

HALLAM FORCES WERE DEFEATED

UNINSTRUCTED DELEGATION, BUT LOOKS VERY MUCH KELLOGG
Kellogg forces won out at the republican county convention held last Saturday, when they elected E. A. Kling temporary chairman over Samuel Hammerbeck by a vote of 25 to 14. The cleavage was easily discernible, those from the city and villages being practically all for Kellogg and the rural districts. There were about forty delegates present. While the Kellogg adherents would likely have won out even if all delegates from the villages, the contest would have been much closer. Chas. Jensen was made temporary secretary.

H. A. Rider, was selected as chairman of the committee and Chas. Jensen secretary.
Congressman Knutson was endorsed, but the resolutions were silent as to the state and national administrations. The state delegation has very much of a Kellogg color. Some of the Hallam supporters were put on the congressional delegation to St. Cloud. Resolutions passed are as follows:—

POTATO GROWING — DON'T PLUNGE, RAYS McCALL
Urging farmers to grow into the potato producing business and not to plunge into it, T. M. McCall, horticulturist at the Northwest Experiment station at Crookston, declares many farmers, especially in the Red River valley, are planning to go into potatoes extensively this season. Advising concentration on fewer acres with resulting higher yields, Mr. McCall asserts that the man who will make money this year is the man who produces efficiently.

The acreage to be planted should depend on the type of soil and facilities with which the man has to work, Mr. McCall says. He advocates the use of the best available land put in the best possible condition; use of high quality seed; treatment of seed, which produces larger yields and stock of better quality; the use of a high pressure spray outfit capable of maintaining a pressure of at least 150 pounds; planting of the potato seed four inches below the surface of the ground, and giving the necessary time and attention to cultural practices.

ORGAN RECITAL BY RADIO
The press and publicity department of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs of which Mrs. C. A. Weyerhaeuser is a member, has made arrangements for a recital by Chandler Goldwaith, municipal organist in St. Paul, tomorrow, same to be broadcasted by radio throughout the state. The recital will be especially for children and 3,000 children are expected to attend it at the Paul auditorium.

Messrs. A. V. Taylor and Geo. Stevens of this city have a radio receiving station at Mr. Taylor's home and they will be able to enjoy this treat.

The 64th Annual Convention of the Minnesota Sales Association will be held at Brainerd, October 19-22.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens are in Minneapolis. Mrs. Stevens underwent an operation at St. Mary's hospital there Saturday.

Word was received here the first of the week of the death of Mrs. Julia Fishback at the old soldiers' home in Minneapolis. Mrs. Fishback formerly resided here.

E. B. Bergquist, city superintendent of schools, was back at his office Monday after being confined to his home two weeks on account of the grippe and rheumatism.

J. W. Featherston of Staples has been appointed postmaster there, succeeding Joseph Wolfe, who was removed recently. Mr. Featherston was until last fall the publisher of the Staples World.

Figures compiled by O. I. Berlie, principal of the local high school, show an increase in the high school enrollment of 256 since 1908. The enrollment that year was 159 and this year it is 415. The increase of this year over last is 46.

C. W. Kemp, judge of probate, received notice from the state hospital at Fergus Falls Saturday of the death of Sherman Miller in that institution on Thursday of last week. Mr. Miller was committed to the institution from this county April 7, 1921.

SCHOOL REPORTS
District No. 134 for month ending March 10: Number days taught, 18; enrollment, 29. Those neither absent nor tardy: Hugo, Joseph and Kathryn Kahlhammer, Leona and Lucille Hartman, Elizabeth, Mary and Laura Leeb, Alma Girtz, Albertine Schommer, Carolyn and Evelyn Schmitt.

MARY E. MEYERS, Teacher.
District No. 87 for the month ending March 10: Number days taught, 20; number enrolled, 48; average daily attendance, 20. Those neither absent nor tardy for the month: John and Alice Litke. Those absent three days or less: Julia Brisk, Anthony and Albert Dombovy, Frank Lepinski, Addie and Florence Maleski, Helen and Com Puchalla, Theodore, Stanley and Leo Krych, Eulalia, Elsie and Clarence Hayek, came up Saturday.

Forest Cary of St. Cloud was a business visitor in this city Saturday.

RED WING QUART COFFED STATE

Red Wing high school's basketball team came out victorious in the state tournament held at Northfield last week, defeating Madison high in the finals by a score of 34 to 27. The final game was a hard battle, with Madison leading by a score of 23 to 21 at the end of the third quarter. Wadena high got into the semi-finals by defeating Stillwater 24 to 15, but losing to Madison in the semi-finals 35 to 34 in an extra-period game. The Madison team was the one which eliminated Little Falls high in the first round by a score of 28 to 15.

MOTHER OF LOCAL WOMAN DEAD

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Carlson and son Howard of this city and John Aiton of Brainerd went to Alexandria Saturday for the funeral of Mrs. Carlson's mother, Mrs. T. B. Aiton. Mrs. Aiton died Friday at the home of a daughter at Wolfred, N. D., where she had gone with the hope of regaining her health. She had been failing for over a year. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Mr. Carlson returning that evening. Mrs. Carlson and son remained for a longer visit.

RUNAWAY BOYS CAUGHT HERE

H. Friesinger, special agent for the N. P. here, last Friday night caught three boys, Lloyd Rogers, Leonard Linden and William Haefner, who had run away from the state school at Owatonna and were beating their way on a freight train. They were placed in the county jail and the school authorities notified, officials coming up after them.

Come and Gone

Friends here have received word of the death in Minneapolis of Mrs. Charles Bernhardt. Death occurred on Wednesday of last week. The Bernhardt family resided here a number of years ago and were well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bartow returned

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bartow returned the first of the week from the twin cities, where they visited friends and attended the grand opera. Lawrence Doucette, who has been employed at the Clute barber shop, went to Duluth Monday to take a position.

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INJURED TREES NEED ATTENTION

REPAIR NOW SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES INJURED BY SLEET STORM

The extensive injury and destruction of trees of all kinds during the recent ice storm has brought many inquiries to the United States Department of Agriculture regarding the proper methods to be followed in repairing the damage done. The following suggestions are made by the department. The first thing that should be done is to remove such large broken branches as are now, or may become, a menace to life and property; this is usually best done by cutting at the point where broken. Attention should then be given to injuries on the main trunk. If limbs have been split, or partially split, from the main trunk, all splintered wood about the wound should be removed with a sharp gouge and mallet, if not so situated that it can be sawed off. The scar should be smoothed in the manner indicated in Farmers' Bulletin 1178, Tree Surgery and treated as an open cavity, or as large surface wound, as the case may necessitate.

Attention should next be given to repairing the injuries on the larger branches in a similar manner, and last of all to the smaller branches. Sometimes when a limb is broken away, the tree is so weakened at the point of breakage that it may again break in a severe wind, and to obviate this, the top must be pruned back more or less severely. In case of split crotches, the advice given in Farmers' Bulletin 1178 should be followed regarding the general treatment, including bolting through and above the crack.

It is fortunate that the ice storm did not come even later than it did, for decay-producing germs grow but slowly during cold weather; consequently there is a longer period in which repair work can be done before warm weather arrives.

It is not necessary to fill cavities. It is better in most cases to leave them open. All final cuts should be immediately covered with some good antiseptic and waterproof paint. It will not be necessary to specially treat the ends of long stubs that are to be removed close to the trunk later in the season.

In no part of repair work should climbing spurs be used on a tree. Spur marks cause injuries through which it is possible for diseases and decay germs to enter and cause damage, in some cases more severe than would have developed from the original simple break. For details of treatment of all scars and wounds send for a copy of Farmers' Bulletin 1178, which can be obtained from the Division of Publication, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Remember that prevention is better than cure. The open wound of to-day becomes the decayed spot of next year and the deep rotten cavity of 10 years from now. It is better to spend a few days or dollars in careful repair work now than hundreds of dollars for extensive tree surgery in 1930.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY OBSERVED HERE

The St. Patrick's Day program given at the K. C. hall Friday evening by the Woman's Guild was well attended and proved a delightful affair. Little Claire Fortier gave a recitation that was thoroughly enjoyed, and Roy Sugrue, the youngest soloist in Little Falls, sang two old favorite songs in his usual pleasing manner.

I. W. Bates gave an interesting and amusing talk on Ireland and Irish women. Mrs. N. D. Woodworth, soprano, sang a group of Irish songs, and Miss Ramona Randall played an Irish piano selection. Music was furnished throughout the evening by Blake's orchestra.

Rev. O'Driscoll of Randall was the speaker of the evening. He spoke on the trend of democracy from the time of the Roman Empire, and in this connection commented on the loyalty of Ireland to the lawful authority, but had never recognized Great Britain as her superior.

Before the program, a fine supper was served by the ladies.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN

Don't plant seed too deep. Watch the ventilating and watering of the hotbeds closely these days. Most early flowering annuals and early perennials that were not planted early may be sown now.

Petunias, asters, snapdragons, forget-me-nots, etc., should be sown now. Be sure all cuts made in pruning trees or shrubs are clean, smooth cuts. They will heal easier. Bird houses should be made and put up this month.

Sow parsley in a box or pot for transplanting outside when the weather permits. If peonies or rhubarb are set out in the spring, the work must be done just as early as it is possible to work the soil, as both start into growth early. Be sure that you have good strains of lettuce, onions, or cabbage, if you want the best yields at harvest time.

Golden Self Blanching celery may be sown now. Sow in fine loamy soil and where slightly covered, the seed. Among the best annuals for cut flowers, are nasturtium, gallardia, aster, calliopsis, cosmos, nigella, scabiosa, port marigold and cornflower. Order seeds now and be ready to plant them either in the house or cold frame.

—LeRoy Cady, associate horticulturist, University Farm, St. Paul.

EVEN SMALL GARDEN WILL OFFER BIG DIVIDENDS

It is possible to make the garden pay big dividends for the amount of labor put upon it if that labor is well directed. A space 50x100 feet will, if properly planned and worked, give a supply of practically all vegetables, except potatoes, and a few other coarse vegetables, for a family of four the whole year. It must be rich soil, well cultivated, and a plan followed that will use the space all the growing season. With the probable high prices of vegetables, for a family of four the city and town to encourage the planting and care of vacant lots and small plots of ground.—LeRoy Cady, associate horticulturist, University Farm.

Mrs. Eliza Battles went to Baekus Monday to visit her son, J. L. Battles.

Sheriff Felix last Saturday released the mortgaged property of Edgar E. Crosby of Royalton on federal orders, bankruptcy proceedings having been instituted.

Oscar Johnson of Cornell, Wis., has taken a position at the Hennepin penitentiary here. The family will come here and they will occupy the residence at 32 First avenue southeast.

STATE WOOL POOL FOR 1922 PLANNED

MARKETING COMMITTEE URGES PERMANENT ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ADVANCES ON CLIPS

St. Paul, March 23.—Minnesota wool men should market their 1922 clip through a state pool to get the best prices, in the opinion of committeemen who met here at the call of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation to work out plans for a state wool growers' association. The committee was organized following a conference of wool producers early this month.

County wool growers' associations should select the agency which they desire to market their wool, the committee declared in formal recommendations, to be presented to the executive board of the federation here on March 29. The recommendations urge the organization of county wool producers' associations in all wool producing counties and the strengthening of all existing county wool associations.

Any selling agency selected to market Minnesota wool, the committee recommended, must be required to provide bonded warehouses, operate on a co-operative commission basis, arrange for substantial cash advances on wool as soon as it enters the pool, and furnish the individual grower complete information as to grade, quantity, and condition as soon as his wool is graded, and then keep him in touch with the activities of the pool. Organization of a permanent statewide wool growers' association in the fall of 1922, and eventual establishment of one big national pool also was recommended.

The Violet card club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Olson Thursday evening of last week. Little Edward Shaw entertained six friends at his home Friday afternoon, his third birthday anniversary. The children played games and dainty refreshments were served.

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The Hole in Your Pocket

Are you troubled by having your money "burn a hole" in your pocket? That is a common fault of money. If you have your money in the bank, whether it be much or little, it will not burn any holes and it will be there when you need it.

Money carried on the person is a temptation to spending. Money in the bank does not offer this temptation. You may hesitate before writing a check where you would not hesitate to spend if you had the money with you.

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Stylish Spring Dresses Latest Authoritative Models

THERE is an air of refinement to the new Dresses for Spring we now have on display which add materially to their winsomeness. The crisp rustling Taffetas and charming, Canton Crepes are deservedly popular at

\$19.75 to \$34.75

The Spring models chiefly feature the fashionable new effects in neck lines, sleeves, trimmings; and the combinations of colors are particularly bewitching. The styles are refreshingly different, while the values are unmistakably of a kind that will quickly instill confidence.

All Late New York Styles

Chic Coats for Spring Smart, Serviceable Fabrics

VELOURS, Polaire Cloth, Chinchillas and Bolivias in the newest sport effects as well as for street wear. In tans and the colorful sport shades. The fashionable materials make these new Spring Coats highly desirable at

\$16.75 to \$24.75

They have belted or loose back; some trimmed with straps, stitching or buttons, new pocket effects, etc. Either lined through, half lined or unlined. Lengths 36 to 45 inches. The high character of workmanship in these Coats make them particularly attractive and serviceable.

All Late New York Styles

Women's Fine Silk Hose Wonderful Values

WOMEN'S extra fine Silk Hose with 19-inch silk boot and mercerized top; made of twelve strand pure thread silk with four-thread heels and toes. We ask you to compare these hose with those sold elsewhere for a price so low.

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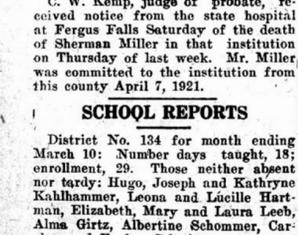
This extra heavy pure thread silk Hose for women has a 21-inch boot and fine mercerized lisle top, made of 15 strand pure thread silk with four-thread heels and toes. This hose has the weight and is an exceptional value at

\$1.49

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It's the flavor and crispness that make Kellogg's Corn Flakes so joyously delicious

You'll wish the bowl at your table-seat was about twice as big when it's "Kellogg's for the feast!" Great big, sunny-brown corn flakes—all oven-crisp and crunchy—crowding each other to spread you real and true joy! You never tasted such flavor!

Pour in some fresh, cold milk—or cream—and—start in! Well, it'll seem you can't get going speedy enough to suit your appetite! Was there ever such a keen appetite maker; such happy, health-making food!

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