

THE DAILY TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MINNESOTA ON THE RIFLE RANGE

Lieutenant Colonel Whitney to Command During the State and Interstate Shoots.

Monday, Sept. 7, an Important Date at Camp Lakeview—Delayed Inspection Returns.

Special to The Journal. Lake City, Minn., Aug. 18.—Work is moving along rapidly on the new rifle range at Lakeview and everything will be in readiness for the commencement of preliminary firing in the state rifle contest on Sept. 7.

Each regiment will be represented in camp by fourteen of its best shots, including ten members of the regimental team and four members of the state team.

The competition will open on Monday, Sept. 7, and the first two days will be devoted to preliminary firing.

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Nothing definite has been decided concerning the artillery contest with Illinois. Major Lambert is awaiting a letter from the Illinois command.

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MONTANA MURDER OF A CHILD

Officers Dare Not Take Jackson to Scene of Crime for Fear of a Lynching.

Preliminary Examination to Be at Hamilton—State Has Some Strong Evidence.

Special to The Journal. Hamilton, Mont., Aug. 18.—The preliminary examination of Walter Jackson, who yesterday was charged by the coroner's jury with assaulting and murdering Fannie Buck, has been set for Thursday, at 10 a. m.

The district court will convene next Monday and if the law is allowed to take its course, a speedy trial is assured.

Jackson still maintains his innocence and says he can prove an alibi. He has, however, been positively identified by Mrs. Charles Buck, Vivian Warner and N. S. Nutt as the man who accompanied the murdered child the evening he was last seen alive and all the accumulating evidence points conclusively to his guilt.

A brother of Jackson is said to be serving a term in the Washington penitentiary for the crime of sodomy.

Montana Methodists Finish Their Work at Livingston and Adjourn.

LIVINGSTON, MONT.—The seventeenth annual session of the Montana conference of the Methodist church closed its five days' session in this city last night.

The reports submitted show that the church has made rapid strides during the past twelve months and that the outlook is bright.

The report also endorsed the American Anti-Slavery league. President Roosevelt was commended for his letter recently written against lynching and a favorable comment was made on the president's stand on irrigation and home missions and his opposition to the introduction of opium into the Philippines.

Bishop McCabe read a letter, which he stated that a contribution of \$10,000 had been made to the church extension society.

The conference elected C. E. Miller and Edward L. Mills as delegates to attend the anti-slavery convention, which meets in Washington, D. C., on Sept. 20.

The conference appointed Bishop McCabe as a member of the board of directors. After a spirited meeting Butte was selected as the next meeting place.

Witnesses Ready to Swear That Ortoff Was Driven to Suicide by Cruelty.

BUTTE, MONT.—Coroner Egan, compelled by the pressure of public sentiment, changed his first decision not to hold an autopsy over the remains of Frank Ortoff, whom it was alleged had been driven to suicide as the result of inhuman treatment received at the city jail.

Two bruises were found on the corpse, which justify the belief that death was due to other than suicide by hanging. Other witnesses have been found ready to testify that the beating of Ortoff was inhuman and it is reported that the federal authorities will order an investigation.

Edward Dorvat, chief operator of the Western Union, made a signed statement that he saw a deputy sheriff stamp upon the prisoner's stomach until the shackled man became unconscious.

Loss on a Glendive Hostelry Is Estimated at About \$8,000.

GLENDIVE, MONT.—Fire broke out in the basement of Hotel Jordan last evening at 10:30 and for a time threatened the destruction of the building.

Two crews of firemen arrived and in spite of the heat and smoke, entered the basement and got the flames under control there, but they had reached the elevator and spread to other floors where they were difficult to subdue.

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IOWA WOMAN HELD FOR RANSOM

Wife of a Rich Iowa Farmer Kidnapped and Imprisoned.

DAVENPORT, IOWA.—Report comes from Sunbury, Iowa, of the kidnaping late last night of Mrs. John Hillsrow, wife of a wealthy farmer, in an attempt to extort \$50,000 ransom from her husband.

Mrs. Hillsrow was imprisoned in the cellar of a building at Sunbury. Last night, while her captor was away from the house, she made her escape, running to a farmhouse in the neighborhood.

In the meantime her husband had communicated with the county authorities, but no trace of the kidnapers could be found. Mrs. Hillsrow is in a critical condition from exposure.

Landon and Pettit of Marshalltown Had Been Drinking Heavily.

MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA.—Daniel J. Landon, an old soldier, who was arrested last night, attempted to commit suicide by taking an ounce of laudanum.

The prompt aid of a physician saved him. Earl J. Pettit also attempted to kill himself with poison last night.

Mrs. Ann Wyckoff, a waitress in a restaurant, took an overdose of morphine to alleviate pain and came near dying.

S. M. Dodge, an operator for the Postal Telegraph company, disappeared suddenly Sunday with the contents of the money drawer of the office, about \$12.

The new St. Thomas hospital will be formally opened in about two weeks. A freak of nature was exhibited on the street here yesterday in the shape of a cow with five legs.

LE MARS, IOWA.—L. Greer, ex-mayor and a republican politician, was arrested last night for a minor offense.

CHEROKEE, IOWA.—Albert M. Croochie was attacking a mule on a farm here when a fence was broken and the mule charged at the cat, went thru the fence and then made for the boy. The animal bit him about and it is feared his injuries may be fatal.

SIoux CITY, IOWA.—L. J. Gress, a laborer, was seen running from a fire in a barn here last night.

VALLEY JUNCTION, IOWA.—Michael F. O'Connor, of Dublin, Ireland, attempted to commit suicide by taking morphine and is in a critical condition.

DUBUQUE, IOWA.—Socialists of Dubuque county will hold a convention Aug. 27 and name a full county ticket.

APLINGTON, IOWA.—The Cedar Valley Telephone company of Waterloo is putting in a local exchange in this city and will also connect with two rural lines near here.

TOLEDO, IOWA.—The semi-annual session of the Methodist district conference of the M. E. church will be held here Sept. 7 and 8.

SIGOURNEY, IOWA.—Colonel C. H. Mackey, one of the best known politicians in the democratic party in Iowa, is very ill.

MINNESOTA DIPHTHERIA TAKES THREE

All the Children of Mr. and Mrs. Holt-Husen Are Dead.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—A triple bereavement has befallen the Holt-Husen family here, their family of three children having been wiped out by diphtheria.

The first child died on Tuesday afternoon and the second on Wednesday. The father died on Sunday, and on returning home, found that the third and last child had died during his absence.

S. D. PRESS OUTING

Editors Rally at Omaha for a Trip to Salt Lake, Denver and Other Points.

Special Services in the Mormon Tabernacle for Thought Moulders and Their Families.

Madison, S. D., Aug. 18.—Members of the South Dakota Press association who are participating in the summer outing will leave Omaha this evening for Salt Lake City by the Union Pacific road in a special Pullman car chartered for the entire trip.

They will arrive at Salt Lake on Thursday noon, where they will be received by the Utah and the Salt Lake Press association committees, who will see that they miss nothing of interest.

Here the chamber of commerce will give the party a dinner, and the Mormon tabernacle, and a discourse from one of the Mormon elders explanatory of the religion. Then will come a trip to the Salt Lake city, and a visit to points of interest about town.

They will leave Salt Lake Saturday night, arriving at Glenwood Springs, Colo., the next morning, where the city entertainment committee gives them a tallboy ride about the glens and a bath in the hot springs of the famous pool. Leaving Glenwood Monday morning, they will have a day's ride on the finest mountain scenery in the world, on the Denver & Rio Grande railway, and arrive at Colorado Springs the same evening.

SALEM, S. D.—James H. Dyer has traded his livery, building and ground for a quarter section near Beaver City, Neb., to the Cheyenne canon, Manitou and the Cripple Creek and Victor mines.

HUDSON, S. D.—Peter Peterson, who was arrested on information from the police of Sioux City, succeeded in making his escape from the town jail by digging thru the heavy cement floor and burrowing to the outside.

BONESTEEL, S. D.—Two cars of sheep and six cars of cattle left this morning for the Omaha stock yard. Two cars of horses were shipped to Alberta, Canada.

VIENNA, S. D.—A grain elevator, to be run in conjunction with the roller mill, is being constructed. J. D. Sprangler of Gowrie, Iowa, has the contract.

WESTINGTON SPRINGS, S. D.—Mary Jones, a 15-year-old girl, was accidentally shot and almost instantly killed by Ralph Simmons, a 12-year-old boy.

ELKTON, S. D.—The board of trustees has decided to have a lighting system established. A special election will soon be called.

BRITTON, S. D.—Dougherty & Daniels have commenced the erection of a new 16,000-bushel grain elevator.

NORTH DAKOTA ADDED A CIPHER TO \$6 ORDER

Frank Hysler in Jail to Await Action of the Grand Jury.

FARGO, N. D.—Deputy Marshal Stout has brought Frank Hysler from Bismarck to Fargo to await the action of the grand jury.

States grand jury. Hysler is charged with having purchased a \$6 postage order in Fargo under the name of James Jones and payable to Frank Hysler, Bismarck. He endeavored to cash the order at a business house at Bismarck, but as it read for \$60 he was told to go to the postoffice.

A SECOND OPERATION Sergeant Cole, Who Lost His Arm by an Explosion, in a Bad Way.

LISBON, N. D.—Sergeant Clarence Cole, who lost his right arm in a Utah explosion, has been in poor health all summer and has not gained strength as the doctors had hoped he would.

GRAFTON, N. D.—Fred Nelson, who has been running a tailoring establishment in Grafton, has also been handling plans and sewing machines. The piano company had Sheriff Bannon take possession of its musical instruments.

MINOT, N. D.—Frank Sayer, an employee on the Soo Line, was run over by a west-bound train. His legs were crushed. He was brought to the hospital in this city, where he died.

HAYWARD, WIS.—Henry Horn, one of Hayward's town assessors, and Miss Irene Severson, were married by Rev. L. W. Winslow of the Congregational church yesterday. After a short wedding tour they will take up their residence in Hayward.

PLAINFIELD, WIS.—W. B. Angelo, an attorney, and Miss Carrie Coon, daughter of Estimator Ira P. Coon, were married yesterday.

WISCONSIN CAN'T LET IT REST

Holy Hill Controversy Gathers More Force Among Catholic Churchmen in Wisconsin.

Father Bertram Points to Recent Cures and Father Keenan Demands an Investigation.

Special to The Journal. Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 18.—The Holy Hill controversy continues with renewed vigor. Father Bertram, in charge of the church on the famous shrine, claims new cures during the pilgrimage now in progress and Father Keenan, the Fond du Lac priest who pronounced the shrine as a money-making fraud, has issued a new statement demanding an investigation under the auspices of the church.

Father Bertram was asked what cures had come to his knowledge since the pilgrimage began several days ago. He said that while several had been reported to him, the one that he himself knew of and which he considered remarkable was that of a young man who had come to the shrine in a rheumatic condition.

The young man, with hundreds of others had been at the shrine, and this morning his crutches were found on the altar. The patient had left for his home without them. Father Bertram also says that several pairs of spectacles were found in the church, and while he did not know the details of these cures, it was self-evident that the wearers would not have left them had they not been cured.

GOING TO QUINCY, ILL. Rev. James Smith Will Have a \$30,000 Church and \$700 Parsonage.

SUPERIOR, WIS.—Rev. James Robert Smith, who has resigned the pastorate of the Holy Hill Congregational church of this city to take charge of a church of between 400 and 500 members. The building is a \$30,000 affair and there is a \$7,000 parsonage. The resignation was taken upon last evening. Rev. Mr. Smith has in the last two or three years refused offers from Lansing, Grand Rapids, Mich., and other points.

The Swedish Baptist church has just finished the celebration of its fifteenth anniversary. The church started fifteen years ago with a membership of six and now has 105 on the rolls. A church building has been put up at a cost of several thousand dollars and within the last few months the indebtedness has been decreased to less than \$1,000.

The affair yesterday morning, in which G. W. Montgomery, a motorman on an interstate car, was stabbed by David Evans, colored, has caused a good deal of feeling here. Rev. Mr. Smith has been accused with intent to do a good deed, but it is expected a graver charge may be placed against him, as Montgomery is a critical condition. He will have a hearing before Judge Smith on Tuesday at Waupun. He was charged with one year in his wife's prison. He pleaded guilty.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Eugene Leakey, the Paul Revere of reputable pedigree, who is said to have purchased large checks on city merchants last week, was sent to the house of correction for ninety days by Judge Neesen.

HAYWARD, WIS.—Seven children, aged from 3 to 7 years, have been lost in the woods. Searching parties are being formed.

MURDER MAY FOLLOW A QUARREL OVER THE PRICE OF A DRINK.

SAULT STEARIE, MICH.—In a fight in the Cliff saloon on Magazine street yesterday afternoon, Joseph Tremday was nearly killed by a heavy blow from a beer mug and fears are entertained that he may not recover.

In a quarrel over the price of a drink Ben Trudo, who was intoxicated, threw the mug at Tremday as he was turning away from the cash register. It struck him over the eye with such force that the glass was smashed into a hundred pieces. Trudo was arrested by Officer Roberts and locked up.

GLADSTONE, MICH.—While telephoning yesterday during a thunderstorm, Henry O. Dahl, an employe of a brewing company, was shocked by lightning, dying almost instantly.

CALUMET, MICH.—The night passenger train ran over W. G. Carlson at Sibley, Mich., and he was killed.

CALUMET, MICH.—William Isola, a miner, was struck by a skip of the North Kearsarge mine and instantly killed.

FISHING AND HUNTING. The anglers who find in Utah ample opportunities to indulge in his favorite sport. The mountain streams are stocked with gamy trout and the little less gamy black bass abound in the water of Utah. In season good duck hunting can be had on Utah lake, the Jordan and around the pools and lagoons of the Salt Lake valley. On the mountain sides grouse are plentiful and larger game can be found on the mountain ranges of the Utah and Uncompahgre reservation.

To enable people to reach these favored localities without unnecessary expenditure of time or money, the Union Pacific has put in effect very low rates and splendid train service from Missouri river. Accommodations provided for all classes of passengers.

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