, as surely as Jove dwells on Olympus, I must go to Pompeii to be initiated in the mysteries in the temple of Isis there. My father, like many others, is infatuated with the worship of this foreign goddess, and though I have wept and pleaded with him he will not forego his intent."

"Trouble will surely come from this slight to the true gods. The senate at Rome has forbidden it."

"Nevertheless there stands the temple at Pompeii on the slope near the amphitheater. You may see its roof."

Meanwhile the young man was regarding the summit of Vesuvius, which was emitting fitful puffs of smoke.

"I have not for several days," he said, "liked the looks of the mountain. I fear the earthquake. Do you know, Hercules, I have a feeling—perhaps it has been planted within me by the immortal gods—that in some way the volcano is connected with our fate—that rather than see you a priestess of a false goddess Hercules will emerge from the crater, descend upon her temple and destroy it."

"And us, too, perhaps," replied the girl, giving a frightened look up at the cone, which at that moment uttered an ominous growl.

"Enough of these melancholy words, dear heart. With our approaching eternal separation and the volcano muttering above us I am plunged in gloom. Sing the song I love so well, that old air brought by your ancestors from the Isles of Greece. It may be the last time I shall hear it."

The girl commenced to sing in a low, plaintive tone, accompanying herself on her harp. The air, though monotonous, was sweet, rising and falling at intervals. The words were a recital of their grief at their coming separation. The song served to deepen their gloom. When it ceased Gavius clasped Hercules in his arms, and they wept silently. Then after an impassioned farewell they separated.

The next day, as Hercules, under the guardianship of her family, was leaving for the temple of Isis, Vesuvius gave a shudder, then sent up that column from the bowels of the earth which destroyed the cities at its base. Gavius, maddened at the prospect of losing his love, collected a number of his friends who were opposed to the worship of the Egyptian goddess—among them priests from the temple of Jupiter—and, sallying from his house, on the main street crossing Pompeii north and south, turned into the one leading to the Herculanean gate. There, supported by his band, he stood ready for a desperate attempt to rescue Hercules on her entrance into the city.

But Hercules did not come. At the hour appointed for her initiation both Herculaneum and Pompeii were being covered by showers of ashes and earth rained down from Vesuvius, while the mountain roared and the earth quaked.

Gavius started to Herculaneum to die with his love, but in the darkness lost his way. Fainting, he lay stupefied by gases from the volcano, but was taken up by one of his slaves and carried to the sea. Later when all was again serene he went and stood on the crust above the buried Herculaneum. There wandering, he was regarded by those who were trying to dig their way down to where they might recover treasures as having lost his mind through the terrors attending the late eruption. When night came they left him there and found him there again in the morning. The only words he was heard to say were:

"O Hercules, direct me!"

On the evening of the second day after the eruption as the twilight deepened Gavius was still wandering above the buried Herculaneum. The sea, the mountain, the ground on which he stood, were still. A stream had flowed on either side of the site of the town. Wandering aimlessly toward one of these streams, out of the silence there came to him a sound. Gavius listened and heard the plaintive strains of harp strings. Then came a human voice, singing. He knew the song Hercules sang at their parting.

Guided by the sound, he went down near the bank of the stream. Coming to a small aperture, he widened it, digging his way into a stone hut. There he found Hercules. She had been taken there by a peasant, who had left her to go for succor and had not returned. The hut had been covered by a stream of mud from the volcano.

Gavius' dream was fulfilled. He took Hercules to Greece, where he built a temple to Hercules.

**LAstrup**

June 16.—Last Sunday a class of 22 received First Holy Communion at the hands of Rev. Father Sand during high mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weire, Sr., were visiting their son, Theo. Ortman, and their daughter, Mrs. Mary Tembreull of Pierz.

Mrs. Jaeger, mother of Mrs. Joe Blake, and Peter Blake of Little Falls, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blake, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blake's last Sunday.

It has been decided by the people of Lastrup that for the first time they will celebrate the 4th of July in a first-class manner. That's right. Stick to it. Charity begins at home.

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**APPLICATION FOR LICENSE**

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She hereby agrees to obey all the laws, of the state and ordinances of the village relative to the sale of intoxicating liquors. Said application will be considered at a meeting of the council of the Village of Pierz, Saturday, June 19th at 8 P. M. All persons who may have reasons to object to granting such license are hereby notified to appear at such time and place and exhibit their reasons.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1909.

FRANK GRELL  
(Seal) Recorder

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18 lbs. Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.00
1 pkg. Arm & Hammer Soda.....	.06
3 lbs. dried peaches.....	.25
2 lbs. fancy dried Apricots.....	.25c
1 lb. package star brand tea dust.....	.15c
1 lb. package gem cleaned currants.....	.10c
1 lb. package Bengal brand currants.....	.10c
1 lb. package Silver Nugget raisins.....	.7c
1 lb. package Victoria raisins.....	.8c
1 lb. package blue ribbon raisins.....	.09c
1 lb. package Calumet corn starch.....	.6c
1 lb. package Celluoid clothes starch.....	.8c
1 pkg. puffed rice.....	.10c
1 pkg. Dr. Prices jelly dessert sugar.....	.8c
1 lb. pkg. shredded whole wheat.....	.13c
1 package Quaker corn flakes.....	.8c
7 bars Santa Claus soap.....	.25c
7 bars Lenox Soap.....	.25
7 bars Rose Queen Soap.....	.25
1 two oz. bottle McMurray's vanilla or lemon flavor.....	.8c
1 two oz. Utila vanilla or lemon extract.....	.8c
1 16-oz bottle Home brand catsup.....	.22c
1 16-oz bottle Eddy's catsup.....	.22c
1 16-oz bottle Columbia catsup.....	.22c
All 10c bottles Eddy's mustard.....	.8c
All 15c bottles Eddy's mustard.....	.10c
3 cans Crow River corn.....	.20
3 cans Carol corn.....	.25
1 can Baby brand tomatoes.....	.10c
1 can Carol brand tomatoes.....	.12c
1 can Marrowfat peas.....	.9c
1 can early June peas.....	.11c
1 can golden wedding red gage plums.....	.12c
1 can golden wedding green gage plums.....	.12c
1 can golden wedding yellow egg plums.....	.12c
Average net weight 2 lbs. 4 ozs. on last three items.	

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