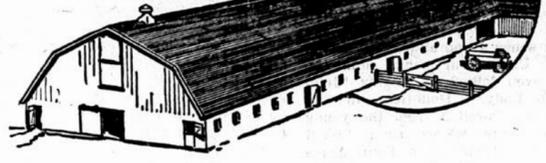


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NORTH ELM DALE

June 20.—Born—To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson, a daughter, Wednesday. E. M. Larson and Cornelius Olson went to Two Rivers lake, fishing last Monday. Mrs. E. M. Larson stayed with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Olson, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. W. Davies and E. M. Larson went to Little Falls on Thursday on business. J. J. Jacobson went to Bowls one day last week. W. Davies and daughter Ella visited at the home of Arthur Thomas of South Elm Dale Sunday. Peter Gregerson of Swan River called on E. M. Larson Sunday. Miss Sena Madson of Swan River visited at the home of J. J. Jacobson Monday. E. M. Larson and daughter Annie and Mamie Olson went to Royalton on business Saturday. Miss Sena Madson of Swan River called on Mrs. H. A. Olson Monday. E. M. Larson went to Bowls last Wednesday on business. P. J. Jacobson of Swanville was an Elm Dale caller Monday. The pop man from Little Falls was in this vicinity on business Monday. Reinhold Johnson has purchased a Ford car from Mark Gunderson.

EAST DARLING

June 20.—No services were held at the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday. The notice was received too late to have it changed. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Anderson celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary Sunday. They entertained a few invited friends. They were the recipients of several fine gifts as remembrances of the occasion. John Sova is here to spend three weeks fishing. Mrs. Mary Knudson celebrated her eightieth birthday Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nelson and daughter of Chippewa Falls, Wis., are here for a visit with Mr. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Nelson. Mr. Nelson is still employed as fireman on the Soo. John A. Thelander and son William and Carl E. Sundberg are building a large hayshed for G. E. Johnson, the Rich Park farmer. They will finish work on it this week. A bridge is being built on the road past Louis Nelson's and that road is closed now. Only a few turned out to vote at the primaries. Some did not like to go such a great distance to vote. The town hall should be more centrally located. Emil Johnson is building a new house in section 15. Mrs. Henry Schleuder of Redwood Falls was in the city for a visit with friends Monday and Tuesday. While here she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Richard and of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Zippy. Mrs. Schleuder is known to many local people as she resided here for many years with her father. She was before her marriage Miss Eddy Donovan and is a sister of R. L. Donovan, who is with the extension division of the state university.

SOUTHWEST DARLING

June 21.—The weather is warm now and everything is growing fine. Indications are that the flies and mosquitoes are going to be troublesome, owing to the wet weather we have had. Albert Zimmerman was in Randall on business Tuesday. Some work has been done on Yankee street and it is now in good shape. The repairs were made last week. Fred Freeman has been around with a road petition and the farmers are going to get out and work a day on the roads leading to the state road, to get them in good shape. Some farmers who have been at Fish lake recently claim that fishing is poor there now. The Silver Park farmer has been repairing his house. David Carlson, a member of the Minneapolis police force, was here for a visit with relatives last Sunday. John Larson of New York, in letters to friends here, has indicated that he is not very well satisfied with his new location. Aaron Engstrom and John Boquist were in Little Falls Wednesday. Frank Rendahl had some fine corn, but the crows got busy and destroyed a great deal of it. They have been very troublesome here this summer.

SWAN RIVER

June 21.—Joe Bartkowitz and son Leo, were in Little Falls on business, last week. There was a dance Tuesday evening of last week at Frank Raudig's place, in his large barn, and a large crowd attended. They all report a very good time. Peter Magdzas and Tom Bartkowitz were Sobieski visitors Monday. Farmers in this vicinity are through with their field work and will soon begin haying. Frank Rasinski is now in Watkins, and says that he has a very nice barber shop. Peter Bartkowitz and Andrew Rasinski, who are employed at the A. J. Sober saw mill, will finish their work in a short time. Frank Welnski of Elm Dale was in Little Falls Monday. Roads around here are in good condition. No car will get stuck going through here now. Tom Bartkowitz and brother Peter and Peter Magdzas called on George Polasik last Sunday evening. Joe Bartkowitz started to build his new barn this week. Steve Bartkowitz and Peter Balaski are doing the work. Mr. and Mrs. Mallak called on Nick Zientek last Sunday. Joe Magdzas went to Little Falls today on business. F. D. LeBlanc and Felix Plettl, daughter Emma and sons Titus and Otto, motored to Melrose Sunday, where they attended high mass. A brother of Mrs. Felix Plettl, Jr., of Vancouver, B. C., was recently ordained a priest and he said his first high mass at Melrose Sunday. Mrs. Anton Klein of Melrose, a daughter of Mr. Plettl, accompanied her father to this city for a few days' visit.



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FREEDHEM

June 21.—The Young People's society of the Lutheran church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zimbrick Saturday evening and after the meeting a sociable time was had. All those who took in the circus on Friday claim it to have been good and enjoyed it very much. The Misses Frieda and Hannah Nelson returned home Saturday from Minneapolis for a visit with their parents. Miss Anna Kohs returned home on Saturday from Waverly, Iowa, for a visit with her parents. A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lorentzen Sunday afternoon, it being Mrs.

Lorentzen's birthday. A big dinner was served and all had an enjoyable time. She received useful articles for presents and a large crowd attended. The Freedhem and the Gravel baseball teams played on the Freedhem diamond Sunday afternoon. The game turned out a victory for Freedhem, the score being 7 to 3. A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Enlund Sunday afternoon. It was well attended and a good time was had. Emil Zimbrick was in Little Falls Monday to attend the funeral of Dave Larisee of Montana, who was killed in a railroad accident there. The Free church will have a picnic Saturday, June 24, at the home of Mrs. Annie Olson. Everybody welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Glinky and Mr. Kruger and daughter, Elizabeth of Swanville motored out here to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Compton. Mr. Kruger remained for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powers and Otto Meaden visited friends here Sunday. L. D. Gregerson was in Pierz Thursday.

TWIN LAKES

June 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stoltman were city visitors Wednesday. John Schippritt was a city visitor Thursday. Mike Zulke and Leo Pichowski were fishing here Wednesday. Lawrence Ciminski and Joe Witte left for St. Cloud Wednesday. Joe Ciminski made a trip to Little Falls Wednesday. Many from here attended the Howe's Great London Shows at Little Falls Friday. Mrs. Ted Ginter and sister Blanche, of Little Falls, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Olek. Two boys of Culdrum were fishing here Thursday. They were trying to catch some fish for their Friday dinner but they had poor luck, and no wonder they didn't catch any, as they had hooks that were good for skunk and line for wolf. They say their fish poles must be too strong for fishing but it might be all right for the skunk and wolf. There also was a boy from Pike Creek, but he had better luck, as he caught one fish which measured about two inches long. He says that was the biggest fish he ever caught in his life. He had a better fish pole than the others. He used a long maple tree for a pole and a log chain for line, that's why he had good luck. Try your luck again boys. David Carlson and Chester Johnson who are employed at Brainerd, were home for a visit Sunday. Those who were in Little Falls on business Saturday were John Schippritt and daughter Julia, John Olek and son Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Deering and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Domish and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ciminski. Lawrence Ciminski, who is employed at St. Cloud, was home for a visit Sunday. John Wilezik of Pike Creek called on John Schippritt Sunday. John Ciminski is working on State road No. 3. V. E. Ciminski and Anton Shulz went to St. Paul on business Thursday. Martin Deering was in Little Falls on business Tuesday. Frank Schippritt was working on the county road Wednesday. Paul Deering came up from Platte Tuesday. The nights are cold now and the crops are coming up slow. Charley Carlson was hauling sand from John Ciminski's Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ringwelski made a business trip to Little Falls last Tuesday.

and sons Wilfred and Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Page, John Odette and son Al-bay, Leon Dugas, Johnny Doucette. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guilmette and nephew of Little Falls are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Gaboury, Sr. Mr. Kumpf took a load of hay to Little Falls Monday. David Gaboury, Jr., and children visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Martineau Sunday. The park board has received a letter from a man at Cove offering to sell two cub bears to the city for its park. On account of the cost of caring for these animals, it is not likely that the board will make any effort to get them.



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Crawford Sheldon was in Little Falls Tuesday, after cement. A number of teams went to Pierz Tuesday after the first loads of lumber, for the erection of the Farmers' Club house. Mr. Hoagdahl, formerly connected with the U. of M. donated \$25 for the erection of the Farmers' club house here. The name Farmers' Club House was selected in accordance to his wishes. We understand that Mrs. L. D. Gregerson is going into the duck business and intends to raise them on Butter-milk avenue. Miss Bertha Rhodes has returned from Chicago, where she has been for the past year. Joe Manka of Swan River was operated upon for appendicitis Monday morning at St. Gabriel's hospital. Q. Smith of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is in the city this week getting out advertising for the chautauqua, which begins Sunday. Miss Vivian Swedback, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Swedback, who was recently operated upon for hernia at the Hall hospital, was able to return home Sunday. Herbert Mayer, aged sixteen years, had his left leg fractured in two places below the knee Monday morning when he was thrown from a horse and kicked by the animal. R. L. Palmer of this city and O. H. Johnson of Brainerd spent Monday fishing at Long lake, northwest of this city. They returned with eleven fine black bass to show for their day's efforts. Clifford Tidd of this city landed a fine 11-pound great northern pike at Fish Trap lake, Lincoln, Sunday. The fish, which was 36 inches long, was caught with an ordinary hook and line and a large minnow. The body of Leon D. LaReice of Havre, Mont., who has relatives at Belle Prairie, was brought here Monday for burial at Oakland cemetery, the funeral being held from the Harting undertaking rooms. Deceased was a switchman for the Great Northern in Montana. Felix Shypritt of Pike Creek had the misfortune Friday to have his left leg badly torn, as the result of his team of horses running away. A hook on a chain which was attached to the harness, caught his leg and tore a bad gash in it. It required several stitches to close the wound. An electric clock mounted on an iron post has been put up in front of the Diamond Sign jewelry store. The clock is operated by electricity and its dials are illuminated by electricity at night. It is controlled by a master clock in the store and gives the standard U. S. observatory time.

RIPLEY

June 21.—Mr. and Mrs. David Gaboury, Jr., and Frank Lutzke motored to Little Falls Wednesday on business. Those who were in Little Falls on Friday were George Pusc, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and family, Mr. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and son Daniel, August Hahn, Fred Everything, Mr. Poissant and family, Edie Doucette and brothers William and Philip, Al-bay Odette, Vernie Carlson, Adolore Millette, Frank Lutzke and Bertha Olson, sister Violet and brother Truman. Mrs. Page and daughter Mary have returned home from a visit with relatives and friends in Minneapolis. Those who were in Little Falls on Saturday were Mr. Page, Jerome Martineau and Joe Labrie. Frank Lutzke motored to Darling Sunday to visit with relatives and friends. Wenzel Page went to Little Falls Sunday on business. William Pelkey of Belle Prairie bought a load of hay from Joe Pusc Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Doucette and Mary Page visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Gaboury Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hector Ledoux and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kumpf Sunday. William Pelkey visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Pusc Sunday. The primary election caused quite an excitement. Those who were in Little Falls last Tuesday were David Gaboury and sons Adam and Clarence, Erick Poissant