

Class Prophecy

(Clippings from the Northwest Monthly, issue of July-August, 1942.)

Superintendent Emil Nelson, of the Northwest School and Station, University of Minnesota, recently returned from his vacation, which he spent in Arizona as a member of the federal commission investigating the use of cactus hedges to protect sheep from prairie dogs. On the return trip he stopped off at Dawson, New Mexico, to visit Ole Tarras, who is doing research work in botany at the experiment station at that place. At St. Louis he visited Judge Tammy, of the Domestic Relations Court, also Milo Wold, State Commissioner of Agriculture.

New Faculty Members

Miss Jennie Peterson has been secured for school nurse for the coming year. —The station has been fortunate in securing Norval Hegstad and Halvor Nornes as station horticulturists. —La Vern Peterson has been appointed instructor in sheep husbandry.

Station Visitors

Among recent visitors to the Experiment Station were Editor Harold Erikson, of Farm, Stock and Home, and Thelma Torkelson, of the Poultry Advocate; also Gerald Stephens, associate editor of the Duroc Digest.

Alumni News

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ness (nee Neva Gibbons) celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary on July 5. —Naime Nansen, noted elocutionist, has just returned to America, after a tour of Norway and Sweden. —Walter Anderson is the newly appointed coach for the Harvard football team. —Walter Welte has been appointed baggage inspector at the Canadian customs house at Emerson, Manitoba. —Carl Lindfors is the new state weed inspector. —Arthur Anderson will assume his new duties as state highway commissioner, Sept. 1. —Ivy Voaklander is the county superintendent of schools at Roseau.

Society

Mrs. Emil Nelson (nee Esther Sandem) entertained the campus club at her home, August 4. —Word has been received that Rev. Oscar Peterson, who is a missionary in China, has established a new chain of churches in the Shantung district. —Lawrence Walters is the instructor in folk dancing at the West Central high school in Minneapolis. —Ila Slyter, who lives on a farm near Red Lake Falls, entertained the ladies' aid at her home, July 10. —Marie Olson is now employed as a sales lady at Woolworth's in Minneapolis. Inga Folvick has recently opened an Arts and Crafts shop at Stephen.

Classified Ads.

Big-boned Duroc Jersey swine. Write for pedigrees and prices. Osmund Jensen, Rhoda. —Good foundation stock is the basis of success. Buy your pure-bred Holsteins from Roger Briden. —Pure-bred, frost-proof, single-comb White Leghorns for sale. Clayton Stageberg, Floodwood, Minn. —When you visit the twin cities, remember Hannah Martinson's Cosy Cafe. —No. 1 Certified Early Ohios. Write George Olson, the Spud King, Middle River, Minn. —Dr. Louis Kassa, Painless Surgery, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Agricultural Legislation

Charles Smith, president of the National Farm Bureau Federation, and Louis Emerson, secretary, have secured legislation improving the national system of rural credits, and increases in federal aid for schools for backward and indifferent students. —The governor has signed the bill introduced by Representatives William Johnson, Minnie Torpet, and Lloyd Bolstad, prohibiting the use of pitch forks in handling marsh hay, on account of the serious mortality among bull-frogs from this cause.

New Publications Issued

Raymond Gordon, of the Svalof Station, Sweden, has a new bulletin on his new variety of cotton, known as cotton-tails. —John Gronner, of South Dakota station, tells how to hatch chicks in fourteen days by increasing the incubation temperature to 208° F.

State Fair Ends

The recent state fair at Grand Forks proved the most successful ever held in North Dakota. The officers in charge were Richard Aakre, president; James Homme, vice-president; Myrtle Marmorine, secretary, and Una Briden, treasurer. Among the prominent winners were Iva Dobbdal, owner of the grand champion pen of Barred Plymouth Rocks, and Edward Solberg of Alfalfadale Farm, whose prize-winning guinea pigs have been the season's sensation on the grand circuit.

EDWARD SOLBERG AND UNA BRIDEN.