Correspondence from Germany. Giddings Deutsches Volksblatt, 21 September 1911. Image 011300343.

Rorreiponbeng and Dentidlanb. (Bos Rethias Bas(4le.) Sales 107 bá Gy calory, SL. Cept. 191 Bertes Bollsblatti Bunachft. bleve meinem lieben alten Freunde Gottlob Sento im fernen Tetas jur Rachricht, bas fein Bruber heinrich im Ottober. 1909 gestorben ift. Am 16, 17. unb 18. September fand in Spremberg im Gefelicaftshaufe eine Dbft- und Bemufe-Aus-ftellung flatt. Die fconften Mepfel, Birnen und Bflaumen, fowie Beine tranben maren ausgelegt. In ber Bemüfe - Abteilung waren bie berfojebenen Rabenarten, Beiftrant, Rottrait, Bohnen, Erbfen, Rur-bife, Butten ufm. burch prächtige Eremplate bertieten. Der Baupis amed biefer Musftellung mar wohl Die Demonftrierung ber Birtung von Ruuftbunger und beffen Mmpreifung, ba viele unferer Bandwirte wenig ober gar teinen Gebrauch baven machen, weil beilpielsweife bie auf mit Runftbänger gebängtem Banbe gezogenen Rarioffein febr groß werden, jeboch nicht fo gut fomeden als bie, welche auf mit Stallbunger gebüngtem Banbe gejogen wurden. Jeboch fiber ben Eröffnungstag biefer immerhin bichft intereffanten Anoftellung laffe ich ben "Spremberger Angei-ger", vom 16. September, wie folgt berichten : Dente Bormittog 11 Uhr murbe bie bon bem Doft- und Wartenban-Berein für Guremberg und Umgegend arrangierte Mus-Reflung in Gegenwart ber Spipen ber lanblichen und ftabeifchen Behorden fomie jahlreicher Mitalieber horden fomie jahlreicher Mitalieber bet Rreis und Stabipertermigen und in Anweienbeit jahlreicher Da-men und herren ans unferer Stabt und beren nährern Umgebung er öffnet. Rach bem einleitend von ber Stadtlapelle gefpielten Choral "Bobe ben herren" betrat hert Brof. Rorge bie mit tunfflerifdem Gefcmad beforierte Bahne, um m be Bertretung bes Ghrenborfibenben @1 herrin Sanbrat Dr. Billins tie ift, Musftellung offigiell får eröffnet gu Bi ertlåren. Der Rebuer baulte por- Da erft bem herrn Sanbrat für bie Ø Uebernahme bes Brotettorats und tag watf alsbann einen Rudblid auf Ga bie bor einigen Jahren veranftaltete ein bie Musftellung, bie in Rücfficht auf bie banals mir geringe Mitgliederzahl bes vergnftaltenben Bereins untur-gemäß nicht fo umfangreich fein fen tonnte wie die hentige. Der Ber-ିହ

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Station. 107, Spremberg. September 21, 1911

Esteemed Volksblatt!

First, please tell my dear friend, Gottlieb Jento in far off Texas that his brother Heinrich died in October 1909.

On September 16, 17 and 18, there was an exhibition of fruit and vegetables in the business place. The best apples, pears and prunes were on display. Among the vegetables, there were different kinds of carrots, white cabbage, red cabbage, beans peas, pumpkins, pickles, etc. all splendid samples. The main purpose of the Exhibition was to demonstrate the effectiveness of using artificial fertilizer and of its value, since many of our farmers do not use it, and to show how artificial fertilized land produces such large potatoes, although they may not taste as good as those raised on barn manure fertilized fields. Still, I will let the Spremberg Anzeiger of September 16 report about this always interesting Exhibition as follows: This morning at 11:00 o'clock, the Garden Society of Spremberg and Vicinity arranged Exhibition was opened attended by the Spitzender rural and city authorities, as well as numerous district members and city officials and many women and children from our town and the nearby vicinity. After the prelude on the hymn "Praise to the Lord" was played by the city band, Professor Karge stepped up on the beautifully decorated stage as the representative of the Honorable Chairman, the (Landrat) Dr. Wilkins, to declare the Exhibition to be officially opened. The speaker first thanked the (Landrat) for letting him take over, and then reviewed the exhibitions of several years ago, which, in hindsight, was attended by such a small number of members of the Society, so that

tonnte wie die hentige. Der Ber g ein habe in ber Swifchenzeit nicht geruht und bas Bringip bes Ber-eins, immer weitere Areife für ben 1 Dbft- und Gartenbau gu intereffieren, int de Birflichteit umgefest; ber befte Beweis hierfur fet bie th allen Teilen fo reich befchidte Mus-Bellung. Die Ausstellenben batten gezeigt, bas fie, trop ber Hingunft ber Butterung, alles baran gefest hatten au zeigen, bag bie fanbige Dart imfande ift, Doft ju ergengen, bas jeber Ronturreng ftanb-halt, Die hobe Bedeutung aber habe ber Gartenban nur erlangen tonnen, weil unfer Raifer Bubeim II. mit ficherer Band ben Frieden ju wahren wußte, bem es auch gelingen werde, bas Staatsfoiff burch Die jesige Rrife wohlgeborgen bin burchzubringen. In bas auf Ge. Rajeftat, ausgebrachte breimalige Burrah, in bas die Rebe bes Derrin " Beofeffor Rarge austlang, ftimmten bie Anwefenden begeiftert ein, bie Rapelle fpiefte anfchließend bas Lieb , feil Dir im Siegertrana". Runmehr flattete Derr Rarge in feiner Eigenichaft als 2. Boffigen ber bes DbR - und Gartenbaubereins allen, bie gum Gelingen ber Ausftellung beigetragen haben, den Dant ab und ind bie Anmejenben ju einem Rundgang burch biefelbe tein. Die jur Schan gestellten Der b foratfonen und fonftige Binbereien bas im wahren Ginne bes Bortes jam Mubeifen fcone Dbft, bas in einem besonderen Raunte ansge-legte Gemüje, bie win erlejenem Beiden ad etternibert Derfietun-get fer ifreiland Garinerei und alle fonftigen Grzeugniffe ber unt bem Gartenbau eng verbindenten Gewerbe zwingen bem Befucher die Gewißheit auf, bag bier mit vereinten Rraften ein Wert guftanbe gebracht worden ift, bas bein veranftalterben Berein unr jur Ehre gerrichen tann und bas wert ift, burch gablreichen Befuch bes Publichung belohnt gn werben. hoffen wir allo, bas am heutigen Sonnabend, Sonniag und Mon-tag fich elle Freunde bes Dbft-und Gartenbaus im Gefelicaftshaufe e in Stellbichein geben; jeber wird bie Ausstellung befriedigt verlaf-fen. Der Elfenbahner. 海州

it could not have been nearly as successful as the one today. The Society in the meantime has not rested in widening the principles of the Society for a larger circle of interest in fruit and garden growing to become a reality. This is the best reason for this so richly endowed Exhibition. The exhibitors showed, that, despite the unfavorable weather, that the sandy soil was to be able to grow fruit that could stand up to any competition. But the high goals of the garden growers could only be achieved because our Kaiser Wilhelm II had kept the peace with his strong hand and brought the ship of state safely through the present crisis. Three times "Hurrahs" were made for His Majesty, ringing out during the speech of Professor Karge, in which those present joined in a spirited way, and the band, at the end, played the song, "Hail to You the Victor". In addition, Mr. Karge, in his capacity, as the second chairman of the Fruit and Garden Society, thanked all who had contributed to the success of the Exhibition and asked the attendees to give them a round of applause. The way the decorations and the other were laid out for display in a special way, in the true sense of the word, invited one to taste the fruit and the vegetables. (Parts of the next sentence were not readable) of the Freeland Gardeners, and such other products closely associated with the gardeners, assured the visitors that here, with their united efforts, a project had been created that would bring honor to the established Society, and was worth for the public to visit. So, we hope that, on this evening and on Sunday and Monday, that all friends of the Fruit and Garden Growers of the Society would give a contribution, and that each one would leave the Exhibition well stratified. The Railroader

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