

POLITENESS CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED

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polite thing to do, so she too lost her chance for the prize.

Politest Girl

But you are interested in the girl who is to get the dollar. This girl is polite not only at school and church but in the home and on the street. One day this little girl said to another girl, "It's nice to be polite and get the prize but it is nicer to be polite and not get the dollar." This girl knew the real meaning of politeness. She was polite for the sake of being polite and not for the honor or award that would come of it. She was polite because it was the right thing to do. So after very careful watching I have decided that this is the most polite girl that I can find. Her name is Kathryn Farrell. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Farrell, who reside at 709 Ross Ave.

The politeness detective in the boys' contest made the following report:

The first boy that attracted my attention after this contest started was John. You had just finished announcing this contest and given out a hymn when John politely handed a hymn book to his Sunday school teacher and in so doing scored one point on this contest. But since that time I have seen several other boys do the same thing and the John seems to be a pretty well behaved boy, he didn't score above the average of such boys.

Speaks to All Boys

I made a practice of speaking to every boy that I met on the street and most of them were polite in returning my salutation.

There was one boy that lives on the corner who said, "Good morning," in such a bright optimistic way that I thought it would be worth while looking him up a little more. So I called at his home one evening. He spoke to me again very cordially and appeared to be polite without being sissy. As I went away, he started out too and when I asked him if he was going to walk to the depot with me he said, "No, I'm going out to play. The policeman got after me once and ran me home but he can't catch me and I'm going out on the street again."

Then I thought, "It isn't polite to break the curfew law. The most polite boy in this town will surely obey the laws of the town." Then I went on my way but the boy that lives on the corner had lost the politeness prize.

Met Country Boy

Next I met Roy. Roy is a country boy and he came to town to take part in a spelling contest. A fellow never can tell what may happen to him when he gets his lessons well at school. He may get into a spelling contest or a declamation contest or something else that will take him away from home among strangers and some of those strangers may have their weather eyes open for a boy with unusual qualities. The prize may not always be a dollar but many a boy has captured a valuable prize or found a valuable opportunity when away from home in this way by true politeness.

"What was the word, if you please?" asked Roy, when the Superintendent had pronounced a word for the class which he failed to understand.

The superintendent pronounced the word again.

"Thank you," said Roy. Roy was scoring high but I didn't see him any more after that day. But I am going to see him again some day and see if he is just as polite when the teacher isn't looking.

Freckled Face Boy

"Pass the bread, please," said the freckle faced boy one day as he sat at dinner.

"Are you two boys in the same room at school?" asked the stranger.

"Oh, hu," said the freckled faced boy, and he lost his chance for the politeness prize.

One Sunday I came to church late and sat down in a back seat beside a boy. Pretty soon a little girl came in and there seemed to be no seat for her. The boy immediately got up and took his coat off his seat and offered the seat to the girl. Then when she was seated, he went off and found a seat for himself. I asked the girl if the boy was her brother. She said that he was not, that his name was Gerald Jensen. After the service I talked with Gerald. He told me he lived at 811 River Ave.

I don't know whether I have found the most polite boy in Warren or not but according to the score that I have kept on the boys I have met, I will have to vote the politeness prize to Gerald Jensen of 811 River Avenue. Gerald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Jensen.

Generous Response To Clothing Appeal

As the result of the appeal made by the Marshall county Red Cross for clothing to be distributed to the needy in the county, four W. C. T. U. workers were busy Monday aiding Miss Loretto C. Newman, executive secretary of the Marshall county Red Cross, in sorting and packing cloths at her office in the court house to be sent out to various parts of the county.

Miss Newman wishes to express her thanks to those in all parts of the county, who so generously responded to the call for clothing. She has been very much impressed with the cleanliness and practicability of the articles received. A large amount of clothing has been received and is being distributed to the needy ones in the county. Many appeals for clothing have been made and the clothes are sorted out to be sent to fill the needs of those who have applied for assistance and other deserving ones.

A large amount of the clothing is being sent to children who, in many cases, have been forced to remain home from school because of inadequate clothing to wear. Many things are also being sent out for adults and infants. Those who aided in the packing and sorting of the clothing Monday were Mrs. J. P. Trotter, Mrs. Hans Mitgard, Mrs. A. B. Nelson and Mrs. John Anderson.

Scratch pads for sale at the Sheet office.

Progress Is Made At Oakland Park

Commendable progress during the past year was brought out at the annual meeting of the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission held last week at Thief River Falls. Red Lake county has been added to the sanatorium district during the year and many improvements were made, among them being the erection of a pavilion, root cellar and poultry house, additions to fuel bins and smoke stack, sewerage improvements and various other improvements, including the purchase of a Ford coupe for the use of the sanatorium personnel.

According to the report, the net cost of maintenance for the past year was \$24,804.69, the daily per capita cost was \$2.82, the net cost per capita to the counties \$1.85, the daily per capita cost for free patients \$2.10, and the daily per capita cost for paying patients \$1.82.

Dr. O. F. Melby was elected president for the ensuing year and P. O. Myhrum, secretary. Miss Karen Knutson remains as superintendent of the institution and Dr. M. G. Milan is continued as medical director. The sanatorium commission now comprises representation from the following four counties: Marshall, Roseau, Red Lake and Pennington. The personnel of the commission is: Dr. O. F. Melby and P. O. Myhrum of Pennington county, Donald Robertson and E. P. Modin of Marshall county, G. L. Brandt and Louis Enstrom of Roseau county, Dr. N. M. Wattson and Ole E. Lee of Red Lake county.

EXAMINATIONS FOR ALVARADO POSTMASTER ARE ANNOUNCED.

An open competitive examination to fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster at Alvarado will be held at Warren March 16, 1921, according to an announcement of the United States Civil Service Commission, at the request of the Postmaster General. The office has an annual compensation of \$1,300, according to the announcement.

To be eligible for the examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside within the delivery of the post office in which the vacancy exists, must have so resided for at least two years next preceding the date the present vacancy occurred, must be in good physical condition, and must not be less than 21 nor more than 65 years of age.

Competitors will be examined in the subjects of arithmetic and accounts, with a weight of 30 per cent; penmanship, 10 per cent; letter writing, 25 per cent; and business training and experience, 35 per cent. The subject of business training and experience will be rated on the applicant's sworn statements in his application, supplemented by careful inquiry by the Civil Service Commission.

NATIVE OF MADAGASCAR TO SPEAK SUNDAY NIGHT.

Sunday evening at Our Savior's Lutheran church Rev. Eugene A. Rateaver, missionary-professor from the far off country of Madagascar, will occupy the pulpit. Rev. Rateaver is a unique character and a fine example of the influence of the Gospel and education upon the dark race. He was born in 1884 in Vangaindrano, Farafangana, Madagascar, his father a Frenchman, his mother a native of Madagascar.

The child early showed marked ability and one of the missionaries of the Lutheran church of Madagascar, Rev. G. N. Isolany, saw in the boy the possibility of a future servant of The Kingdom among his native people. Thus it came about that the young Rateaver, after having attended the various elementary schools of the church in Madagascar, was in 1901 brought to this country by Rev. Isolany and enrolled as a student in St. Olaf Academy.

After finishing the academy he entered St. Olaf College from which he was graduated with the class of 1908. While at St. Olaf he distinguished himself especially along linguistic, literary and musical lines. Among other things he played cornet in the famous St. Olaf college band.

In the fall of 1908 he enrolled at Luther Theological Seminary. While a student there he also took post-graduate work at the University of Minnesota from which institution he received the degree of Master of Arts at the same time that he was graduated from the Theological Seminary. He was thereupon ordained by the church to the sacred office of the Ministry and left immediately for his native country where he has since been a missionary teacher in the Lutheran schools of that place. He speaks at least five languages: his native tongue of Madagascar, French, German, Norse and English. At present he is in this country to present to our people the needs as well as the blessings of Gospel work among his people.

The services will begin at 7:30. An offering will be received for the treasury of foreign missions.

PLAN MOTOR EXPRESS ROUTE.

Plans are under way for the establishment of a motor truck express line between Warren and other towns in this district and Grand Forks. As yet only a tentative route has been laid out which includes Warren. The business would only be conducted during the summer months until roads permitting winter traffic are built. Thief River Falls is enthusiastic about the project, according to word from that city.

CALENDAR CHANGE PROPOSED.

A 13 month calendar is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Thomas D. Schall of Minneapolis. The bill provides that after the first day of January, 1922, the time calendar in use in the United States shall be changed in accordance with the terms of the bill. A new month would be added to the present calendar between the months of February and March and known as "Liberty" month.

According to the proposed calendar, every month would commence with Monday and every day in the month would have an absolutely fixed place in the week. The Fourth of July, Armistice day, Thanksgiving and Christmas would always come on Thursday.

EIGHTH GRADE BASKET SHOOTERS LOSE TO ARGYLE.

Warren eighth grade basket shooters traveled to Argyle last Saturday afternoon and were defeated by the eighth grade team of that place by a 4 to 3 count. Friday night a return game will be played as a preliminary to the high school game here. Melvin Anderson, Ralph Ryden, Raymond Peterson, Clarence Boardson, Leonard Larson and Kenneth Halvorson composed the Warren team. The Argyle players were: Parent, Bedard, Morean, Darcy, Roseau and Laurin.

BUYS SHORTHORN BULL HERE

While here this week for the purpose of selecting the sows for a boys club work project, T. E. Richardson, of Clearbrook, visited the M. L. Warner farm northeast of town where he saw "Mr. White" the Shorthorn herd bull owned by Mr. Warner and Mr. Monroe. He immediately decided that this animal was the one he wanted to head his herd and at once began negotiations for its purchase. The sale was made and the ownership of the animal transferred to Mr. Richardson. Breeders are learning that

Marshall county is the headquarters for high class pure bred live stock and come here to buy the animals they want.

POOL ROOM IS SOLD.

E. C. Harper, former manager of the Standard Oil properties here, took over the pool room at 337 Johnson ave., last Thursday evening after having purchased the business from Fred W. Fiemann, who will take up the barber trade at Euclid, Minn. Mr. Harper expects to make some minor changes and do some renovating of the pool hall in the near future. He intends to run a

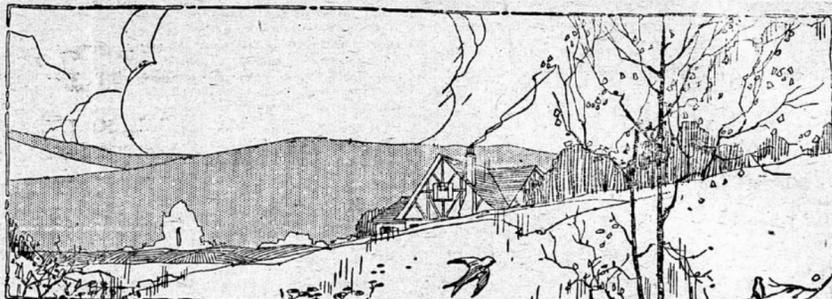
strictly first class pool hall and will maintain a high standard of business assuring all patrons every courtesy.

CHAMP CLARK SERIOUSLY ILL.

Little hope is held out for the recovery of Representative Champ Clark, Democratic House leader and former speaker, who is ill with pleurisy and a complication of other diseases.

FARM WORK BEGINS.

Discing and dragging of fields has already been gotten under way near Clifton, Minn., according to word received from there. Big Stone lake near there, is open in many places.



Georgette Blouses

Sheer, lovely Georgette Blouses, artistically trimmed and fashioned, play a big part in "Milady's" spring wardrobe. Variety abounds in the styles—laces and tuckings beautifying the charming models. Sleeves are long or short and neck outlines are pretty.

Saucy Separate Skirts at \$5.00 to \$18.50 instead of \$10.00 to \$25.00

Never before have they been so independent. Separate skirts this year have a way about them quite their own. Pert checks in gay splashes, demure little stripes, and a lot of plain materials in various weights vie for attention. Lengths, too, "aim to please", from the short French skirt to ankle length.

Saturday Loss Leader Basement Department

8 doz. (96)
12 qt. Galvanized Pails will be put on sale at 3 p. m. sharp
Saturday, March 5th
at the special Loss Leader price of

27^c. each

Only one pail to a customer—No phone orders accepted—Positively no pails sold before time set for the sale—Strictly cash and carry.

NOTE—This pail is a standard shape made with a wire bail and electric welded ears and is a full 12-qt. capacity.

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