

PATRIOTIC APPEAL

The Venerable Judge Ives Urges Scandinavians to Support the Best Man for U. S. Senator.

Knew and Respected the Late Dr. Norelius and Thinks the Advice of Son is Timely and Good.

M. S. Norelius' article in the Chisago County Press appealing to Scandinavian voters to be fair and not attempt to fill all the important offices with men of their own nationality, has been commented on favorably by men and newspapers of prominence in every section of the state. We take pleasure in reproducing this tribute to the elder Norelius and patriotic appeal to fair-minded Scandinavians to support the best men for public position regardless of their nationality, which is from the pen of the venerable Judge Frank Ives of Cass Lake:

"With an intimate, early acquaintance with the elder Norelius, father of the writer of the above article, and a long acquaintance with his conduct as a leader among his countrymen in the United States we cannot but believe that the expressed opinion of the writer will be profoundly respected and adopted by those who have in the past been aided and directed by his esteemed father. We have no preference in nationalities, the Scandinavian, the German, the Englishman, the Irishman and all others of whatsoever nationalities are the same to us, provided only that they are capable, honest and true to the nation they have adopted. We do not believe that it is wise or even practical to fill the most important offices we have to distribute with men of any one nationality, especially when there are others of different birth aspirants equally if not more efficiently endowed with the knowledge necessary to ably fill an important position. The Scandinavians have one representative in our national senate and should be content when a candidate far superior in intellect and power is brought out for one of the important places in our system of government. None can doubt the honor, ability or the patriotism of Frank B. Kellogg; he is one of the strongest and most capable men of the age and his election as United States senator would reflect great credit upon us.

"If the voters of Minnesota desire to send an efficient man to represent the state in the U. S. senate there can be no doubt of the duty of the voter at the coming primaries. In ability and power to represent us there can be no comparison; he has done many difficult services for us and will serve us as manfully and fervently as his colleague has done for many years. We have Knute Nelson and are proud of him for his many manly acts of patriotic devotion to his adopted country, now give us Frank B. Kellogg as his colleague and Minnesota will be represented as none of the other states can boast of."

Duluth Boosters Visit Princeton.

Princeton welcomed the Duluth Boosters right royally last Friday, during their stop here of an hour at noon, despite the fact that showers interfered with the plans of the local committee somewhat.

The party was made up of about 100 Zenith City business men, including part of the Third regiment band, and they were completing a tour of five days duration, by special train, having visited 117 towns.

The special reached Princeton about 12:15 p. m., and hundreds of our citizens greeted the tourists. The depot was first invaded, where the band favored those congregated with several stirring selections, while a committee of Princeton young ladies pinned bouquets upon the visitors. The boosters were then conveyed down town, and Main street was paraded by the Zenith City enthusiasts, who marched to the strains of music discoursed by their truly excellent band. The band was more than generous in rendering selections, and numerous of our citizens congregated upon Main street to listen to and applaud it.

The purpose of the tour was to advertise Duluth, and encourage the business men of the cities and villages visited to investigate the prices and goods of Duluth wholesale houses before making future purchases. A neatly printed booklet, containing statistics and facts about the development of the city at the head of the lakes, and its advantages as a market point, were distributed.

While the wide-awake visiting

boosters were here Princeton did a little advertising for itself, and cards containing the following statistics were handed out to the visitors:

Princeton, Minn., Business of 1915.	
IMPORTS.	EXPORTS.
Merchandise, cars	615
Potatoes, cars	2200
Hay, cars	75
Live Stock, cars	200
Cream, daily, cans	15
Butter, weekly, tubs	400
Misc. Sales, retail, 1915	\$579,000
Bank Deposits	\$800,000

The aggressive business men of Duluth certainly know how to go after business and the tour should be productive of much good.

Both of Duluth's excellent newspapers—The News-Tribune and Evening Herald—were represented, and the Herald had the following to say of the stop at Princeton:

At Princeton, it should be added, a committee of business men and another of women, comprising the prettiest kinds of girls seen by the Duluth men in a state full of beauty, met the crowd and extended the heartiest of welcomes. The girls had bouquets ready and pinned them on the Duluth men. Despite a heavy rain which fell during the first part of the time spent there, it is generally conceded by those on the special that Princeton succeeded in giving one of the very heartiest receptions that was tendered during the whole trip. Princeton was well organized for the occasion, and the committees, seemingly of every business man and every woman and girl in the city, were distinguished by the yellow ribbons worn on which was expressed a hearty welcome to Duluth. Scores of autos were on hand to take care of the visitors and everything possible was done to make the stay pleasant. The chief regret of the tourists was that a longer time than one hour had not been provided in the schedule for Princeton. Senator W. A. Campbell of Minneapolis, one of the best friends that Duluth and St. Louis county has in the state legislature, was on hand to help in the welcome, and he accompanied the tourists from Princeton to Milaca.

The head booster was Frank X. Gravel of the Stone-Ordean-Wells Co., dressed in white duck and beating time with a white umbrella he led the procession. Frank was the youngest old man of the bunch, and was the "life and soul" of the party. He was a little nervous though when spinning over the rock road at a 40-mile per hour clip.

Another jolly booster was Charles F. Macdonald, secretary of the Duluth Board of Trade. He is a son of the venerable C. F. Macdonald of St. Cloud. Still another of the boosters that the Union was glad to meet was an old friend, Sam Staples. Sam is growing fat, but is as youthful as he was 20 years ago.

Ed. Gilboy, the former well known conductor on the Eastern Minnesota and now yard master at Superior, was warmly greeted by many of his old friends.

Senator "Bill Campbell of Minneapolis, who joined the boosters at Zimmerman, was so favorably impressed with the gang that he is seriously thinking of taking up his abode in the "Zenith City."

Of course politics was tabooed by the boosters, but many of them were not at all backward in expressing their preference for Frank B. Kellogg for senator. Kellogg, they said, is a prime favorite with the business men of Duluth.

Final Services.

Funeral services of the late Mrs. Ellen Blair were conducted from the Greenbush Catholic church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Wilenbrink officiated and he paid a deserved tribute to the worth and character of deceased. The final services were largely attended, and the floral tributes were beautiful. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Among those from out of town who attended the obsequies were the following: John Blair, Elk River; C. Blair, St. Paul; Mrs. Mary Neumann, Bemidji; Mrs. Rose Price, Bergsville; John Blair, Minneapolis; A. F. Panchott, and Mrs. Fred Neumann of Foreston.

Mrs. C. A. Grow and the other children desire to express their deepest thanks to all who extended aid and words of sympathy to them in their recent bereavement. They are truly grateful.

Girls of the '60's Meet.

Saturday, June 10, and the home of Mrs. J. C. Borden, were the time and place of a delightful gathering of the "Girls of the '60's," with Mrs. Borden and Mrs. Libby as hostesses.

The day was perfect, the refreshments delicious, and the "girls" in their best possible spirits, all of which contributed to make the occasion one of the most enjoyable in the history of the organization. The selection of an

emblematic flower was discussed—the choice falling unanimously upon the purple violet so that henceforth this flower or its attendant color should be in evidence at these meetings.

Ten of the "girls" were present, and true to the staying qualities which they are reputed to possess, the evening was well on its way toward midnight before the guests had all dispersed and the party become a happy memory.

Annual Alumni Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Alumni association of the Princeton high school was held at the I. O. O. F. hall last Tuesday evening and each one of the 79 present pronounced it the best ever. It was a splendid success in every way.

A pleasing program preceded the banquet proper, and it opened with a selection by the high school orchestra. A reading by Miss Gertrude Bishop followed, and it was well received. Miss Marguerite Byers then favored those present with a vocal solo, and a reading was next given by Miss Laura McVicar. After a well executed violin solo by Miss Irene Umbecker, Miss Estella Schumacher gave a reading, and the program closed with a pleasing selection by the orchestra.

Ten tables were in readiness for the banquet, and seats at these were taken at the conclusion of the program. The supper had been prepared by the Rebekahs and it was indeed an appetizing repast. Rev. Samuel Johnson asked the blessing, after which those seated did complete justice to the tempting viands set before them, and then toasts were in order.

Miss Hazel Scalberg presided as toastmistress, and she certainly carried out her part in a manner that left nothing to be desired. Charles Umbecker was first called upon, and he voiced a hearty and sincere welcome to the graduates of the class of 1916. Robert Berg responded feelingly on behalf of the class, and then Miss Alta Reichard gave a toast to the board of education. Mr. E. L. McMillan, on behalf of the board, responded most appropriately, and Harold McVicar, Prof. R. B. Jacka, and Miss Alma Johnson, who were also called upon for toasts, responded entertainingly. Benediction was next pronounced by Rev. Samuel Johnson.

A brief business session followed the banquet and officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: Mrs. H. M. Avery, president; Miss Ida May Schmidt, vice-president, and Clifton Cravens, secretary-treasurer.

The banquets of the Alumni association are ever enjoyable, but this one was particularly so. It was better attended than usual; the program was more than pleasing, and the repast was fit for a king. The old officers, and Mr. Cravens in particular, have been showered with praise for the success of the affair.

With the Farmers and Laborers.

Frank B. Kellogg should have the support of the farmers of the northwest for his stand against Canadian reciprocity when that measure was before congress two years ago. He was one of the influential men in this section of the country who devoted time and energy to combating that proposition, even though it was sponsored by a Republican president. The Duluth News-Tribune of Sunday contained an article describing the life and work of Mr. Kellogg, written by a man who has known him for years. The writer says the reason for his acts may be traced to his early farm experience. "His Opposition to the Payne-Aldrich law," says the writer, "may be accounted for on the same ground. He came from the farm, he had the farm experience burned into him, and he shares the farmers' point of view, notwithstanding all his years and labors in the law." Mr. Kellogg has not put in the greater part of his time parading himself as a "farmers' friend" or "laborers' advocate," but every time that the welfare of farmers or laboring men have been at stake Frank Kellogg has been found on the side of their interests.—Thief River Falls Times.

From Nine to Nine.

Next Monday is primary election day. The polls in all towns and villages will open at 9 a. m. and close at 9 p. m. In cities of all classes the hours are from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m. Every citizen should go to the polls and vote. In many instances the result at the primary is decisive—for the nominees of the majority party are generally elected at the November election. Voters, do your duty next Monday, and above all things disregard racial prejudices. He is not a good American citizen who will vote for a candidate simply on the score of nationality.

ST. CLOUD DOWNED

Princeton Defeats All Stars of the Granite City by a Count of 4 to 2 Last Sunday.

Game is Played at the Local Fair Grounds and Numerous Fans See the Contest.

The St. Cloud All Stars failed to scintillate last Sunday when they opposed "Pongo" Olson's fleet-footed diamond performers, and they were sent back to the Granite City with the short end of a 4 to 2 score.

Princeton started a smashing offensive at the outset of the game, and after stowing it away by pushing two runs over in the first and two in the third, proceeded to see to it that the opposition did not overtake them.

Nevitt was on the firing line for Princeton during the first six innings, and was in sensational form, holding the opposing willow wielders runless and hitless. Wilkes went in in the seventh and also pitched shut out ball. A couple of costly slips gave the visitors their runs. Heilig of Milaca was at the receiving station, and made himself "solid" with local fans by his clever work.

A young man named Chutte had the misfortune to oppose the local fence busters the first five innings, and it is doubtful if his reputation has recovered from the shock it sustained. The locals hammered the ball hard and often, and the St. Cloud outfielders chased drives until they were "all in." Chutte staided down during the fourth and fifth innings, and pitched good ball, but Roth relieved him in the sixth and finished the game, getting by in good shape. Baldwin was behind the bat and performed well.

St. Cloud went to bat first and only three men faced "Chief" Nevitt. Princeton got right busy in its half, however, and two men counted. Wilkes, lead off man, went down on a fly to the short stop, but Smith followed him with a drive that just about took the heart out of the pitcher. It was a scorcher, and the custodian of right field had to climb over the fence to recover it. Meanwhile Smith had strolled to third base. Jesmer also looked one over and lammed out a clean drive, scoring Smith. Then Berg added to the woe of the visitors by straightening out a fast one for a two-bagger. Jesmer went to third on Berg's drive and scored on a passed ball. Mallette connected for a fielders' choice, and the fielder decided to retire Berg at the plate, which he did. Heilig walked as did Doane, but Roos retired the side with a fly to the short stop. In the second, three "Stars" were put out in short order, and Princeton was also blanked in its half. The third round Newitt again invincible, and not one of the visitors reached first base. This inning saw two of Princeton's pastimers shag their way across the plate, however. Heilig was first up, and he caressed the horse-hide with his war club for a corking single. Doane's sacrifice advanced him to second. Roos went down on a fly to the first base guardsman, and Nevitt, who was next, passed up four wide ones, and went to first. Wilkes came next and — bang! He hammered out a smoking one like Smith's and it went through the fence at almost the same place. Needless to say, Heilig and Nevitt ambled home. A fly to the short stop off of Smith's bat sent Princeton back to the field. From then on "Pongo" restrained his performers, and Princeton failed to count again. St. Cloud was given its two runs in the seventh, by the generous Princeton lads, who waited until two men were down before making the donation. Two errors placed a couple of the Granite City athletes on the paths, and a sizzling drive scored them. This ended the scoring, and Princeton wound up the game in the first half of the ninth by pulling off a pretty double play. There was a man on first and one down, when Captain Mallette stopped a hot one, handed it to Berg on second, and Berg whipped it over to Nevitt on first. Both runners were retired on the play and the game was over.

NOTES.

Princeton's safe lead in the opening rounds took some enthusiasm out of local fans.

Batting practice spruced up the locals considerably in this department, and it will doubtless be continued.

The battery last Sunday cost the management about \$20, although automobiles were donated to convey Heilig to and from Milaca. Nevitt was in great form, and was

given stellar support. He had the opposition swinging blindly at the elusive sphere, and in only one inning did more than three men face him.

H. J. Plaas and Harry Bradford did the arbitrating stunt, and came out with flying colors. Both did splendidly.

Braham will be here next Sunday, and a hummer of a contest is assured. Neither Princeton nor Braham have lost a game this season, and both nines defeated Mora by about the same score. Last fall at the Cambridge fair these nines staged the prettiest contest of the season, Princeton winning by a count of 8 to 7.

The directors and manager of the Princeton ball team met Monday evening, and decided that the finances of the club would not permit the retaining of Nevitt of Anoka on the pitching staff. Nevitt made good here, and has the well wishes of all our fans. In the meantime the old reliable Wilkes, who is the heaviest hitting and best fielding pitcher in these parts, will hereafter shoulder the burden, and as he is always right, the fans can look forward to him delivering the classy article of ball that distinguished his work last season.

Jacka-Neumann.

Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Neumann, occurred the marriage of Mr. Roy Bennett Jacka and Miss Gertrude May Neumann. Rev. Samuel Johnson of the Congregational church pronounced the words that made them man and wife, and the pretty double ring ceremony was carried out.

The bride was attired in a handsome gown of white net with blue embroidery over white silk and wore a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and lilies of the valley. Miss Mary Shockley acted as bridesmaid. Her gown was of cream net over yellow satin, and she wore a corsage bouquet of lavender and pink sweet peas and yellow roses.

The ceremony was performed in the living room, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion, the color scheme being pink, white and yellow.

Only near relatives were in attendance, and at the conclusion of the ceremony the party repaired to the dining room, where a sumptuous wedding luncheon of four courses was partaken of.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacka were the recipients of numerous beautiful gifts.

The groom is commercial instructor at the Princeton high school, and is a young man of sterling worth. During his residence here he has earned the respect and esteem of all our citizens. The bride is a native of this village, and is one of Princeton's fairest daughters. Her pleasing ways have made her beloved by all. A large circle of friends wish for Mr. and Mrs. Jacka a future of uninterrupted bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacka left at once for Milwaukee, Wis., and will later go to Crystal Falls, Michigan, where their honeymoon will be spent. They will return to Princeton next fall in time for the groom to resume his school duties, and they will make this village their home.

Lowell-Penny.

Mr. Claire Lowell of Milaca and Miss Blanche Penny of Anoka were united in marriage at the Portland Avenue Christian church in Minneapolis by Rev. C. B. Osgood, Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Foster Lowell, while Miss Marie Holland of Minneapolis acted as bridesmaid.

Immediately after the ceremony the party repaired to the West hotel where a wedding dinner was partaken of.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell left at once for Little Falls, and after a visit of a few days there will make their home at Milaca, where the groom has a position as rural mail carrier.

The bride and groom are well and favorably known in Princeton—the former being a graduate of the Northwestern hospital training school for nurses, and the latter is a graduate of the Princeton high school. Numerous friends here wish Mr. and Mrs. Lowell unbounded happiness in the years to come.

Charged With Liquor Law Violations.

As a result of a raid made last Saturday morning on the premises of Wm. Schmidt in Princeton town, by Sheriff Harry Shockley, and his deputy Henry L. Shockley, Schmidt is bound over to the grand jury on two charges of violation of the liquor laws. Nine sacks of beer were taken in the raid.

Schmidt was arraigned before Justice Dickey the same afternoon, and charged with maintaining an unlicensed drinking place, and with disposing

of intoxicants to a minor. He waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$1,000. Bonds were forthcoming, and he is enjoying liberty.

Sheriff Shockley informs us that it takes time to secure the proper evidence against violators of the liquor laws, but that he is determined to curb the illegal sale of intoxicants in this vicinity. Other arrests will undoubtedly be made in the future if violations continue.

Returns From Chicago.

Attorney S. P. Skahen returned from Chicago Monday evening, where he was an interested spectator at the proceedings of the national republican convention in that city. Mr. Skahen listened to all the nominating speeches, and says that in his opinion the speech of Governor Willis of Ohio, placing the name of Hon. Theodore E. Burton of that state before the convention, was the best oratorical effort of the lot. It was not a wildly enthusiastic gathering, although there were prolonged demonstrations in favor of various of the candidates. Chief interest centered in the reports of the compromise committees—named by the republican and progressive conventions—as it was pretty generally known that unless a compromise candidate could be agreed upon, Justice Hughes would be the nominee of the republicans and that Theodore Roosevelt would be named by the progressives.

Pease Bank Changes Hands.

A deal was completed on Tuesday whereby the State Bank of Pease changed hands, and the new owners are the following: J. M. Haven, Big Lake; Austin B. Morse, Waverly; C. M. Wall and J. Toussaint, Ogilvie. Mr. Toussaint succeeds Mr. D. J. Fouquette as cashier. During his residence in this county Mr. Fouquette made numerous friends all of whom wish him the best of everything in the future. His plans are not completed as yet, but he informs us that he expects to continue in the banking business, but will be associated with a larger institution. The Pease bank has done well since it opened, and the deposits now total over \$53,000. The Union welcomes the new cashier to Mille Lacs county, and extends greetings to the other owners of stock.

Connolly Pleads Guilty.

H. H. Connolly of Bock, mention of whose arrest on two charges of illegally disposing of intoxicants was made in our last issue, was taken to St. Cloud last Friday by Sheriff Harry Shockley, Clerk of Court King, and County Attorney Myron, where he entered a plea of "guilty" before Judge Roeser to both charges. Connolly was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs and serve 30 days in jail in the first case, and in the second the fine was \$75 and costs, with a 60 day jail sentence. The costs amounted to \$84, bringing the total fine up to \$209. Judge Roeser suspended the jail sentences, but Connolly must appear at the fall term of district court, and report as to his conduct.

Rev. M. Peterson Honored.

Rev. M. Peterson recently was the recipient of an invitation that was indeed an honor to him as a pastor and a man. He has been asked to speak at the Silver jubilee celebration of the Mission church at Ellsworth, Wis., June 24 to 26 inclusive. Seldom, if ever, are pastors of a different denomination asked to participate in a church anniversary observance, and Rev. Peterson will no doubt accept the invitation in the spirit of good will that it was tendered to him. Dr. Peterson was at one time a Mission pastor, and he officiated for a period of years as pastor of the Ellsworth church. The invitation to him to attend the Silver jubilee is ample evidence of the high regard in which he is held by his former parishioners.

Princeton Will Not Celebrate.

The committee in charge of the proposed Fourth of July celebration at Princeton have decided to let it go by default. The gentlemen were unable to secure the desired attractions, and as they intended to have a splendid and patriotic observance of Independence day, or none at all, concluded to let the project die. Other places in this vicinity will observe the significant day fittingly, and Princeton will doubtless be represented at all of them.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of letters remaining unclaimed at the postoffice at Princeton, Minn., June 12, 1916:

Willie Beck, Mrs. Albert Burk and George F. Schurder.

Please call for advertised letters. M. M. Briggs, Act'g. P. M.