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JUNE EVENTS: 4-H CLUB WEEK, WOMEN'S CAMP, ALUMNI REUNION

4-H Club Camps

Scheduled For June 3-8

More than one thousand 4-H club members are expected for the two 4-H club camps to be held at the Northwest School June 3-8. The 1946 camp will be the thirty-fourth annual camp or short course held for farm boys and girls at the Northwest School. "Food for Famine" will be the general theme for this year's club camps. Instruction will also be offered to junior and adult leaders.

H. A. Pflughoeft, now district leader of 4-H club work in northeastern Minnesota, will return as camp leader to his former district. Mr. Pflughoeft will be assisted by Mrs. Evelyn Dose and Miss Kathleen Flom from the state 4-H club office. Other specialists from University Farm, St. Paul, who will come to Crookston for the week and their teaching subjects are Alice Linn, clothing; T. W. Gullickson, dairy; Raymond Wood, conservation; and Mrs. A. Kessler, Kerr Canning Company, Minneapolis, canning. Members of the Northwest School staff assisting in the administration and teaching during 4-H Club week include: Superintendent T. M. McCall, Registrar E. N. Reiersgord; O. C. Soine, crops; O. C. Turnquist, horticulture; A. M. Pilkey, poultry; O. M. Kiser, animal husbandry; A. M. Foker and H. W. Soderburg, handicraft; H. H. Lysaker, recreational program, and Miss Retta Bede, home economics. County 4-H club agents and county agricultural agents will also assist with the teaching and recreational program.

The general program of instruction to 4-H club members will be stressing all phases of food production and conservation and music. J. Clark Rhodes of St. Paul has been secured to lead the chorus work at the two camps. He will also give instruction to the club and county quartettes to prepare them for the 4-H club chorus which will compete (continued on page 3, col. 3)

20th Annual Women's

Camp, June 10-13

An excellent program has been arranged for the twentieth annual Women's Camp which opens for registration on the afternoon of June 10 and continues through June 13. The regular camp program has been resumed after a one-year lapse due to governmental travel restrictions. The Women's Camp members who met for a one-day picnic in 1945 agreed to have the officers elected for 1945 carry over in office until the election at the 1946 camp.

Three outstanding demonstrators have been secured for special work during the camp in addition to the regular Northwest School staff. Miss Ruby Christensen, Home Economist from the Russell-Miller Milling Company of Minneapolis will be present for two days to demonstrate the use of the new flours in home baking. Miss Bess Rowe, women's editor of The Farmer magazine, St. Paul, will be present for one day to discuss new ideas in kitchen planning. The North Dakota Extension Service is loaning us Miss Ruth Dawson for one day to discuss the latest information in farm freezer units and freezing of foods. The repair and reupholstering of furniture by A. M. Foker will also be a feature of the lecture-demonstration program. Handicraft work this year will consist of woodworking, greenhouse propagation of plants, poultry projects, and household arts. Problems of rural health will be discussed by Dr. P. T. Watson of the State Department of Health. (continued on page 4, col. 3)

Alumni Reunion To

Be Held June 29

The Alumni Association of the Northwest School voted at their Homecoming meeting in October to hold their annual reunion this summer on the traditional last Saturday in June. President of the Association, Clarence Sargent of Crookston, has formulated general plans for the reunion. Classes observing their five-year anniversaries this year are 1911, '16, '21, '26, '31, '36, '41. President Sargent is urging all alumni to notify classmates and organize caravans to travel together to the first "peace-time" reunion. Paul Engelstad of Thief River Falls, secretary of the class of 1916, has forecast that the '16's will again have both the largest number and the highest percentage of class members at the reunion. The '16's established a 50 per cent attendance record for their 25th anniversary. The class of '11 will also be well represented according to Dr. Harry Hedin.

The tentative program for June 29 includes reunion class picnic dinners at noon, alumni vs. students ball game in the afternoon, faculty vs. alumni kittenball game at 6:00 P.M., annual business meeting and movies at 7:30 P.M., and alumni dance and party in the gymnasium at 8:30 P.M.

The dance and party will be limited to alumni, students, and former students and their families. Members of committees will be notified by President Sargent of their committee assignments.

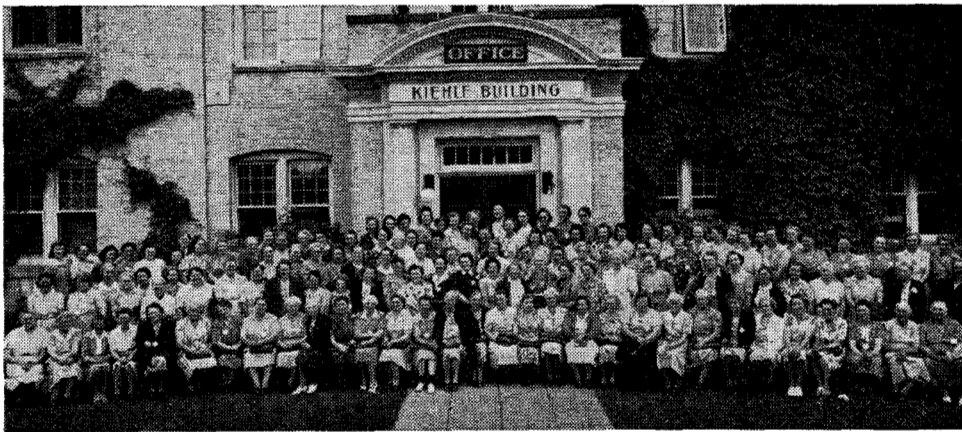
Chinese Student Visits

Northwest School

Mr. K. P. Chang of the eastern province of Kiangsi in China was an observer of Experiment Station work at the Northwest School and Station during the week of May 6. Mr. Chang, a graduate of Nanking University in agronomy, is one of 960 students sent by the Chinese government to the United States to spend one year of study of farming and Experiment Station methods.

Mr. Chang

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Pictured above are women who attended the 1944 Women's Camp at the Northwest School. Due to governmental travel restrictions, no Women's Camp was held in 1945; however, a one-day picnic was held in June for Women's Camp members.

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Winter Term Honor Roll Announced

Four students at the Northwest School topped the winter term Honor Roll with straight "A" averages. E. N. Reiersgord, Registrar, in announcing the Honor Roll, revealed that twenty-one students made the Honor Roll and forty-seven students received High Scholarship ratings. Those who received straight "A" averages included Gladys Auer of Waubun, Advanced; and three freshmen Manvel Green of St. Thomas, N. D., Keith Gregoire of Thompson, N. D., and Marlys Sargent of Crookston. Other Honor Roll students by classes were (2.50 points or above)—**FRESHMEN:** Donna Auer, Waubun; Dagny Roley, Warren; David Nelson, Clearbrook; **JUNIORS:** Jacquelyn Parr, Strathcona; Ellen Thayer, Bagley; Richmond Lapp, St. Vincent; William Ash, St. Vincent; Donovan Grenier, Red Lake Falls; Aileen Matter, Callaway; David Lundberg, Kennedy; Avis Anderson, Kennedy; William Nelson, Clearbrook; **SENIORS:** Edward Nelson, Kennedy; Mavis Hasbargen, Baudette; Phyllis Lerud, Twin Valley; Irish Sinclair, Stephen; **ADVANCED:** Jennette Johnson, Pelican Rapids; Charles Swanson, Red Lake Falls.

High Scholarship students by classes were (2.00 points to 2.49 points); **FRESHMEN:** Orville Halstengard, Gary; Michael Harty, Skime; Lundell Swenson, Lake Park; Elizabeth Lapp, St. Vincent; Marvlyn Vesledahl, Wingler; Willard Brunelle, Crookston; Clarence Rud, Viking; LeRoy Swanson, Wannaska; Clarence Carlson, Grygla; Marjorie Ophus, Erskine; Diane Swenson, Dale; **JUNIORS:** Raymond Stromstad, Lockhart; Agnes Urbaniak, Argyle; Phyllis Magnuson, Roseau; Arlone Thoreson, Climax; Harris Lee, Fosston; Patricia Turnmire, Baudette; Glen Torkelson, Crookston; Robert Jauhola, Hallock; James Thibodo, Stephen; Marjorie Balstad, Fosston; Darlene Rivard, Oslo; **SENIORS:** Adolph Hapka, Argyle; Franklin Zak, Euclid; Conrad Wiger, Ulen; Lillian Floan, Fertile; Charles Whalen, Stephen; Orvin Stubstad, Barnesville; Reuben Hanson, Trail; Gloria Brandli, Warroad; James Muzzy, Thief River Falls; Betty James, Baudette; Ellen Johnson, Lancaster; Marvin Solum, Argyle; Donald Anderson, Kennedy; Frances Klein, Warroad; JoAnn Quigley, St. Vincent; **ADVANCED:** Peter Schirrick, Jr., Red Lake Falls; Oliver Labine, Argyle; John Lapp, St. Vincent; Kenneth Miller, Crookston; Doris Krogstad, Fertile;

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Weather Summary For April

O. C. Soine

Crookston and Polk County experienced their warmest and driest April in many years according to the weather records here at the Northwest School. The mean temperature for the month was 46.6 degrees which was nearly eight degrees higher than the April 1945 mean of 39.1 degrees. The mean for the past 35 years for this month is 41.7 degrees. A temperature spread of 58 degrees was recorded with a high of 81 on April 30 and a low of 23 on April 9. The highest temperature for April 1945 was 65 degrees while the lowest was 11 degrees. Even though April was the warmest month for the past 21 years, there were 20 days when the minimum temperature did not register over 32 degrees.

The rainfall during the past month was 1.14 inches or less than half of the previous year's figure of 2.86 inches. The 45-year average rainfall for the month of April stands at 1.60 inches. According to an Associated Press report, this past month was driest in 16 years in Minnesota; however, here at the Northwest School in 1944, only 0.32 inches were recorded for April and in 1936 only 0.28 inches.

The month was characterized by a large number of bright, clear days. Twelve days of clear weather were recorded while only five cloudy days were noted. The remainder of the month was partly cloudy.

1946 Aggies Distributed

All subscribers to the 1946 "Red River Aggie" have now received their yearbook, according to E. N. Reiersgord, faculty Aggie business adviser.

The members of the Aggie Board and Senior class were very much disappointed that their annual did not arrive in time for distribution before the close of school. Difficulties at the book bindery delayed delivery of the annuals some three weeks. The subscribers were not disappointed with the annual when it did arrive. The Aggie Board, faculty annual advisers, and class advisers are to be congratulated on the excellence of the 1946 Aggie.

The 1946 Aggie was dedicated to Superintendent T. M. McCall who will complete thirty-five years of service to the school on June 3.

In case alumni, members of classes or friends of the school wish to secure copies of the 1946 Aggie, they may secure them at \$2.50 per copy by writing E. N. Reiersgord, Registrar, Northwest School, and enclose an additional ten cents for mailing.

WINTER TERM HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED

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Gerhard Ross, Fisher; Jack Blom, Baudette; Ruth Norum, Hallock; Edith Quantock, Argyle; **SPECIALS:** Adolph Shervey, Barrett.

Hybrid Tomatoes For The Red River Valley

O. C. Turnquist

It is well known how increased yields of field corn have been brought about by the phenomenon of hybrid vigor, and today most of the corn crop is grown from hybrid seed. It has been recently indicated that tomato yields also can be increased by growing plants from first generation crosses. Dr. T. M. Currence of the Division of Horticulture, University Farm, St. Paul, has crossed several varieties and has tested the hybrids with standard varieties. The most promising cross has been between Pritchard and Earliana. Fruits from the hybrid are of better quality, earlier and higher yielding than either parent variety.

This hybrid Pritchard x Earliana has been tested in the tomato variety trials at the Northwest School and Experiment Station during the past two summers and it has proved to be the highest ranking tomato in the test both in yield and earliness. In order of highest yield the varieties in 1945 ranked as follows: (1) Pritchard x Earliana Hybrid, (2) Earliana, (3) Victor, (4) Rutgers x Earliana Hybrid, (5) Bison, and (6) Bounty.

There is no commercial source of seed of this particular tomato hybrid at the present time but the amateur gardener can produce his own hybrid seed by following a few simple directions. Plants of both the Pritchard and Earliana variety have to be grown. Just as the flowers are about to open on the variety used as the female parent (Pritchard), the pollen bearing part of the flower must be removed. Then pollen is taken from a flower of the other variety used as the male parent (Earliana), and is applied to the emasculated flower. After such a cross is made the flower should be tagged so the resulting fruit can be identified later. The seed from such ripe fruits can be obtained by fermenting, washing and drying. Similarly to hybrid corn seed this tomato seed is not satisfactory for further seed production so the crosses have to be made every year to maintain a seed supply.

Although the crosses require careful and painstaking work, the resulting seed is worthwhile and the additional yield that the hybrid tomato plants produce will be several times the cost of the seed in value.

Address Changes Wanted

The Northwest School wants names and addresses of former students and alumni who are now in the armed forces of the United States and also the names and addresses of those discharged from the various branches of military service. Since the close of the war, many "unclaimed" copies of the Northwest School News are being returned to the school each month from our armed forces mailing list. We are soliciting the help of parents and relatives of service men and women to

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Crops And Soils Day Will Be Held July 9

Tuesday, July 9, has been selected for the annual field plot visitation day at the Northwest School and Experiment Station. Theodore Hegseth of Fergus Falls, president of the Red River Valley Crops and Soils Association, has called a business meeting of the Association directors and members for 11:00 A.M. at the school library. Crops Day visitors are urged to bring their families and noon picnic lunches.

Tours of the livestock and poultry projects will be made during the morning with the crops tours starting after the noonday lunch. Specialists in crops, crop diseases and insects will be present for the open forum session following the field tours. The tours of the fields will be under the direction of O. C. Soine, agronomist, and O. C. Turnquist, horticulturist.

Phillip Halliday, '45, Killed In Airplane Crash

The death of Phillip Halliday and Robert Svisdahl and the injuries of Kenneth and Robert Halliday in an airplane crash near Saskatoon, Canada, came as a shock to the Northwest School friends of the families. The boys were on a trip to Alaska when their plane crashed on Saturday, April 13. The survivors, Kenneth and Robert Halliday, suffered fractures—Kenneth a fractured arm and Robert a fractured leg.

Phillip, a graduate of the Regular course, completed the fall term of work for his fourth-year Certificate. During his last year in school, Phillip continued his flight training and completed his requirements for a pilot's license late this spring.

The sympathy of the faculty and friends of the Hallidays is extended to Mrs. Halliday and family and the Lloyd Svisdahl family.

Students Elected To National Honor Society

The Northwest School Chapter of the National Honor Society held their spring induction of new members at the school assembly on March 25. Officers taking part in the installation of new members were President Gerhard Ross of Fisher, Geneva Iverson of Goodridge, Kenneth Miller of Crookston, Peter Schirrick, Jr. of Red Lake Falls, Ruth Norum of Hallock, Doris Krogstad of Fertile, Jack Blom of Baudette, and Gladys Auer of Waubun. New members received into the organization were Jeanette Johnson of Pelican Rapids, Katherine Moe of Lancaster, Allan Nesland of Thompson, N. D., Gloria Brandli of Warroad, Lillian Floan of Fertile, Mavis Hasbargen of Baudette, Phyllis Lerud of Twin Valley, James Muzzy of Thief River Falls, and Reuben Hanson of Trail.

E. N. Reiersgard, Honor Society adviser, presented the members with National Honor Society cards and pins.

President J. L. Morrill Inaugurated

Dr. J. L. Morrill was formally inducted as eighth president of the University of Minnesota at impressive ceremonies held in the Coffman Memorial Union at Minneapolis on Thursday, April 25. Presidents of the leading universities of the United States participated in the pre-inaugural and inaugural ceremonies. Former presidents Guy Stanton Ford and Walter C. Coffey were given honorary degrees.

The three pre-inaugural meetings were historic in that the thoughts of the leading educators of our nation were focused on the themes The Urgencies of One World, Potentialities of Human Intelligence, and The Urgent Educational Tasks of Our Time.

A general picture of the inaugural ceremonies, as given in "Minnesota Chats" of May 3, reads in part: "The weather was perfect for the academic procession to the inauguration, which started at Coffman Union and ended at the Auditorium. During the conferences, every speaker who had been scheduled appeared on the program. All meetings were well attended, but attendance grew progressively larger toward Thursday, the day for which all delegates would be present.

Between 400 and 500 marched in the academic procession as delegates and took seats on the stage. A guest of the occasion was Field Marshal Lord Henry Maitland Wilson, famous British army commander, who was in Minneapolis on a special speaking engagement. More than 80 delegates represented learned and professional societies, the remainder, colleges and universities."

All who attended the inaugural ceremonies were impressed by the fact that President Morrill has a clear understanding of the problems confronting the whole University and that the best interests of the University, its students and the state will be served in his administration.



DR. J. L. MORRILL
President of the University of Minnesota

Scholarship Awards Made At Commencement Exercises

A total of 139 students received diplomas and Advanced certificates at the 38th annual Commencement Exercises at the Northwest School on March 28. All of the Red River Valley counties of Minnesota and several counties of North Dakota were represented in the graduating classes. Eighty-six students received diplomas from the Regular course and fifty-three students received certificates from the Advanced course.

Dr. John C. West, president of the University of North Dakota, gave the Commencement address. Edward Nelson of Kennedy, president of the Senior class, spoke for the graduating classes. The names of students winning school honors and scholarships were announced by Superintendent T. M. McCall.

Students winning the various awards and scholarships were: Scholarship Medal (highest ranking four-year student)—Gladys Auer of Waubun; Citizenship Medal (Weckwerth Memorial Award)—Anna Mae Ecklund of Lowry, Advanced Girl, and Kenneth Miller of Crookston, Advanced boy; Dramatics and Speech trophy and medal—Margaret Johnson of Leonard; O. W. Peterson Memorial Award for greatest progress in voice instruction—Kenneth Miller of Crookston; Caleb Dorr medal for greatest progress in piano instruction—Delores Hamre of Beltrami; Caleb Dorr Progress Scholarships (\$22.50 each) awarded to highest ranking boy and girl in each class were presented to: FRESHMEN—Donna Mae Auer of Waubun and Manvel Green of St. Thomas, North Dakota; JUNIORS—Ellen Thayer of Bagley and William H. Ash of St. Vincent; SENIORS—Mavis Hasbargen of Baudette, and Edward Nelson of Kennedy; second place winners of Caleb Dorr Progress Scholarships (\$12.50 each) were: Marlys Sargent of Crookston, Freshmen; Jacquelyn Parr of Strathcona, Junior; and Phyllis Lerud of Twin Valley, Senior.

4-H CLUB CAMPS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 3-8

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for honors in the district one-act play contest. "Better Grooming" contests will also be held for the two age groups

Registrations for the 4-H club camps must be made in each county with the county 4-H club agent or county agent. County registrations must be reported to the Registrar at the Northwest School by May 29. The total fee charge per person will be \$2.25 for each camp.

Camp dates for the two groups of counties and the counties included are: South district, June 3-5; West Ottertail, East Ottertail, Clay, Becker, Mahanomen, Norman, West Polk and East Polk; North district, June 6-8; Kittson, Roseau, Pennington, Red Lake, Marshall, Clearwater, and Lake of the Woods.

NORTHWEST SCHOOL BRIEFS

News regarding Northwest School Alumni and Former Students:

***Lawrence Breen, who is a student in the College of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, was recently awarded a \$100 Sears, Roebuck and Company scholarship.

***Roland Wentzel, who received his honorable discharge from the Army in January, is now attending California Polytechnic University at San Luis Obispo, California. Mr. and Mrs. Wentzel (Peggy Kroog) and son are making their home at Avila, California.

***Evelyn Brandli is enrolled at the University of Minnesota. Her address is 1416-7th St., S.E., Minneapolis 14, Minnesota.

***Donald Nelson, a student in the College of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, was recently elected president of the Ag Student Council.

***Oscar Mollidrem is a member of the teaching staff of the Fargo Public Schools this year.

***Wilson Radway is employed as FSA director with headquarters at International Falls, Minnesota.

***William Raymond has registered as a student in electrical engineering at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

***NEW ADDRESS: Pvt. Kenneth Price 17185084, Btry. A 58th A.A.R.T. Bn., Fort Bliss, Texas.

***NEW ADDRESS: Kenneth St. Michael, S 1/C, FAETU (Pac), c/o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California.

***James Dana Edgar, EM 1/C, received his honorable discharge from the U.S. Navy on January 26. His present address is Warren, Minnesota.

***J. Reuben Thompson recently received his honorable discharge from the Army. He spent 51 months in service in camps in this country and in North Africa where he was wounded. At the time of his discharge, he was a company commander in a replacement training center with the rank of Captain. At present, he is making his home at Underwood, Minnesota.

***NEW ADDRESS: Orrin Madson S 2/C, U.S.S. Floyd's Bay AVP-40, 1st Division, c/o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California.

***NEW ADDRESS: Cpl. Carl E. Peterson 37789352, Personnel Section, 1st Infantry, A.P.O. 6, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

***NEW ADDRESS: Pvt. Kent Hanson 17185067, Flight 85 Sq. GG, 3543rd Base Training Unit, San Antonio, Texas.

***NEW ADDRESS: PFC Clarence O. Kochmann, 37798615, 525th A.A.F. Band, A.P.O. 66, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He is stationed in Erlangen, Germany.

***Floyd Forfang recently received his discharge from the U. S. Navy. His

present address is Hallock, Minnesota.

***NEW ADDRESS: T/5 Vernon Jack Christensen, Hdqr. Co. 7th Replacement Depot, A.P.O. 782, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

***NEW ADDRESS: Cpl. Orville E. Dahlsad 37799151, Hq. Co. 4th Tng. Regt. R.T.C., Fort Knox, Kentucky.

***NEW ADDRESS: T/5 Dale V. Miller 37785617, 693rd Q.M. Truck Co., A.P.O. 928, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

***NEW ADDRESS: Pvt. Richard J. Bonner 46026850, Hqs. Army Security Agency, Europe, A.P.O. 757, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

***NEW ADDRESS: Pvt. Bert Tollefson 37803918, Serv. Co. 508 Parcht. Inf. Regt., A.P.O. 757, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

***Christian Holte was recently discharged from the U. S. Army after serving for 41 months in the air corps. His present address is: 231 Waverly Place, Spokane, 13, Washington.

***Sgt. Vernon Hoppe has re-enlisted in the U.S. Army for three years and is now stationed at McChord Field, Washington, where he will be located permanently with the 14th air force.

***NEW ADDRESS: Pvt. Robert A. Schneider 37801846, Hg. Co. 3rd Bn., 309 Inf., A.P.O. 78, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

***Major Clayton M. Isaacson is now stationed at McChord Field, Washington, where he is the Assistant Base Supply Officer. He makes his home at Tacoma, Washington.

***Herman F. Skyberg received recognition in the March 1946 issue of the "Farmers' Elevator Guide" magazine. His picture appeared on the outside page and the magazine carried a description of his activities as president of the Farmers Cooperative Marketing Association of East Grand Forks for the past 16 years and a director since 1921. He is also active in other crop improvement organizations. Mr. Skyberg lives near Fisher, Minnesota.

MARRIAGES

***Miss Lois Johnson of Fertile, Minnesota, to Dale Walters of Beltrami, Minnesota on March 28 at Beltrami.

***Miss Gertrude Mahla of Plummer, Minnesota, to Loren W. Parkin of Euclid, Minnesota, on March 23.

***Ensign Dorothy Altepeter to Lt. M. D. Mason, Jr. at Great Lakes, Illinois, on March 9.

***Miss Gladys Vesledahl to Duane Crowser on January 23. They are making their home at Crystal City, Texas.

***Miss Edith Larson to Duane R. Okeson at Ulen, Minnesota, on April 5. They will make their home at 515 Curry Avenue, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota.

BIRTHS

***To Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Myster (Lois Lohn) a daughter on March 17, at Osborne, Ohio.

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20TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S CAMP, JUNE 10-13

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open forum on "Short Cuts in Home-making," which proved so popular at the last Women's Camp meeting, will be the closing feature of the Thursday program.

Music groups from Crookston and feature films will contribute to the entertainment of camp members. Even though a complete program has been planned, Camp Leader Retta Bede assures the campers that plenty of free time for rest and recreation will be available to all.

Officers of the Women's Camp are: Mrs. Walter Oberg of Angus, president; Mrs. Ray F. Thibodo of Stephen, vice-president; Miss Ragna Skarstad of East Grand Forks, secretary; Mrs. Emil Larson of Thief River Falls, treasurer; Mrs. J. C. Hallgrimson of Milton, N. D., sergeant-at-arms.

Members of the Northwest School faculty who will serve on the Women's Camp staff are: Miss Retta Bede, camp leader; Superintendent T. M. McCall, Registrar E. N. Reiersgard; Mrs. Bernice Bauer, dining hall manager; O. C. Turnquist, horticulturist; A. M. Pilkey, poultryman; A. M. Foker and H. W. Soderburg, handicraft.

CHINESE STUDENT VISITS NORTHWEST SCHOOL

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spent considerable time with Superintendent T. M. McCall and heads of the departments of the Experiment Station in a study of the organization of a regional experiment station and the scope of experiment projects. Mr. Chang visited cooperative experimental plots with Professors O. C. Soine and O. C. Turnquist and student home project plots in the Valley with H. H. Lysaker, home project supervisor, and did special work in dairying under Professor O. M. Kiser.

Following his visit at Crookston, Mr. Chang was scheduled to visit the Experiment Station at St. Paul and experiment stations in Rhode Island.

NORTHWEST SCHOOL BRIEFS

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***To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bergerson (Eleanor Dufault) a son, Wayne Philip, on March 23, at Warren, Minnesota.

***To Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Johnson (Wilma Coss) a son, Gregg Robert, on May 6, at Spokane, Washington.

DEATHS

***Bernard E. Moses on February 7, 1946, at White Bear Lake, Minnesota.

***Phillip Halliday on April 13 at Saskatoon, Canada.

ADDRESS CHANGES WANTED

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keep our mailing list up-to-date. Send information to Superintendent T. M. McCall, Northwest School, Crookston, Minnesota.