

ONE OF THE ROYAL PALACES IN BERLIN.

Regina and District

ENJOYABLE NEW YEAR'S PARTY

On New Year's Day, Miss Fanny Ulrich gave a little party to her many friends, most of whom are members of the "Jugendverein" of the ev. luth. congregation of Regina. Among the invited guests were several students of the Luther Academy of Melville. Thanks to the efforts of the hostess and her mother a very enjoyable evening was spent. After some refreshments, consisting of delightful coffee and some delicious cake were served, the little happy crowd amused themselves with songs and play. The guests remained at the house of the hostess till about 12 o'clock, and then departed for their respective homes, knowing to have spent one of the most enjoyable evenings of the season.

R. Geisel.

Mrs. ANNA KALTENBRUNNER DEAD

On December 26, Mrs. Anna Kaltenbrunner, wife of the well-known Mr. Anton Kaltenbrunner and mother of Mrs. Frank Becker, Regina, died at the Grey Nun's hospital, at the age of 60 years. Mrs. Kaltenbrunner leaves to mourn her loss her aged husband and six children, all of whom are married and are living in different parts of Canada and the United States.

The funeral took place on Dec. 28, from Speers' Undertaking Parlors, Rev. Pastor Fritz officiating. Many friends of the late Mrs. Kaltenbrunner attended the funeral.

THREE SMALLPOX CASES ARE FOUND OVER WEEK-END

There was an outbreak of smallpox in the city over the week-end, three cases having been discovered on Saturday and Monday. All known contacts with these cases are being vaccinated and every precaution is being taken by the city health authorities to prevent the spread of the disease.

One of the cases, a child, is being isolated at home, while the other two, both young women, have been sent to the smallpox hospital in the northeast of the city. One of the young women developed the disease as the result of contact with a previous case, but did not think it worth while to protect herself by vaccination.

MORRIS HOFFMAN, A WELL KNOWN TRADER IS DEAD

Morris Hoffman, one of the proprietors of The Pair, on South Railway street, died on December 30 of pneumonia which followed an attack of influenza. Mr. Hoffman was sick about nine days. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and three children, the eldest being twelve years of age.

Mr. Hoffman was one of the most prominent members of the Jewish sect in Regina, a popular business man and an energetic worker in the cause of Jewry being associated with every public body of the Jewish congregation here.

ALEX BEAUDREAU DIES ON TRAIN

Alexander Henry Beaudreau, former Saskatchewan M.L.A. is dead, and in his death the province loses one of the men who has done much for the advancement of the cause of the farmers here. On Thursday night Mr. Beaudreau, his wife and two sons enroute at Caron and started for Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Beaudreau was to undergo an operation at the Mayo clinic. Following this he had planned to spend the winter with his family in California to recuperate.

For some time he had been ailing, but he considered his ailment not at all serious. Shortly after getting aboard the train he began to sink, and just before the train reached Estevan he died. The body was taken off the train at Estevan and will be brought back to Caron.

"Alex." Beaudreau entered public life in 1912, when he ran as Liberal candidate for the provincial constituency of Thunder Creek, and was elected by a large majority. In 1917, at the provincial elections, he was defeated by A. D. Gallagher.

CITY ABOUT FREE FROM INFLUENZA SAY OFFICIALS

Now that the influenza epidemic has practically disappeared from the city and Regina is free from the scourge, officials of the city health department are busy compiling charts and graphs showing some of the interesting features of the disease as it took form in this city.

The charts will show the death rate for the respective sexes, the age at which people in this city were most liable to contract the contagion and numerous other phases of the disease and the course which it took.

Dr. Bow, the city medical health officer, stated that with the exception of a few odd cases, influenza has now practically disappeared and he was of the opinion that there was little likelihood of a recurrence.

IT BUILDS UP THE SYSTEM

Some of the readers will, no doubt, be interested in a short letter, recently received from Mrs. Brigit Holte of Ayrwater, Sask., she writes: "By my own experience I find Forni's Alpenkrauter to be a good remedy for poor digestion and for building up a broken down system. Others, who have used the remedy, are telling about good results." Forni's Alpenkrauter, this old, well-known herb remedy, has a reputation for promoting the digestion and invigorating every organ of the body. It is not a drugstore medicine. For particulars write to Dr. Peter Fahrney & Sons Co., 2501 Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

FARMERS' COURSES AT THE UNIVERSITY START JANUARY 14

From January 14 to February 1 this year the annual convention of the agricultural societies and the farmers' short courses in agriculture will be held at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon. The program is a pretentious one and has been built around the theme of the convention, "A Forward Movement in Agriculture."

Tuesday, January 14, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the convention proper will begin and will end Thursday afternoon, January 16. Some important addresses are to be delivered by such men as the Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Dean Rutherford, and Professors Tisdale, Shaw and Baker.

The first part of the Short Courses for farmers will be taken up by the courses in animal husbandry. Monday, January 20, will be horse day; Tuesday, Jan. 21, will be cattle day; Wednesday, January 22, sheep day; Thursday, January 23, swine day, and Friday, January 24, poultry day.

Commencing Monday, January 27, there will be a short course in field husbandry, with the first day devoted to introductory lectures. Then will follow wheat day, coarse grains day, dry farming day, forage crop day and potato day.

DEATHS FROM INFLUENZA

Stephen J. Fritz succumbed to an attack of influenza on December 23rd, at his parents' home, Dead

Moose Lake. Deceased, who was 24 years of age, had been unwell all summer. The remains were interred at the Assumption Church cemetery, Dead Moose Lake, on December 26, the pastor Father Casimir, officiating.

The death occurred on December 26th of Mr. Adolf Bernauer, at his home in the Willmont district. Deceased contracted the influenza, complications developing which could not be overcome. He was a well known and respected resident of the district.

STREET RAILWAY RETURNS HIGHER BY SOME \$15,500

While the number of passengers carried by the Regina municipal street railway during last year was 200,000 less than the previous year, the revenue derived from passengers in 1918 was \$15,500 in excess of the passenger receipt in 1917.

The increase in revenue despite the reduction in number of passengers carried, was due to the increase in the fare to a straight five cents early in the year.

ADVISES INOCULATION

Dr. Seymour, provincial medical health officer, has issued a warning to the public to protect themselves against typhoid by inoculation, at the same time pointing out that vaccine is provided free to physicians throughout the province. The warning comes as the result of seven deaths during November, together with a prophecy that typhoid is likely to be more prevalent with the advent of a large number of strangers to Saskatchewan in the near future.

PROPOSED \$1,000,000 WAREHOUSE

Should satisfactory arrangements be completed to dispose of their present warehouse, the International Harvester company will spend a million dollars on the erection of a new implement warehouse here, which will be the equal of any building of the kind in Canada.

CANADIAN NORTHERN NOW HAS NEW NAME

Announcement has been made that the Canadian Northern Railway, which is now owned by the Dominion Government, will henceforth be known as the Canadian National Railway. The new title embraces all the government lines east of Winnipeg, including the Intercolonial and the old Prince Edward Island railway.

Many changes of an extensive nature are contemplated in the reconstruction of the railways and announcements that will be of momentous interest to the railway world will be made in the course of the next few weeks.

SUGAR BOWLS APPEAR AGAIN

Regina restaurants have returned to pre-war times, in one particular at least, and that is the old sugar bowl. This bowl which has been absent owing to the regulations of the Canada Food Board, is now to be a regular part of the service at all restaurant tables.

UKRAINIANS' OBJECTIVES

The Ukrainian convention at Saskatoon placed itself on record as opposed to the recent appointment of Dr. Anderson as director of education for the non-British settlements of Saskatchewan and also declared its opposition to the amendments to the School act at present under the consideration of the legislature. The convention also asked for the repeal of the order in council prohibiting the publication of Ukrainian books and newspapers with the English in parallel columns.

ANNUAL PROVINCIAL CONVENTIONS

The Annual Saskatchewan Provincial Seed Fair will be held at Saskatoon during the days of January 14-17 and further coming events at Saskatoon will be: Short Courses in Internal Combustion Engines, January 6-25, February 3-22 and each succeeding month, except June and July, if desired; Annual Convention of Saskatchewan Dairymen, second week in February; Annual Convention of Agricultural Societies, January 14-17; Short Course in Agriculture, January 20 to February 1, and Saskatoon Poultry Show, January 14 to 17.

Percheron Stallions and Mares

Stallions sold on liberal terms. Mares offered for cash only. I sell more Stallions to German farmers in Western Canada than any person else in the business, and am always pleased to have visitors. Correspondence answered in-German.

J. H. GRAHAM, Ave. G. & 21st. St. Saskatoon, Sask.

DISBAND DOMINION POLICE IN SASK.

Orders were received from Ottawa yesterday by Inspector J. H. Reid, head of the Saskatchewan division of the Dominion police, to disband the force immediately. About thirty members are affected by the order, including two sub-inspectors and one chief inspector. The work of the force here duplicated duties of the R.N.W.M.P. Inspector Reid resigned as head of the force yesterday, but is still in command.

L. L. KRAMER PROMOTED

L. L. Kramer, for the past six years boundary inspector for the department of immigration, leaves the city this week and in the future will reside in Winnipeg. Mr. Kramer has been promoted to the position of chief clerk in the Winnipeg office of the department, one of the best positions in the department. Philip Jones, of Winnipeg, becomes boundary inspector, succeeding Mr. Kramer.

THE COURIER'S MAIL BAG

The Courier Publ. Co. I deeply regret to have to bring the sad news of the death of my beloved wife. The Lord has taken her to a place where we finally all will have to go, and where there is no sorrow, but glory and joy. My wife was born on January 29, 1890 in the Province of Bessarabia, Russia, and emigrated to Canada in the year 1903. We were united in the holy bond of matrimony at Indian Head on November 25, 1907 and took residence upon our farm near Central Butte, where she died. We have therefore lived together in true love and harmony for a duration of nearly eleven years. The Lord blessed us with eight children, of whom three have preceded the deceased to the place of eternity. The only hope I hold, is that I together with my children shall meet her again in the other world. Death came as a consequence of Spanish Influenza, and the deceased was sick only six days. Her remains have been interred at the protestant cemetery.

I am further called upon to bring the sad news of the departure of the 8 months old son of my brother Joseph and to report that my aged father is also very sick and in bed now for two weeks. We had first only slight hopes for his recovery as he was very sick, but he is now gradually gaining strength. Our aged mother, who was also sick, is again busy around the house and is now really a source of great help to her sick husband.

I herewith, in the name also of my children, beg to thank all my friends who were kind and brotherly enough to extend to me their condolence at the recent sad bereavement.

George Berger, Central Butte, Sask.

"The Courier," We regret very much not to be able to receive the Courier at present in the German language but hope that the war will soon end and the German-speaking people in Canada get justice again. We know that under present conditions the Courier couldn't do anything else than to submit to law and order. Therefore we surely intend to stay with you also in future.

M. Muth and family, Woodrow, Sask.

"The Courier," We herewith beg to notify you that although the paper is appearing in the English language now we do not intend to drop out as a reader for the present. We hope that the war will soon end, and that when conditions will be normal again we shall have the pleasure of receiving the paper in its old dress. Our children were all born in America and therefore understand the English language just as well as the German. It is through their kind efforts that we receive the news, for without their translation we would be utterly unable to get any knowledge of what was going on in the world.

Carl Steffen, Harris, Sask. (Delayed)

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HALF SECTION WAS SOLD FOR \$14,000

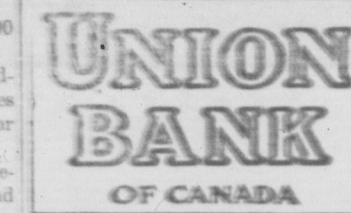
A. Ullrich, one of Regina's old-timers, sold his farm eight miles east of the city, a few days ago for \$14,000 for the half section.

Mr. Ullrich homesteaded one-quarter of this land in 1898, and has now sold it for nearly \$45 an acre. He thinks there is every possibility that 1919 will be a record year for Saskatchewan and intends to make his home in the city as he has other land interests in the district.

DOUBLE WEDDING IN GLEISINGER'S HALL

Miss Lily Schneiderman became the bride of Dave Swartz and Miss Lily Swartz became the bride of Ernie Shenback by a ceremony performed on Sunday at Gleisinger's hall by Rabbi Svet. The bridesmaids were Miss Shragge, Miss Liman and Miss Brotman, while Miss Shenback was maid of honor.

The brides wore white georgette crepe dresses trimmed with pearls and beads and silk fringe. They carried bouquets of carnations and fern tied with white chiffon. The bridesmaids were frocked in georgette crepe and crepe de chine and carried carnations and fern. Miss Swartz had been on the Glasgow House staff and Miss Schneiderman recently came from Chicago. The engagement was announced of Miss Liman and H. Liman. A large company was present and kept up the celebration till a late hour.



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KILLED BY TRAIN NEAR HUMBOLDT

Humboldt, Sask. — A fatal accident occurred at a railway crossing three miles west of Humboldt on Monday evening before last, when Tony Chikowsky, a young Galician farmer, was struck by the west bound C. N. R. passenger train and instantly killed. It appears he was on his way home, after having been into town with a load of hay, and was probably lying down in the bottom of his hay rack, and did not hear the approaching train, which had left Humboldt just before six o'clock p.m. The horses had just crossed the track when the engine struck the sleigh, which was smashed into kindling wood, and Chikowsky was thrown about thirty feet. The train was brought to a standstill, and when the unfortunate man was picked up, life was extinct. The body was taken to Carmel, and later in the evening brought to Humboldt. The deceased was about 31 years of age, and leaves a wife and one child. His home was seven miles west of town.

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Mrs. Ellen Bohle, Mr. and Mrs. Jami Wilmann, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bauer, Mrs. William Bauer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Anselm Fieger, Mrs. Andrew Geierbach, Mr. William Stewart, Mr. Charlie Stewart and the whole family of John Fieger. We hope that this is going to stop soon. There is already more than a calamity in this district. Winter has appeared and the first snow of the season has covered the soil with a white cloth. Just the moment I intended to close this letter the news reached me that my brother-in-law, Kaspar Hugel from Schuler, Alta., has also died. Best greetings to all readers of "The Courier" from Frank Fieger.

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Advertisement for 'The 'Aureis' Kalender' for 1919. The ad features a decorative border and a central illustration of a religious scene. Text includes: 'DAILY TALKS WITH GOD', 'A Calendar of Daily Devotions for Family Worship', 'The "Aureis" Kalender for 1919', 'Single copies 6c prepaid', '2 calendars free on every 15', 'SCRIPTURE CALENDAR 1919', 'With German Text. Thoughts for Daily Meditation.', 'This calendar is beautiful in design and workmanship. Has the latest illustration Sunday School Lesson titles, Golden Text and so forth. Promise for each day of the year. There are 12 beautiful pictures of Bible subjects, all being masterpieces of religious art.', 'Each 25 cts., 5 copies \$1.00, 12 copies \$2.25, 50 copies \$8.25.', 'Stunden der Ansbach', 'Hansel und Gretel', 'Tausendundeine Nacht', 'Hanspeterli, Dr. M. Lottig', 'Gossner Schatzkammer', 'Taeugliche Mama', 'Schmucker, Himmlisches Wegweiser', 'Der Herr ist Gott', 'Duch's Lieder Heft', 'Ariad's Waizen Christentum', 'Gottes Erloesung mit der Welt', 'Universal-Konflikt zwischen gutem und bösem Reich des Teufels und Himmels', 'F. DOJACEK', '550 Main Street, Winnipeg, Man.'