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Farmers' Clubs

Meritorious Special Article on A
Timely and Interesting
Matter.

(Continued from last week.)
IDEAS GAINED FROM NEIGH-
BORS.

The knowledge gained by club members through their association with their neighbors is something which cannot be overlooked. Before and after the program the farmers will get together in groups and talk over their farm problems and many ideas will be brought out which can be taken home and applied. As these groups look over the stock or wander over the fields of the host, the farmers will often observe changes which can be made in their efficiency and possibly lessen their work. This same thing holds true with the women. They will examine the conveniences and labor-saving devices which the hostess has installed in her home to make her work lighter or to increase the comfort of her family, and listen to other women talk about their conveniences and methods of doing housework. Many of the ideas gained here can be put into practice at 400 home and tend to make better wives and mothers.

UNITED ACTION.

Another good feature of these clubs is their ability to get the concerted action of all in a community on matters which are of interest to all. The club meeting is the place where things of community interest can best be taken up and discussed and when definite action is taken, it is quite sure to follow the wish of the majority of the people and carries much more weight because it is known to be the wish of a body of people. For example, the roads may be poor in some locality and need improving. This matter can be taken up in a club meeting, discussed there, and a committee appointed to take it before the proper authorities with certain instructions. This presentation will have much more weight than if put to the authorities by several individuals separately and at different times. To illustrate this we can cite a case in St. Louis County. A certain community was practically isolated from the rest of the world for lack of roads. The roads were too expensive for the neighborhood to build and several men tried to get the town and county to help, but without success. A farmers' club was started in that community and this matter of roads brought up and discussed at a meeting. A committee was appointed to see why this road could not be secured and were to represent this club in the work. A week after the committee was appointed, work was begun on the road. All that was necessary was concerted action.

THE CLUB AND FARM SURVEYS.

Legislation and the action of public officials can be influenced by these farmers' clubs. Very few people in this country pay

much attention to pending legislation. Every farmer should study all proposed laws of agricultural importance. The farmers club is the ideal place for this and an expression from a farmers' club would have more weight in influencing a senator or congressman than one from an individual. How else can a senator or congressman know the wish of the people except through such an action. He can not learn it from the press and very few individuals take the trouble to write directly to him.

THE CLUB AND GOOD ROADS.

Again returning to the matter of roads, the farmers of the state are not paying enough attention to the use of the state and county road funds. The farmers are merely criticizing the State highway commission and county commissioners while the automobile clubs are at work with these people trying to get the State and county funds spent where they will be the most used by auto traffic. If the farmers, through their clubs, would make known to the county commissioners what roads in their community they would like improved, they would be very likely to get the desired improvements. As it is now, the commissioners do not know the wishes of the majority of the taxpayers of the county. Road-dragging can also be taken up by clubs. If a group of farmers would drag their roads, each man taking a certain piece of road, they would be assured of good roads in their community, at least, and then if they as a club would work for a road-dragging law such as Iowa has, the roads of the State might be increased eventually.

THE CLUB AND BETTER MARKETS.

Another very important feature of this club work is looking after the markets both for selling the farm produce and for buying farm supplies. This brings in the subject of cooperation, which will be discussed more fully in another article. However, the general spirit of cooperation must be developed in these club meetings or in some other way, before cooperative work can be successful in a community. A farmer must learn to cooperate with his neighbor before he can expect to cooperate with a man in the next county or one in another part of the State. And, too, there must be a better feeling between the farmers and the business men of this country. They must be brought together on some common ground. The business men are necessary and can not be driven out, but they can be made more efficient and their number decreased.

The farmer and the business man should get together and talk over their problems and help each other to be more efficient. The farmers near Duluth and the business men of that city came together several times last winter in an effort to help each other. They have discussed the problems of buying and selling and are trying to get on common ground where they can work together and reduce the cost of business so as to benefit both parties. They are succeeding well and a much better feeling

exists now than ever before. We feel that the next great improvement along agricultural lines will be caused by cooperation for efficiency in production and marketing.

FARMERS' CLUB FAIRS.

Many clubs have held contests and fairs during the last year as part of their work. Among these were corn, small grain, vegetable, clover, and alfalfa contests, and contests for women and girls. Some of the clubs had regular industrial fairs where premiums were offered for corn, all kinds of grain, vegetables, fruit, cooking, and art work.

In some cases the money was raised to finance the fair by holding socials and giving entertainments during the year. At other fairs the exhibits entered were sold by the board to raise money to pay the premiums. At others no premiums were offered but everyone interested brought exhibits. For one industrial fair \$200 was raised at socials and entertainments given in the school houses during the year.

Many a fair is made the basis for gathering an exhibit to be placed as a club exhibit at the county fair. Most of the western and northern county fair boards offered prizes for farmers' club exhibits this year. One paid as much as \$60 for the best club exhibit. Another offers a silver cup for the best exhibit. The cup becomes the property of the club which wins it three years in succession. Another offers \$40 for every club exhibit scoring 450 points of a possible 600 and an additional prize of \$10 for the one scoring highest and \$5 for the next highest. Fairs offering prizes have drawn good collections of exhibits, some rivaling the county exhibits at the State fair. No one can learn good farm products until he has exhibited at some fair or contest and very few people become much interested in producing good products or take pride in their products unless they have a chance to exhibit in competition with their neighbors.

We have tried in this article to give an idea of the work these farmers' clubs can do and their influence on their members. We firmly believe that there is no other force working for agricultural development which can do as much toward bettering the people socially, educationally, and financially as these farmers' clubs. Help Given By The Agricultural Extension Division.

If your neighborhood becomes interested and decides to organize, we will be glad to help in any way we can. We have a form constitution which can be used for a farmers' club, and we will send a man to help you organize we send out each month a list of outlined timely topics with short articles on each. These outlines or articles can be used to help the local speakers with their parts in the program. Whenever possible our men and women visit these club meetings and give talks on subjects which will interest the club members.

Farmers' Club Libraries.

The Minnesota Public Library Commission will send a free traveling library to any farmers' club which applies for it and sends 50 cents to pay freight charges both ways. This library consists of 25 standard books written on agricultural and domestic science subjects by the best writers. This library will be sent to any farmers' club, together with 25 other books on general reading, for \$1.00. This is the only fee required for the use of the books for the club year. Every club organized should have one of these free libraries.

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Bad Runaway.

Friday, shortly after noon, Andrew Rudberg of the Heart River section suffered a severe injury to his head from a fall, received in a runaway. The injury may prove fatal as a fracture of the skull is feared.

As Mr. Rudberg was leaving Almont to go to his home his horse which had once before that afternoon thrown him from the rig, started to run and as they left the west end of town the unfortunate man was thrown upon his head on the ground.

A doctor was telephoned for and the exact condition of the man could not be ascertained until the physician examined him.

The team made several dashes

Home Happenings.

Mr. Zimmerman of Bismarck, representing the International Harvester Co., spent Thursday and Friday looking after business in this city.

John Stone spent several hours in New Salem, Thursday.

Frank Todd spent Wednesday at New Salem looking after some legal business.

A masquerade dance will be held in the Almont Opera house, Saturday, November 15.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cunningham of Judson, spent Thursday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Timmerman of this place.

Jesse Milton of the Bismarck Tribune force was an Almont visitor, Thursday.

Jens Nelson, C. H. Anderson, of this place, and B. B. Blum of the First State Bank of St. Michael, Minnesota, made an auto trip to Plasher, Lark, and Carl, Tuesday.

J. T. Nelson and E. A. Burmeister, two prominent business men of Glen Ullin were in this part of the country, Wednesday.

Mat Greuer of Glen Ullin spent one day in Almont, looking after business matters.

R. E. Templeton, Laurence and Adolph Nelson autoed to Lark Wednesday. The latter remained at Lark.

The biggest and best dance of the season will be the masquerade that has been planned for the 15th of November. The promoters have secured excellent music, and are getting a line of costumes which can be obtained at the hall on the evening of the dance or of Henry Anderson before that time. Prizes will be offered for the best costumed lady and and gentleman as well as a prize for the most grotesque costume. Supper will be served at the hotel and E. E. Erb will be floor manager.

Theo. Feland spent several hours in this city, Friday.

E. C. Lang, of Judson, and Oscar Feland, of Sims, spent several hours in this city Friday evening.

round thru the streets and would probably have done considerable damage except for Martin Wohlman who regardless of injury to himself, dashed in and caught the running horses.

Late Friday afternoon Mr. Rudberg regained consciousness for a short time and again sunk into a comatose condition. Dr. Plasher of New Salem, who was called reported no bones broken but a very severe concussion on the right side of the face. The extent of the injury could not in the first examination be ascertained but it is believed that unless internal injuries were relieved, Mr. Rudberg will recover.

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DESPAIR.

Despair is not only cowardly, but is absolutely useless. Despair is a mood which requires the lack of five qualities—courage, love, integrity, fortitude and indignance. Any one of these five qualities can conquer despair, and though there are circumstances in which the fight will be sharp and the victory is slow.

Impertinent.

Speaking of a man noted for his impertinence, an acquaintance said: "Hank's impudence was so bad only to find out I was a fool about the other day." "I know it," said the waiter, "but you told me it was for your wife." "Well, what of that?" asked the surprised guest. "Why, I thought the waiter, I know that if the waiter's wife your wife she couldn't have any particular."

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Mrs. Otto G. Malone	9,470
Mrs. Harry	798,425
Miss Christine Nelson	20,050

ALCOHOL HINDERS.

Under Its Influence Men Do Much Less Work.

Dr. Henry Smith Williams, who conducted an extended observation of the influence of alcohol as a practitioner among the inmates at Bloomingdale and Randall's Island asylums in New York, insists that while alcohol in moderate amounts stimulates the flow of digestive fluids, it also tends, when taken even in moderate amounts, to interfere with their normal action.

Dr. Williams also combats the theory that alcohol acts as a stimulant and enables a man for a time to do more or better work. "A man may think he is working faster and better under the influence of alcohol, but steadily conducted experiments do not confirm this opinion," he says.

The celebrated physician, Von Heimbolt, one of the foremost thinkers of the nineteenth century, declared that the very smallest quantity of alcohol served effectively while its influence lasted to handicap from his mind all possibility of creative effort.

Experimenters, under the same conditions as nearly as possible, were given one ounce of alcohol in the form of Greek wine. On the days that they had the alcohol they did less by from 10 to 14 per cent than they did on other days. Rudin found the effects of a single dose of alcohol to persist, as regards some forms of mental disturbance, for twelve hours; for other forms twenty-four hours; and for others thirty days or more.

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The Truth About Alcohol.
Frederick Peterson, M. D., professor of psychiatry at Columbia university and ex-president of the New York state commission on liquor, has the following printed on his prescription blanks:

Alcohol is a poison.
It is claimed to seem that alcohol is a food. If it were a food it would serve in nourishing, often leads to disease and death.
One of the most common causes of disease is drinking wine, whiskey and brandy.
Alcohol is a poison. It causes disease of the liver, kidneys, stomach, lungs, heart, and blood vessels. It causes disease of the liver, kidneys, stomach, lungs, heart, and blood vessels.
A father or mother who drinks, poisons the children born to them, so that many die in infancy, while others grow up as idiots and epileptics.

Vegetables in the Hair.
Among the absurdities of Marie Antoinette's time was the use of vegetables for decomposing the hair. "Ask my niece, Mine de Matignon," we read in the memoirs of the Marquise de Crevecoeur, "it is old true that in 1788 she had her hair dressed a la jardiniere with a red clove-duster. Into which M. Leonard, the queen's hairdresser, had artistically inserted a small arbutus, a brocoli, a fine carrot and some radishes." When London Picot the comtesse de Lemph-Picot, a rich Creole, saw it she was so delighted that she exclaimed, "I will never wear anything but vegetables. It is so simple and more natural than flowers." London Chronicle.

Predigested Letters.
A woman who went to a hospital for the purpose of undergoing an operation asked for two postcards on the day the operation was to be performed. After having written on both cards the address of the hospital, she handed them to her husband and asked him to mail the one it was to be used for. The other card was written: "My dear husband—I have had the operation and am sorry to tell you that I did not survive." Detroit Free Press.

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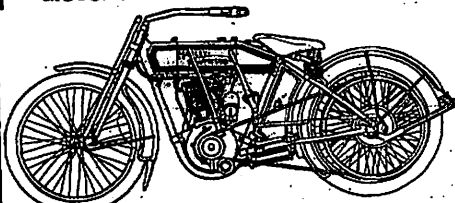
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Notice is hereby given that certain mortgages executed and delivered by John A. Anderson (married), mortgagor, to Henry A. Barnes, mortgagee, dated the 15th day of February, 1911, and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Morton and state of North Dakota on the 21st day of March 1911 and recorded in book 12-11 of mortgages at page 20 and by said mortgagor assigned to A. H. Thurnthill by instrument in public and duly recorded, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereafter described at the request of the mortgagee in the county of Morton and state of North Dakota at the hour of two o'clock, p. m. on the 21st day of November, 1911 to satisfy the amount due on such mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows: The south east one-quarter (1/4) of section sixteen (16), township one hundred thirty (130) and range one (1) N. in the county of Morton and state of North Dakota. There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of two hundred fifteen and 10/100 dollars (\$215.10). Dated this 15th day of September, 1911. A. H. Thurnthill, Assignee of Mortgage.

Attorneys for Assignee:
Bismarck, North Dakota
(Legal Advt.)

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgages executed and delivered by Earl J. Peterson and Earl Larson, his wife, mortgagees, to Herman Brothers, Incorporated, mortgagee, dated the 27th day of July, 1912, and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Morton and state of North Dakota on the 24th day of July, 1912 and recorded in book 12-20 of mortgages at page 212 and by said mortgage assigned to A. H. Thurnthill by written instrument duly recorded will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereafter described at the hour of two o'clock, p. m. on the 15th day of November, 1912 to satisfy the amount due on such mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows: The north east one-quarter (1/4) of section twenty-six (26), township one hundred thirty (130) and range one (1) N. in the county of Morton and state of North Dakota. There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of two hundred and 50/100 dollars (\$250.00). Dated this 15th day of September 1912. A. H. Thurnthill, Assignee of Mortgage.

Attorneys for Assignee:
Bismarck, North Dakota
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Department of Interior,

U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D.

Notice is hereby given that

Vincent Erhardt

of Almont, North Dakota who on September

24, 1912 made homestead entry, Serial No.

104436, for S1/2, section 18, township 136

N. range 87, T. of the 5th principal

meridian, has filed notice of intention

to make final three-year proof, to establish

claim to the land above described, before G. H.

Anderson, U. S. Commissioner at Almont, North Dakota, on November 12, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Mathias Skoleki, of Almont, N. D.

John Schell, of

John Schell, of

Mathias Skoleki, of

R. N. Stevens, Register.

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Department of Interior,

U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D.

Oct. 2, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that

Jacob Zecher,

of Almont, N. D. who, on May 19th,

1910, made homestead entry, Serial No.

104436, for S1/2, section 18, township 136

N. range 87, T. of the 5th principal

meridian, has filed notice of intention

to make final three-year proof, to establish

claim to the land above described, before G. H.

Anderson, U. S. Commissioner at Almont, North Dakota, on November 12, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Jesse Harper, of Almont, N. D.

Augusta Hall, of

George Zecher, of

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