

Late Fiction We Recommend

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THE CITY

OFFICIAL WEATHER REPORT.

For Twenty-four Hours Ending 7 p.m., December 6, 1907
 Temperature - Maximum 49; minimum 12.
 Precipitation—None
 Wind - Maximum velocity 15 miles per hour from the south-east.

Fortnightly Club
 The Fortnightly club will hold its evening session Tuesday, at the home of Miss Hilda Satterlund.

Another Change
 The Grille Cafe ought soon to be well known to the public if advertising means anything. The proprietorship has again changed and this time it is W. D. Sherrard who has sold out. The firm now stands Wilde & Manning. It matters little to the public who controls the Grille so long as it continues its excellent service.

Got Off Easy
 Anna Forman, a warrant for whose arrest was issued Friday evening, was brought before Justice Gilbert yesterday. She plead guilty to the theft and was given an opportunity to make good the amount stolen and the cost of the action within the next five days. Pending the wait for the money from her relatives she languishes in the county jail.

It Was Splendid
 The "Yankee Regent" company gave the audience a rare musical treat at the Athenaeum last night and it was a pity so small an audience was there to enjoy it. The company is an excellent one throughout and the play abounds in merriment and musical numbers which called the singers back

time after time. Clara Berger, as the Princess Olive, was charming, has a sweet voice well cultivated and very attractive stage presence. Toby Lyons was a host in himself as the regent and was well supported by the balance of the cast. The chorus was shapely, handsome and could sing.

John Rea Passes Through
 John Rea, formerly of Bismarck, newspaper man, correspondent, and at one time register of the U. S. land office, drops a line from the train as follows: "I, too, pass through 'Dear Old Bismarck' in the night."

"Due in Washington, D. C., Nov. 10 as a witness before the Interstate Commerce Commission, Lumbermen vs. Railroads. No time going for a stopover."

"I hear that Little will do up both insurgents and stalwarts."

"New York is my destination, where I will spend the holidays with Mrs. R. and John, Jr., and minor relatives."

All Passed
 Examination week at the Pumpkinville academy ended yesterday and it is understood that every member of the senior class will be graduated. The valedictory will go to Miss Seraphim Mucheram Highonor, while Mr. Studionus Nonfunk will deliver the salutatory. The prize in oratory was won by Mr. Columbus Lysander Callusback. The commencement exercises will be held at the Presbyterian church in Bismarck Friday evening, Dec. 13. All friends of the academy are cordially invited to be present.

More Awards
 The following were among the lucky ones who got good things at the Catholic fair.

Morris chair, John McDonald; fancy vase, Dr. Kershaw; parlor cabinet, Mrs. Christina Hess; lunch cloth (guessing contest) Harry Homan; eyelet lunch cloth, Mrs. Connor; clock, J. McDonald; souteraine, Mr. Knappen; Teddy bears, K. Jaskowiak and Mrs. Winkel; comforter, Mrs. MeHugh; rocking chair, Mrs. W. Morris,

jr.; rocking horse, Thos. Donahue; high chair, Miss Bessie Ryan; doll, Mrs. Mockler.

The pajamas caused great amusement when they were given out. A fruit picture went to Irene Knott. Mrs. Thos. Hanlon, acting president of the fair, is pleased with the success and Father Clemens is grateful to the congregation and the public.

Pleasant Dance
 The Id Solum Nostrum club gave another of its pleasant dancing parties Friday night which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

In Status Quo
 Nothing further was done in the matter of the motion to remove the Morton county blind pig cases to Barnes county as the defense desired more time to secure some affidavits in support of their contention that a fair and impartial trial can be had in Morton county. Arguments will probably be heard Monday or Tuesday. In the meantime Judge Burke returned to Valley City.

M. B. A. Officers
 Modern Brotherhood of America, at their meeting Wednesday evening, elected the following officers:
 President—T. A. Anderson.
 Vice president—W. J. Cleveland.
 Secretary—A. F. Marquett.
 Treasurer—C. A. Hess.
 Conductor—Alice Knott.
 Chaplain—Mrs. A. P. Marquett.
 Warden—Grant Marsh.
 Sentry—F. T. White.
 Examiner—Dr. Roan.

Artistic Windows
 If anyone doubts the metropolitan trend of Bismarck, they have but to examine the window display in all our department stores. The artistic dressing shows a taste and design equal to anything seen in the Twin Cities and reflects credit, not only on the enterprise of our merchants, but also on those to whom is left the execution of the work. Such displays are both pleasing to the eye and attractive to the purse and will often solve the knotty problem of what to purchase.

Rev. Anderson To Preach
 The many friends of Rev. James Anderson, formerly pastor of the local Methodist Episcopal church will be pleased to hear that he is to be in our city next Sunday, Dec. 15th, and will occupy the pulpit in that church both morning and evening. He was pastor here for four years and was most successful. He is now serving his fourth year as pastor of the Epworth Methodist church at Valley City and is regarded as one of the most successful ministers in the state.

Gorton's Minstrels
 Gorton's Minstrels, with an excellent company of comedians, singers, dancers and vaudeville artists, will appear at the Athenaeum, Monday, December 9th. Bearing the stamp of popular approval for nearly a half century, this favorite organization, enlarged to almost double its former size, is fully sustaining its best reputation, by providing its patrons with only the very best features of minstrelsy.

The high standard of excellence which has always characterized their performances in the past, will again prevail the present season.

The management guarantees a program positively free from stale, time-worn acts, everything being new original and up-to-date, while every attention has been given to the many details necessary to a high class, entertaining, bright and merry minstrel performance.

An attractive parade will be given by the entire company at noon.

Beginning Monday Webb Brothers will be open nights until Christmas.

Come in the store and look over the special sale on 50 cent goods. They are in the front window and don't open sale this week. You can get very low prices on these goods, and you need some of them at home.
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LOUIS SOUTHWORTH COMES TO CRUEL END

In Ill Health and Despondent Over Impecuniosity He Threw Himself Under the Wheels of Freight Train and Is Ground to Pieces

Shortly after the noon hour yesterday citizens were shocked to learn that Louis Southworth, a long-time resident of the city, had met his death on the railroad just west of the weather bureau, having been run over by an eastbound freight train.

Coroner Field was at once notified and hurried to the scene and took the remains in charge. The body had been cut in two just below the chest and the heart and other vital parts were scattered about the ground. The train crew was held pending an inquest and a jury consisting of E. C. Taylor, E. K. Bull and Geo. Ward was impaneled and the testimony of the train crew taken. This developed the fact that it was a clear case of suicide. The engine whistle had been blown and Southworth had at first stepped off the track and then deliberately threw himself upon it face downward. The body is being held pending the arrival of relatives from Bowden.

Louis Southworth was a man between fifty and sixty years old, a widower, and had been a resident of the city for nearly thirty years. He was a man who came of a good family in the east and was a near relative of Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth, the noted novelist. Of a quiet disposition and refined in his bearing, he had many strong friends in the city who deeply lament his death.

He had been in ill health for several months and this, with financial embarrassment, led him into a despondent frame of mind. He had repeatedly stated that he might as well drown himself in the river as he was of no account. It is supposed he was on his way to put this thought into execution when he met the train and took the quicker route to eternity.

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Bijou Theater

The attraction at the Bijou theater for this week, commencing on Tuesday, is one of the best yet presented. Blind Thatcher, the musical marvel, the only blind comedian on the American stage, has been engaged for the entire week. This blind performer is said to be a whole orchestra in



himself and gives a splendid entertainment.

In addition to Blind Thatcher there will be a new set of rolls for motion pictures and some pretty illustrated songs.

Manager Smith is making a determined effort to give his patrons a refined and pleasing entertainment, where a happy evening can be spent at a minimum cost.

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Perish the Thought
 Cooperstown Courier (insurgent): It is said that M. N. Johnson claims that the Grand Forks insurgent convention was packed with Marshall delegates. What's that! An insurgent convention packed? Perish the thought.

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THE CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST—Seventh street and Avenue B. Sunday school will meet at 12 as usual. The Baptist church will unite with the Presbyterian church in all other services of the day, on the occasion of the dedication of the new chapel.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL—Corner of Rosser and Seventh streets. Services will be held Dec. 8 as follows: Preaching service at 10:45 a. m.; preaching service at 8 p. m. Everyone cordially invited to attend these services. W. C. Menges, pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services for the second Sunday in Advent: Sunday school at 10 a. m., subject of lesson, "The Virgin Mother of Our Lord;" morning service, with sermon at 11 a. m. This being the Advent season the thought of the church is centered on the second coming of our Lord. The rector will speak at this service on "Who is Christ?" You are cordially invited to worship with us on Sunday morning. Ven. O. F. Jones, rector.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Louis Magin, pastor. Services for Sunday—10:45 a. m., morning worship, with sermon, topic, "The Highest Life;" 12 m. Sunday school session; 3:30 p. m., junior league; 6:45 p. m., Epworth league devotional service; 7:30 p. m., evening Gospel service, sermon topic, "The Ineffable Rich Man; or, The Symbolization of Wealth," the last of the series of sermons of "Rich Men of Holy Writ; or, Wealth and Well Being." Special music; song service for fifteen minutes. Strangers are invited to make our church their Sunday church home. All are welcome.

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