

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Ted Mestnik of Biwabik is spending a few days in Ely.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eckert were visitors in Gilbert Thursday.

Frank Mishmash of Aurora visited in this city several days last week.

Mrs. Agnes Zimmerman and children were visitors in Aurora last week.

Mrs. L. E. Paulson and daughters were visitors in Gilbert last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stenich and family visited in Tower last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yernatich of Tower were last week's visitors in this city.

Mrs. Hugh Dinsmore returned Friday after a two weeks stay at Rochester.

Street forces on Friday replaced a broken hydrant on the drug store corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sundholm and Mrs. John Nelson spent Friday in Duluth.

Rev. and Mrs. James E. Dowler left Monday for Chicago for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Brown of Duluth spent Friday in Ely visiting with friends.

Victor Gustafson and Gust Nyman returned Friday after spending a week in Duluth.

John Chrep is spending the week in the Twin Cities attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luke and Mr. and Mrs. Ade Laitinen of Biwabik visited in Ely last week.

Mrs. T. C. Thielman and daughter, Dorothy visited at the J. L. Anderson home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mantel, Jr., and daughter, Kathleen Ann, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mantel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lovshin, in Chisholm last week.

Mrs. Jack Pavlich of Soudan was in Ely last week.

Mrs. Anthony Samson of Eveleth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sever in this city last week.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will hold a bake sale at Mel's store Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Novak and Mrs. Mary Knapp visited with Mr. and Mrs. Art Colombo at Gilbert last week.

Dr. and Mrs. George T. Ayres arrived home Thursday from a month's visit in Mexico, Florida, and other southern cities.

In another place in this paper will be found Articles of Incorporation of the Barnes Duluth Shipbuilding company.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hamalainen and sons, Ward and Neil, Jr., of Mountain Iron visited with friends in Ely Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Monacelli and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moroni were visitors at the home of their parents last week.

Mrs. Jaeger and daughter, Ann, and Mrs. John Jaeger and son, Dennis, were last week visitors in this city from Aurora.

The Ely Hardware & Furniture company are making a very attractive washing machine offer in another place in this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Maki of this city and Embarras, became the parents of a baby girl at the Soudan hospital on Monday, April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Miklavich returned Tuesday after a 10-day trip to Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison, Wisconsin, and Minneapolis.

Lawrence Tibbitt, famous baritone will appear as soloist with the Duluth Symphony Orchestra at its final concert of the season on May 3.

George Anderson has returned from his winter in Sauk Rapids and is again at his position as weighmaster at the D. M. & N. scale house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Strom were in Holyoke Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Semeran. Mrs. Semeran and daughter returned to Ely with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leibeck, who spent the winter at St. Petersburg, Florida, have returned for the summer to their home at White Iron Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Armas Burtley have returned after spending the Easter holidays with their son, Eugene, who is attending the St. Collette school at Jefferson City, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wagner and two children have arrived from Duquoy, Iowa, to make their home in this city. Mrs. Wagner was before her marriage Miss Myrtle Maki of this city.

Jose Swanson, who with Mrs. Swanson and the children spent the winter at Pompano, Florida, returned to Minnesota last week. Mrs. Swanson remained over in Minneapolis for a visit.

Oh yes, we will take in your old box or electric refrigerator on the purchase of a new FRIGIDAIRE at the Vermilion Electric Shop, and terms on the balance that are most easy—adv.

Miss Theresa Gami, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gami, served on the decoration committee for the faculty tea given Friday, April 18, by the senior class of the College of St. Scholastica, Duluth.

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Parker left Thursday for a month's visit in the east and south. They visit in Washington this week and attended the Cherry blossom festival after which they tour the eastern and southern states.

A group of friends entertained Mrs. Clarence Chinn at a surprise birthday party at her home on Wednesday evening. Those present were Mrs. A. J. Bonnier, Mrs. Harry Winchell, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. Leonard Stabodnik, Miss Esther Martindell, Mrs. Francis Brown and Mrs. Chinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ahlstrom returned last week after a 4 months stay in Detroit, Mich., where they visited with their three daughters. They spent some of the time with Mrs. H. L. Smith (Bernice Ahlstrom) and Mr. Smith and part of the time with Mrs. L. H. Bartholomew (Margaret Ahlstrom) also with Miss Lenore Ahlstrom who is taking nurses training at the Harper hospital.

## SCOUT COURT OF HONOR SET

A court of honor for Boy Scout troop 171, sponsored by St. Andrew's church, will be held in Washington auditorium Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., according to E. C. Bolitho, court of honor chairman. Ministerial members of troop 171 will furnish an entertainment program.

Bid for awards are Harlan C. Lampe, James W. Pete, Mathew Somero, Winston Homer, Edwin Gordon, Edwin Yaskosky, Allan Hill, Robert Lammi, Andrew Spolarich, Peter Marinas, Dale Freeman, Howard Koski, and Wayne Bolitho.

**Andrew E. Berglund Marks 75th Birthday.**

Andrew E. Berglund was honored April 17 on his 75th birthday by his brothers, Olof, Oscar, and Will, and their families. Mr. Berglund received many gifts and congratulatory messages from his children and friends. Mrs. Hilma Olson, his housekeeper, surprised the gathering with a dinner. Mr. Berglund says that he feels at least 25 years younger than his age.

**Ely Represented on Democratic Committee.**

Attorney Teplicky of this city was elected one of a 21-member organization committee to carry out a unity program at the meeting held Saturday at the Spalding hotel, Duluth.

Leonard McHugh, Duluth was elected president and E. J. Larson, Virginia, vice president and a program was launched to unite "liberals" without regards to past political affiliations in the group.

**Tamburizza Orchestra Draws Large Audience.**

Matt L. Gouze, formerly of this city where he was born and graduated from the Ely schools, appeared before a large audience at the Washington auditorium Friday evening with his Tamburizza orchestra.

Matt is the director of the Duquesne University, Pennsylvania. Tamburizza orchestra which has won country-wide acclaim for the excellence of the programs presented.

They were in their fifth annual tour and appeared on the ranges under the auspices of the Yugoslav Radio Hour committee and which has many members in this city.

Featured on the tour with the orchestra were Eugene Khrin, vocal soloist; George Vrbanc, Koli dancer; Alan Ostervik, violinist; Mary Verlich, soprano soloist; Amelia Penick, contralto and Kathryn Japiec, acrobatics and dancer.

**Music and Drama Club Reelects Its Officers.**

"Expressing Willa," a comedy written by Rachel Crothers, afforded considerable amusement at the last meeting of the Music & Drama Club held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Stanley Adkins with Miss Gwendolyn Freer assisting hostess. Eighteen members were present.

The play was read by Mrs. Joseph Fleming and Miss Pearl Colletti. Preceding the play Mrs. Fleming gave a report on the beginning of modern drama during the period from 1800 to 1920.

During the business meeting all the officers of this year were reelected. They are as follows:

President—Mrs. Joseph Fleming.  
Vice President—Miss Zella Richter.  
Secretary—Miss Justine Yess.  
Treasurer—Miss Elisabeth Wilkin.  
Meetings are adjourned until next fall.

**AT SERVICE SCHOOL.**  
William Vidmar, licensed electrician at the Vermilion Electric Shop, is spending this week in Minneapolis attending a Frigidaire service school.

**TO PRESENT PLAY.**  
The "Village Venus," a play in Slav, will be presented here Sunday, May 11, by a group of Chisholm people who are members of American Fraternal Union lodges. The play will be in the afternoon, and a dance will follow in the evening. Sponsoring group is Slovene lodge No. 114, APU.

**GATHERING SPAWN.**  
A large number of Ely people were at Tower Sunday to watch the pattering of lake spawn near the Tower hatchery. Up to Wednesday of last week no lake spawn had been taken notwithstanding a break in the nets a few days previous which allowed thousands of fish to proceed up the river instead of into the ponds. At that the records show that 2,500 lake had been taken and stripped up to that time.

**FOUND.**—That my new FRIGIDAIRE, made by General Motors and sold at the Vermilion Electric Shop, is really costing me only a few cents a month to buy and operate. The terms are so reasonable.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kaner and son Harvey, Mrs. William Kaner and Miss Eva Kaner of Eveleth were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rosenbloom on Sunday.

Former Virginia Chief of Police Chas. Gronberg has purchased the Dairy Bay Inn on Highway 77, on Lake Vermilion from Mr. and Mrs. Burton Anderson. Mr. Gronberg will operate the property with the assistance of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gronberg.

All man's worst weapons of war invented by nature. A noted college professor points out astonishing parallels between man's masterpieces of destruction and prehistoric monsters and modern creatures. Don't miss this timely double page illustrated feature in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American—adv.

## Well Known Mining Man Died Sunday.

Alexander King, aged 87, general superintendent of the Oliver Company operations in the western Mesaba district, died Sunday at Coleraine following an illness dating back to January.

He has been a resident of Coleraine for 34 years, first as a chemist then as superintendent. He was born in Negaunee, Michigan, 57 years ago and was graduated from the Virginia high school, the University of Minnesota and the Colorado school of mines.

Mr. King was a frequent visitor in this city during the years his brother, the late Herbert S. King, was in the mining business in this city.

**Virginia Musicals Stars Visit Ely Musicals.**

The Ely Musicals had as its guests, Mrs. Badina Stein, pianist; Verner Johnson, flutist; Mrs. Dorothy Heger, accompanist and Theodore Heger of the Wednesday Musicals of Virginia at their April meeting in the Community Center on Monday.

The March of Music, a current interest in the progress of music in the world today was given by Mrs. Heger, who also introduced the program and the artists of the evening's recital program.

The Carnival (Op. 9, by Schumann) in its various 13 movements was played as a piano solo by Mrs. Stein in her first group. Mr. Johnson, as his first number, played "Honegger's Goat's Dance."

As her second group, Mrs. Stein played "The Suite" (Poulenc), Tango (Albeniz), Ständchen (R. Strauss arranged by Gleeking), Erato (Coccone), In a Boat (Zickler) and Arkansas Traveler (Gouzon). As an encore she played "The White Donkey."

Mr. Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Heger at the piano, concluded the evening's delightful program by playing "Scherzo Burlesque" by Carls. Following the evening's entertaining program the guests and members enjoyed a social hour. Lunch was served by the hostess club.

**Music Club Convention Thursday, Friday, May 1-2.**

The Minnesota Federation of Music Clubs will celebrate its fifteenth anniversary at the Nicollet Hotel, May 1 and 2 next week.

Mrs. Paul Weld, state president of Hibbing has issued a cordial invitation to all musical organizations of the state to attend.

Speakers for the occasion will be Merle Potter of the Minneapolis Times Tribune and Mrs. H. Carol Day of Albert Lea, national program chairman.

**LOSES SON IN DEATH.**

Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Pucel of the Zenith Addition, died on Saturday. The funeral was held Monday from the Catholic church, the Rev. Carl Priley conducting the same. Bernard was born on May 22, 1940. The remains were prepared for burial at the Ely Mortuary.

TRY A MINER WANT AD.

## BAND CONCERT IS MUSICAL HIT

Excellent Program by Band and Guest Artists Miss Lange and Hugh Brown.

The audience that greeted the first of the season's concert by the Ely Municipal Band and its artists, Miss June Lange and accompanist Hugh Brown of the Duluth KDAL radio station, made up in enthusiasm and applause what it lacked in numbers at the Washington auditorium on Friday evening.

Owing to the many conflicting events of the evening, the audience of the concert was not what the excellence of the program would warrant. However the offerings were endorsed to the limit and the contributing members of the band, the guest artists from Duluth, Director Frank V. Di Nino and Mrs. Di Nino, were pleased with the enthusiastic reception of each and every number by the audience.

Miss Lange is a pleasing contralto who is heard over the KDAL air waves. Not the least in the success of her offerings were the accompaniments furnished by Hugh Brown, also of the broadcasting station. Following two selections by the band, Miss Lange sang two numbers. The band then followed with four numbers.

A most pleasing feature of the evening aside from the well given band numbers and the solos by the guest artist, was the piano solo played by Mrs. Di Nino with the band accompaniment. This was the first feature of this kind ever essayed on the Ely stage and met with the unanimous approval of the audience.

Miss Lange followed with three numbers closing her part of the program with Katcher's most pleasing number, "When Day Is Done." The band closed the pleasant evening with the "New Colonial March," by Hall.

If you missed this concert on Friday evening you missed a treat.

Buffalo's News Stand sells The Ely Miner each week.

## WANT ADS.

**WANTED TO BUY.**  
We buy corrugated boxes and baled scrap paper in quantities of 3,000 lbs. or more. We encourage saving this type of paper from business places, etc., as a year-around source of income. Write Paper Stock, 1936 Princeton Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota. 4-24

**FURNITURE BUYERS—VISIT OUR WAREHOUSE. YOU CAN SAVE ALMOST 1 ON NEW LIVING ROOM & BEDROOM SUITES. UNCLAIMED FREIGHT & PUBLIC WAREHOUSE, 3 So. 4th W., Duluth**

**Pork Loins 21c**  
½ or whole lb

**PICNIC HAMS 21c**  
SHANKLESS, lb

**Pot Roast 25c**  
Branded, lb

**Rolled Rib 35c**  
Roast, lb

**CITY MEAT AND GROCERY**

JOHN SUCCOWICH, Prop.  
"Biggest Little Store in Town"  
Phones 53 and 54

## PENNEY'S First Birthday IN ELY

Thank You! Thank you for your patronage and increasing good-will demonstrated during our first year in Ely. Now we want you to help us celebrate. There will be no bands, there will be no flowers or souvenirs. Our method is to say it with bargains.

We have assembled for this occasion unheard of bargains to enable the people of Ely to celebrate our First Birthday anniversary with savings.

**Birthday Saving!**  
**Crepe Twist Silk HOSIERY 55c**  
Dull textured! Snag resistant. Perfect quality 3-thread sheers. Silk reinforced heels and soles for extra wear. In new spring shades.

**Feature Value**  
**Brand New COTTON FROCKS \$1.00**  
Smart striped chambray in trim little styles to wear everywhere! Nicely tailored! The price is sensational. 12 to 44.

**Birthday Special!**  
**Rayon DRESSES in Gay Prints \$1.33**  
You'd never believe the tiny, priced! Brand new spring prints in brand new spring styles. Just what you want to wear NOW!

**Birthday Special!**  
**Lovely CHENILLE House Coats \$3.00**  
Beautifully styled in creamy soft chenille. Graceful full skirts, three-quarter length sleeves. Washable! Sizes 14 to 40. Value!

**Tremendous Savings**  
**Indian BLANKETS Design \$1.00**  
Birthday special! Bright jacquard designs in sturdy cotton. Size 70"x90".

**Miner's Heavy Duty Rubbers with Steel Box Toe**  
White Lace Toe \$3.98  
Black Short Boot \$3.79  
Specially designed steel toe made to really fit the last. Made dome shaped and 18% heavier than standard.  
Anchored into the shoe so as to prevent loose toe linings chafing through.  
A layer of sponge rubber between the toe lining and the steel prevents rubbing and cushions the toes.  
An extra piece of rubber at the back edge of the steel prevents the steel cutting.  
Special cement, combining steel toe with rubber and linings, makes a solid job.

**Value Special!**  
**ANKLETS ONLY 2 for 15c**  
Combed cotton! Snug elastic tops. In gay colors and white. 6 to 10 1/2.

**Value Special!**  
**Cotton Frocks Save! 44c**  
Button coat and other styles in bright new prints. Sizes 14 to 32.

**All-Purpose SHIRTS 33c**  
Men's big birthday savings! White combed cotton, contrast trim.

**It's True—At This Price!**  
**3-Speed Electric MIXER & JUICER \$7.90**  
Now—within reach of every kitchen! Powerful mixer with removable beater, detachable juicer unit, two oven-proof bowls.

**Birthday Savings!**  
**Men's & Boys' CANVAS SHOES 47c**  
Extra service at this low price! Sturdy brown canvas with long-wearing black rubber soles and heels. Shock-absorbing toe guards!

**Stock Up Now On CHEESECLOTH**  
**Value! 3c yd.**  
Big Birthday special! Good quality bleached at this price

**Rockford Type Work Socks 2 prs. 25c**  
Big value! Sturdy cotton socks in blue or brown mixtures.

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J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, INCORPORATED

**DANCING!**  
Monday Night, April 28  
8 to 12 o'clock  
Music by HAWAIIAN TRIO  
**Dee's Bar and Lounge**

**"Yes, Sar!"**  
You'd Better Not Miss the  
10th Annual  
**MINSTREL**  
Presented by Boy Scout Troop 174 and Cubs  
**Sunday, April 27th**  
**Washington Auditorium**

<b>HEAR</b> Bazoo Quintet With Bernard "T-Tooter" Hutar Family Album Pantomime Ballet Dancers Fedora Chorus "Bonnie Baker" Mavetz "Sugar" Kuzma And Others	<b>Interlocutor</b> Frank "Banjo" Kalan <b>CIRCLE MEMBERS</b> Frank Volk Bernard Grahek William Senta Paul Leon Richard Banks Joe Muhvich Arthur Zorman Bob Senta Mathew Banovetz Lawrence Burja James Klobuchar Pat Markovich
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**Main Performance 8 P. M.**  
**Dress Rehearsal for Children 2 P. M.**  
Fun - - - Laughs - - - Gags - - - Thrills  
**Better And Funnier Than Ever**

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Buy Early and Get the Best Seats—Admission 25 Cents