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Report of the Condition of the
LINCOLN COUNTY BANK,
of Canton, S. D.
at the Close of Business,
June 9th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$130 791 79
Overdrafts by solvent customers	3 277 95
Current expenses	3 842 74
Taxes paid	466 64
Banking house	8 000 00
Furniture and fixtures	1 400 00
Cash on hand and in banks	84 089 19
Total	$231 868 31

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$20 000 00
Surplus	4 100 00
Undivided profits	4 322 81
Deposits	203 445 50
Total	$231 868 31

State of South Dakota, County of Lincoln, } ss.

I, O. K. Brown cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct.

OSCAR K. BROWN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of June A. D. 1904. ASA FORREST, JR., Notary Public.

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Will sell a new NorthWestern Road Wagon complete with pole and shafts, at a bargain if taken quick. Enquire at Mutual Lumber Co. office. 51-3

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A good 7 room house, cistern, good well and barn for sale. Inquire of Chris Sandvig.

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The north-east quarter of section 5, Brooklyn township, is offered for sale on easy terms. Enquire of J. D CHAPMAN. 42tf

Two Farms for Rent.

The n. w. of 35 Lincoln township, and the s. w. of 26 in same township, will be rented. Enquire of L. L Redfield at Lincoln Country Bank. 39-

For Sale.

German millet, new, clean seed. No mustard in this seed.
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Notice of Time Appointed for Approving Will, etc.

State of South Dakota, County of Lincoln, } ss:
In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gudmund Osmundson, deceased.

The state of South Dakota sends greetings to Bretha Gudmundson, O. M. Gudmundson, O. K. Gudmundson, Gilbert Gudmundson, Malinus Gudmundson, Severin Gudmundson, Mrs. J. E. Jacobson and Mrs. John Dedrickson heirs next of kin of Gudmund Osmundson, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of said court made on the 31st day of May A. D. 1904, notice is hereby given that Monday, the 20th day of June A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of said court, at the City of Canton in the County of Lincoln have been appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Gudmund Osmundson, deceased, and for hearing the said petition for probate thereof and the issuance of Letters Testamentary therein, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated at Canton, South Dakota, the 31st day of May, A. D. 1904. By the Court,
F. T. CUTHBERT,
Attest: A. BRADY BECK, Judge of the County Court
Clerk of County Court.

—Delicious ice cream soda at Noid's.

—Tossini has the finest candies, nuts, fruits.

Claus Hegness was in town Wednesday.

The firemen continue to practice for the tournament.

Warren Dick and wife are home from Hot Springs.

Two excursions are advertised in this issue of the LEADER.

Miss Laura Whitmore is at Vermillion visiting friends.

A fine daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glaettli Tuesday.

Mrs. Asa Forrest, sr. and young Master Asa, jr., are at Hudson on a visit.

Miss Sarah Thompson has closed a very successful term of school at Fairview.

Miss Emma Dahl who has been home for a week, returned to Sioux Falls Monday.

H. D. Fitch came up from Hudson Monday to enjoy a visit with his son, Mayor Fitch.

The C. C. Club had a delightful picnic party in Louie Christopher's grove last Saturday.

Mrs. W. S. Ingham and children have gone to Adams, Minnesota, for a visit with her sister.

Mr. Wallace Koons, son of Rev. S. E. Koons, arrived home Monday from college at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

F. A. Ballou returned from Lyman County Wednesday, where he visited for a time with his family on the farm.

Photographer Segrud is building a nice residence alongside his gallery. He proposes to have things convenient.

The firemen are doing some fine work in preparation for the tournament. Henry Feldman's ladder work is very fine.

Miss Mina Steensland is home from her visit to Minnesota, and was the guest of Dr and Mrs. Nannestad at Bricelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gould of California, are in Canton on a visit to relatives. Mrs. Gould is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. York.

Miss Vera Lewis entertained the B. Y. P. U. last Friday evening, and served strawberries and cream and cake to her young guests.

Don't forget the ice cream social to be given by the Epworth League Friday evening, this week, on the lawn at the residence of Judge Kennedy.

Dr. C. D. Tuttle and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine boy at their home Wednesday, and Grandpa Kehm is the happiest man in Cantan.

The Adventists camp meeting is well attended, and the audience in the auditorium Tuesday and Wednesday evenings made one think of Assembly days.

Mrs. P. S. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. S. B. Averill, Miss Nora Oliver, Judge Gifford, O. A. Rudolph and Carl Tank are at Yankton as delegates to the Masonic Grand Lodge and Eastern Star.

Miss Anna Jacobson is home from Madison where she graduated last week in the state normal. She is down in Norway visiting but will return to Canton and spend the summer with her sister. Mrs. Prof. Lawrence.

Elder E. G. Hayes, who had charge of arranging the tents in Dobson Park, for the Adventists, made a decided improvment on the Assembly tent program of last year. He is an expert in fixing a camp for the accommodation of his guests.

Harry and George, sons of President Henderson of the Gold River Co., with Charles Warrior, left for St. Paul Wednesday in company of Tom Glendinning and family. They will join Mr. Guinter at St. Paul and go to Gold River together.

Hon. Walter Wilkinson, of Mitchell, formerly of Lennox, was in Canton Monday visiting his old friends, who were glad to see him. Mr. Wilkinson says he finds all the Pierre friends of former days now ready to vote for Mitchell, because they say Mitchell is a town all the people can reach with ease and comfort, and it will bring the capital within two hours ride of Canton.

The Lincoln county Normal institute will begin June 20 and conclude July 1. Prof. L. A. Stout of Mitchell, will be the conductor. The instructors are: Mrs. Jennie Rudolph Gifford—Arithmetic, Current Events and Literature. Prof. C. G. Lawrence—History, Civics and Bookkeeping, Prof G. H. Ellingson—Grammar, Geography and Reading. Miss Alice Carry Wilson—Primary Instructor, Music and Drawing, Prof. Stout has Didactics, Orthography and Grammar. Prof. Dean, County Superintendent, has given the institute and its work careful consideration. and expects a very successful session.

The second district Sunday school convention for Lincoln county will be held in the brick church, Sunday, June 19. The exercises begin at 10:25. The opening number is a song service, followed by reading of Scripture and prayer by Prof. A. G. Tuve. At 10:30 Pres. Oliver will deliver his annual address The ultimate aim of the Sunday school will be discussed by Miss Mary Smith, and the evangelistic vs. the educational ideal of the teacher will be presented by Rev. Hawkes. The advantages and disadvantages of the International lessons will be discussed by Mrs. C. B. Kennedy. The afternoon session will be opened by Rev. Soule with Scripture reading and prayer. The Bible from a historical point of view by Rev. Swickard, and Rev. S. E. Koons will discuss the ways and means of interesting scholars in the study of the lessons. The session will close after the election of officers.

—If you want the most delicious ice cream soda go to Noid's drug store.

The race track is in splendid condition, and the races which are to come off in July, will find a great crowd on hand to enjoy them.

LeRoy Scott has secured the appointment of rural mail carrier on route four, which runs one mile west and thence north, covering a distance of 27 miles. Mr. Scott will make a careful and prompt mail carrier.

H. W. Gurnsey and wife, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ainsworth, left for their home at Steele, North Dakota, Thursday morning. They will visit with friends at Lyon, Minn, enroute.

Alexander Hannah, the eldest of the Hannah brothers, and all of them Lincoln county pioneers, is a very pleasant gentleman and one of Canton's best citizens. All of them, Thomas, Robert and Alexander belong to the LEADER family.

The pioneer picnic over in Lincoln township Tuesday was well attended, about 600 being present. State Superintendent Nash was present and delivered an address A fine dinner was served and all enjoyed the occasion. The Worthing band furnished the music.

Tom Glendinning, wife and three children left for St. Paul Wednesday, where Tom and family will join Mr. Guinter and go on to Gold River. Tom will run the company mess house, and it is a safe prediction that everybody will live on the best in the land.

D. S. Guinter, general manager of the Gold River Mining and Power Company, left for British Columbia, Tuesday, where he will superintend the work of flume building, and other necessary work required to get the water out of the old river bed for power and also expose the gold in the bottom of the river.

Walt Corson, one of the old Cantonites, has come to Canton to spend several weeks with friends. He owns a fine fruit farm at Mammoth Springs, Ark., and may sell out and return to his first choice. Walt is looking fine and time has dealt kindly with him in his southern home. His many friends here were glad to see him.

Miss Leta Stowell had a party last week, in honor of her fourteenth birthday. Thirty of her young friends—boys and girls—were present to help celebrate the event. Miss Leta was presented with a three stone opal ring, and is very proud of the love token. She is a sweet young lady and deserved the kind consideration of her young companions.

No preaching service at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning. Sabbath School at 12 o'clock. Preaching Sabbath evening at 8 p. m. Text: II. Timothy, 3:16. "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness." Subject: The Profitableness of Bible Study.

—Best wall paper, all shades, latest designs at Noid's.

Dr. Martin, of Parker, one of the most enthusiastic veterans among the old soldiers, came over from his Turner county home Monday, accompanied by John Evans. The Doctor is anxious to have the avenue in front of the Grand Army hall in the park graded up and tents put in line. Mr. Evans will build at once, a fine cottage across the avenue from the Grand Army hall and occupy it this summer. Dr. Martin returned to Parker Tuesday and will be on hand again to help greet the veterans when they arrive here June 28.

J. D. Cloud was up north last Tuesday examining the condition of growing crops, and reports small grain doing well with corn a little backward. He happened around the big farm of Charley South at dinner time, either by accident or design, the latter we presume, for he was hungry hunting crop conditions. Mr. South was building a fine picket fence around his handsome home surrounded by 640 broad acres under a high state of cultivation. "Bro. Cloud," said Charles, "if you can stand a country wash day dinner, come right in." Mrs. South had a feast—a dinner that would make an epicure smile with joy, and the hungry crop hunter retired from the scene satisfied that a "wash day" dinner at the South mansion was equal to anything he had ever encountered anywhere. Mrs. South is noted for elaborate and elegant entertainment and the big mansion out on the big farm affords ample opportunity. Mr. Cloud says when he goes crop hunting again he will try to make Mr. South's on wash day at dinner time.

—All kinds of base ball goods at Noid's.

The children's day exercises at the M. E church last Sunday morning, was very interesting and was enjoyed by a large audience. The Carnation Orchestra did exceedingly well and are improving in execution. About thirty little ones sang "Greeting to Summer" sweetly, and the dear happy little faces looked the picture of summer joy. Delia Bushnell's greeting was well rendered, and Ben Kennedy, stout robust manly little fellow, recited charmingly. The infant class sang "Little Maiden" very nicely, and how sweetly innocent they looked—a beautiful picture of purity. Alice Farmer recited in a good clear voice and did it well. Janie and Nathan Swickard sang a duet very sweetly. Nettie Loomer recited charmingly with a fine voice. Mrs. Straw's class sang, and it was a pleasure to watch the happy faces as they sang. Dr. Swickard spoke of the beautiful things in life and of the flowers and pleased all by his happy remarks. The Carnation Orchestra closed the program which was most enjoyable from beginning to end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boyce went up to Sioux Falls Wednesday on a short visit with friends.

Ed. Martin, day clerk at the Rudolph, arrived home Tuesday night from Douglas, Kan.

J. B. Ryan, manager of the Red Wing Butter and Egg Co., went down to Sioux City Tuesday on business.

Mankato Commercial College, Mankato Minn., will help you to make money. Write for their catalogue.

Billy Kruger arrived from Wisconsin Wednesday and will greatly strengthen the ball team. He played with Canton last year.

A. H. Patch of Bloomington, Wis., an old friend of Chas. Heckmaster, was in the city this week. He is introducing an attachment for binders, which is claimed to make the machine run lighter, bind tighter and separate tangled grain.

Owing to a previous engagement of long standing, and which was to take precedence to all others, making it impossible for Dr. Chalmers to be here on June 24th, the Rural Commencment will be held a day earlier, on Thursday evening, June 23rd, at which time Dr. Chalmers will be present and give the address.

Acting Commissioner Fimple, of the general land office, has notified J. B. Stickney of South Dakota that they must withdraw advertisements wherein they offer to register old soldiers for the Rosebud reservation opening in Aug. 8 for a consideration. Under the provisions of the bill soldiers and sailors are entitled to have some person register for them, but each can only register for one soldier.

The Beloit school, taught by Mrs. Ed. Maynard and the Sogn school, taught by Miss Bessie Henderson, held a joint picnic at Beloit Wednesday. A fine picnic dinner was served and there was amusement for all and the teachers and pupils enjoyed the union celebration immensely. Mrs. Maynard is a fine teacher and Miss Henderson is considered one of the best in Lyon county.

Special Reduction Sale.

I will commence on Thursday, June 16, a special sale of laces, silks, ribbons and flowers, and this sale will continue until these beautiful novelties are closed out. I will also make a discount of 25 per cent. on street hats, and 15 per cent. reduction on dress hats.
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The finest cut glass and and silverware for wedding presents Call and inspect our goods. Nothing better anywhere and prices right. Noid,s Drug Store. 52-

Mrs. B. M. Johnston returned from Orange City Wednesday.

Photographer Knudtson has moved his gallery to Sigrud's old stand on 5th street.

Ed. Shufelt is decorating the front of the Butts' dispensary in silver and black, a handsome combination.

There will be no regular services in the churches next Sunday. All will unite in the Sunday School Convention at the brick church at 10:15 o'clock. The Sunday school sessions will be held at the various churches as usual.

Capt. Berg expects Co. "E" will go into camp at Watertown with 40 men, and 40 men will be above the average. Capt. Berg is bringing his company up to a high standard of perfection by constant and careful instruction, and the members respond to his efforts cheerfully. The troops will go into camp June 24, and break camp July 2.

Mayor Abby of Garner, Iowa, was in Canton last week, and we found him under the double Eagle wing of Ed. Shufelt, and they are as fine a duet of double eagles as the sun ever guided over the mountains. Mayor Abby is an old timer at Garner, and we enjoyed hearing about the Baileys, Brockways, Mabens, Ways and other veterans in pioneer days. The Mayor keeps one elegantly fitted room for the entertainment of Cantonites and wants us to come down.

By reference to an ad in this issue, it will be observed that Col. Kelsey will hold another grand combination sale of registered cattle at Tyndall, BonHomme county, June 30, 1904. The contributers to the sale is the largest he has had at any sale and they represent the very best breeders of pure bred cattle in the northwest. The breeds offered are, Herefords, Short Horns and Aberdeen Angus. Col. Kelsey, in a private letter, states that he has 480 head of registered cattle for sale, and may come to Canton again in the fall. The Tyndall sale will be worth attending.

—Into each life some ruins must fall,
Wise people don't sit down and bawl:
Only fools suicide or take to flight,
Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. I. M. Helmey & Co.

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Excursion to Lakes Okoboji and Spirit Lake Sunday, June 19.

Via the Chicago, Millwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Grand Concert and Musical Program in the pavilion at 1:30 p. m., free to holders of excursion tickets. Baseball game—Renville, Minn., vs. Canton, S. D., Club, at 2.30 p. m.; general admission free to holders of excursion tickets. Five large steamers will carry excursionists around the lakes at a low rate.

Special train will leave Canton at 7:45 a. m. on Sunday June 19, and returning will leave Arnold's Park at 6:45 p. m. Sunday, June 19.

Excursion tickets will be good only on special train going and returning. Round-trip rate from Canton $1.50.

Apply to Ticket Agent of C. M. & St. P. R'y.

Excursion to Spirit Lake, Thursday, June 23

Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, account Northwestern Iowa M. W. A. Picnic. Street Parade and Band Concert after arrival of special trains. Baseball—Clinton, Iowa, vs. "The Spauldings," Chicago. Balloon and Parachute Exhibit. Foresters' public Drill; prizes of $25, $15, $10. Royal Neighbors' public Drill; prize, $25. Camp with largest number in parade, $25. High Diving. Looping the Loop on a bicycle. Cycle Whirl by Madam Helene and Mr. Wilson. Other athletic games and attractions. Grand Ball at Opera House.

Special Train leaves Canton at 6:30 a. m, on Thursday June 23; returning, leaves Spirit Lake 7:00 p. m., Thursday, June 23. Tickets good going and returning only on special train and date. Round-trip rate from Canton $1 50.

Apply to ticket agent of C. M. & St. P. R'y.

A Sure Lice Killer.

One application of Dr. Noid's lice killer, painted on wood or sprinkled in chicken house or barn, will drive out or kill all vermin. This remedy never fails. Get it at Noid's Drug Stare,

Excursions.

For the National Republican Convention Chicago, June 21-24, 1904, round trip tickets will be sold from Canton at $14.75. Sell June 16 to 20 inclusive good to return to June 29.

For the National Democratic Convention St. Louis, Mo., July 6, 1904, round trip tickets will be sold from Canton to St. Louis, Mo., at $16.55. Sell July 2 to 6th inclusive, good to return 15 days from date including date of sale.

For further particulars call at ticket office. T. T. Smth, Agt.

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