

Ekstension Div. Letter

512 Bushels to Acre is Champion's Record. With a record of 512 bushels an acre, John Ward of Rauch, Koehliching county, was announced this week by T. A. Erickson, state leader of boys' and girls' club work, as state potato champion.

Potato club work for 1921 was very successful, according to Mr. Erickson. A total of 175 clubs were organized with a membership of 1,320, the work being carried on in 35 counties of the state.

Dr. W. L. Boyd Heads State Veterinarians

Dr. W. L. Boyd, professor of veterinary medicine at the University of Minnesota was elected president of the Minnesota State Veterinary Medical association at its twenty-fifth annual meeting at St. Paul and South St. Paul January 13 and 14.

\$148,644 Saved by Forming Co-operative

Through the organization of 114 co-operative marketing associations, they helped to form and which resulted in a saving of \$148,644 in 1921, Minnesota county agricultural agents, actively promoted the development of better farm markets notwithstanding the occasional charge that they are giving exclusive attention to production problems, according to Frank W. Balmer, state county agent leader.

SCHOOL REPORTS

District No. 104 for the month ending January 26: Number days taught, 20; number enrolled, 28; average daily attendance, 22. Those neither absent nor tardy for the month: Ralph Anderson, Ruth Hazel and Cliff Carlson, Franklin and Clarence Nelson, Leonard and Viola Nelson, Lilly and Frances Nelson, Raymond Olson, Delia LaJesse, Eleanor Hilgendorf, Gertrude and Louis Vieth.

EDITH PETERSON, Teacher.

Table listing grocery items and prices: Sugar, per sack \$6.00; 16 lbs. sugar for 1.00; Fancy Krispy Crackers, 4 lbs. and over, per caddy .74; Fancy Graham Crackers, 3 1-3 lbs. and over, per caddy .65; Dixie Ball Cookies, 2 3-4 lbs. or over, per basket .59; Fig Newton Cookies, per lb. .20; Vanilla Wafers, per pound .20; Monarch Rolled Oats, per large package .25; Monarch Corn Flakes, 3 packages for .25; Monarch Coffee, 1 lb. pkg. .43; Monarch Coffee, 3 lb. pkg. 1.05; Monarch Coffee, 5 lb. pkg. 1.70; Monarch Coffee, 10 lb. pkg. 3.20; Fancy Peaberry Coffee, per lb. .25; Breakfast Coffee, per lb. .30; Bulk cocoa, per lb. .11.

PHONE 354 PANTZKE BROS. Kiewit Block First Street.

THE SCAR

By GRACE O. WEATHERSBY

It all started that beautiful summer night in 1918, when the little clubhouse was filled to overflowing with merry, laughing young people whose minds had not yet adjusted themselves to the dark shadow of the war that was looming over them.

Suddenly the slouching figure of the boy stiffened as a girl whisked by the door on the arm of a tall young man. Who was she? Surely he had never seen her before. He hurried inside the dance hall, and looked in vain for her. She was gone. For over an hour he searched, until at last he found her, standing by the porch rail in the very spot he had occupied a little while before.

"You have a wonderful face," she said dreamily, when it was finished. "Don't let anything ever mar it! Keep those eyes as clear as they are now, that chin as firm—that mouth as sweet!" All the rest of that year—through the winter, till the spring—they were inseparable. He loved her with all his young heart, and still he never told her so. How could he? He didn't dream she cared for him! There were so many, and while she was always kind to him, still she was always kind to everybody!

Christmas, 1921! The little clubhouse was gayly decorated with evergreens and holly. Little twigs of mistletoe were hung in out-of-the-way places—snarled for pretty, clever maidens. High on a stepladder perched the girl—a little older—a little wiser—lovelier than ever.

"Come, come, Jeanie—don't give way now. We've far too much to do!" The girl at the foot of the stepladder was very practical.

"I can't help it, Mary—he was so perfect! Why did it have to be the one I loved best in the world?" But the girl at her feet wasn't listening. She was busy directing the hanging of a huge bell. Then she hurried out. It was late afternoon, and the final decorations were carefully placed. The others were ready to go.

"Coming, Jeanie? Or are you going to sit there on the ladder mooning over Carlos all night? Poor Carlos! He'd give his life again to see you thus!" And they were gone. The sun, almost set, cast a last glory of pale sunshine through the window, settling all the holly berries glowing. The girl on the ladder sobbed unheeded.

Suddenly her figure stiffened. An uncanny feeling that she was not alone crept over her, and she lifted her face from her hands. There at the foot of the ladder was a man. His face bore a horrible scar across the left cheek—a lurid crimson scar! But the eyes were the same clear eyes—the chin as firm—the mouth as sweet.

"Jeanie!" he whispered, brokenly to the staring girl. "I just couldn't help coming. They wanted to wait until tonight, but I couldn't. I wanted to see you so!" His hand crept to his cheek. "I'm horrible to look at, Jeanie!"

The girl crept down the ladder, and grasped the man by his shoulders. "Where have you been all this time? Way back in the fall of 1917 you were reported missing. Where did you go? Why didn't you come back to me? I've waited so long!"

But the sad story of the German prison camp and hospital, and the reluctance to shatter the girl's ideal of himself were not told then—but later when the sun had entirely set, and the last sunbeam had departed, leaving the two by the ladder close together, the girl's lips against the scar!

RATIONS FOR BROOD SOWS

A good ration for a brood sow is composed of the following: 2 part ground oats; 2 part ground barley; 1 part middlings of shorts; 5 per cent oilmeal or tanlage. Another ration: 1 part corn; 1 part oats; 2 parts finely cut alfalfa or middlings; 5 per cent tanlage. Tanlage may be substituted by skim milk at the rate of 3 pounds of skim milk to 1 pound of tanlage.

The addition of mineral should not be neglected. Here is a good mixture: 2 bushels of hardwood ashes or charcoal; 4 pounds of sulphur; 2 pounds of copperas; 4 pounds of salt; 6 pounds of air-slack. The mineral should be kept in a box or feed hopper to which the sows have free access.

Young pigs are composed of bone and muscle. To grow them some bone and muscle building feeds must be fed the brood sow. Corn is fattening and lacks these properties. The ash or mineral matter supplies the bone building material and the tanlage, skim milk or oats and alfalfa the muscle building material.

ICE ON FARM HELD NECESSARY FOR DAIRY

Ice for use on the farm, especially the dairy farm, is no longer regarded as a luxury. Many thousands of dollars are lost every year, says the United States department of agriculture, because of the improper cooling of milk and cream. One-half of a ton of ice to the cow is held to be sufficient to cool cream and hold it at a low temperature for delivery two or three times a week.

Experiments made at the South Dakota experiment station show that ice can be stored to good advantage in pits in the ground. From one pit 36 per cent of the original amount of ice stored was recovered and used. A shrinkage of 64 per cent appears large, says the South Dakota bulletin, "but the conveniences and benefits of having ice daily more than repay for the loss."

Good farm ice houses can be built at low cost, say agricultural engineers at University Farm. When sawdust is used for insulation, around 50 per cent of the original ice can be recovered. If natural bodies of water are not available, ice can be obtained by building ice ponds.

INCOME TAX MAN COMING TO LITTLE FALLS

A communication received from L. M. Willcuts, internal revenue collector for Minnesota, states that a deputy collector of internal revenue will be in Little Falls on February 22, 23 and 24 for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in filing their income tax returns for the year 1921.

FRES. COFFMAN SECURED FOR HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Lotus D. Coffman, president of University of Minnesota, has been secured to deliver the commencement address at the graduation exercises of the local high school, to be held early in June. Supt. Bergquist attempted to secure Pres. Coffman last year, but was too late and this time, got in touch with the university head earlier, with the result that he received a letter from Pres. Coffman Wednesday, stating that he would be pleased to deliver the commencement address here.

Come and Gone

Miss Anna Smith returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Brainerd. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Evans of Randall were business visitors in this city Monday.

Rev. A. Goodger, pastor of the Church of Our Saviour, and H. A. Rider went to Duluth Monday evening to attend the annual diocesan meeting of the Episcopal church.

Albert Christensen returned to Brainerd, N. D. Tuesday, after a visit with his brother, Aug. Christensen of this city.

Mrs. J. P. Arendt and children returned to Watkins Tuesday, after a visit with Mrs. Arendt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brick.

Mrs. Arthur Schmidt returned Monday from a visit in Minneapolis. P. J. Vassaly returned Tuesday evening from St. Paul, where he attended a meeting of the Democratic state central committee.

Mrs. Jos. Derosier went to Anoka Wednesday for medical treatment. Miss Phyllis Randall, who has been employed at Fargo, is here visiting her parents.

Flea's Travel on Fleas. A new "flea's flea" with an adventurous life history was described for the first time at a recent meeting of the Royal Microscopical society in London. The discoverer, F. Martin Duncan, F. R. M. S., explained that it started life in the underground nest of the humble bee. These nests are raided by "moles" and during the assault the little mites attach themselves by means of suckers to the mole's parasite, the "great mole flea." These tiny pin points of life are obscure cousins to the scorpion, and it is believed that they travel on the mole flea until they come across a certain underground fungus, where they feed and mature.—Brooklyn Eagle.

J. W. CROSSFIELD SPEAKS AT MOTHERS' CLUB MEET

At the meeting of the Lincoln Benefit Club last Friday afternoon, J. W. Crossfield of this city gave an interesting talk on "The Hazy Ten Rocks: The Cradle Rules the World." He touched on the influence of the mother on the child in school through co-operation with the teacher, the two working in harmony for the development of the child physically, mentally and morally.

He pointed out that it is the duty of the parents and teachers to teach the children what constitutes their rights and privileges and the rights of others. In this connection, he said that the youth of today thinks too much of styles and a good time, than of what he or she is to become in the future. Likewise, he said, there has been a growing tendency in late years toward a lack of respect for older persons by the children, which is to be deplored.

BENEFIT MATINEE FOR POOR AT LOVELL THEATRE

A benefit matinee will be given at the Lovell theatre here tomorrow afternoon by Manager Smoots, the proceeds to go toward the assistance of poor and needy in this city. The funds so collected will be administered through the Woman's Guild.

GUILD'S QUARTERLY MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the Woman's Guild will be held at the K. C. hall Monday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. Mrs. A. H. Schmidt will give a talk on "Bureaucracy."

REDUCTION IN FOREIGN POSTAGE

Changes in foreign postal rates effective the 1st of January, make it possible to send first class mail to Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay at the same rate as for domestic postage, 2 cents per ounce, instead of 5 cents. Newspapers in single-wrappers may now be sent to foreign countries at the domestic rate, 1 cent for each 4 ounces or fraction thereof.

WOULD FORM LIONS CLUB HERE

An effort is being made to organize a Lions club in this city. P. C. Berry of Minneapolis, district governor of Lions club being here the first of the month in connection with same. It requires 25 charter members to organize. Only one person from each line of business, trade or profession can belong to a Lions club.

The Kensington Embroidery club was entertained at the home of Mrs. F. E. Hall yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Frank Griffith and son Clarence returned Tuesday from Lambert, Miss., where they visited Mrs. Griffith's daughter, Mrs. A. R. Kohler.

Mrs. M. Zywialowski entertained at a parcel shower Wednesday evening for Miss Agnes B. Baski, a bride of next week. A dainty lunch was served. Word has been received here of the serious illness of Sister Angelica of Gary, Ind. Sr. Angelica is a sister of Miss Addie Gospodar of Sobieski.

The American Legion and Woman's Auxiliary of this city had a joint meeting Wednesday evening at the club rooms which proved a very pleasant affair. A fine lunch was served by the ladies. Ed. M. LaFond of the Transcript and P. J. Vassaly of the Herald are in Sauk Centre attending the annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Editorial Association, in session yesterday, today and tomorrow.

Members of the Woman's Guild are requested by Mrs. P. S. Randall, president, to make every effort to take advantage of Mr. Smoots' generous offer, Saturday afternoon, and besides going to the movies themselves, to urge their friends and children to attend. Two shows will be given at 2:00 and at 3:30. The picture "In Kentucky," is an excellent one.

USE HERALD WANT ADS

WANTED—Piano, for use in studio. Must be cheap. Will pay cash. J. E. Racicot, over Moeglein Meat Market. 48-50

FOR SALE—About 10 ton good wild hay about 10 to 12 days gone. Frank Zilke, telephone 23-F-310. It.

FOR SALE or trade of some kind—four-year-old Registered Holstein bull, John Fenna Stock Farm, Hill man, Minn. 47-48

WANTED—to Hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 46-57

LOST—Brown fur neck piece near Twelfth street southwest, Swan River road, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Call Mrs. James Gardner, Telephone 17-F-13. 48

Young men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, \$130 monthly, write for free list of positions now open. R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner) 1410 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 46-48

FOR SALE—Farm of 120 acres, 96 acres meadow—15 acres pasture. Eight room house, barn 24x40; machine sheds, garage, chicken house, granary, etc. All in good condition. See low and reasonable terms. Mike Stodolka, route 3, Bowling. 48-51

COMMITTEES WILL HELP WITH COUNTY FAIR WORK

The board of directors of the Morrison County Co-operative Agricultural Society held a meeting last Monday and discussed matters in connection with the next county fair. President Jos. Moeglein was authorized to appoint committees to help with the work of the organization and he has appointed the following committees: SPECIAL BUILDING—Earl Bolander, John Vertin, Val E. Kasparok. FINANCE—J. K. Martin, Austin Koslosky, W. H. Ryan. ATTRACTIONS—Geo. Kiewel, Chas. Sylvester, Geo. F. Moeglein, Sr. GROUND—Chas. Sylvester, Geo. F. Moeglein, Sr., Dave Moran.

ADVERTISING—Sam Hammerbeck, Austin Koslosky, Edw. Fredrickson. PREMIUMS—W. H. Ryan, Geo. Kiewel, J. K. Martin. ATTENDANCE—Sam Hammerbeck, Austin Koslosky, Edw. Fredrickson. JUDGING—Geo. F. Moeglein, Sr., Sam Hammerbeck, Dave Moran. MEMBERSHIP—Victor Beckman, Geo. F. Moeglein, Sr., Sam Hammerbeck.

INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO? Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more, or gross income of \$1,500 or more. Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more, or gross income of \$2,500 or more. WHEN? March 15, 1922, is final date for filing returns and making first payments. WHERE? Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the person lives, or has his principal place of business. HOW? Full directions on Form 1040-A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations. WHAT? Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. Surtax from 1 per cent to 65 per cent on net incomes over \$5,000 for the year 1921.

LITTLE FALLS SCORED PERFECT IN 'PERFECT PACKAGE' CAMPAIGN

Little Falls scored 100 per cent perfect in the "Perfect Package Campaign," held throughout the entire United States in November, according to returns on same received by Aug. Christensen, secretary of the Board of Commerce. Little Falls was in Class "D," cities of 5,000 to 10,000 population, including Albert Lea, Benbid, Grand, Crookston, Little Falls, Owatonna, Red Wing and Stillwater. The lowest average for any city in the entire country, the average was 99.10, a total of 20,239,097 parcels being shipped and 182,830 of this number being defective. This is considered a very good showing and everywhere people are urged to keep up the good record.

HOME DEMONSTRATION MEETINGS

Miss Susan Hough, county home demonstration agent, will go to Pillsbury next Tuesday, Jan. 31, to give a demonstration in shortcuts in sewing. On Thursday, Miss Mary Bull of the university extension division comes here for her monthly lesson on home management. The next lesson will be on budgeting. She will be at the home of Mrs. Eugene Bellville of Ripley, Thursday, Feb. 2, at the home of Mrs. H. A. Hanson of Elm Dale Friday, Feb. 3, and at the home of Mrs. Wm. Edden of Green Prairie Saturday, Feb. 4.

FIRE LOSSES HERE LESS THAN \$13,000 IN 1921

Figures compiled by Fire Chief Batters for 1921 show that the total amount of insurance collected in this city that year for losses by fire totaled \$12,850.60. Of this amount, \$8,435.60 was on buildings and \$4,415.00 on contents.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kingen of this city have received word of the serious illness of their son John of Detroit, Mich. He is suffering with bronchial pneumonia. Effective Wednesday, the office hours at the local station of the Western Union Telegraph Company were changed. They are now from 8 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 6 p. m.

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Mrs. E. P. Nauwerts of Green Prairie

was discharged from St. Gabriel's hospital the first of the week. The Professional Five Hundred club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiewel Tuesday evening. Mrs. Walter Frampton of Brainerd is seriously ill, according to word received here. Mrs. Frampton is well known here.

The trustees of the Morrison County Memorial Association will hold a meeting at the Board of Commerce offices Monday afternoon, Jan. 30, at 3 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Anderson entertained a number of friends at their home Tuesday evening. Games furnished the amusement and a lunch was served.

Melvin Sherman has been confined to his home for some time on account of rheumatism, is able to get around again, although he has not entirely recovered. Invitations have been received by Mayor Berghem and others in this city to attend the seventeenth annual National Rivers and Harbors Congress, in Washington, D. C., on March 1 and 2.

The members of the Sacred Heart choir were entertained at a party in the parochial school hall Wednesday evening. Games and music furnished the amusement and refreshments were served. Henry Molde, who recently moved to Little Falls from Swanville, has purchased the Ernest Belanger residence on First avenue northeast and will take possession the middle of February.

The young people of the Green Prairie Fish Lake school will give a home talent play entitled "Not So Bad After All" in the Darling Potato House Friday night, February 3. Admission 20c and 35c. R. W. Meyers of the Inneson Paper Company of Park Rapids and Mr. Johnson, plant superintendent for that concern, are in the city on business this week in connection with the local pulp mill. Some changes are contemplated before the local mill is opened in the spring.

The stockholders of the Commercial State bank of this city will hold a get-together meeting next Tuesday evening, Jan. 31. A banquet will be served for them at the Sand cafe and following this, they will adjourn to the K. C. hall to spend the remainder of the evening at cards. A crew of over fifty men, working in two shifts, is employed at the Hennepin Paper Company's plant here excavating a channel into the river for the new water wheel to be installed soon. Considerable blasting is being done in connection with the excavating for the so-called tail race, as the river bed there is largely solid slate.

Pillager Herald—The Herald received word Saturday from M. N. Young of Little Falls that his nephew, Harold Jaquith of Creston, S. D., had met with an accident, and died on January 5th as a result. Mr. Jaquith is well known to most of our readers, having lived on a farm west of Pillager for several years. At one time he was an agricultural teacher in the Pillager schools, and also at Pine River and Backus when they were a part of this district. He was always prominent in church work, in the community and was very popular with all who knew him.

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