The **Dettmer Family Farm Prayer** – translated from hand written German (circa 1880) to English (circa 1920) by Amy Dettmer, and rediscovered in a 1944 Farm journal. The journal book was tiny, only 3"x 5" as the International Fertilizer Company was helping to save paper for the war effort. A copy in German was on the wall near the farm kitchen table in the 1960s and early 1970s where they had family devotions.

Our Heavenly Father,

We Thank Thee for our food and all the necessary things of this life. Be Thou with us; and help us to remember Thy mercies, and be strengthened to face whatever may come, knowing that Thy Love is about us and Thy Care is unfailing.

Please help us to take our burdens to Thee and leave them there! In Jesus Name we pray.

<u>Amen</u>

