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QUITE A BLAZE. About three o'clock on Sunday morning, an hour when all healthy persons are in the soundest sleep of the night, the new fire alarm just put in place in the village building, gave out its first call for the Fire Company to appear for duty. The call was responded to with promptness, and the hose, ladders, etc., were soon at the scene of danger. The fire broke out in a barn on the residence lot of W. T. Post. When first seen, the flames were issuing from the roof, which would indicate that the fire began in the hay loft. Two horses were in the building, one belonging to C. O. Dalley, Esq., and the other to Ivan Erickson. The horses were probably killed by suffocation before the fire reached their stalls, as no sound was heard indicating their suffering. The fire soon enveloped the contiguous barns of Wm. Grono, D. C. Holmes and H. E. Torrance. By the time the flames reached the latter barn there was quite a crowd of people on hand, but water in the wells was scarce, and nothing could be done to save it. The water-works, as yet were in the hands of the contractors, and were not considered as at all in shape for work, but the engineer, in twenty five minutes from the first tap of the bell giving the alarm, had steam up, and had water forced into the hose attached to the fire hydrants near the burning building. The water supply, though secured too late to save the barns, was had just in the nick of time to save all the dwellings contiguous. Two strong and sufficient streams of water, one on each side of the mass of flames, saved the residences of Messrs. Post, Torrance, Grono and Holmes. Five minutes later and one or more of these dwellings must have been destroyed. It is to be regretted, of course, that water could not have been in the tank (which was almost ready to receive it,) for instant use, but as it was, the water-works saved at least \$10,000 worth of property, thus more than half paying for its cost. The new fire department did splendid work, considering all the difficulties under which it did its first work. This experience satisfies all of the need of the water supply system it coming into use soon for the protection of our city. We rejoice that, in view of the serious expense, the resultant loss is no greater. The loss was not less than \$2,000.

MUST ATTEND SCHOOL.

The Worthington School Board gives notice in today's ADVANCE that children of school age, not sent to school by their parents or guardians, will be compelled to attend, or show cause sufficient to justify their non-attendance. We hope that the number of parents or guardians neglecting the most obvious duty of educating the youth for whom they are responsible is not very large in this community. But, judging from the number of boys running about the streets in school hours, there are some who are either truants, devoting those who have the care of them, or who are allowed to idle away the time in which the elements of an education must be secured. Not only are these idlers and street rovers wasting time and opportunity, but some of them are making rapid progress in vice and crime. The good people of Worthington ought to sustain, and doubtless will sustain the School Board in enforcing the law, which aims only at the welfare of the youth needing the benefit of the school, and of the community at large. The man, or woman, who has the care of children of school age, who interposes any objection or obstruction, in the way of enforcing this law, is far from being a good neighbor, or a good citizen. The parent or guardian, who neglects to send his or her children to school, in the absence of the most imperative reasons, is very remiss in duty. It is for the good of the child, and for the good of the community, as well as the whole community, that this wise and humane law should be fully enforced. Let all cordially and firmly co-operate with the School Board and the officers of the law.

THE BEST OF CHILDREN'S MAGAZINES.

The publishers of St. Nicholas, that famous young folk's magazine, are offering to send a sample copy, free of charge, to any father or mother who would like to consider the question of taking a children's magazine during the year to come. Certainly if that question is up for discussion in any household St. Nicholas will be the magazine selected. From its first number, in 1872, the pens of the greatest writers of the English world, and the pencils of the most famous illustrators, have been at its service. Tennyson, Longfellow, Bryant, Thomas Hughes, Whittier, Bret Harte, Bayard Taylor, Mrs. Burnett, Alcott, Donald G. Mitchell, George MacDonald, Mrs. Oliphant, Professor Proctor are a few of the many great names which have been upon its list of contributors. Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge is the editor. Everything in it is illustrated. In 1892, there are to be serial stories by Brander Matthews, Lieutenant Robert H. Fletcher (the author of that charming book, "Marjorie and her Pappa"), Laura E. Richards, William O. Stoddard Charles E. Carryle (the author of "Davy and the Goblins") and Frances Courtenay Baylor. There will be short stories by Thomas Nelson Page, Mary E. Wilkins, Mary Halleck Foote, Richard Malcolm Johnson, Octave Thanet,

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COUNTY NEWS.

RUSHMORE. Winter is here. Our village is wide awake and lively this fall. Adrian must be growing because a party that lives south of Adrian got off the cars here and thought he was in Adrian. Joslin & Co., of St. Paul, have contracted for a hay warehouse 40x80 to be built here. W. T. BREWSTER. You must excuse me for not sending in my usual budget last week, as we were threshing at our house, and I did not have time to visit the neighbors after news. S. Allen and his men started Monday to build the house of A. J. Peverill and expect to have it finished in a week or ten days. There will be a meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 18, at the hall to discuss the building of a church. Preaching will also be conducted by the Rev. H. F. Cory, of Worthington, a large turnout is desired. The Lutheran church building is a sure thing this fall and Fairfield & Peverill have ordered the lumber for it. Mrs. Minnie Randolph visited friends at Magnolia, this week. Plans are being made for a wedding week after next, which is expected to eclipse anything ever held in this vicinity. Little Fernie Geyerman, whose hands were so badly burned last week is doing nicely, and has now nearly recovered. The grain market is still booming here and more grain has been taken in here than ever before. A FARMER.

A year ago we advised people to buy land in Nobles County as prices were sure to advance. During the year prices have advanced but we predict a still greater advance during the next 12 months. If you want a piece of land for yourself or for a son or friend, NOW is the time to buy. Whenever we find a cheap piece of land we buy it ourselves. This enables us to sell at reasonable figures, on long time and easy payments. When you buy of us you buy of the actual owners of the land. We can do better by you in prices and terms because we own the land we sell.

IF You want to get a large lot to build a home on, and get it on monthly payments, we can help you. Also will lend you money to build it with. IF You want to borrow money on good security we have the cash for you. Whether you desire to borrow cash, buy a farm, or build a house in town, come and see us. It is better to deal with a Home Company, composed of men who live here and have a desire to build up this section of the country.

Minnesota Loan & Investment Co., Worthington, Nobles Co., Minn. Geo. D. Dayton, President. Geo. O. Moore, Secretary.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC. THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE. C. St. P. M. & O. Ry., has recently issued a new circular of instructions to agents, conductors and trainmen generally, requiring passengers to purchase tickets before entering trains, at all stations where tickets are on sale. No person will be permitted to board train without a ticket or other proper transportation. One of the main objects sought to be gained under the new rule, is that proper statistics may be gathered showing the actual business done at each station. Stations are opened and agents placed in charge for the purpose of selling tickets and furnishing all possible accommodations to the traveling public, and it is hoped that the patrons of the line will assist the company in enforcing the new rule. Ticket offices will be open at least 30 minutes, day and night, prior to departure of each train carrying passengers, during the hours designated by the Division Superintendent. W. T. TRASK, Div. Gen'l. Pass. Agent.

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