

A meeting of farmers in the vicinity of Vawter will be held on July 24 to organize a livestock shipping association.

The members of the young ladies' sodality of Sacred Heart church picnicked at Green Prairie Fish lake Sunday.

Red Cross Notes

MORRISON COUNTY CHAPTER, EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING, JULY 8, 1926, 7:30 P. M.

Present: Mrs. R. L. Cochran, Mr. Warren Gibson, Mrs. H. H. Tanner, Father LaMothe and Mr. Austin Koslosky. Report of home service committee for last month read and approved as follows: 13 different families were dealt with during month of June. 9 of these families received service. 4 of these families received information only. 62 letters were written, 5 affidavits. \$87.86 financial assistance given during the month. Treasurer's report was read and approved as follows: Balance at beginning of month \$2460.14 Received from Pierz branch 37.06 \$2497.20

PAID OUT. Home service committee \$7.86 Nursing department 43.89 Office salaries 75.00 Mrs. Kuhlke, cleaning 3.50 N. W. Tel. Co. 2.50 St. Paul store, material for pneumonia jackets 1.20

Balance at end of month, July 1926 2283.55 Report of the auditing committee was approved and placed on file, being as follows: Morrison County Chapter, A. Red Cross Treasurer. Cash on hand and in bank July 1, 1919 \$7019.24 Total receipts for period 3593.42 \$10612.66 Total disbursements for period 8329.11

Balance cash on hand and in bank June 30, 1926 \$2283.55 Junior Red Cross Society. Cash on hand and in bank July 1, 1919 (city) 165.65 Cash on hand and in bank July 1, 1919 (county) 340.34 Total receipts for period (city and county) 1115.80 \$1621.79 Total disbursements for period 1348.17

Balance cash on hand and in bank June 30, 1926 \$273.62 Branches. Cash on hand in bank July 1, 1919 \$3023.24 Total receipts for period \$4386.50 Total disbursements for period 1886.14

Balance cash on hand and in bank June 30, 1926 \$2500.36 Grand total \$5057.53 The following bills were read, approved and ordered paid: General. L. E. Business College, 4 months' typewriter rent 8.00 W. H. Ryan, old balance .96 N. W. Tel. Co. 4.75 Lovis' book store, office supplies .75 Geneva Health, salary for June 75.00 St. Gabriel's hospital 15.00 Physician's services 10.00 Groceries 17.55 \$132.91

Moved by Mr. Gibson, seconded by Father LaMothe that Miss Heath be given a vote of thanks for her valuable services to the Red Cross. Passed unanimously. Moved by Mr. Koslosky, seconded by Mr. Gibson, that a vote of thanks be sent to the Morrison County Lumber Company for the use of the office room by the Red Cross.

Moved by Father LaMothe, seconded by Mr. Koslosky, that the treasurer be instructed to pay all bills during the summer, subject to the O. K. of the chairman of the finance committee. Moved and seconded that the office be closed until September unless some thing of great urgency to justify the calling of a meeting by the officers before that time. Moved by Mr. Koslosky, seconded by Mr. Gibson, that the secretary of the home service committee, treasurer and secretary be allowed to use the services of a stenographer when the work justifies the same and will be sent in to the Red Cross each month. Mrs. H. H. Tanner, Secy., pro tem.

BEMIDJI MILLS RESUME NIGHT SAWING.

Bemidji Pioneer: On Monday night at 7 o'clock, night sawing operations will be resumed at the Crookston Lumber Company's mill No. 1 near Bemidji since the calling of the timberworkers' strike last May, according to the announcement made by C. L. Isted, local manager of the company, this morning. Over 100 more men will be required to operate the mill during the night shift. The night shift at the Bemidji Box Company plant will also be begun at the same time, as was planned some time ago.

Applications are being received at the office of the Crookston Lumber Company from those who desire work and it is expected that many more will apply today and tomorrow as a result of the action taken by the timberworkers at the meeting held last night. With approximately 150 members of the organization in discussion was held concerning the possibility of returning to work at the local mills and a vote was taken. The unanimous vote of those present decided that the members of the Bemidji local could return to work if they so desired. This action practically settles the local strike situation for the present and every effort will be made as soon as possible to return all mills to capacity running basis. Prospects are good that the normal output from all plants will be reached very soon after the night shift has been resumed.

POTATO DISEASE DEMONSTRATIONS BEING GIVEN.

A number of demonstrations on potato diseases have been given throughout the county this week by Frank Frolick, potato disease specialist in the plant pathology department of the university farm, and County Agent Campbell. The study of the diseases was made under field conditions, which is regarded as a distinct advantage over the study of the disease in the tubers, itself. Demonstrations were held at Darling, Randall, Cushing and Lincoln Wednesday and yesterday at Motley and Pilsbarger. Today and tomorrow there will be demonstrations as follows: July 16.

9 A. M. Belle Prairie... Wm. Valley 11 A. M. Fredholm... E. J. Heblorn 2 P. M. Ft. Ripley... E. G. LaJoie 4 P. M. Green Prairie... Fern Mesener July 17. 9 A. M. Little Falls... N. M. Moran 11 A. M. Genola... Mat N. Meyer 2 P. M. Pierz... John Schmidtbauer 4 P. M. Pierz... Casper Meyer

YOUR HELP IS WANTED.

Every effort is being made by the Little Falls board of commerce to bring the hardest problems confronting it in view of the fact that it lies adjacent to such distributing points as the twin cities. The co-operation of the business and professional men of the city, as well as every citizen, along this line is urged. While visiting in other cities or in correspondence to business concerns elsewhere, include a reminder on the labor advantages, fine industrial sites, power, etc., which this city enjoys. In most cases new concerns have been secured through a tip given by some business man in his daily business contact with other cities.

WILL GET OUT PUBLICITY BOOKLET.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Little Falls board of commerce the matter of getting out an agricultural and recreational publicity booklet was discussed, and it was decided to make an effort to contract with the various business and land men throughout the city and county and secure an order for a certain number of booklets for each one.

The idea is to get out a first-class booklet, with half tone and art work, which would truly be a credit to the city. The booklet would contain no advertising except on the last page, on which the purchaser of these booklets could insert an advertisement of his own business. It is hoped to get these booklets out in time for the state fair this fall, and business men who wish a supply should call on the secretary of the board of commerce as soon as possible.

NEW GRANITE RETAIL SHOP HERE.

Little Falls will have another granite retailing establishment in the near future, the Peerless Granite Company having recently been incorporated with an authorized capital of \$25,000. Eric Johnson is president of the new concern; Victor Carlson is secretary; T. Hebert is vice-president and treasurer and he will be the manager.

The new concern will build a shed on the N. P. right-of-way on the east side, just north of the sheds of the Little Falls Black Granite Company, and building will commence as soon as a lease on the property can be obtained from the railway company. The black granite product of the Little Falls Black Granite Company will be used by the Peerless Granite Company, which will do only a retail business, on fully completely monuments.

BLIGHT AND BUGS MENACE APPLE TREES.

Fir blight, which has again attacked apple trees in Minnesota in a serious way, finds helpful allies among six or eight varieties of insects which inhabit orchards. The insects spread the blight over trees and carry it from tree to tree. The blight itself cannot be controlled by the use of sprays, but it can be checked by spraying for insects. A well-sprayed orchard, therefore, is less likely to suffer seriously than an unsprayed orchard. After the blight gets into a tree, the only way to get it out is by the use of the knife, pruning shears, or saw, and these instruments should be sterilized in a solution of corrosive sublimate after each cutting. Blighted twig should be cut six or more inches below where the disease shows.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION TOMORROW.

Tomorrow is school election day in Little Falls and three members will be elected to the board of education. There is no opposition for any one of the three places, two to be elected for a three-year term and one for a one-year term, but nevertheless the people should go to the polls and vote. The polling place will be the office in the high school building. Polls open at 4 P. M. and close at 8 P. M.

Candidates for places on the board of education are as follows:

S. C. Vasily, for three-year term. A. P. Koslosky, for three-year term. N. J. Peterson for one-year term.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Varano of this city disappeared from the home on Seventh street northeast at about 8:30 A. M. Sunday and was not located until noon, being found near the Pine Tree Manufacturing Company's office on First street northeast.

TOURISTS MISDIRECTED—BRAINERD NOT ON J. H.

Quite frequently tourists passing through Little Falls enroute to Brainerd got on to the wrong road in leaving this city as the result of the impression that Brainerd is located on the Jefferson Highway. One tourist met a local man at Lincoln recently and asked if he was on the right road to Brainerd. He was informed that he was not and was shown the right road to that place. No doubt many tourists have received this incorrect information as the result of an error by the Minneapolis Automobile club, that organization having published articles intended to guide tourists, which state that Brainerd is on the Jefferson Highway.

NEED OF COMFORT STATION.

For some time the need of a rest room and comfort station in Little Falls has been apparent, and on July 5, when some twelve to fifteen thousand people were in Little Falls for the big celebration this was particularly noticed and many visitors spoke of it. There is a demand for a community building, and if such a building were to be erected it would of course include these conveniences, but in the meantime some provision should be made, particularly for a women's rest room and comfort station. This would be appreciated by the public, and its value to the city cannot be underestimated.

EVANG. LUTH. CHURCH.

Zion congregation. W. L. Hase, pastor. Services here in the German language Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and in Randall at 2 o'clock P. M. Student Below will conduct both services. The local pastor is taking his vacation.

Mrs. Esther Erhart Woll, well-known pianist who has been the head of the piano department at St. Olaf college, Northfield, for the last four years, will continue her studies next season with Senor Alberta Jonas, famous pianist of New York City. She will also teach at the Munson Institute of Music at Brooklyn. Mrs. Woll is a niece of Mrs. H. O. H. Munson of Little Falls.

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