

Topics of a Week

Nels Tofte and son, of Tofte, called on friends in town Monday.

Mrs. John Woods left for a few days visit in Duluth last Saturday.

George H. Durfee returned Sunday evening from a business visit in Milwaukee, Wis.

Mr. John Cedarstrom of Devils Track Lake made a business trip to the village Monday.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Matt Lanktree next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matheson, of Duluth, visited friends and relatives in the village last week.

James S. Woods left for a business trip to Duluth last Saturday. He will return the last of the week.

Gust T. Nelson, of Lutsen, made a business visit in the village last night, returning on this morning's stage.

N. B. Arnold, of Duluth, arrived on the Sunday boat and is spending a few days in the village on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gilbertsen and baby departed for Duluth last Thursday, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson had the misfortune to fall from a chair recently and has been suffering from partial paralysis as the result.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith drove through from Duluth yesterday in a car. They were accompanied by the Misses Daisy Dean and Gretchen Roehrer.

Mr. Frank McCormick of Brimley, Mich., and John McCormick, of Duluth, Minnesota, are visiting their sister, Mrs. John J. Hussey and family.

Capt. Francis, of Isle Royale, spent the first of the week in town. Capt. Francis is an old timer on this shore and renewed acquaintance with many of the old settlers.

Word has been received from E. J. Filatrault that the moving picture films of Cook county scenes which were to have been taken here the last of last month will be taken in August.

Mr. John Woods is on the sick list suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Mrs. Geo. Burgess, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Lien, left for her home at Unity, Wis., on Saturday night. She was accompanied by Mrs. L. H. Lien and they will meet their father in Duluth for a short visit with him.

Mrs. Johanna Anderson, of Colville, was badly bruised yesterday when the team she drove became frightened and unmanageable, running up on a side hill and throwing Mrs. Anderson to the ground. She was badly cut in the head and Dr. Hicks was immediately called to dress the wound. As far as we can learn the injuries are not serious.

Our Dumb Animals: If every housewife would see to it that the delivery horse has to make but one trip a day to her door, a vast amount of work and actual suffering would be saved thousands of horses. The orders of the day thought out in the morning would make it unnecessary to ask for a second, sometimes a third, delivery.—Ex.

On Monday evening Mr. Lars Lundquist returned from his business trip to Minneapolis and Duluth and brot with him his family, and a brother who resides in Strandberg, S. D., Mr. Godfred Lundquist. Mr. Godfrey Lundquist has a pleasing personality and we hope to see him locate here as he is at present considering. During the six weeks that Mrs. Lundquist and her children were away they visited relatives and friends in Strandberg, Labolt, Millbank, and Stockholm, S. D. Tho they made a comparatively long stay they did not get time to call on more than a limited number of their acquaintances. The climate of South Dakota is at present unusually sultry and the rain fall above the ordinary and a peculiar vapor rises from the soil, which is something that people do not remember of having witnessed in that state before. Tho Mrs. Lundquist enjoyed her visit, it was a pleasant change to return to the village of Grand Marais.

County Board Takes Action on Railroad Bonds.

On Monday afternoon the county commissioners voted to take steps to cancel the Grand Marais and Northwestern Railroad bonds now held in escrow by the First National Bank of Duluth. N. B. Arnold has been engaged by the county board to assist in cancelling the bonds. This action has been under consideration for some time but the attitude of the board has been to give the Grand Marais & Northwestern every possible show to get their road constructed and on that account has delayed the cancellation steps just taken until the present time.

MAY VOTE BONDS

Town of Maple Hill Considering Road Bond Issue of \$15,000.00

The town board of the town of Maple Hill is considering the proposition of issuing bonds for \$15000 or \$20000 for the purposes of improving the Gunflint road running through that town.

This road is at present in need of improvement and we believe that any money invested in this road would be money well spent for the town and county.

There is at present a special demand for this road, as a mineral syndicate wishes to bring in several diamond drills for the purpose of blocking out ore and getting ready for putting it on the market. Aside from this the road is extensively used, and can now be used only by wagons when in first class condition. While this road expense should not fall entirely on the town of Maple Hill, we have no doubt but that if the Maple Hill people take the lead in building this road, that the county will fall in line with them and boost it with their aid, as the Gunflint road is slated by the county board for improvement as soon as the shore road is a little more nearly completed, according to the present plans.

Blind Pig at Chippewa?

On Monday morning John Newton was arrested on a charge of conducting an unlicensed drinking place and brought before Matt Johnson, Justice of the Peace. Through his attorney, N. B. Arnold, he demanded a change of venue which was granted and the case was transferred to Justice Geo. H. Durfee, the case being called for trial on Tuesday morning at which time he plead not guilty and waived trial by jury. Upon examination of the chief witness for the state, Chas. Howenstine, the case was dismissed upon the motion of County Attorney Murphy, it appearing that the testimony given by Mr. Howenstine at the trial was absolutely contradictory to that he gave at the preliminary examination held last week. It is understood that the case will be again brought up but no warrant has yet been issued.

County Picnic

We have heard enough favorable comment on the General County Picnic we proposed last week to feel warranted in pegging away at it until the county board or a committee appointed by them take steps to arrange it. We would like to hear from the Chairman of the County Board in regard to it.

Miss Grace Schafer is conducting a kindergarten school in the Douglas building on Broadway. She has specialized in that work and is very successful in creating much interest in the minds of the little children in the instruction she is giving them. This is a new venture in this village and should be encouraged, as it fulfills a need which our local school does not supply at the present time.

John Cedarstrom is making a number of improvements on his farm at the east end of Devilstrack Lake, including an extensive addition to his dwelling.

Peter Anderson was badly bruised on Monday when his horse became frightened and made a lunge breaking one of the shaft bolts which caused the rig to strike the horses feet. One of the lines then broke and Mr. Anderson was thrown to the ground causing several bad bruises.

The rapid development of manufacturing in Minnesota during the five-year period between 1909 and 1914 is shown in a bulletin issued by the federal census bureau. The value of products was \$493,354,000 in 1914, as compared to \$409,420,000 in 1909, a gain of \$83,934,000, or 20.5 per cent. The average for each plant was \$88,000 in 1914 and \$74,000 in 1909.

A PLEASANT VISIT

Lake County Commissioners and Others Drove Down From Two Harbors.

The village of Grand Marais was pleasantly surprised last evening by a sudden visit of all of the Lake county Commissioners, accompanied by a number of prominent citizens of Two Harbors and Lake county.

The party made the trip in three autos and arrived about 5:30 in the afternoon. The trip was made partly as an inspection trip of the Lake and Cook county roads and much was said in praise of the North Shore Boulevard in Cook county.

The party visited our public buildings and a few old friends and acquaintances in the village, leaving for Two Harbors early this morning.

The party consisted of County Commissioners G. H. Good, A. J. Sanju, John Ohlund, C. E. Bergren, and John Norlen who is chairman of the board. Also County Auditor John P. Paulson, Theodor G. Johnson, editor of the Journal-News, Coroner T. J. Brown, Highway Engineer Hans C. Hanson, Alfred Sonju, George Rogere of Winton and Alfred Fenstad of Little Marais, who is one of the managers of the telephone company operating from Tofte to Two Harbors.

On account of the unannounced arrival and a general understanding that the party would return to Two Harbors immediately after supper, nothing formal was arranged for the party by our citizens. We hope that the party will make us another visit (and let us know in advance) that we may show them that we are not lacking in hospitality nor in appreciation of the visit of our neighbors, who may well feel proud of their part in the development of Northeastern Minnesota.

Come again.

GATHERED FROM ALL SECTIONS

Happenings of the Week Briefly Told for the Convenience of the Busy Reader.

Minneapolis reports the first fatal heat prostration in two years.

Fire started by lightning destroyed the Farmers' Co-operative elevator at Atwater.

B. B. Smith, agent of the Omaha railway in Stillwater for thirty years, died suddenly of heart disease, aged fifty years.

The Eighth division of Minnesota United States marines at Lindstrom has received orders to be in readiness to move to the front at any time.

Christ Tromburg of St. Paul is dead and Waldemar Larssen of St. Paul was seriously injured as a result of an automobile accident near White Bear.

The Minnesota camp of the order of Maccabees has gone on record in favor of extending the insurance benefits to all members who are national guardsmen.

The first gun of a campaign to vote St. Louis county dry will be fired at a meeting at Virginia July 9. The Anti-Saloon league will co-operate with local workers.

The University of Minnesota rifle team tied for eighth place in the National Rifle association's intercollegiate outdoor rifle tournament at Washington, D. C.

Twenty-two nationalities were represented in the night school classes for the instruction of aliens which were conducted by the Virginia public schools last year.

While carrying flowers to her grandchildren Mrs. Fred Johnson, aged sixty, of Albert Lea, was decapitated by a train. The flowers were found scattered about her body.

J. W. Gaver of St. Paul was elected president of the National Wholesale Saddlery association, in session at Milwaukee, and Buffalo was selected as the next meeting place.

The third annual Minnesota Rural Life conference is scheduled to begin its five days' session at University Farm, St. Paul, July 24. Many speakers of note are on the program.

Robert C. Pickit, former clerk of the state investment board, has been made defendant in a suit for absolute divorce filed in the Ramsey county district court by Mrs. Mary Pickit. Pickit and Walter J. Smith, former state treasurer, are in the state prison at Stillwater as a result of their looting the state treasury of \$26,000.

What is believed to be the largest catfish ever caught in the Minnesota river was landed recently by Joseph Winkler. The fish weighed forty-eight pounds and was caught a short distance above Fort Ridgely.

Two years ago Fred Jeffries, a laborer, left England to escape enlistment. The other day he was engulfed by twelve tons of sand while at work in a sandpit at St. Paul and was dead when taken out.

When the petition for a county option election for Beltrami county is filed on July 1 it will bear the names of about 1,400 citizens. The southern part of the county, it is believed, will return a 90 per cent dry vote.

John Radish was found guilty of murder in the first degree in the Hennepin county district court. He was charged with the murder of Joseph Breining, a Minneapolis butcher, during an attempted holdup last January.

Joseph W. Bragdon, wealthy Minneapolis clubman, convicted of assault upon a fourteen-year-old girl, was sentenced to seven years in state prison. Stay of execution was granted until Sept 11 and Bragdon was released on bail.

A Northwestern road freight car, while being switched in the yards at Marshall, ran over an automobile being driven by Willis Gillett. The auto was reduced to junk, but Gillett escaped with cuts on the head and minor bruises.

Senator Clapp has appointed Lenthil Wheeler, son of Captain Charles B. Wheeler, a cadet at West Point under the extra cadet law passed by congress. Captain Wheeler, who is stationed at Watertown, N. Y., is a native of Fergus Falls, Minn.

One man is dead at Duluth and another is being held on a charge of assault as the result of terms in which, the police say, the former expressed his opinion of national guardsmen at the Union station at Duluth as the militia were leaving for Fort Snelling.

When a miniature tornado struck Thief River Falls and vicinity the dog of Ole Svernek, a farmer, was picked up bodily and hurled fifty feet, landing in the crotch of a tree, where it remained, howling and shivering, until men from the farm rescued it.

In a pitched battle between striking miners and twenty or thirty Oliver Mining company policemen at Virginia, John Alar, a striker, was killed and Vincent Elias, a grocery store proprietor, was shot through the thigh and an unidentified miner was wounded in the shoulder.

Loggers Take Notice

If sold before August 1st, 1916, will take \$1100.00 for 320 acres of timber land consisting of the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 2; Lot 4 Sec. 10; Lots 5 and 6 and W 1/2 of SW 1/4, NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 11, Township 60 Range 3 West, close to Lake Superior and easily logged. All taxes paid. Good prospects for mineral, will include 45 per cent of mineral rights. If you want a bargain look it over at once and write J. A. Reineke 1420 North Ridgeway Ave. Chicago, Ill.

Notice
The change as announced in last week's paper regarding members and stockholders was not closed, and we wish to announce that we have respectively resigned.

J. A. KIRKWOOD, Jr.
A. M. ANDERSON.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS VILLAGE OF GRAND MARAIS

Present: President, Paine; Alm. Bayle, Tofte, Stulstad.
Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and upon motion approved.
The following bills were upon motion allowed and ordered paid:
Ed. Tofte & Co., supplies \$ 4.91
Andrew Hedstrom, lumber 20.00
Brite Lite Co., supplies 12.52
Matt Johnson, publishing 11.25
People's Supply Co., glass 3.40
Best Light Co., supplies 9.25
Duluth Corrugating & Roofing Co., culverts 39.90
Northfield Iron Co., drag 12.00
Brite Lite Co., supplies 22.44
Standard Oil Co., oil 15.61
Sam Zimmerman, Jr., freight and drayage 7.66
Upon motion S. C. Murphy was appointed Village Attorney at a salary of \$10.00 per month. Carried.

There being no further business the Council adjourned, sine die.
Attest: C. G. STUBSTAD, Clerk.

Dental Notice.

My dental office in the cabin is now open. Those wanting artificial plates will please call and have impressions early.

T. M. ROBERTSON, D. D. S.

Annual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual meeting of Independent School District No. 1, Cook County, Minn., will be held at the school house in the Village of Grand Marais on Saturday the 15th day of July next at seven (7) o'clock in the evening for the following purpose, to-wit:

To elect two (2) directors for the term of three (3) years to fill the vacancies of Andrew Larson and Ed. Nustedt whose terms expire, and to transact all other business prescribed by law. Dated July 8, 1916.

CLAUS C. MONKER,
District Clerk.

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