MUCH WORK DONE BY THE DAKOTANS

Delegations from North and South Dakota Have Taken Prominent Part.

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Washington, March 4.—In sizing up the work of congress which closed today, the record shows that the delegations from the Dakotas have put thru a number of bills which were of more than average local and general importance. In all mention of legislation in this connection, it should be remembered that senators and representatives have worked in harmony.

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Probably the most important piece of legislation of interest to North Dakota was the Devils Lake reservation opening bill, which became a law toward the end of the last session. Another was the settlement of the long pending claim of Turtle Mountain Indians for lands taken by the whites, by the payment of \$1,000,000 cash.

A new land district, with headquarters at Dickinson, was created, and the Indian agricultural school, costing \$100,000 established at Bismarck.

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A bill of interest to all the western country, was one pushed thru Hansbrough's committee on public lands, forbidding the exchange of timber lands for lands in forest reserves. Land legislation embracing other features, including the sale of timber lands at auction, was advocated by the secretary of the interior, and mut thru the says to of the interior, and put thru the senate by Mr. Hansbrough, but it died in the house committee on public lands. Bills for the construction of a bridge at Fargo, and extending the free homes' net to lands in the abandoned Fort

Abraham Lincoln reservation, also be came laws. Irrigation Work.

Outside of congress, the work of es-

tablishing irrigation projects at Fort Buford and along the Missouri river at Bismarck, and one other place have been decided upon under the federal reclamation act, of which Hansbrough was the author. Thru the efforts of Senator Hansbrough, Fort Lincoln, near Bismarck, has been made a battalion poet installing new art glass windows, will be reopened by Bishop I. W. Joyce Bismarck, has been made a battalion poet installing new art glass windows, will be reopened by Bishop I. W. Joyce tomorrow. Bishop Joyce will preach at

by the sacrament of the Lord's supper, vesterday. He also secured an appropriation in the river and harbor bill of \$50,000 for the improvement of the William Fielder, D.D., will preach at the evening service. Mrs. J. B. Hingeley will sing at both the morning and evening services.

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South Dakota Members.

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harbor bill, and provision was made for public buildings, but the latter measure was killed by Speaker Cannon. The Indian school and the Indian insane asylum at Canton were also cared for in the various Indian appropriation acts of congress.

Mr. Martin's bill for 640-acre home-

steads on lands west of the Missouri river passed the house but failed in the senate at the last minute.

BUMPER CROP PREDICTED

RED VALLEY FARMERS HAVE A "HUNCH" THAT SEEDING WILL BE GENERAL MARCH 15.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., March 4.—
The first wheat was seeded March 1 in the town of Louisville. This is the earliest seeding on record here.
The snow is all gone and wheat seeding may be general by March 15. The ground is in splendid condition. Most of the plowing was done last fall. The prospects for a bumper crop have not been as good since 1895. In that year seeding was done from March 15 to April 1. This was the best crop in both quantity and quality ever raised in the Red river valley. The average yield of this county was thirty bushels of No. 1 hard. Special to The Journal.

GRIM TALE OF CRIME AND HANGING A MYTH

of No. 1 hard.

New York Sun Special Service.

Allentown, Pa., March 4.—The man claiming to be Adolph Bloch, a brother of Eugene Bloch, who was hanged in this city last Tuesday for the murder of his paramour, Mrs. Katie Fatzinger, in August, 1903, who professes to havin August, 1903, who professes to having murdered the woman, is not given any credence by the police, who had charge of the case against Eugene Bloch and were instrumental in securing his conviction. The sensation sprung by the western Pennsylvania man was exploded by the fact that Eugene Bloch never had a brother, which statement is verified by his mother, now an inmate of the Lehigh mother, now an inmate of the Lehigh county poorhouse.

ASK FOR FORGIVENESS

Marriage of Chippewa Falls Couple

Causes a Sensation at Home. Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 4.—A sensation was created here by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Hazel Britton to Walter Staudt at Duluth on Feb. 27.

The parents knew nothing of the marriage until yesterday, and the girl's mother is almost frantic.

Meanwhile the couple are spending their honeymoon in Chicago and have

written for forgiveness.

Staudt was a member of the local baseball team and, by agreement, met Miss Britton in Duluth for the mar-

Rev. L. M. Waterman will speak tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock to the older boys in the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A.

John W. Arctander speaks in English tomor-row evening at 7:45 in the Norwegian Lutheran Bethlehem church, Eighteenth street and Four-teenth avenue S. Subject, "The Malefactor's Prayer."

Rev. Charles H. McCaslin of St. Louis will preach in the Highland Park Presbyterian church morning and evening.

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Senator McCumber tried hard to have the senate pass the pure food bill, which passed the house in the second will be participated in by all the Methwhich passed the house in the second but it was sidetected only by the segment of the Lord's supper.

Rev. Theodore Heysham of Central Baptist church will begin, tomorrow night, a series of sermons on "The Opportunities of the Hour." The subject on which he speaks tomorrow evening is "The Inaugural Procession of the Redeemed of God." Miss Mynn Stoddard will sing "Lend Me Aright," by Ashford.

evening, at the Church of the Redeemer will have reference to the preparation for Easter. Later, the usual moonday Lenten services will be drawn from scenes and experiences during the closing week of the master's life, Following are the dates and subjects for these vening services.

March 5, "The Entry into Jerusalem," Rev. M. D. Shutter, March 12, "The Annoining at Bethany, E. D. Ellenwood, assistant; March 19, "Looking Toward the Cross, Rev. M. D. Shutter, March 26, "The Last Gathering with His Disciples," Dr. Shutter, April 2, "The Betrayal by Judas," Rev. M. D. Shutter; March 26, "The Last Gathering with His Disciples," Dr. Shutter, April 3, "The Denial of Peter," Rev. M. D. Shutter; April 2, "The Betrayal by Judas," Rev. M. D. Shutter; April 16, "The Tragedy on Calvary, Rev. W. D. Shutter.

Memorial services for the late Dr. Lindley will be held at Friends church, First avenue S and East Fourteenth street tomorrow morning at 10:30.

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PEOPLE'S PULPIT

officers and informed him of the condition of one of his "brothers." He called on him and promised to see what could be done. Days elapsed; then I found that because the sick brother had not been able to pay his dues for some time, he was not held to be in "good standing," and the lodge as such could do nothing for him.

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