TO-DAY'S "JOURNAL" SPECIALS FROM THE NORTHWEST.

TARGET SHOOTING

Opsahl of Brainerd Likely to Break Record at Lakeview.

Camp Lakeview, Lake City, Minn., June 12.—One of the best records ever made at Camp Lakeview was made yesterday by Private Opsahl, Co. F, of Brainerd, who, on the two ranges, 200 and 300 yards, made 49 out of a possible 50, with the Springfield rifle. This is something remarkable and his score at 500 yards is awaited with interest, as it is expected he will break the state record. Lieutenant H. B. Whitaker, Co. A, Duluth, made a possible, or ten consecutive bullseyes, at revolver practice, shoting at 100 yards.

Camp Notes.

Adjutant General Libbey was tendered a review of the Third regiment last evening, the men being arrayed with blue trousers and blouse, campaign hats and leggins.

A change in the daily routine yesterday afternoon provides for the mounting of guard at 4 p. m. each day instead of the morning.

Sergeant Major F. W. Appleton took command of the regiment last evening after parade and with the assistance of the noncommissioned staff and first sergeants passed the regiment in review before the officers.

Work on the range commenced in earnest yesterday morning when the First and Second battalions shot on the 200 and 300-yard range. The Third battalion shot on the same range this forenoon. Instruction in the firing of the Krags will be taken up Saturday morning. Fifty of these rifles were issued by the state to each regiment, and this will be the first practice with the new guns.

Governor Van Sant and staff will be here to-morrow and at 7 p. m. will review the regiment. Later in the evening a reception will be tendered the governor and officers by the citizens of Lake City.

Mrs. W. E. Whyte and Miss Josephine Hill of Lake City were guests at headquarters during the afternoon yesterday and took several of the guests out for a drive.

The "skoplotches," well remembered by every man and visitor at the camp, are out in full force this year, a little earlier than usual. They are a harmless fly, as far as biting goes, but very bothersome from their tendency to alight on the faces of all they come in contact with. They swarm over camp by millions each morning and evening, and during the night go out over the lake. These flies never put in an appearance here until the soldiers come and then only remain until the soldiers leave. They are nearly a pest during that period. The one redeeming feature the mosquitoes.

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Captain W. H. Hart, brigade quartermaster, went to St. Paul yesterday to arrange for the transportation of the Second regiment into camp on June 18.

In honor of his birthday, which occurs Saturday, Adjutant General E. D. Libbey will entertain officers of the regiment and friends from St. Paul on an excursion around the lake and a luncheon. For fourteen years General Libbey has been a constant attendant at camp and never missed a day while on duty.

The annual pink tea of Company E will be given Saturday evening.

Sergeant Major R. M. Weaver has been detailed as mail carrier and is a very popular man.

The Third regiment did not compete for the Ames revolver last year, but will do so on Saturday. The revolver to be given by General A. A. Ames has not arrived yet, but is expected.

Company A of Duluth defeated Company E of St. Paul in a game of baseball yesterday. The score was 6 to 3.

Lieutenant A. B. Cole, medical officer, conducted the camp inspection yesterday afternoon and made it most thorough. The condition of camp was reported as excellent. Lieutenant Cole was surgeon major of the Fourteenth Minnesota volunteers. Professional business required that he leave for home this morning and he will not return to complete the tour.

The guard detail for to-day is as follows: Officer of the day, Captain H. L. Tourtelotte, Company E; officer of the guard, Lieutenant E. F. Davis, Company D; junior officer, Lieutenant A. R. McCorquodale. Detail for to-morrow, officer of the day, Captain H. H. Neuenberg, Company H; senior officer, Lieutenant C. A. Heins, Company H; junior officer, Lieutenant James G. Maxwell, Company A.

The hospital had two patients last night: Sergeant L. C. Bird, Company B, Anoka, and W. B. Craighead, Company E, St. Paul. Neither case is serious.

Annual Inspection.

Beginning Friday morning the annual inspection and muster will commence. There will probably be several visiting officers from the other regiments during the progress of the inspection. This is a new feature and every man present will mean $12 extra to the company in addition to the regular camp pay. Of this $7 cash will be given to the company, and $5 credit on uniform and clothing allowance, so it behooves each company to have every man present. It has been customary in the past when a man is absent from annual muster he will be fined the amount the company loses by his absence, which will be paid into the company treasury. This, however, remains discretionary with the company.

Aberdeen Notes.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 12.—At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Cleopatra Gold Mining company, held in Aberdeen, the old board of directors was elected and the officers chosen were as follows: J. M. Lawson of Aberdeen, president; R. A. Mather of Groton, vice president; A. S. Reed of Aberdeen secretary; R. B. Hughes of Spearfish, treasurer and general manager.—The Symms-Powers company, jobbers in heating, plumbing and gas fitting materials and supplies, and contractors, will open business in Aberdeen as soon as they can get quarters.—The Aberdeen Hous will be in charge of C. Desselhuys, late of Ie Mars. The firm has the heating contracts for the Northern normal and industrial schol and the new courthouse here.—Sheriff Thompson of Brown county went to Leola to-day to bring to Aberdeen two horse thieves arrested upon his request in McPherson county. The men are alleged to have stolen two horses and other property in Sargent county, North Dakota, and they will be held in Aberdeen to await the securing of requisition papers by the north state governor.

Alexander Ramsey, President.

Duluth, Minn., June 12.—Alexander Ramsey of St. Paul was re-elected president of the Mesaba Iron company. This is the pioneer iron company of Minnesota, as it was organized in 1875. The investigation of the Hadley-Wilson wreck closed yesterday.—Three hundred commercial travelers left last night for Excelsior, Lake Minnetonka, to attend the annual convention.

S. Dakota Priest Drowns Himself.

Winnipeg, Man., June 12.—The body of a man was found in the Red river, forty miles south of this city, and the remains were identified as Father M. J. Mercer, Catholic priest, of Armour, S. D., who was on his way to Trappist monastery, St. Norbert, near this city. He was worried in mind and evidently committed suicide.

Iowa Auctioneers Elect.

Waterloo, Iowa, June 12.—The State Auction Association elected the following officers: President, D. B. Marshall, Mount Ayr; vice president, F. F. Luther, Grand Junction; secretary, W. W. Stewart, Tingley; treasurer, C. H. Reeves, Washington. Des Moines was selected as the place for holding the next annual convention.

Sheriff Loses Barn and Granary.

Steele, N. D., June 12.—The barn, stabling for 100 head of cattle, granary with some seed grain and forty tons of hay belonging to Sheriff John Noonan, located five miles north of Tappen, were burned. Neighbors arrived in time to save the house. No insurance.

Two Governors at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., June 12.—Governor Van Sant of Minnesota and Governor Nash of Ohio are expected in Winnipeg on June 26, coronation day. They will accompany the Minnesota state bankers and a rousing reception is being arranged in their honor.

Boy's Body Identified.

Yankton, S. D., June 12.—Grant Grandpre arrived from Chamberlain and identified the body from the river at this point as that of his oldest son, Earl, aged 13 years, who was drowned May 6, while fishing at Chamberlain.

NORTH DAKOTA DEMS.

The New Chairman Is an Irreconcilable.

Fargo, N. D., June 12.—While the limited attendance at the recent democratic state committee meeting here indicated little enthusiasm in democratic ranks, many of the more prominent members of the party who could not participate in the action of the committee are discussing with much interest the effect of the election of B. S. Brynjolfson, of Grand Forks, as chairman. It is well known that Brynjolfson has little patience with the gold democrats who are talking reorganization. He is a radical of radicals, strictly against fusion with the populist and little inclined toward conciliation in any quarter. Brynjolfson has long been ambitious to be at the head of the democratic committee and now that he has succeeded, many of the old line democrats fear that his policy will not be conducive to the harmony necessary for the party to make a reasonable showing in the doming campaign.

On the other hand it is conceded that Brynjolfson will devote more time to the party organization than almost any other man who could have been selected. The democrats at this time need a committee chairman who will give the campaign almost his entire time. Brynjolfson is said to be willing to do this and intends to begin work at once in arousing interest among the working democrats of the state.

John Connolly, of Grafton, who was elected secretary is one of the shrewdest politicians in North Dakota. He has been remarkably successful in handling campaigns for his party in Walsh county. He will be satisfactory to all elements in the demoralized democracy of the state.

There are already indications that the democratic state convention on Aug. 1 will be at least interesting. For the first time in several years many of the gold democrats will be in attendance. It is known that an opportunity will be given some of these men to tell the convention what policy they think the party should adopt. There will probably be much plain talk.

There is little discussion of possible candidates on the democratic ticket. It is said that the party managers will first endeavor to obtain a campaign fund large enought to pay the expenses of the candidates for the principal offices in addition to the expenses of the campaign committee. It is believed that this fund can be raised if the faithful are asked to subscribe before the state convention is held. It is pointed out that patriotic democrats will, if they think it necessary, contribute to put a democratic ticket in the field.

The Filings at Pierre.

Pierre, S. D., June 12.—Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Louisa Mining company, at Pierre, with a capital of $250,000; incorporators, Ralph M. Jacoby, M. A. Miller and L. L. Stephens. For the Yankton Telephone company, at Yankton, with a capital of $10,000; incorporators, Frederick Schnauber, George W. Roberts, William H. Edmunds, Frank L. Van Tassel and Charles H. Dillon. For the Prouty Gasolene Locomotive company, at Huron, with a capital of $500,000; incorporators, Enoch Prouty, Oliver S. Prouty and Philip Lawrence. For the Sargent and Slaughter Land company, at Vermillion, with a capital of $50,000; incorporators, Fred W. Sargent, E. W. Sargent and William Slaughter. For the Nebraska and Iowa Petroleum, Gas and Mineral company, at Pierre, with a capital of $2,500,000; incorporators, Henry E. Nelson, James Dougherty and T. H. Conniff. For the Bare Pneumatic Athletic Shoe company, at Deadwood, with a capital of $100,000; incorporators, E. C. Talmadge, J. N. Lucas and John Ainley. For the Citizens State Bank of Andover, with a capital of $15,000; incorporators, N. L. Finch, Fred S. Pew and Jennie M. Pew.

Blanchard Seems Favored.

Pierre, S. D., June 12.—If reports over the state at this stage of the situation can be looked upon as a pointer as to results, the selection of T. E. Blanchard as state commander of the G. A. R., at the encampment at Brookings next week, is practically certain.—Wool raisers on the range country are finding trouble in securing shearers this season, and a number of them are yet waiting for the shearers to reach their flocks. This scarcity is bringing up the discussion of the location of a shearing plant, to be operated by power, at sime central portion of the sheep growing country.—Indications are that the June rise is on in the Missouri. The water has been slowly crawling up for several days, and now is about the nine-foot mark, with indications of its going higher.

Big Land Purchase.

Calumet, Mich., June 12.—John S. Morrison of this city and Roger C. Williams of L'Anse have purchased from the Detroit Construction company a large tract of land well wooded, with valuable cedar and hemlock, having fifteen miles of lake front on Huron bay. With the property and lake front the right of way of the dismantled Huron Bay railroad has been purchased and it may be utilized for a logging road. The transfer is one of the largest made in the upper peninsula in some time.

Medicine Dance at Wabemo.

Menominee, Mich., June 12.—About forty Indians passed through Wausaukee yesterday on their way to the Red river district Keneshena Indians, near Wabemo, Wis., and with them celebrate a gigantic medicine dance which will last several days. The Indians made the entire trip, about forty miles, on their ponies. These medicine dances are annual occurrences among the Indians of this district, most of whom are of the Menominee tribe, from the White Rapids reservation.

Fergus Falls Pastor Resigns.

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 12.—Rev. O. P. Ryder, of the Presbyterian church, tendered his resignation Sunday to take effect Oct. 1. Mr. Ryder has been very popular and his resignation comes as a surprise. It was mainly through his efforts that the $15,000 subscription for the new Presbyterian church was raised.

Mrs. Baker on Trial.

Hudson, Wis., June 12.—The cases of the state against Mrs. J. S. Baker, Miss Murphy and Mrs. Freel were before Judge Arnquist of the county court yesterday. The board moved first the case against Mrs. Baker for obtaining money under false pretenses for an orphanage in the city of Duluth.

Two Bodies in River.

Dubuque, Iowa, June 12.—Two bodies were found in the Mississippi river. One is that of a woman probably 30 years old. A mark of violence was evident on the dead woman's head. The other body was that of a man who disappeared some time ago. His name was Florice Smith.

Virulent Smallpox at Menominee.

Menominee, Mich., June 12.—Arthur C. Nelson, aged 26 years, died of confluent hemorrhagic smallpox, commonly known as black smallpox. This is the only case of the disease in this form that has appeared in the city, although there were many cases of a milder type.

Dolson Dies From Injuries.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 12.—Edgar Dolson, a former member of Company D, Fiftieth Iowa national guard, died yesterday as the result of wounds received uring a quarrel with Ted Dovey near Geneva last Saturday. Dovey has been arrested on a charge of murder.

Grand Meadow Man Insane.

Grand Meadow, Minn., June 12.—I. H. Comstock suddenly became violently insane and left his place of business, being found three miles east of town. He claimed he had just killed a man and wanted to run away from the sheriff, whom he said would surely get him.

New Postmasters.

Washington, June 12.—These postmasters were appointed to-day:

Minnesota—Wyoming, Chisago county, D. D. Stewart. South Dakota—Presho, Lyman county, Isaac Hellekson. Wisconsin—Paris, Kenosha county, L. C. Williams.

Street Railway at Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., June 12.—The city council last night passed an ordinance granting a franchise for an electric street railway of ten miles to M. F. McDonald, George H. Price and others of Scranton, Pa.

Boy Killed by Train.

St. Peter, Minn., June 12.—The 7-year-old son of Martin Stenzil was run over by a special train on the Omaha road yesterday afternoon. Death was instantaneous.

NEW OFFICERS OF THE NORTH DAKOTA SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

W. E. PRATT OF CAVALIER, President. G. F. RICH OF GRAND FORKS, Recording Secretary. JOHN ORCHARD OF FARGO, Field Worker.

WANT HANSON TO STAY

Hauge Synod Requests Him to Withdraw Resignation.

Sacred Heart, Minn., June 12. — The Hauge Synod yesterday unanimously requested Professor M. G. Hanson to withdraw his resignation as president of the Red Wing seminary and gave him as much time as he desired to reply to the synod.

In the matter of the new building for the seminary the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the synod erect a new building, repair the old one and erect a heating plant, the cost of all not to exceed $45,000; that the plan submitted by the board of trustees be accepted with any modifications that may become necessary, and that the construction of the new building begin as soon as a subscription of $45,000 is secured.

As members of the committee to supervise the erection of the new building at Red Wing seminary the following were appointed: John Mork, Faribault, Minn.; G. Torgerson, Duluth, Minn.; O. H. Oace, St. Paul, Minn.; John Nelson Crosby, St. Paul, Minn.; Arnt Bock, Sioux City, Iowa; Jacob Olson, Muskegon, Mich.; Chr. Pederson, Chicago, Ill.; O. L. Stangeland, Chicago; O. Boyum, Franklin, Minn.; R. J. Lund, Minneapolis, Minn.; and Rev. A. O. Uthein, Lonseth, Minn. The board of trustees was instructed to get the title to the school in Red Wing under the Torrens system.

Rev. C. E. Tiller, of Chicago, submitted his resignation as he at present was serving a congregation of the United Lutherran church.

Rev. C. C. Holter, who had been elected editor of "The Messenger," also tendered his resignation from that office.

Northwest Pensions.

Washington, June 12.—Pensions granted:

Minnesota—Charles M. Williamson, Minneapolis, $10; Frank Hatcher, Hamel, $12; Abbie E. McQuaid, Duluth, $8.

Wisconsin—Samuel Fleming, Bayfield, $6; William A. Bantenberg, Milwaukee, $8; Wallace Fogo, Ashbridge, $24; Austin W. Horr, Oxford, $14; Jeremiah Caniff, Prescott, $14; Gottlieb Behling, Wausau, $10; George Linton, Eau Claire, $12; Henry Becker, Neenah, $12; John Dunn, Adell, $12; John Hummell, Fort Atkinson, $24; James Hunter, Raymond, $12; John Ganerke, Morrison, $14; George D. Ellsworth, River Falls, $12; Eli Oreekman, Woodstock, $12; Pauline Pleski (mother), Superior, $12.

South Dakota—Isaac Fellows, Putney, $12; Henry Hetzler, Eureka, $10.

Iowa—Julius Schrieber, Davenport, $12; Joseph B. Teas, Chariton, $12; Joseph Toulouse, Marne, $24; Henry G. Porter, Central City, $12; James T. Cronk, Robins, $10; Henry Stewart, Ottumwa, $10; Milton J. Perington, Popejoy, $12; William Ingels, Ottumwa, $17; John T. Waters, Dewitt, $10; Benjamin Greenley, Cottage Hill, $10; Absalom Hamilton, Boone, $10; Oliver P. Jump, Pearl City, $8; Isabelle Wilson, Williamsburg, $8.

Lutheran College Dedication.

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 12.—Burglars entered the home of Mrs. William McDonell, a cripple, living with her little son, and procured a purse containing $32. The theft is a particularly deplorable one, as Mrs. McDonell could ill afford to lose the money.—The dedication of the Park Region Luther college took place yesterday with a large attendance. The seating capacity of the chapel was entirely inadequate and the speakers' stand was erected under the trees. Rev. O. N. Fosmark, the father and builder of the school, opened the exercises by a prayer and an address of welcome. The dedicatory address was delivered by Professor Stub, of the Lutheran theological seminary, at Hamline. Professor Stub spoke in the Norwegian language and addresses were delivered in English by Professor Hove, of the theological school; Andrew Grindeland, of Warren, and Captain C. L. Baxter, of this city. A large amount of money was subscribed for the furnishing fund of the college.

G. A. R. at St. Cloud, June 24-26.

St. Cloud, Minn., June 12.—There will be three great days in St. Cloud on June 24, 25 and 26—the occasion of the meeting of the seventeenth annual encampment of the northwestern district G. A. R. The following counties are included in the district: Benton, Douglas, Kandiyohi, Meekers, Stearns, Stevens and Wright. One of the events will be a big parade on the second day—the 25th—which will be reviewed by the governor and staff and Department Commander Starkweather and staff. The list of speakers includes Governor Van Sant, Department Commander Starkweather, Past Commander John Day Smith and H. G. Hicks, Colonel I. H. Mahan, Senator Buckman, Colonel A. F. Foster, Dr. J. A. Dubois, H. G. Broker, Colonel Jenkens and many others.

Hymen's Rocky Road.

Omaha, Neb., June 12.—Frederick Renard, of Oakland, Neb., although 64 years old, is anxious to marry, and the girl of his choice is but 22 years of age, Nellie Craig. Renard's estate is valued at $200,000. The family of the aged suitor see ulterior motives in Miss Craig's readiness to wed, and they are making every effort to check the affair. To do this, application was made in Knox county for the appointment of a guardian for him. In the meantime the old man and the younger Renards have been racing about the country, the one seeking a license and, so far, the others beating him to the courthouses and procuring injunction papers.

Buried by Company Comrades.

Menominee, Mich., June 12.—The burial of Daniel P. Nason, aged 77, an old member of Company E, Twelfth Wisconsin, brings forth an occurrence which is something seldom heard of now. All the pall bearers were men from the same company and fought side by side with the deceased during the civil war.

The death of Chauncey Whiting, Sr., of the town of Clitherald, occurred at his home on the 7th. Mr. Whiting was 82 years old and was one of the pioneers of Minnesota, having led the first colony to Otter Tail county in 1864.

Hastings Happenings.

Hastings, Minn., June 12.—The remains of Dr. H. A. Olson, an insane patient, who died at the asylum, were shipped to Long Lake for interment.—Two indictments found in 1892 against Otto Adams for burglary and grand larceny were dismissed in the district court.—The Hastings fire department re-elected the following officers last evening: President, J. E. Walker; secretary and treasurer, E. A. Schroeder.

Oregon Convicts Elude Pursurers.

Portland, Oregon, June 12.—Harry Tracy and David Merrill, the escaped convicts, who were surrounded in the woods near Gervais by the sheriff's posse and state troops, eluded their pursuers during the night, and at 6 o'clock were seen five miles north of Gervais. The fugitives stopped at a farmhouse, where they took breakfast and obtained some food.

Whole Family Injured.

Jamestown, N. D., June 12.—Engineer Mallick and family were injured by lightning, which struck their home in Valley City. The shoulders of Mr. and Mrs. Mallick were burned, their baby was struck and badly cut by falling glass and a boy 6 years old had his hair burned off and his head scorched. All will recover.

NORTHWESTERN GRADUATES

Closing Exercises in Many Schools and Colleges.

Fargo, N. D., June 12.—Fargoans had a treat last night in the adress of J. B. Cotton of Duluth at the graduating exercises of the North Dakota Agricultural college. The attendance was large. Miss Aldyth Ward of Bismarck, J. F. Jensen of Buffalo, T. W. Osgood, of Fargo and H. B. Schmidt of Abercrombie were the graduates.

Clinton, Iowa, June 12.—The annual graduation exercises of the Clinton High school were held at the Economic theater last night, when a class of forty-one received diplomas. The address was given by Dr. A. E. Winship of Boston, Mass., on "Praises and Prizes."

Marshall, Minn., June 12.—The alumni association of the Marshall High school held a banquet at Woodman hall. Thomas Halmon of Minneapolis, class of 1890, acted as toastmaster. Representatives of several classes responded. Mrs. Mekstruth and Mrs. Davidson of Wahpeton, N. D., of the class of 1891, assisted in the music.

Cedar Falls, Iowa, June 12.—A class of 150 students was yesterday graduated from the Iowa state normal school. Honors were conferred by State Superintendent R. C. Barrett of Des Moines. Monday night the board of trustees and the members of the faculty gave a reception in the men's gymnasium of the new building, the graduating class of 1902, the alumni and many townspeople were guests.

The twenty-ninth general assembly voted an appropriation of $300,000 for the benefit of this normal school, and the next two years will see marked changes in the buildings, apparatus and in the teaching force.

Calumet, Mich., June 12.—The graduating exercises of the Calumet High school will take place at the Calumet theater on Wednesday, June 18. A class of thirty-two will be graduated. In addition to the orations by the two students taking first and second honors, Dr. Frank Crane of Chicago, will deliver an adress on "Castles of Atlantes."

Menomonie, Wis., June 12.—The graduating exercises of the Menomonie kindergarten and primary training school were held at the Mabel Tainter Memorial last night. Six young ladies received diplomas, having finished the two years course, viz: Margaret A. Feldhausen, of Bayfield; Cora E. Morford, of Rice Lake; Minnie M. Perry, of Algoma; Bess A. Thayer, of Sparta; Edith E. Webber, of Florence; Harriet F. Wilson, of Menomonie. Certificate were given the folowing nine young ladies who have completed the work of the first-year course: Cora Barron, of Eau Claire; Laura G. Cox, Augusta; Amy E. James, Pardeeville; Adalyn G. James, Pardeeville; Caroline A. Powers, Chippewa Falls; Gertrude E. Relph, Menomonie; Florence M. Rowell, Mondovi; Ida Tonnar, Memononie; Stella K. Trainor, Boyceville.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 12. — Commencement exercises were held in St. Mary's institute in this city, a class of twelve being graduated, as follows: Thomas J. Carmody, Hiram A. Shaver, Cecelia Punnell, Gertrude Bendlage, Anna McMahon, Josephine Coulton, Marie Welch, Margaret Mitchell. The fololwing are graduated in music: Josephine Welch, Frances Mooney, Marguerite Barr, Michael Roskopf.

Hot Fight in Wisconsin County.

Madison, Wis., June 12.—The most strenuous of the many bitter factional fights which have taken place in Dane county is being waged this week. No thirteen-inch guns are being used in the battle, the fight on both sides being more in the nature of submarine warfare, with no noise of bombardment. The tactics pursued consist of a personal canvass of the voters, and there will be few of them who will not be seen by some worker before the county convention. The stalwarts are making a hard effort to take Governor La Follette's home county away from him, and the local bureau, of which R. C. Vernon, formerly one of La Follette's warmest supporters, and Raymond R. Frazier, Governor Scofield's executive clerk, are managers, is working night and day to accomplish this result. They freely claim that they will carry the city of Madison, and, while not expressing so much confidence as to the country districts, they are carrying the warfare out among the farmers in earnest also. One of their latest pieces of ammunition is in the form of a circular letter directed especially to the Norwegians voters, which bears the signature of Henry L. Dahle, brother of Congressman Herman B. Dahle, and is a protest against what he terms the treachery of the governor to his brother, and an appeal to Norwegians to stand by their countryman, the basis of all which is the allegation that the governor, who first brought Dahle out for congress, has pledged his support to W. C. Leitsch, of Columbia county, for the coming campaign. This allegation lacks supporting evidence, and the governor's friends insist that it has no foundation and that the governor is taking no part in the congressional fight in this district.

U. C. T. at Madison.

Madison, Wis., June 12.—The city and capitol are gaily decorated with banners and bunting in preparation for the coming of the jolly traveling men to-morrow, when the fifth annual session of the grand council of Wisconsin, United Commercial Travelers of America, opens to continue two days. There are sixty delegates to the convention, but ten times that number of knights of the grip, with their wives and sweethearts, are expected. The feature to-morrow will be the parade of traveling men. Clauder's band will furnish the music, and "Chet" Constantine, of Milwaukee, will be the grand marshal of the parade. In the evening will take place the reception, ball and banquet, in the assembly chamber. Saturday morning there will be a carriage drive about the city for the ladies, and after the session closes a steamboat ride on Lake Monona. C. J. Crocker, of Eau Claire, now grand junior counsellor, will probably be elected to succeed M. J. Hemmens, of Green Bay, as grand counsellor.

Bricklayers Scarce at Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., June 12.—Since the strike, which delayed work on Fargo buildings was adjusted, there has been a rush of work and the contractors are unable to secure a sufficient number of bricklayers. Efforts to secure bricklayers in the twin cities have been unsuccessful on account of the large amount of building in progress.—The North Dakota G. A. R. has secured the promise of Commander-in-Chief Torrance to be in Fargo during the encampment June 18-19. J. W. Carroll of Fargo seems to be the leading candidate for commander in this state.

NORTHWESTERN JUNE BRIDES

Rochester, Minn., June 12.—The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wright of this city was celebrated last night in the I. O. O. F. hall by the members of that order and the Rebekahs, of which the guests of honor were also members. Attorney George J. Allen made the presentation address and gave to Mr. and Mrs. Wright a small gold colored sack containing $50 in gold currency. Mr. and Mrs. Wright have been residents of Olmsted county for the past forty-eight years. Mr. Wright is 73 years of age and his wife 67.

Pelican Rapids, Minn., June 12.—The marriage of Henry G. Page, Jr., son of H. G. Page, formerly president of the Fergus Falls National bank, and Miss Ruth Kinney of Pelican Rapids, took place at the home of the bride's parents here, Rev. C. E. Ames officiating. About 100 guests were present, twenty of whom came from Fergus Falls. Miss Cora Frazee acted as maid of honor and Clarence Kinney, brother of the bride, as best man. The couple will leave in a few days for Great Falls, Mont., which is to be their future home.

Menomonie, Wis., June 12.—Ernest Boll of Rice Lake and Miss Levina Ohnstad, a popular society lady of this city, were married last evening at the home of the bride's father. Mr. Boll will be assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Menomonie.

Spring Valley, Minn., June 12.—Frederick Tenz and Miss Agness Laging were married yesterday at Zion's German church of this city.

Faribault, Minn., June 12.—G. Leonard Lang, an employe of the West Publishing company of St. Paul, was married last evening to Lucy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laufenburger of this city.

Northfield, Minn., June 12.—The marriage of Miss Jennie J. Gilbert and Frank A. Simpson, two well-known young people, took place at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Frank Howland of Waterford.

Woonsocket, S. D., June 12.—Frank Schmidt and Barbara Huber were married at the Catholic church yesterday morning.

Grand Meadow, Minn., June 12.—Torger Anderson and Mary Dalen were married at the home of the bride's brother, A. G. Dalen, by Rev. O. G. Belsheim.

Elk River, Minn., June 12.—Miss Lisbeth Laner and Joseph H. Slattery, both if this place, were married yesterday at the bride's home, Dr. Hindley performing the ceremony. Miss Denny of Minneapolis was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Slattery will leave in a few days for a trip south.

Dassel, Minn., June 12.—Henry Christian and Elizabeth Cassel of this village, prominent young people, were married. They will reside in Dassel.

Firemen Elect and Adjourn.

New Ulm, Minn., June 12.—The thirtieth annual convention of the State Firemen's Association adjourned to-day at noon, after electing the following officers: President, L. H. Stallman, Brainerd; first vice-president, G. G. Stone, Pipestone; second vice-president, George Worthington; secretary, R. O. Strong; treasurer, Frank George, Stillwater. The next meeting of the convention will be in Brainerd. The legislative committee was increased from seven to eleven members, three from Minneapolis, two from St. Paul, one from Stillwater, the other five being from other parts of the state.

Y. P. S. C. E. at Brainerd.

Brainerd, Minn., June 12.—The central district convention of the Y. P. S. C. E. is in session here at the First Congregational church. Rev. A. H. Carver gave the address of welcome and Rev. Alexander McGregor, D. D., of St. Paul, also spoke. President Brown appointed the following committees: Nominations, Rev. W. H. Medlar, E. L. Jenkins and Mrs. C. W. Horton; resolutions, Rev. G. Ernest Smith, Mrs. Amelia Erickson and Rev. E. E. Cram.

Teachers' Institute at Cando.

Cando, N. D., June 12.—A teachers' training school for Towner county opened here Monday and will continue all week. Professor W. E. Hoover, principal of the Park River high school, is conductor, and is assisted by Miss K. C. Laffin, of the Fargo high school, and Professor Blackorby, superintendent of county schools. Tuesday evening, Professor Kennedy, of the state university, delivered an address to the teachers in attendance, numbering seventy-two.

New Debt-Rising Plan.

Winona, Minn., June 12.—A unique celebration is taking place to-day at Minneiska, about ten miles up the river. It is promoted by the Methodist churches of Minneiska, Weaver and Elba for the purpose of raising a church debt. It is expected to raise the money mainly by selling dinner. In order to get a large attendance, a special program has been arranged, including a balloon ascension by Professor Schermerhorn. Presiding Elder Stout of this city made an address and W. B. Anderson of Winona was also down for remarks.

EIGHT HURT, SOME FATALLY

Schoolhouse Completely Wrecked Near Washington Iowa.

Des Moines, June 12.—For the first time in two days telegraphic communication with Washington has been obtained. Four wagonloads of students enjoying a picnic at Coppoc, nine miles south of Washington were caught by the storm during their return journey. One wagon containing nine members of the high school class which had just graduated sought shelter in a schoolhouse which was blown to pieces, burying all in the debris. The injured are: Mildren McAtlin, chest crushed; bones broken in several places and body bruised; eyes filled with mortar; blind; will die. Charles Chance, collar bone broken in several places; badly crushed all over; still unconscious; recovery doubtful. Myrtle Stewart, badly bruised about the head and face. Blanche Stewart, shoulder dislocated; head cut; bruised. Myrtle Shields, leg badly injured; severely bruised. Jessie Klein, back wrenched, badly cut. Gertie Reeves, face seriously cut. Mary Jerrard, ankle dislocated; several scalp wounds.

Heavy Rain at Yankton.

Yankton, S. D., June 12.—Three inches of rain fell here last night and this morning. No wind or hail accompanied it. The weather was somewhat dry before the storm, but no damage had been done to the crops.

Webster City Inundated.

Webster City, Iowa, June 12.—As the result of a terrific rain last night, and which is still falling, the Boone river is many feet above its banks. The northeastern and eastern parts of the city are under water and people are leaving their homes. No fatalities have been reported, but all wagon bridges are out and railroad bridges are likely to go.

Bad Washouts on Burlington.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, June 12.—During a heavy rain last night the large steel and stone bridge between Wells and Clevels, on the Iowa Falls division of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern railway, was moved from its abutments so as to be made impassable and twenty miles of track was damaged. It will be two or three days before train service can be resumed. The company had just resumed running trains over this line after having repaired the disastrous washouts of last week. The Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern is using the Illinois Central tracks from Cedar Falls to Iowa Falls. The Great Western had a washout between Waterloo and Reinbeck and is running its trains over the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern.

South Dakota Masonic Officers.

Huron, S. D., June 12.—The Masonic grand lodge adjourned last evening to meet next year in Deadwood. Past Grand Master Cleaver, of Huron, installed the following officers: Grand master, Frank A. Brown, Aberdeen; deputy grand master, Byron P. Dague, Deadwood; senior grand warden, Ivan W. Goodner, Pierre; junior grand warden, Edgar D. Brookman, Vermillion; grand treasurer, John G. Byron, Plankington; grand secretary, George A. Pettigrew, Flandreau; grand lecturer, B. F. Ives, Huron; grand chaplain, D. C. Jacob, Lennox; senior grand deacon, Charles A. Fisher, Aberdeen; junior grand deacon, Burdett Moody, Lead; grand marshal, W. E. Benedict, Custer; senior grand steward, Paul Deutcher, Brookings; junior grand steward, Dr. B. L. Stagel, Rapid City; grand sword bearer, A. E. Van Camp, Highmore; grand pursuivant, S. S. Lockart, Milbank; grand tiler, Frank Kunerth, Sioux Falls

Judge Winchester Reversed.

Jamestown, N. D., June 12.—The supreme court has reversed the decison of Judge Winchester in the case of James Thompson vs. William Armstrong, from Stutsman county. The case is one in which William Armstrong was defendant in a replevin action for a stallion, Prince Wilkes, bought by James Thompson. Thompson claimed to be the owner and turned the horse over to Thomas Creath under a contract whereby title was to remain in Thompson. The horse was seized by Armstrong under an attachment issued by one of Creath's creditors. In the trial, on the defendant's motion, Judge Winchester took the case from the jury and rendered a verdict in favor of the defendant.

North Dakota W. C. T. U.

Cando, N. D., June 12.—The eighth annual district convention of the W. C. T. U. opened here yesterday morning and will close this evening. Miss Mattie V. Bogart of Tower City will deliver the closing address. Before that an oratorical contest for a gold medal will be held and a musical program rendered. Nearly 100 delegates are in attendance.—The prices of farm lands in this county have increased nearly one-third in the past five months. D. F. McLaughlin recently sold for $9,500 one-half a section which he bought in January for $6,000. F. Weiker sold his farm, consisting of five quarter sections, to eastern parties for $13,000 cash, and another farmer sold two quarters for $7,500 cash.

Many Crookston Improvements.

Crookston, Minn., June 12.—At Tuesday night's meeting of the city council, a decision was reached to lay asphalt upon ten blocks and to extend the work into the residence portion of the city, laying macadam upon fifteen blocks. In this manner the relative values of the two materials will be tested. The council also authorized sewer and water main extensions that will cost in the aggregate $50,000, and the grading of streets that will necessitate on outlay of $20,000. Another improvement that will be made during the summer is that of placing a bridge across Red Lake river at the south end of Main street, at an expense of $10,000.

Agen Heads Wisconsin G. A. R.

Stevens Point, Wis., June 12.—At the state G. A. R. encampment this morning, Chippewa Falls was chosen as the next place of meeting, and James H. Agen of West Superior was elected district commander. General McArthur speaks to-night. The feature of yesterday was the address of Department Commander De Groff. The present membership is 9,447, showing a net loss of sixty-nine members. A resolution condemning the use of inscriptions of any kind on the national flag carried by Grand Army posts was unanimously adopted.

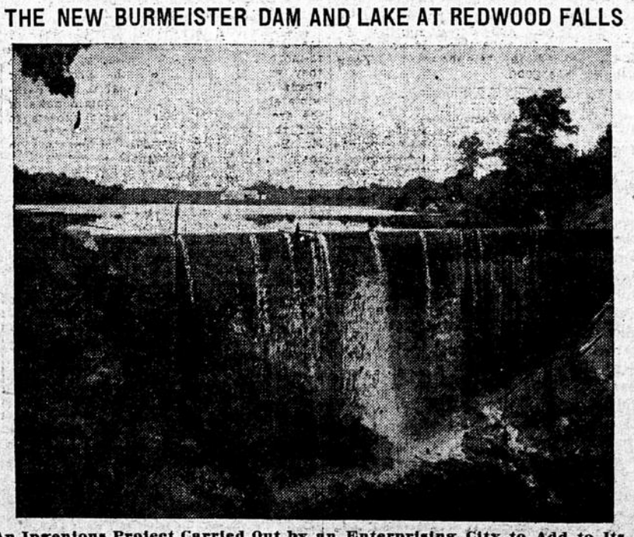
Ex-sheriff Charged With Assault.

La Crosse, Wis., June 12.—Former Sheriff Robert A. Ladd was arrested to-day, charged with breaking into the house of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Hull, choking and beating her. Mrs. Hull was formerly postmistress of Lytles, a small station north of here. Ladd was placed on trial to-day before Judge Daniels and the case adjourned one week.

Rural Telephone Line.

Dassel, Minn., June 12.—A company of Greenleaf farmers has been formed for the purpose of building a telephone line from Litchfield to Greenleaf. The company has about twenty-five shareholders and officers are N. Barrick, president; J. H. Lawrence, secretary; S. E. Lindall, treasurer.

THE NEW BURMEISTER DAM AND LAKE AT REDWOOD FALLS



An Ingenious Project Carried Out by an Enterprising City to Add to Its Attractions and Pleasures—The Committee That Carried It Through Was Made Up of A. C. Curmeister, H. A. Baldwin, O. L. Dornberg, C. Fred Thompson, F. L. Warner, J. A Schmahl

NO WATER

Sand Blocks Intake Pipe of La Crosse Waterworks.

La Crosse, Wis., June 12.—This city is to-day entirely without fire protection, the city water works being useless. Sand from the river has washed into the intake pipe, shutting off all water to the pumping station. Not a drop can be had from hydrants. Colman's mill is depended upon entirely to furnish pressure in case of fire. The situation is the worst in the history of the water works system and a force of men is working day and night digging out the sand, but which fills up about as rapidly as it can be removed.

ST. ANTHONY PARK

Miss Lizzie Balcome has gone to Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore have gone to New York for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have returned from their southern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger McInt