

THE WEEK'S DEATHS

M. C. Northway, Esteemed Mille Lacs County Pioneer, Answers the Final Summons.

George Coulton of Onamia Township Commits Suicide on Sunday
---Other Deaths.

Marshall C. Northway, a veteran of the Civil war and a respected pioneer citizen of Mille Lacs county, passed over the great divide at his home in Foreston last Monday. Deceased had not been in the best of health for some time, but was able to be up and around until two months ago. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

The 1st sad rites were conducted from the Foreston M. E. church at Foreston yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, and the attendance amply attested to the high esteem in which deceased was held. Rev. Justus Parish of Milaca officiated, and the Misses Eunice and Ineze Deans sang three touching selections. Interment was in the Milo cemetery.

Marshall C. Northway was born in the state of Ohio, March 7, 1837, so at the time of his death was 77 years, 7 months and 3 days old. At the outbreak of the Civil war he enlisted in the 6th Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, and served his country with honor and credit until the close of the war. He came to Minnesota after hostilities ceased and located on a homestead in the town of Milo, this county, during the year of 1866. This county had since been his home. Mr. Northway was united in marriage, June 26, 1870, to Miss Mary E. Bonney, who survives him.

Besides the widow deceased is survived by a son, Charles, of Foreston; a daughter, Mrs. Myrilla A. Sanford, of Princeton; four brothers, Myron E., of Milo; Eli B., of Rugby, N. D.; Jocine, of Forsyth, Montana; Pennington, of Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Rose Babb, of Spokane, Washington.

Marshall C. Northway was one of those rugged, honest pioneers who it is ever a pleasure to meet. He was a good citizen in the fullest sense of the term, and will be sorely missed by all who enjoyed his acquaintance.

Onamia Man Suicides.

George Coulton, an old resident of Onamia town, committed suicide last Sunday, using a 30-30 rifle. His health was presumably the reason for the rash deed, as he had been afflicted with rheumatism for some time.

The body might not have been discovered for some time, had not Coulton made arrangements with his neighbors to the effect that in case he became ill he would suspend a white flag from the roof of his house, as he was a widower and lived alone. On Monday morning B. Erickson, a neighbor, noticed a flag attached to the Coulton house, and went over to investigate. Upon his arrival he found the dead body with the rifle beside it.

Coroner S. H. Olsen of Milaca was notified, and he went to Onamia last Monday, but decided that an inquest was not necessary.

Deceased was about 60 years of age, and had been a resident of Onamia several years. He is survived by two sons and two daughters.

Mrs. Hollis Pendleton.

Mrs. Hollis Pendleton of Princeton succumbed to cancer at the Northwestern hospital last Monday.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church last Tuesday afternoon. Rev. E. B. Service officiated, and the Methodist quartet sang several beautiful selections. Interment was in Oak Knoll cemetery.

Mrs. Pendleton, whose maiden name was Esther Veal, was born in Princeton, February 15, 1877. She was united in marriage to Hollis Pendleton, November 3, 1894. Her husband and two children survive her.

Mrs. Hattie M. Pemberton.

Mrs. Hattie May Pemberton, an esteemed resident of Spencer Brook, answered the final summons on Friday evening, October 1, after a lingering illness at the age of 58 years and 9 months. Hemorrhage of the brain was the immediate cause of death.

Funeral services were conducted from the family residence Saturday afternoon, October 2, at 3 o'clock, and were largely attended. Rev. A. Lindgren, pastor of the Cambridge Swedish Baptist church, officiated.

Interment was in the Nichols cemetery.

Deceased, whose maiden name was Hattie M. Messer, was born in Enfield, Maine, January 1, 1856. At the age of eight years she accompanied her parents to Minneapolis, and remained there until 16 years of age when she commenced teaching school in Spencer Brook. In 1879 she was united in marriage to Wm. Pemberton, who died five years ago. Besides numerous friends Mrs. Pemberton leaves to mourn her demise three children, viz: Ernest, Gertrude and Gladys. Three brothers and one sister also survive.

Court Convenes Next Week.

The fall term of the district court for Mille Lacs county will convene at Princeton next Tuesday. Judge C. A. Nye of Moorhead will preside.

There is but one case on the criminal calendar that of the State of Minnesota vs. Ed. Kaliber, charged with a statutory offense. The grand jury, however may return other indictments.

At the time of going to press there were 10 cases on the civil calendar, as follows:

A. C. Wilkes, plaintiff, vs. A. C. Holmes, defendant. This action is a replevin suit, a new trial having been granted by the supreme court.

Associated schools of district 13, plaintiff, vs. consolidated district 17, defendant. Suit to recover tuition money.

J. A. Smith, plaintiff, vs. Globe Mutual Insurance Co., defendant. Action to recover on an insurance policy.

Ray Davis, plaintiff, vs. Jacob Van Rhee, defendant. Suit to recover commission on a land deal.

Central Lumber Co., plaintiff, vs. E. A. Magnuson, defendant. Suit to recover on a note.

Johan J. Tammie plaintiff, vs. Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie Railway Co., defendant. Action to recover for personal injuries.

State of Minnesota, plaintiff, vs. Lee Scott, et al., defendants. Suit to recover on a bond.

J. M. Johnson, plaintiff, vs. F. A. McKim, defendant. Action to recover on a note.

Roy R. Oskey, et al., plaintiffs, vs. Minnie Oskey, et al., defendants. Suit to enforce performance of contract.

In re consolidation of school district No. 13. Appeal of E. H. Lewis and Adam Althan. This is an appeal from the order of the county superintendent establishing said consolidated district.

Boston Wins Championship.

The Boston Red Sox defeated the Philadelphia nationals yesterday afternoon in the fifth game of the world's series and won the championship of the world.

The series opened Friday, the first game being staged at Philadelphia. Alexander, the pitching sensation of the year, was on the mound for Philadelphia and won his game, the score being 3 to 1. Shore pitched for Boston and only allowed 5 hits. On Saturday Foster, the Boston hurler, let the Phillies down with 3 blows and won the game by a count of 2 to 1. Foster also drove in the winning run in the ninth inning when he secured his third hit of the game. Boston took the next three games also, winning Monday's contest by a count of 2 to 1. Alexander attempted to duplicate his Friday performance in this contest but failed. Leonard was Boston's pitching choice. On Tuesday Shore came back for Boston, and the Red Sox again won by a count of 2 to 1. Chalmers opposed Shore. Yesterday's contest went to Boston by a count of 5 to 4, Foster and Mayer being the pitching selections. The new champions displayed superiority both on the defense an offense, and there is no doubt but what the series went to the best team.

How to End it All.

At the present writing we have no desire to hurl ourselves into Abraham's bosom, but if we ever do we wouldn't lean against a double-barrel shotgun and pull the trigger, as many do. Neither would we chop our head off with an amateur guillotine, eat a square meal of rat poison, blow out the gas, drink concentrated lye, sit down on the lap of a buzzsaw, smoke a cigarette, or call a Kentuckian a liar or a poor judge of whiskey.

We would simply get out an edition of our paper in which we would strive to the best of our ability to print the plain, square-toed truth about people, as we understand it, and then await the end.—Exchange.

MEETING A SUCCESS

Gratifying Interest Manifest in School Board and Teachers' Convention at Wahkon Saturday.

Entertaining Program of Sensible Talks and Pleasing Music is Listened to.

The Northern Mille Lacs County School Board and Teachers' convention held in the spacious assembly room of the Wahkon school last Saturday was a decided success. The program was a splendid one, and there is no doubt but what much good will result from the meeting. That keen interest is taken in matters pertaining to education in Mille Lacs county is evidenced by the fact that 40 board members and 42 teachers, as well as numerous parents attended the Wahkon convention.

The forenoon session started at 10:30 o'clock with Supt. H. J. Steel of Wahkon presiding. The Wahkon Glee club, an excellent musical organization composed of 12 girls, favored those present with a song, and then Miss Meyers of the Onamia school spoke on "Methods of Teaching." Miss Meyers has met with marked success as an instructor and her remarks were well received. An address by C. C. Swain of St. Paul, rural school commissioner of Minnesota, followed. Mr. Swain is one of the best known educators in the state, and it was a treat to those present to hear him. His speech was chock full of good advice and contained much of particular interest to members of school boards and teachers.

At noon dinner was served in the basement of the school building and it was indeed a bountiful repast. The domestic science class of the Wahkon schools prepared the meal, and those who partook of it cheerfully acknowledge that the young ladies are adepts in the culinary art. Dinner was served to over 200, and not one was turned away with an unappetized appetite.

At 1:30 p. m. the afternoon session opened. Prof. Wallace of the Duluth Normal school delivered an interesting and instructive address along the line of the connection of rural schools to normal schools. Mr. Wallace is eloquent and able and being thoroughly conversant with his subject, treated it in a masterly manner. A pleasing selection by the Wahkon Glee club followed, and it was roundly applauded. C. C. Swain of St. Paul, then spoke on "Selection of Teachers." Mr. Swain did complete justice to the topic, and all present profited by his remarks. A general discussion on "How to Supervise the Teacher, and How to Treat the Teacher After She Comes," was next. County Superintendent Ewing led the discussion and gratifying interest was manifested in this feature of the program. Board members, teachers, and others participated and interesting views were exchanged.

It is pleasing to note that citizens of Mille Lacs county are thoroughly alive to the importance of education, and the success of the convention last Saturday is most gratifying. County Superintendent Ewing is an untiring worker for the schools of the county, and no small share of the credit for the success of the meeting is due him. Mille Lacs county has a splendid school system—one of which all can well feel proud.

Profit in Good Seed Potatoes.

The right kind of potatoes bring better prices than the wrong kind, and the right kind can usually be grown with very little added trouble. The right kind of potatoes is the kind the public wants. To find out the taste of the public as to potatoes, D. E. Willard, of the Northern Pacific Railway company not long ago made an extended investigation—in homes, hotels, restaurants, and commission houses—from Chicago to the Pacific coast. He found the demand was for sound potatoes, of good flavor, medium size, and regular shape. He also found that such potatoes commanded higher prices than mixed lots of large and small, diseased and sound, regularly and irregularly shaped potatoes.

To grow the kind of potatoes the public wants, then, is the thing to do, and the way to begin is to plant the kind of potatoes you wish to grow. This means careful selection from the hills observing the following rules:

Select only from hills in which a larger part of the potatoes answer

the description mentioned. Potatoes from such hills are more certain to breed true to type.

Select potatoes weighing from five to eight ounces.

Use for seed no potatoes grown in fields showing a considerable amount of wilt or rosette.

Avoid potatoes showing brown ring discolorations at the stem end.

Save for planting no potatoes which are bruised, cracked, or decaying, or which show discolorations at stem end.

Store carefully in moderately warm, dry and well ventilated place.

Treat with corrosive sublimate four ounces to thirty gallons of water—for an hour and a half before planting.

Bender-Roos.

Last Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Julia Roos, occurred the marriage of Mr. John Bender and Miss Alma Roos. Rev. Eugene Ahl performed the ceremony and only near relatives were present.

The bride, who was attired in an neat traveling suit, was attended by her cousin, Miss Emma Roos of Minneapolis, and the groom's attendant, was his brother, Carl Bender. Miss Gladys Anderson of Ogilvie played the wedding march, and Miss Ella Roos rendered a whistling solo. The out of town guests present at the ceremony were the Misses Emma and Ella Roos, and George and Jacob Roos of Minneapolis.

Immediately after the ceremony and congratulations were over with those present sat down to a bounteous wedding breakfast.

The bride and groom received numerous beautiful and useful gifts.

The groom is a son of Conrad Bender of Princeton town, and is a exemplary young man, who enjoys the respect and esteem of all of his acquaintances. The bride is an accomplished young lady, and has a large circle of friends, one and all of whom wish her only happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bender will make their home in St. Paul where the groom has a position with the Rapid Transit company, and left for that place the same morning. Numerous friends were at the depot to bid them goodbye, and they were showered with rice and good wishes.

Creamery Having Banner Year.

Thus far 1915 has been a banner year at the Princeton Co-operative creamery, and more butterfat has been churned up to date than during all of 1914. Up to October 1, this year, a total of 217,113 pounds of butterfat had been purchased from the farmers, and a total of \$58,079.12 had been paid them therefor. Last year 183,460 pounds of butterfat were purchased and the farmers were paid \$49,953.80. This is indeed a splendid showing, as the creamery has taken in 33,653 pounds of butterfat during the first nine months of 1915 in excess of what it took in during the 12 months of 1914. A goodly sum is paid to farmers of this vicinity every month for butterfat, and during July the tidy sum of \$10,875.69 was paid out at the creamery.

The Princeton Co-operative creamery has experienced a steady and healthy growth, and it is a valuable enterprise, not only to the farmers but to the village as well. The officers, directors, manager and buttermaker are to be congratulated upon the splendid success they are achieving.

Card.

In securing Mason Bros. all new production of "East Lynne," I am sure my patrons will appreciate my efforts. I have been informed from reliable sources that this is a truly worthy and what is said to be a wonderful production of "East Lynne."

Their strong company includes a number of well known actors and actresses.

Mason Bros. Producing Co. have authorized me to positively guarantee their attraction and I sincerely feel that I safely can. If at any time you think it is not the all star and an exceptionally good, and I think I can go further and say best, "East Lynne" you ever saw, I will gladly refund the money you paid for your seats, not after the first act, but at any time you may desire it.

I want you to see this worthy company, and trust you will take advantage of this opportunity, and bear in mind, this is a positive guarantee of nothing but the best.

M. J. Brands,
Manager Opera House.
At Brands' opera house Friday evening, October 22. 43-1tc

MAY DOUBLE FLEET

New Naval Program Covers Period of Five Years—Fleets With Approval of President.

Fifteen to Twenty Dreadnaughts and Battle Cruisers, Besides Submarines, Provided for.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Fifteen to twenty fighting ships of the dreadnaught and battle cruiser type, with a proportionate number of sea going submarines, coast submarines, scout cruisers, destroyers and auxiliaries—enough to make a new American fleet—is contemplated by Secretary Daniels for recommendation as a five-year building program for the United States navy.

President Wilson and Secretary Daniels have discussed informally the needs of the navy and are agreed the fleet must be doubled in the next five years, with the addition of many of the latest type of fast and powerful fighting craft.

Details as to numbers have not yet been finally worked out, but the idea of fixing a ratio for a continuing program over a period of five years is the basic principal upon which the general board of the navy and Secretary Daniels now are planning their recommendations.

Another conference between the president and secretary will be held Friday, at which the total number probably will be fixed.

The five-year naval program, when completed, would add, in addition to dreadnaughts and battle cruisers, nearly a hundred submarines, about seventy destroyers and several scout cruisers and a proportionate number of fuel and hospital ships.

An important part of the program, too, will be a proposal for a large increase in personnel.

Appropriation for at least 8,000 additional men will be asked for the first year to make up present deficiencies and an adequate number will be sought to man the new ships built in the five-year period.

The total cost of the proposed program for the first year, according to present plans, is estimated at nearly \$248,000,000, or about \$100,000,000 increase over last year.

Just what construction should be provided for the first year has not been determined.

What the president will ask of congress for the army is still a mystery.

Furthermore, with Secretary Garrison out of the city, it is not now believed anything of an authoritative character will be revealed before the date on which the war department estimates will be delivered to the secretary of the treasury.

AT NORTHWESTERN HOSPITAL.

Mayor M. L. Wheeler is very ill with pneumonia at the hospital. He was taken sick the first of the week and Dr. Cooney was summoned last Tuesday. Dr. Cooney advised the removal of the patient to the hospital, and he was taken there last evening. Mr. Wheeler's condition is serious but all hope for a speedy recovery.

Fred Jackson of Ogilvie, who underwent an operation for gall bladder disease is convalescent.

Mrs. W. H. Hake of Princeton is convalescent after undergoing an operation for gall bladder disease.

Mrs. John Ahlquist of Mora is very ill at the hospital with Bright's disease.

Mrs. Edward Simpson underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday, and is doing nicely.

The six-year-old son of Morris Eisenhut was admitted to the hospital last evening in an unconscious condition. He has meningitis and his condition is critical.

Mrs. John Erickson of Wyanett, who has been ill at the hospital, is convalescent.

Lars Goffield of Glendora, who was operated on last week for an abscess of the chest, is doing well.

OPINIONS OF EDITORS

No Doubt of It.

The fellow who can take his own advice and make a winner of himself is a strong-minded chap.—Stillwater Gazette.

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And Some Have No Laurels.

Some men, instead of resting on their laurels, seem to be rusting on them.—Wabasha Herald.

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Gratitude.

A few years ago Russia wrung Bulgaria's freedom from Turkey. Now Bulgaria goes to war with Russia at

the behest of Turkey. Bulgaria must have been taking lesson from American politicians.—Biwabik Times.

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Well, Suggest A Better Name.

Common sense is decidedly wrong-named! Nothing is so uncommon as the genuine article.—Redwood Falls Sun.

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A Dummy.

Once knew a fellow who never made a mistake. And he never made anything else, either—not even a living.—Winnebago City Enterprise.

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Can We Spare Charley?

Charlie H. Warner, prominent member of the legislature, is being suggested as a good man for congress from this district.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

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Brought Them Forth.

The fight on county option in Hennepin county resurrected from political graves more dead politicians than any election in the history of the state.—Eden Valley Journal.

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There Would be Open Rebellion.

If men took it into their heads to compel women to vote, wouldn't there be some kick on the part of the modern suffragettes?—Sank Center Herald.

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Yes, Indeed.

After one has read the same factory editorials in half a dozen papers he is more than ever convinced that "the views of great men run in the same channels."—Hokah Chief.

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Satan Does Fine Work Occasionally.

If we were not afraid we would start Bob off again we would whisper: that the Lord's most careless errors are ten times more perfect than Satan's masterpieces of thoughtfulness.—Sank Center Herald.

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A Home Bouquet for Alvah.

Again Hon. Alvah Eastman is mentioned favorably as a successor to Congressman Lindbergh. Two years ago he declined to be so considered; but now he may feel differently. If he "throws his hat into the ring" he will poll an immense vote hereabouts.—St. Cloud Times.

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Lindbergh's Intentions Unfathomable.

The Sank Center Herald and the Princeton Union both agree that Lindbergh's announcement that he will be a candidate for governor is a bluff to get some free advertising, and they predict that he will switch back to the congressional race in due time. They said he did it once before—and come to think about it, we have some sort of recollection of that event.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

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A New Variety to Angle For.

Fishermen of Minnesota will in time have a new variety of fish to angle for, as State Game and Fish Commissioner Avery has made arrangements to put a supply of the Chinook salmon of the Pacific coast into the lakes of Minnesota. Their weight runs from five to ten pounds and experiments in other fresh water lakes of the country have shown that they can be raised with success.—Little Falls Herald.

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Sam Langum Indorses Jim Peterson.

A good republican in this county, not an office holder or a seeker after office, recently expressed an earnest desire that the Times should come to Jim Peterson for governor. Not a difficult thing to do. Of those mentioned, Jim easily stands head and shoulders above them all. He is a man of action; does not indulge in mouthy vapors or empty promises, and stands four square on these things which represent the greatest good to the greatest number. Jim Peterson would make an ideal governor.—Preston Times.

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The Letter "E."

Someone has advanced the opinion that the letter "E" is the most unfortunate character in the English alphabet, because it is always out of cash, forever in debt, never out of danger and in hell all the time. But attention is called to the fact that "E" is never in war and always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no meat, no life, and no heater. It is the center of honesty, makes love perfect and without it there would be no editors and no news.—Staples World.