

ORGANIZE BOOSTERS' CLUB

LOCAL MERCHANTS ADOPT NEW TRADING STAMP SYSTEM—TO HAVE BEST ROOM

A number of local merchants, at a meeting held last Friday evening, organized a Boosters club, the purpose of which is to issue trading stamps. The club started out with a membership of twelve but the membership is unlimited and any merchant can become a member.

The trading stamps will be given with each purchase and when customers secure \$100 in stamps they are entitled to a premium valued at \$2.50 or can secure credit for a deposit of \$2 at the Merchants State bank or the First National bank.

Little Falls is the fourth city to establish this system.

It originated at Osseo a year ago and was later established at Waverly and Staples.

A feature of the trading stamp system will be a premium parlor and rest room in some downtown building, probably the Brockhoff building. Here the customers can get their premiums and can rest if they desire. The premium parlor will be placed in the hands of some competent local woman.

Those who joined the club Friday evening are J. A. Schmid, Carlson Bros., Julius Jetka, George Ferguson, Martin Engstrom, R. A. McClintick, H. J. LaFond, Peter Wilezek, A. F. Koslosky, G. W. Finstahl, W. M. Gordon and O. J. Oetelahl. A. F. Koslosky was selected president of the club, M. A. Engstrom vice president and J. A. Schmid secretary and treasurer. Mr. Schmid will have charge of the distribution of the stamps.

COME AND GONE

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Renick returned to their home in Richland Centre, Wis., Tuesday, after a visit at the home of the former's brother, Frank Renick.

M. C. Davis returned Tuesday from a visit at Pequot.

Edward Simonet of Minneapolis arrived Monday for a visit at the home of his uncle, A. Simonet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dodge and Dr. H. E. Wolcott of St. Paul visited at the home of Jacob Christen the first of the week. They made the trip by auto.

Miss Jennie Hultin of Brainerd visited friends here the first of the week. T. J. Monahan returned Tuesday from a visit in the twin cities.

Miss Katie Faust returned Tuesday to Fargo, N. D., after a visit with relatives here.

Gust Lindgren made a business trip to Backus the first of the week.

Morris D. Folsom of Brainerd, brother of Walter Folsom of this city and well known here, has opened a music store at Brainerd.

S. Bernstein has rented the Brockhoff building on Broadway east and will reopen his fur repair shop and second hand store there again on October 1.

W. Green is suffering with poisoning of the eye. The poisoning was contracted from logs at the saw mill, it is thought, but will not prove serious.

Two hundred and eighty-nine students are now enrolled at the high school and the enrollment is expected to reach the 300 mark the first of next week. Twenty are enrolled in the normal department this year.

Several hundred men are needed in the mills and in the woods at Bemidji, according to a statement by B. W. Lakin, superintendent of the logging department of the Crookston Lumber company. He says that it is almost impossible to get enough help up there.

The boys' glee club and the girls' glee club have been reorganized at the high school and several practices have already been held. Miss Phyllis May, instructor in history and commercial geography, is director of these clubs this year. The boys' orchestra will be reorganized the first of next week.

HAS NOVEL SELF-OPERATING HUNTING SCHEME

Martin Engstrom, the West side confectioner and hardware man, claims to have a way of getting wild game without leaving his place of business except to step outside and pick it up on the walk.

The location of his store, on the south side of Broadway keeps the sun from striking the store front and the result is a reflection on the large plate glass windows which makes it look like the open. Wild birds, such as partridges, quail, etc., when flying in the direction of the store, seem to think so, at least, for as they approach the building they swoop downward to pass under what they likely imagine is a large object floating in the air. They come down with a terrific speed and strike the plate glass windows, meeting instant death.

The last bird which Mr. Engstrom got in this way was a large partridge, last Sunday afternoon. One day a turtle dove also met death in the same way. The partridge struck the window with such force that a large gash was cut on the back. Mr. Engstrom is satisfied that no easier way of securing wild game will be found for some time to come.

HORSE DROPS DEAD ON STREET

A black mare belonging to Frank J. Posch, who lives on a farm in Bellevue town, topped dead on Market street Friday at about 11 a. m. The horse was about to be tied to an electric light pole near the Victor store. It is not known what caused the horse's death. The ground where the horse stood was charged with electricity from a grounded wire and the ground was wet and it is thought that this might have caused the death, but the Water Power company claims that it could not possibly be enough to kill. An examination by a veterinary surgeon showed that a blood vessel was ruptured. Mr. Posch has filed a claim with the Water Power company for damages for loss of the horse, alleging that the animal was electrocuted.

FIRST STORY OF NEW HOSPITAL BUILDING UP

Contractor N. P. Franzen, who has the contract for the construction of the new hospital building for the Franciscan Sisters here, expects to have the building completed by the first of February unless some unforeseen trouble causes a delay. Work is progressing rapidly now and the first story of the building is already up and the floor of the second has been laid. The building will be a three-story structure. A separate building is being constructed a short distance east of the new hospital building, where the heating plant will be housed. It is hoped that the walls and roof of the hospital building will be completed before the cold weather sets in.

BENEFIT PICNIC NETTED \$23.90

The women of Swan River gave a picnic at the Krottschinski grove in Swan River Sunday afternoon, for the benefit of the women's exhibit building at the fair grounds. The picnic netted \$23.90, making a total of \$102.50 raised by Swan River women for the building fund.

Many brought basket lunch but for those who did not the ladies had prepared an excellent dinner.

A sale of sealed parcels was held before dinner, 200 packages being disposed of by Auctioneer Tim Perry.

AUTOED TO MILLE LACS

A party of local people autoed to Mille Lacs lake in five automobiles Sunday. The total distance covered was 131 miles, they going via Brainerd. The roads were in good shape and no trouble was experienced by anyone on the entire trip. The following made the trip: D. K. Harting and family, E. W. Kaliber and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dohbyn, Carl Bolander and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Longley, M. E. Barnes and family, Geo. M. Gordon and family and R. A. McClintick.

GIVES HOME MUSICALS

Mrs. G. F. Kirscher was hostess at a musicale Friday afternoon, at her home at 315 Third street southeast. About forty friends were present. Mrs. Philip E. Gregory and Mrs. Carl G. Johnson rendered several piano selections and Miss Elaine Ruth gave several vocal numbers. Tea was served by Mesdames B. Burton, Charles Jensen, John Wetzel and J. G. Millsbaugh, assisted by Misses Elaine and Elvira Ruth.

WM. BEATTIE BUYS BROWN RESTAURANT

Wm. Beattie, for many years sawyer in the local saw mill, has resigned his position there to take possession of the Star Restaurant on First street northwest, which he purchased from Dana Brown. Mr. Brown purchased the restaurant a year ago from G. G. Cornwell. He has no definite plans for the future but expects to go into some business after a vacation.

VAUDEVILLE AT VICTOR MONDAY NIGHT

For Monday night the management of the Victor theatre has secured the Schoeler-Jameson Company with their talking pictures. These people do not lecture the pictures but talk them, sing them, play them, making them appear as real live human beings before you. Besides this they put on three acts of high class vaudeville, two singles and one double.

WATER MAINS TO BE COMPLETED

A crew of men has been put to work by the Water Power company laying water mains. The Second street southeast main was left unfinished some time ago on account of the inability of the company to secure men. This will be completed and the Third street northeast water main and one on the West side will also be installed.

SALE OF SCHOOL AND STATE LANDS

A sale of school and state lands will be held at the office of County Auditor McNairy at the local court house on November 5, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. These lands have been appraised and reports showing the quality and kind of soil are on file at the office of the county auditor and can be seen there.

CITY DADS HELD MEETING

VOTED TO SPEND \$200 ON NORTH-EAST ROAD—WILL ALSO FIX BOWLUS ROAD

The city council held a regular adjourned meeting at the city hall on Thursday evening of last week. The principal matter taken up was that of improving the roads leading to this city.

Belle Prairie town officials offered to pay a part of the cost of claying and grading one mile of road east of the Calvary cemetery and to maintain the road. The council then voted to expend not to exceed \$200 on the road. The town board agreed to advertise for bids and to have the work done and to pay the remainder of the cost. It is expected that it will cost about \$300 to put one mile of the road in good shape.

The committee appointed to meet with the town board of Pike Creek reported that the board had agreed to put the road leading to Bowlus in shape for grading; to get the width of the road increased to three rods; to put in all culverts needed along the road; to maintain it. They also agreed to put on men to work with the grader if necessary. The committee was instructed to have the town board prepare an estimate on the cost of fixing the road so that the city clerk could advertise for bids soon.

Several farmers from South Little Falls town appeared and asked that the city help put the road leading from the railroad crossing south of this city to the O'Neill corner, in shape. The town board has no money to work with, they said, but the individuals along the road would be willing to help. The street committee was asked to look over the road in question and to report at the next meeting.

The theatre license of Carey & Butts was transferred to H. B. Smoots. This is the license on the Milo theatre.

A bill for \$10 from A. B. Trebhatowski for care of a poor man, was allowed.

An application for the extension of the First street sewer by private individuals, was referred to the street committee. The petitioners were J. W. Falk, Geo. Schroeder and Henning Landahl. The council desired information as to what effect the installation of the private sewer would have on a petition for a city sewer along the same street.

Mrs. L. F. Martin of Los Angeles, Cal., is here to spend the winter with her son, J. K. Martin.

Ben Chouard has taken a position as sawyer at the Pine Tree saw mill here in place of Wm. Beattie, who resigned.

Dana Brown and family have moved from rooms in the Star restaurant building to the residence at the corner of Second street and Third avenue northeast.

A dance is to be given at the Moose hall Thursday evening, September 30, for members of the Moose lodge and their families. Bastien's orchestra will furnish the music.

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The cafe-observation car which has been run between St. Paul and Brainerd during the summer months, has been discontinued. It will likely be put on again next summer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards have moved from their farm near Swanville to this city and will make their home here permanently. They resided here before moving to Swanville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Loucks and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Leonard of Spring Valley left the latter part of last week for Sauk Rapids by auto, after several days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Loucks of the west side.

Hubert Friesinger, special agent for the Northern Pacific, found an empty suit case in the railroad yards Friday. The lock was cut out, making it appear that the case had been stolen and the contents removed. No suitcase theft was reported, however.

Mrs. H. E. Meyers has moved from the residence on Third street northeast to 705 First street southeast. O. Duclous moved from 500 Second street southeast to the house vacated by Mrs. Meyer and Harry Weimer moved

from 415 First street southeast to the house vacated by Mr. Duclous.

J. H. O'Brien of Brainerd was arrested Saturday night upon his refusal to leave his baggage at a hotel as security for a bill for lodging, which he was unable to pay. He secured money from Brainerd, however, and the bill was settled and he was released.

Baking Powder Biscuits

Light as a Feather
By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine.

Baking Powder Biscuits made by this recipe are so far ahead of ordinary baking powder biscuits that, if once tried, you will never use any other recipe. Try it the next time you run short of bread. Save this recipe. 29



K C Baking Powder Biscuits

Three cups flour; 1/4 to 1/2 cup shortening; 3 level teaspoonsful K C Baking Powder; about 1 cup milk or water; 1 teaspoonful salt.

Sift three times, the flour, salt and baking powder. Work into the flour the shortening, using lard or butter for shortening. Then mix to a very soft dough with the milk. The softer the biscuit enters the oven, the lighter it comes out. Never knead baking powder biscuits; press the dough into shape and roll lightly. Cut in small shapes and bake on a sheet or very shallow pan in a hot oven. In placing biscuits in the pans place well apart, not allowing edges to touch. Small biscuits are better than large ones. Large biscuits do not have the proper amount of time to raise and bake.

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