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Lutheran Church Notes

DAKOTA CITY-SALEM
REV. C. R. LOWE.

This is a strenuous time, we have never seen any thing like it, neither did our fathers. It is a call here and a call yonder, our mail contains appeals every little while. Men give to the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the K. C., Belgians, Armenians, and what not. The women are busy with Red Cross work. This is as it should be. We have to do it for it is to be done, and our government calls us to it. It is our bit in settling this world's fuss in our own advantage. And it will not be settled right till it is settled so.

But we should not forget that God reigns. All our labor will not win this war if God is against it. He has and still can make the nations believe a lie. When Napoleon was overrunning Europe and seemed to have the advantage over the English and Germans then allied against France, and when his confidence was in his superior munitions, and when he said "God is on the side of the heaviest artillery," God used but a cloud, unseasonable for the general to overthrow his ambitions just coming into fruition and cast him shortly on St. Helena. God is on the side of the righteous, and the nation that exalts him will exalt. This is his word and promise. How many a time he punished Israel because they trusted in horses and chariots rather than call upon him. We cannot forget God and still be righteous. The thing to do is to remember that God reigns and we are to be submissive to him, that we are to serve him first of all. His service does not detract from the service of the country. His service is that we love him and demonstrate it in our contact with our fellows.

It is a saying frequently heard in our midst that "I am so busy with the Red Cross work that I don't have time for much church work." And the church work suffers thereby. We cannot let the church work suffer. The Red Cross work is an additional labor we are wanting to do. The church is the saving institution of the world. It was God's eternal purpose to reveal this saying to the people through the church. If this war is in any manner a means of bringing the people to the knowledge of God, and if humility before God is an attitude before which he can remove the scourge of war from a people. The neglect of the church, its labor, and its worship is the last thing to do. Remember the work of the church.

The Salem Ladies' Aid meet this week Thursday with Mrs. Chas. Sierk. You are invited.

We had a fine time out to the practice last Friday night, and the young folks declare the music is good and that they like it.

M. E. Church Notes.

F. J. AUcock, Pastor.

It was a great pleasure to many of our members to see Rev. D. M. McGregor here again last Sunday. On turning up the records we find that it is twenty-eight years since he first came here, and twenty-five since he left. Yet judging by the way he was shaking hands there are still many who remember him as their pastor. The cause he came to represent was the care of the old retired preacher. I think we all agreed that he presented it very ably. Associated with him was the Hon. H. P. Shumway, of Wakefield, who also spoke upon the same subject. The canvas for the cause was undertaken Tuesday and to date we can report that Dakota City has raised \$645.00. Next week we will have an envelope collection for the sake of those who can only give small gifts but who wish to take their share of the responsibility.

Next Sunday the services will be held at the usual hours, when the pastor will preach.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Friday afternoon of this week with Mrs. C. N. Derry. It is hoped that all members will make an effort to attend as there is much work to do.

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Local Items

Miss Mary Robertson was a visitor in Lincoln the past week.

Edford Lothrop was up from Homer over Sunday visiting friends.

There will be a regular Masonic lodge meeting Saturday evening of this week.

Mrs. J. C. McCormick left the first of the week for a visit with her daughters at St. Joseph, Mo.

Kide Ream came over from Westfield, Iowa, Saturday and spent a couple of days with his home folks.

Charley Niebuhr has moved into the old Naffziger house from the Easton house in the north part of town.

W. L. Ross has been confined to his home the past week with heart trouble, but is somewhat better at this writing.

Miss Mary Maxwell returned home Monday from a month's visit at Washington, D. C., and points in Massachusetts.

Miss Effie Z. Engelen, deputy county clerk, returned last Friday from a few weeks' visit at Kadoka, S. D., where she owns a claim.

The W. H. & F. M. society of the Lutheran church will hold a public Thankoffering service in the church Thanksgiving night. Everybody invited.

Webb Howard was in Winnebago and other points south of here this week selling potatoes. Wilfred Barnett assisted as motorman on the street car during his absence.

Frank M. Sides sends the Herald a birds-eye view of camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., where Frank is now located with the Masonic Ambulance corps of San Francisco. There are 47,000 men stationed there at present.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid society, assisted by the Missionary ladies, will serve oysters, pumpkin pie and coffee at 35c per plate, on Wednesday evening, December 5th, at 6 p. m. in the old Eagle office building. All are cordially invited.

Announcement of the arrival of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hileman of Caroline, Alberta, Canada, on the 30th of October, was received here the past week by Mrs. Sarah Hileman. Walter now has four children—two girls and two boys.

Rev. F. J. Aucock, M. E. pastor, performed two weddings last week, the contracting parties being Eldon S. Erierson and Margaret Hodaway, both of Hawarden, Iowa, on Thursday, and Mervyn E. Stowell and Florence Soutz, both of Sioux City on Saturday.

Robert Cheney and his brother-in-law, Ed Spurling, of Hardinggrove, S. D., were here last week visiting at the Walter Cheney home. They brought down a shipment of fat cattle which was sold at the Sioux City yards. Mr. Cheney took back a shipment of bulls which he purchased in Cuming county to put with his range cattle.

A joint meeting was held in the Meridian school house Monday evening by the Dakota County Farmers' association and the Farmers' Union to talk over the matter of hog vaccination, which in some states has been turned over to the veterinary organizations. Resolutions were passed, and Theodore McGlashan was named to represent the local organizations at a meeting of the different farmers organizations at Omaha Friday of this week.

Fred Bargman, ex-saloon keeper and proprietor of a pool hall in this place, was taken to Winnebago Tuesday by Deputy U. S. Marshal Morgan of South Sioux City and given a hearing before U. S. Commissioner W. E. Whitcomb, on a charge of sedition. It is alleged that Bargman had hampered enlistments and had made seditious utterances in presence of drafted men. He was bound over to the federal grand jury, and gave bonds in the sum of \$2,500. R. E. Evans of this place looked after the prosecution, while J. J. McAllister, also of Dakota City, defended Bargman.

The Herald editor accompanied Geo. E. Heikes on a drive Sunday to the Chester Heikes farm near Obert, Neb. The crops on the river bottom where Mr. Heikes is located were fine this season, especially the corn, which is yielding around seventy-five bushels to the acre. Mr. Heikes last week purchased a farm of 200 acres a few miles west of Obert at a farm auction, paying a trifle over a \$100 per acre, and will take possession in the spring. He now has a bunch of sixty-five steers in his feed lots, and a fine drove of hogs following them that will count up into money when marketed.

Eyes Tested and Glasses Fitted at G. F. Broyhill's

The Herald—1 year, \$1.25.
MID-WEST STATE Bank. "Let's double deposits."

Charley Derry spent the past week here with home folks.

H. R. Greer is this week moving into the Ayres residence.

Rev. F. J. Aucock and little daughter were Morningside visitors on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Woodward returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Homer.

Tom Ream has been at Sholes, Neb., a couple of weeks, visiting his brother John N. Ream.

S. A. Stinson has been called to serve as a petit juror in the federal court at Omaha December 3rd.

We sell the "Gripwell" automobile tires. See samples and get prices at Slaughter-Burke Grain Co. elevator, Dakota City, Neb.

A card from Mrs. Paul Kinkel, who is in San Francisco states that she entertained the Dakota City soldier boys Friday evening, and that they were all getting along fine. She expects to return home some time the coming week.

Judge R. E. Evans received a communication from the superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Yankton, S. D., Wednesday that Mell C. Beck, a former attorney of this place had died at that institution July 4, 1916. Mr. Beck was sent to the asylum from Dallas, S. D.

County Judge McKinley officiated at the following weddings, during the past week: James McNulty and Alta Roan, both of Sioux City on the 19th. Ira M. Cook and Nettie Thompson both of Obert, Neb.; Evans Larson and Esther Carlberg, and Oscar Carlberg and Margaret Larsen of Galva, Iowa; and Hary F. Noble and Lena Hacker, both of Sioux City on the 20th.

A horse belonging to Ed Tunnicliffe of South Sioux City, which was being used by the Howard boys here, fell into the well back of the old hotel building last Friday. Mrs. Howard was watering the horse when the well curbing suddenly gave way and the horse slid into the well. Efforts to pull the animal out with block and tackle, were fruitless and it had to be shot. The next day the well was enlarged and the animal hauled out.

County Agent's Field Notes

BY C. R. YOUNG.

Four Home Economic demonstrations were held last week at Dakota City, Hubbard, Jackson and Homer with a total of 223 in attendance. Miss Anna Steckelberg, from the state department conducted the work. The demonstrations were held in the interest of the woman county demonstrator movement which is meeting with enthusiasm over the greater part of the county. Twenty-one women are now soliciting on the membership campaign. We only need 300 signers at \$2.00 each to secure a woman for the county—surely it will be worth that much to any woman. By a special request a demonstration will be held in Goodwin, Friday, November 23, at 2:00 p. m. It is hoped that as many as can will attend this meeting.

The county agent while in quest for old corn suitable for seed, found about 800 bushels being held for that purpose by Albert Roost and 250 bushels by Fred Wagner. Both of these men have good corn. Besides repeated calls within the county for seed corn, some from central Iowa are already coming to our desk.

Just now many are concerned on the relative values of old, well matured and new soft corn both with a view to feeding and buying and selling. Because of the fact that soft corn years are periodical, but little experimental data is available. Work with hogs at the Iowa Experiment Station with new corn containing 25% moisture shows that there were required 495 pounds of new corn and 46 pounds of tankage to produce 100 pounds of pork, while with the old corn containing 14% moisture, 432 pounds of corn and 34 pounds of tankage were required. Hence it required 14.6 per cent more corn and 34 pounds tankage were required. Hence it required 14.6 per cent more corn and 35 per cent more tankage per 100 pounds gain. With a higher water content the difference will of course be greater.

Cattle feeding at the Iowa Station in 1902 in which new corn containing 35% moisture was compared with old corn on two-year-old steers. The data obtained would indicate that the soft corn containing 35% moisture at the beginning of the test, pound for pound on the dry basis, was fully equal to the feeding value of matured corn. The cattle fed on soft corn made nearly as heavy gains and finished equally as well as cattle fed on old corn. For cattle feeding the amount of moisture present was the main difference so far as composition was concerned. When fed to cattle it was found that hogs following made smaller gains after the soft corn—because of the steers being able to make better use of their grain.

Whether fed to cattle, hogs, or sheep, unless fed in self-feeders, it will be found that larger gains can be made if the feeding is done at least three or four times daily.

Knights of Columbus

War Fund

To the people of Dakota City and vicinity:

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Both the Y. M. C. A. and K. of C. furnish recreation centers for all regardless of creed. The religious needs of non-catholics in the camps are supplied by the Y. M. C. A.; those of catholics, comprising about forty per cent of the men in the service, by the K. of C.

The buildings will be open to all at all times; no private meetings, no society affairs behind closed doors.

They are for all the soldiers all the time. The Knights of Columbus must render this help over seas as well as at home, and in addition, Pope Benedict has asked them to help support the American Red Cross in special work.

The general administration of this fund will be under the clerical staff of the Knights of Columbus and not charged against the fund. No paid agents, no commissions.

Books will be open at all times for inspection, and a complete public account rendered of all receipts and expenditures.

Will you help us help our soldiers here overseas?

This movement is endorsed by: Hon. Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States.

Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, ex-president of the United States.

Hon. William Howard Taft, ex-president of the United States.

Hon. Newton D. Baker, secretary of war.

Hon. Raymond B. Fosdick, chairman war department committee of training camp.

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R. E. Evans, J. A. Sides and C. H. Maxwell, Dakota City.

W. H. Ryan, Thos. Ashford and Geo. Ashford.

SCHOOL NOTES.

By Clarence Linton.

Among those absent from the primary department last week were: Glenn Waddell, Gladys Sierk, Norman Ream, and Ruth Hall.

Owing to sickness Harold Joyce was absent from school Monday.

The first and second grades are working hard to finish their food books this week.

Haven and Homer Hanson returned to school Monday.

John Blackburn entered the fifth grade Monday.

Claude Perry entered the eighth grade Monday.

Ben Leech returned to his school work Monday.

Harold Leech and Dorothy Barnett were absent from high school Monday.

The high school boys are busy getting the goods up for basketball and practice will begin immediately.

Several of the boys going to the high school have subscribed \$10 each to the War Work Fund, helping to make the \$30,000 for the Nebraska boys. The War Work Fund of \$35,000,000 is being raised by the Y. M. C. A. throughout the nation for the benefit of the moral welfare of our soldiers in the training camps and on the battle fields.

An error was made in the estimate of corn husked by Haven and Homer Hanson during vacation. The amount should have been about 1,450 bushels instead of 1,000 bushels, making the total over 8,000 bushels for the school people.

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