

THE STATE TICKET

Knute Nelson Should Receive a Heavy Vote for U. S. Senator and Burnquist for Governor.

Richard Hamer, for State Senator, Should Be Accorded the Vote of Every Loyal American.

U. S. Senator Knute Nelson should, and doubtless will, be re-elected by an overwhelming majority next Tuesday. He has been an untiring worker for the common people from the time he entered congress and to his efforts are due the passage of many beneficial measures. Do not forget or omit to vote for Senator Nelson when you go to the polls on November 5.

For Congress.
Thos. D. Schall is worthy of re-election. He has served his constituents well and they should not fail to vote for him next Tuesday. As a legislator Tom Schall is able and as a man a loyal American citizen.

For Governor.
The present incumbent, Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, has been tried and not found wanting. He has fulfilled his duties faithfully and in an able manner during these times of great stress and has made a "war governor" who commands the respect of the people of the great commonwealth of Minnesota. He should be returned to office.

For Lieutenant Governor.
Thomas Frankson should receive your vote for this important office. He is a man of much experience and a clean-cut gentleman.

For Senator 55th District.
In consequence of the death of Senator Dunn an altogether different complexion has been placed upon the state senatorial situation. Richard Hamer of Milaca has, however, consented to run for state senator in the 55th legislative district, and as it is too late to get his name on the ticket, the use of stickers will have to be resorted to. Mr. Hamer is a farmer and treasurer of the Milaca creamery. He is a well-read loyal citizen—a man who commands the respect of all classes. Vote for Richard Hamer by attaching a sticker to the ballot and you will make no mistake.

For Representative 55th District.
Charles F. Serline and W. S. Enger are two of the three candidates for representative in this district. Both are men of high standing in the communities where they reside and men with a heavy farmer indorsement. If elected they will doubtless make good and you will make no mistake in giving them your vote. Vote for both of them.

For Secretary of State.
Julius Schmah and Edward Indrehus are the two candidates for this office. Schmah has made a good official, and Indrehus has had some legislative experience and is a man with a clean record.

For State Auditor.
The present incumbent, J. A. O. Preus, has performed his duties exceptionally well and instituted many reforms in his office. He is a loyal republican and a man well liked throughout the state. You can make no mistake in voting for Jake Price.

For State Treasurer.
Henry Rines of Mora is worthy of your vote for this office. He has made an excellent record as treasurer, is a man of wide experience, and should be re-elected. When you go to the polls place a cross after the name of Henry Rines.

For Attorney General.
That experienced lawyer, Clifford L. Hilton, should be re-elected to this very important office for the reason that he is perfectly familiar with its requirements.

Railroad Commissioner.
Either Fred W. Putnam or J. S. Jacobson would doubtless fill the office of railroad and warehouse commissioner with credit.

For Clerk of Supreme Court.
Charles A. Lethert, democrat, is a good man for this high office, and a vote cast for him will be well placed. Herman Mueller, on the ticket as a republican, has been repudiated by the state executive committee of the par-

ty and is now merely a candidate of the Townley Nonpartisan league, by which he was indorsed.

For Chief Justice of Supreme Court.
Calvin L. Brown, the able jurist, should be returned by a large majority. His decisions are at all times just and his candidacy has the indorsement of the Minnesota Bar association.

For Associate Justices.
Oscar Hallam and Andrew Holt are worthy of your vote for these two offices. Vote for both of them.

Louis Young.
Louis Young, known to the people of Princeton familiarly as "Doc," died at the Northwestern hospital last Thursday as the result of a paralytic affection. He was 50 years old last February.

Louis Young was born in Youngstown, Ohio, of pioneer parents. When a mere child his mother died, leaving two children. The father, who was a lawyer, brought the children to Princeton. Frank Campbell, who then conducted a hotel in Princeton, took Louis to care for and he also remained with Mr. Campbell's successor, Mr. Webster. In 1882 Henry Newbert purchased the hotel and Louis was retained. Mr. Newbert, upon retiring from hotel life, retained Louis as he was a handy man about the house, and gave him a good home to the time of his death.

Funeral services were held at Ross' undertaking parlors on Sunday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. Jas. A. Geer of the Methodist church. Musical numbers were rendered by a quartet selected from the church choir.

Louis Young was a man respected by everyone with whom he was acquainted. He was a good-natured citizen, a loyal American and a man well versed in the current events of the day. He was one of our best friends and we are sorry he has passed away.

Silas Guy Howard.
Silas G. Howard died on Monday, October 21, in a hospital at Lewiston, Mont., from pneumonia following influenza. He was 32 years of age last March. Three years ago he went to Martindale, Montana, and was employed on a ranch. His brother, Amos, went to that place and accompanied the remains to Princeton.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Ellen Howard, Princeton; three sisters, Mrs. D. H. Cooper and Mrs. A. D. Herkel, of Minneapolis; Mrs. R. M. Pope, Mora; and three brothers, Amos Howard, Minneapolis; Alfonso and Millard, Princeton.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Jas. A. Geer conducting the solemnities. Special musical numbers were contributed by a quartet consisting of Grover Umbehoeker, L. S. Briggs, Miss Ethel Hofflander and Mrs. Cullen. Mrs. Ewing was the pianist.

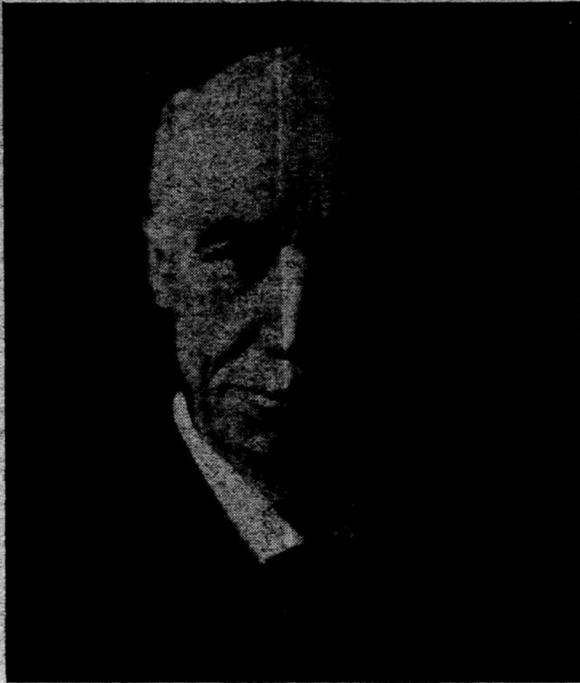
"Si" Howard, as he was known to his Princeton friends, was a good-hearted young man—he would take off his shirt and give it to a man who he considered needed it worse than himself. He was not blessed with a superabundance of this world's goods, but what he had anyone in distress was welcome to. We regret that "Si" has been called across the great divide, but the Lord knows that which is best.

The Greatest Living Citizen.
Minnesota will have the opportunity at the coming election next month to show its appreciation of its greatest citizen—Knute Nelson. They have the opportunity in this to show their appreciation of a man who has spent most of his active years in public life but who has never once failed to support the cause of the common man, who has been always fair but always uncompromising that the interests of the many must come first.

In vigor, in breadth of view, in sweep of vision, in tenacity of purpose, in logical argument, in keenness of intellect, in mental grasp, and above all in passionate love of country and devotion to the rights and equal opportunities of the many, Senator Nelson ranks with few in all the United States who have gained recognition for unquestioned statesmanship.

Justified in Attack.
Bob Dunn and A. N. Dare are tossing bon bons at each other of late and the best part of it is that they are justified. If we had our way, Bob Dunn would have a life membership in the senate chamber and A. N. Dare would always be speaker of the house.—Walker Pilot.

Born February 14, 1855. Died October 28, 1918



ROBERT C. DUNN

Senator R. C. Dunn is Dead.

It is with a feeling of deep sorrow and regret that we are called upon to chronicle the death of our best friend and employer, Senator, or as he liked better to be called, "Bob" Dunn. He was a man among men—generous to a fault, charitable, and ever ready to assist persons in distress whether he knew them or not. As Rev. Stowe remarked in his funeral oration, referring to Mr. Dunn's acts of charity, he did not let his right hand know what he performed with his left. Hundreds of people in distress were assisted by our departed friend of which only the beneficiaries know.

In all matters pertaining to the public welfare Mr. Dunn was invariably in the lead. He was the father of the good roads system, not only in this state but the United States, and it was due to his efforts when state auditor that many thousands of dollars were saved to the state by measures which he advocated and which were enacted into law.

He loved his home town of Princeton and did more than his share toward its development. The armory, for instance, would not have been built in this village had it not been for Robert C. Dunn. He was a true friend of the soldier boys and made it a special point to see that none of them left for cantonments empty-handed. Many a time has he given the boys leaving for camp spending money—money for the purchase of cigarettes, etc., en route. Not a boy has left this point to fight the Hun who has not a tender spot in his heart for Bob Dunn.

While not an active member of any particular religious denomination, Mr. Dunn possessed a true christian spirit. He believed in christianity as taught by Christ and he practiced it. The Methodist, Lutheran, Catholic, Episcopalian and other denominations were all good in the eyes of Mr. Dunn, and he contributed liberally to their support. No minister of the gospel ever asked for a contribution for his church and was refused.

As a loyal American citizen he was in the first rank—he hated a pro-German and a secessionist. While not a native of America, he loved it for the advantage it offered to the immigrants from other lands—he loved it because of its liberty—and he supported the government more strongly than many who are native born. He entertained pronounced antipathy for canting hypocrites and long-faced pietists. Bob Dunn was, to make use of a slang phrase, "four square."

The above gives but a faint outline of Senator Dunn's principles, but next week we will endeavor to give a resume of the work he performed for his county and state.

Robert C. Dunn passed away at his residence in Princeton at 11:15 on Monday morning, October 28, from acute indigestion following an illness of short duration. He was born in County Tyrone, Ireland, on February 14, 1855. His parents were of Scotch descent and members of the established church of England. Following an education in the national schools he was apprenticed to a dry goods firm in Londonderry, but after serving

a few months the business became distasteful to him and he emigrated to America, making his way alone to friends in Wisconsin in April, 1870. The following winter he went to St. Louis and soon after to Vicksburg, Miss., where he worked six months as clerk for a railroad contractor. Returning to St. Louis he entered the office of the Missouri State Atlas with the intention of learning the printer's trade, for which he had long cherished a desire. In 1872 the Atlas suspended and Robert entered the office of the Industrial Age, and later the Journal, where he finished learning his trade. He continued his labors there until January, 1876, when he was prostrated by partial paralysis and suffered severely for several months. Hoping to benefit his physical condition he came to Princeton, where his health rapidly improved, and where, on December 30, 1876, he issued the first number of the Princeton Union. He was then only 22 years of age and the youngest editor in the state. Continuously from then until his death he published this paper. He was married to Miss Lydia McKenzie on February 14, 1887, and two children were born of the union—George, who is now serving in a base hospital as a surgeon with the American Expeditionary forces in France, and Grace, who is at her home in Princeton. George was born on December 24, 1887, and Grace on May 1, 1889.

The funeral of Senator Dunn was held from the family residence on the afternoon of Thursday, October 31. In consequence of an order issued by the state board of health public funerals have been prohibited, hence the obsequies were necessarily of a private nature. Governor Burnquist and other state officials, including supreme court justices, had telephoned that they would be in attendance, but in consequence of the funeral being private, did not come. However, State Auditor Preus, Secretary of State Schmah, State Treasurer Rines, Highway Commissioner Babcock and his assistants, Mr. Forbes and Mr. Mullen, were present at the solemnities.

Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, chaplain of the state senate, assisted by Rev. Jas. A. Geer, conducted the solemn services in conformity with the rites of the Episcopalian church, and many eyes were dimmed with tears as these beautiful rites proceeded. The funeral sermon by Rev. Stowe was brief, but it touched the souls of men—it was eloquent in its simplicity. The reverend gentleman spoke feelingly of the man he had known for 37 years, paid high tribute to his worth and regretted his taking away at a time when his able services and advice are so much needed by the state. He touched upon his loyalty, generosity and other good traits of character and expressed his sympathy for Mrs. Dunn, her son and daughter, in their hour of sorrow.

Mrs. George Ross sang two very impressive hymns during the services, assisted by Mrs. Benjamin Soule as accompanist. Masses of beautiful floral tributes gave expression to the love and respect in which Senator Dunn was held, and the sorrowing countenances of the people at the ob-

sequies was a silent token of the affection they had for their friend.

All that was mortal of Robert C. Dunn was followed to Oak Knoll cemetery by a large number of people in automobiles and there, following a brief service the remains were consigned to the grave.

The pallbearers were John Coleman, Anoka; Chas. Babcock, Elk River; Henry Rines, Mora; Chas. Mitchell, Duluth; Chas. Warner, Aitkin; E. L. McMillan, Dr. Cooney, S. S. Petterson, Princeton.

Among those present at the funeral from out of town were Judge Quinn, Fairmont; State Auditor Preus, Secretary of State Schmah, Chas. N. Orr, St. Paul; State Treasurer Rines, Mora; Hon. Chas. Warner, Aitkin; Chas. Mitchell, editor of the Duluth News Tribune, Highway Commissioner Babcock, Elk River; John Coleman, Anoka; Andrew Davis, Elk River; A. A. Caswell, Anoka; C. F. Serline, Mora; Mr. Forbes, of the state highway commission; John Kienitz, Senator Blomgren and wife, George Smith and wife, Cambridge; Richard Hamer, Thos. Allison, Milaca; W. H. Ferrell and wife, Minneapolis; Mr. Mullen of the state highway commission.

ROBERT C. DUNN.

We know of no other citizen of Minnesota whose passing would bring the tears to the eyes of so many men as that of Robert C. Dunn. His devoted friends were numbered by tens of thousands, and they not only admired him, they loved him and well did he deserve it.

No other man in the state had as large a personal following in his leadership in public affairs. He won this loyalty by like loyalty to them. Big hearted, tender as a woman, yet a fighter who asked and gave no quarter, he had for years lived by his absolute refusal to die.

Few men have lived a more useful life. He had little thought for himself save as he could use his great abilities for the good of others and the advantage of the state. No other was as familiar with the laws of the state governing its administration and public domain. No other has rendered the state greater service in its own affairs.

As state auditor and legislator he saved Minnesota large tracts of its most valuable lands; he framed and got passed the board of control law, and the source and force that put on the statute books the good roads law than which there is none better.

Born in Ireland, he was intensely American, and no newspaper was more widely quoted or carried more influence than his—the Princeton Union. Though it was known he was physically frail and not in good health, it did not seem possible that he could go; that that great heart and brain could be stilled, and that indomitable will could surrender even to death.

Those who knew him most intimately know that the noblest and best, the truest, most fearless and most lovable of all has gone. But he has left on the pages of the history of the state and in the hearts of thousands a record of faithful usefulness and an imperishable memory.—Duluth News Tribune.

MAYOR HODGSON'S TRIBUTE.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:
The death of Senator Robert C. Dunn will bring a sense of deep personal loss to thousands of people throughout our state, for no individual who has lived in Minnesota ever had a larger number of close personal friends than he, and few men have ever had so large a personal following, for his friends were so bound to him that they idolized him and gave to him a devotion and an affection that was beautiful, sincere and abiding.

The time has not come as yet to do full justice to his value as a public servant. Some day, when the rancors of politics have passed, he will receive due credit for the high service he rendered to this state. I think it is conceded by all who know that Mr. Dunn knew more about our state affairs than any man living in his time. He was a remarkable public servant, a real leader, and a finely equipped man for the highest duties of state service. He is already looked upon, and justly, as the Father of Good Roads in Minnesota. Some day he will be recognized as a far-sighted builder for the common good.

But it is his personal qualities which endeared him to his friends, and it is as a friend that I want to pay tribute to him now. No man can win friends as he did without being human, kindly and noble. No man ever had a warmer, larger heart; no man ever gave to his friends as pure sincere love, a deeper gratitude than Robert C. Dunn. Those who do not know him may have deemed him rough. Under his rough exterior he carried a

HAMER FOR SENATE

Show Your Loyalty by Casting a Vote for Richard Hamer, a Patriotic American Farmer.

Mr. Hamer is an Educated Man, an Advocate of Temperance and an Able Public Speaker.

The death of State Senator R. C. Dunn of Princeton last Monday morning has put an entirely different complexion upon the senatorial contest in this district. The senator was a candidate for re-election and undoubtedly would have won over his Nonpartisan league opponent had he lived.

Because of the strong opposition to the Nonpartisan league candidate throughout the district, which has become intensified because of the bitter attacks which he made upon Mr. Dunn while he was upon his deathbed, it was decided at a conference of Mr. Dunn's former supporters held last Monday afternoon not to permit the election to go by default, but that another candidate be selected to take his place.

The candidate chosen is Richard Hamer, a successful farmer living near Milaca, in Mille Lacs county. Mr. Hamer is a strong advocate of co-operation among farmers and has been actively identified with the various cooperative movements of the farmers in his locality since locating there more than fifteen years ago. He took a prominent part in organizing the Milaca Farmers' Co-operative creamery twelve years ago, and which is now one of the largest and best creameries in the state. Mr. Hamer has been treasurer of this creamery since its organization. He is a well educated man, a clear thinker and reasoner, and an exceptionally able public speaker. We consider him in every way well qualified to represent the district in the state senate. Mr. Hamer is an earnest supporter of the temperance cause and is an intensely loyal American.

It was with a great deal of reluctance that Mr. Hamer consented to permit his name to be used as a candidate. He is in no sense a politician or a seeker of public office, and preferred to give his undivided attention to his farm. He was finally persuaded to permit his name to be used as a candidate, and a whirlwind campaign is being made in his behalf in each of the three counties of the district. It is too late to have his name printed upon the official ballot, so it will be necessary to use stickers or write his name upon the ballot.

Notwithstanding the handicap under which Mr. Hamer labors on account of not having his name upon the printed ballot, it is believed that his candidacy will meet with such general favor and approbation throughout the district that he will be elected by a good majority.

Vote for Mr. Hamer by attaching a sticker to your ballot next Tuesday or by writing in his name.

spirit of the finest comradeship. How genial he was, how loyal, how loving and lovable, how manly, how unpretentious, how easily moved, how wonderfully tender in sentiment, we know who have sat with him in quiet association feeling the blessing of his unpurchasable friendship. His home was always a place of sacred beauty, and within it he was at his best, and always ready to make his friends welcome. There we always found the rare atmosphere that comes from the presence of those who without guile or pretense give clean and wholesome friendship and affection, loving without stint, and serving without thought of anything but the joy of service.

In the hearts of all who knew him as he was, the memory of "Bob" Dunn will remain forever a melody and a fragrance and an inspiration to the unselfish service which he practiced so faithfully in his life.

Sincerely,
C. L. Hodgson,
St. Paul, October 28, 1918.

RESOLUTIONS.

The State Board of Control, at its regular session on Wednesday, October 30, adopted the following resolutions on the death of State Senator Robert C. Dunn, of Princeton.

Whereas, as a part of the recent heavy toll imposed by death upon the choicest citizenship of the state of Minnesota, appears the name of Robert C. Dunn of Princeton;
Resolved, that his departure while still in the active prime of life deprives the state of one of its foremost citizens. His life history coincides with