

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

IOWA

WANT GRAND JURY SYSTEM ANNUED

STATE BAR ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE HAS A REFORM.

Constitutional Amendment to Be Urged Before the State Meeting of Lawyers at Des Moines in July—Congressman Wade of the Committee Voices the Opposition to the System.

Special to The Journal. Iowa City, Iowa, May 31.—"Abolish the grand jury system in Iowa" is the slogan of the reform committee of the State Bar association. This committee will recommend to the parent association at its meeting in Des Moines on July 20, 1905, that a constitutional amendment be adopted providing for such abolition and for the placing of persons upon trial upon information.

M. J. Wade, formerly Iowa's only democratic congressman, is a member of the reform committee. He was also today and said: "I think that the grand jury should be abolished because whatever good purpose it may have served in the past, under our modern practice it is not necessary for the protection of the innocent, nor for the conviction of the guilty."

"It is a hearing in which the accused cannot be assisted when the evidence on both sides is heard. It is safe to say that more than two-thirds of the indictments returned by the grand jury result in dismissal or acquittal. It is unfair to the accused to have an indictment returned against him after a hearing in which he cannot be represented, because, while legally an indictment is only an accusation, yet in the public mind the indictment is often taken as a conviction."

"It is unfair to the prosecution, because it is compelled to go thru two trials instead of one, and it disposes to the accused the nature of the evidence, often many months before the trial, thus enabling him, if guilty, to manufacture evidence to secure an acquittal. In those states where the grand jury has been abolished, it is found that the power is seldom, if ever, exercised."

LEAVES CHURCH UNDER CLOUD

Baptist Pastor at Rockwell Returns to His Old Home in the East.

MASON CITY, IOWA.—Rev. Mr. Marsh, pastor of the Baptist church at Rockwell, has taken sudden leave of his parish and with his wife left for Detroit, Mich., his old home. His act, it is said, was brought about by personal reasons, but it is believed that his resignation was the result of a certain young woman connected with the church who has been accused of a crime. The pastor, it is said, is a man of high character and has been in the ministry for many years.

STATE CONVENTION PROPOSED

Commercial Clubs Urged by Rolfe Man to Enlarge Scope and Field.

IOWA FALLS, IOWA.—J. T. Grant, secretary of the Business Men's club at Rolfe, has proposed a state convention of the commercial clubs and business men's associations of the state in the city of Waterloo, Wis., during the month of July. The matter will be submitted to the various clubs and associations for their consideration. If sufficient favorable sentiment is manifested, steps will be taken to perfect an organization.

ASHLAND COMPANY SELLS

\$280,000 Deal for Timber Lands in Two States.

BESSEMER, MICH.—The G. T. Sanborn company of Ashland has transferred to the Michigan Lumber company a large tract of timber land in Gogebic county, Michigan, and in Wisconsin. The deal is valued at about \$280,000. The consideration was \$250,000.

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH.

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TRIPLETS OF BARABOO, WIS.

CELEBRATE 41st BIRTHDAY



HASKINS BROTHERS NAMED BY PRESIDENT LINCOLN FOR HIMSELF, GIDEON WELLS AND SIMON CAMERON.

Special to The Journal. Baraboo, Wis., May 29.—The Haskins brothers of this city have just celebrated their forty-first birthday anniversaries. The triplets were born in South Starbuck, Addison county, Vermont, May 24, 1864.

MICHIGAN

UPPER MICHIGAN MEN WILL LOSE

BREAKFAST FOOD COMPANY IS ON THE ROCKS.

\$30,000 Invested at Marquette Alone in the Stock of a Detroit Concern Which Has Gone Bump—Creditors of Company Begin Suit to Recover \$20,000 from Shareholders.

Special to The Journal. Marquette, Mich., May 31.—A great stir has been caused in this portion of the upper peninsula by notification that a suit has been brought against the stockholders of the Hanna Cereal company of Detroit by creditors holding claims of \$20,000.

DRAGGED BY HIS TEAM

Charles Luce, a Livestockman, Meets a Horrible Death.

MORA, MICH.—Charles Luce, a livestockman at Lawrence, Mich., met with a horrible death yesterday, while returning home from this place. He was driving a passenger train and in turning a sharp corner he fell asleep and his horse ran away with him. He was dragged beneath the buggy by his head and neck.

ROOM FOR SCIENCE SCHOOL

State Will Add a Course and Increase the Faculty.

WABERTON, N. D.—Now that the science school building for the use of the school, arrangements are being made to enlarge the scope of the state school. The building is probably the finest school building in the state. In the past five years it has been furnished elegantly. The science school therefore will have ample room, and when some minor improvements are made will be housed as well or better than any school in the state.

ACTIVE SEASON IN PINEBRIES

Railway Extensions in Upper Michigan Portend It.

CALUMET, MICH.—Railroad extensions under way and contracted for in the upper peninsula indicate that there will be an unusually active season in the lumber trade. At present, the points railroad extensions are being built to the coast of Marquette, in order to facilitate the construction of sawmills and manufacturing plants along the coast.

An extension of ten miles is to be added to the Escanaba and Lake Superior line at once. It is understood that the Wisconsin and Michigan Lumber company has been engaged in grading and within thirty days it is expected that the company will have completed the first four-mile stretch of the new line.

It is not at all improbable that the line will be completed in a few weeks. Branches will be established in Neganawau and Marquette. The Young Brothers Lumber company of Duluth has a contract to remove 25,000 yards of earth from the channel at Ontonagon and has started work. The Sparrow-Kroll Lumber company of Kenosha has begun operations at the mill forty-eight cars daily.

KEG OF YEAST EXPLODES

Manistique Citizens Thought that Burglars Were Abroad.

MANISTIQUE, MICH.—A large hole was made in the ceiling of the Western Express company's office at Manistique a few nights ago by the explosion of a keg of yeast. The explosion was heard a long distance, and for a time it was supposed burglars had broken the safe. When the keg exploded, it was found to be a keg of yeast. The explosion was caused by the yeast becoming fermented, causing the keg to burst. The keg was strongly constructed of one and one-half inch oak and was well braced.

VETERANS FALL OUT

Only Twenty-eight of About 100 Were in the Line at Hutchinson.

HUTCHINSON, MINN.—Only twenty-eight veterans were in the line at Hutchinson on the day of the late war. The procession to the cemetery was nearly a mile long and included besides bands, W. B. C. corps, city officials, fire departments, and societies, over 500 school children, among the latter being the rural school commander E. A. Tevis. At the cemetery Post Commander E. C. Dwinell was in charge of the exercises. The procession was led by Rev. E. L. Brooks and L. P. Harrington made an address on the "Fakona" bench. The children decorated the graves with flowers. The closing exercises were held in Central park from the music of the city band. The first feature being an eloquent address by Rev. George Nicholson.

WINONA, MINN.

Memorial exercises were held at Winona hall at 2 o'clock. Several musical numbers were given by the choir from the young ladies' society and by a volunteer male quartet. The exercises were given by the pupils of the public school. Mr. Eckman gave eight prizes, aggregating \$12 for children. A contest was held by the pupils of the upper rooms. The boys of the eighth grade contested on the diamond. Four teams of girls played basketball in the gymnasium.

EVELETH, MINN.

Short Memorial Day addresses were made by Rev. Father Floyd and Rev. S. M. March. Introductory remarks were

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Be Here Thursday Sure Don't let your neighbors get all the good things.

Be Here Thursday Sure

where he formerly resided. The hearing of the criminal case against Nuremberger will probably be taken up Monday. The jury in the case of G. B. Wannamaker vs. the Northern Pacific railroad was brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$10,000. He sued for \$25,000. He was riding in the caboose of a stock train. As Driscoll another train hit the caboose and caused injuries to Wannamaker which made him a permanent cripple.

TO MEET AT LIDGERWOOD

Sunday School Workers of Richland Prepare for Convention.

LIDGERWOOD, N. D.—The Richland county Sunday school convention will be held in this city on June 2 and 3. A program has been arranged and a large attendance is expected. Prominent among the speakers will be John Orchard, Rev. C. D. Gamble, Mrs. Jennie Mason and others. The business meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon. The present grand jury, W. H. Young, a butcher at Neche, was brought here and jailed on the charge of smuggling hides across the boundary.

HARVEY IS GROWING

Contracts Let for Expensive Block and Sewer and Waterworks.

HARVEY, N. D.—The contract of new building for the first national bank and the Jorgensen Mercantile company was let today to the Scheidt, Christianson & Chapman company of St. Paul. The building is to be 50x140 feet with offices, operating and a lodgeroom upstairs. It will cost about \$22,000. The contract calls for the completion of the building by Sept. 1.

ARNOLD'S SUDDEN DEATH

His Wife Was a Bride of Less Than a Month.

FARGO, N. D.—Widowed after being a bride less than a month is the lot of Mrs. Wesley Arnold. Her husband was found dead in a local hotel, and nothing was known of the address of his relatives. Mrs. Arnold was at Buffalo, awaiting the return of her husband, when she saw the notice of his death in a Fargo paper. They were married at Watertown, S. D., early this month, and came to Fargo.

MARTIN IMPRESSED

Growth of the Dairy Business a Surprise to the Congressman.

DEADWOOD, S. D.—Congressman E. W. Martin has returned from Watertown, where he spoke before the annual meeting of the travel-

NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

MILBANK, S. D.—Lulu, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vandervoort, was married to Lynn Hayes, and Alice, a second daughter to Ralph Amesen. All the young people were reared in this city and are popular in social and church circles. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes will visit California on their wedding tour and Mr. and Mrs. Amesen will go to Wisconsin.

NORTHWEST NECROLOGIC

STILLWATER, MINN.—Andrew Storman died suddenly in South Stillwater last evening, aged 50. He had been in feeble health for a year. Coroner E. E. Wells was summoned and wrote a certificate to the effect that death was due to old age.

BLOOMER, WIS.

Charles Spencer, one of Chippewa county's oldest residents, died yesterday and will be buried in the Bloomer cemetery tomorrow.

IOWA FALLS, IOWA.

"Uncle Beanie" Pierce, one of the pioneer residents of Hardin county, died suddenly at his home in this city yesterday. He had been in feeble health for a year. His wife died several years ago, but a large family of grown children survive him.

Advertisement for Regal clothing store. Features a man in a suit and text: '\$15 affords choice of any Suit, Top Coat or Raincoat in Our Entire Hart, Schaffner & Marx Surplus Stock'. Includes a list of clothing items and prices.

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