

NORTH DAKOTA NEWS

Items From Special Correspondents and Others Gleaned From Our Exchanges

REAL LIVE ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

CREW HAS BEEN QUARANTINED

Thirty-Five Men Are Confined to a Farm Near Devils Lake Under Quarantine for Diphtheria — Three Cases Have Appeared and More Are Expected.

Devils Lake, Sept. 30.—Thirty-five men, all laborers working on the Minette farm in Freshwater township with the Minette & Strawhacker thrashing outfit, are now under enforced quarantine. Three cases of diphtheria have shown up among them during the past week and Health Officer Siler ordered the affected ones to be removed to the pest house and that the remainder of the crew should stay on the Minette farm with the rig. Some of them demurred, and showed that they intended to make a skip, and accordingly Deputy Sheriff Frye was detailed yesterday afternoon to go to the place and enforce the health regulations, at the point of a gun if necessary. The situation, in the opinion of Health Officer Siler, is too serious to be tampered with, and the men must be made to stay together until all danger of their developing the disease or communicating it to someone else is over. The school in the neighborhood was ordered closed, and the children will be kept at home for a few days to prevent the spread of the infection among them.

SLEEPER HAS BEEN AWAKENED

Man Who Was At Fargo For Three Weeks Will Be Taken to His Home In Minneapolis — Man's Condition Has Improved — Woke Up to Take Nourishment.

Minneapolis, Sept. 30.—Mrs. John Young, 1512 Thirty-fifth street east, left Monday night for Fargo, N. D., where her husband, a stonecutter, lies in the city hospital suffering from a disease which is baffling the skill of the physicians. Young fell asleep 19 days ago, and has awakened at times only long enough to satisfy an abnormal appetite. Mrs. Young expects to return with him this evening, the physicians having said that he has recovered sufficiently to be moved. This is her

second trip there. While in the lobby of the Washington hotel over a fortnight ago, talking to friends about a new farm he had purchased in Florida, Young suddenly fell asleep and could not be awakened. His condition alarmed the physicians and his wife was sent for. Mr. Young's condition improved somewhat and he awoke at meal hours long enough to eat more than his normal appetite demanded, and take a smoke. At times he talked rationally. His case has greatly puzzled the Fargo physicians.

WILL START FRIENDLY SUIT

Tangle in Affairs in Midland Continental Railway Will Be Straightened Out at Meeting to Be Held at Jamestown — Little Work Being Done at Present.

Jamestown, Sept. 30.—A number of officers of the Midland Continental railroad are expected to arrive here shortly to look over the work of construction now going on along the line. A friendly suit to determine the authority of the trustees of the state hospital for insane to transfer to the railway company the necessary right of way across property belonging to the state, is expected to be started. The trustees are desirous of bringing this transfer about but the only way to get a legal authority is for a judicial decision in regard to their rights to make the transfer of state property.

Some of the heaviest part of the grading work on the line has been done in the vicinity of Beaver and Buffalo creek and is still going on. The report that grading operations were under way in Griggs county is a mistake. The only work being done at present is between Jamestown and Edgely.

STOLE A RIDE; TOOK A FALL

Man Who Had a First Class Ticket in His Possession Preferred to Ride the Blind — Companion Notified the Train Crew of Accident and Victim Was Picked Up.

Bathgate, N. D., Sept. 30.—Saturday last Ed. McAllister, a transient, fell

from a moving train between Neche and this place and sustained serious injuries. He and a man by the name of Tierney had been hitting the fast clip at Winnipeg and other Manitoba points for the past three weeks. Saturday they climbed the blind baggage at Neche and started for Grand Forks. Why they did this is not so plain as McAllister at least had a first class ticket for Grand Forks. He probably became drowsy and fell from the car platform when about a mile this side of Neche.

His companion climbed over the tender and notified the engineer and the train pulled back to where the man was lying. He was found in an unconscious condition with his face and body badly lacerated and was taken aboard the train and brought to this place and placed under a doctor's care. The wounds, the most serious of which was a long gash over the left eye, extending below the ear, were dressed. He is now lying at the Tolchard house in fairly comfortable condition. He has been delirious a large portion of the time since being brought here, but it is thought that is largely the result of his heavy drinking.

DETROIT HAS WON

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both teams using two pitchers. Mullin was batted hard in the first inning and in part of the second. Willett also was hammered hard. Detroit drove Wood from the box, but Hall held the visitors scoreless. Three runs tallied in each of the first two innings by the home team made it look as though Boston was going to win easily. Detroit was not long in getting started, however, and by fast work on bases and timely hitting was soon leading by one run. Boston won the game in the eighth inning with two out. With men on second and third, French singled, scoring two runs. Another hit sent in an additional run, giving Boston a total of 9.

The champions this season had to make the hardest kind of a fight to win the nag and up to the last week the result of the race was in doubt. Detroit started off well and remained at the top for weeks, mainly through the remarkable work of its pitchers. The set-back came toward the middle of the season, however, and at one time the champions dropped as low as third place. They did not stay there long bracing up considerably and passing Philadelphia and Boston, who were in first and second place respectively. Long series at home again gave the pennant winners a good lead before they made their second eastern trip, but on that trip they slumped again and when they went west for their last home series were about on even terms with Philadelphia and Boston.

Two deals for players, by which Detroit strengthened its infield, again put a winning combination in the field and gave the champions a comfortable lead before they started for their last invasion of the coast.

Manager Jennings feels confident of winning the world's championship and says the experience his players gained in their two series with Chicago Nationals for that honor will help them greatly.

The feature of the American league race this season was the wonderful fight made by the Philadelphia club. With an infield composed almost entirely of new players and some new pitchers, the club was always in the race and but for a poor start might have finished first. Boston also was battling for the pennant up to four weeks ago, but the inexperience of a number of younger players put the team out of the race.

TAFT COMES OUT

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should share in the expense of building them. On ship subsidy the president said: "I need not tell you of the inadequacy of the American shipping marine on the Pacific and of the growing commercial progress in this regard of Japan. Japan is one of the most active and generous countries in the matter of subsidies to its merchant marine, and the effect is only too visible in an examination of the statistics."

"For this reason it seems to me that there is no subject to which congress can better devote its attention during the coming session than the bill which should regulate our merchant marine in such a way as to establish American lines between New York and other ports, and South American ports and between our coast points and the Orient and the Philippines."

"We earn a profit from our foreign mails of from six to eight million dollars a year. The appropriation of that amount would be quite sufficient to put on a satisfactory basis two or three Oriental lines and several lines from the east to South America. Of course, we are familiar with the argument that this would be a contribution to private companies out of the treasury of the United States, but we are thus contributing in various ways on similar principles in effect both by our protective tariff laws, by our river and harbor bill and by our reclamation service."

"We are putting money into the pockets of ship owners but we are giving them money with which they can compete for reasonable profits only, with the merchant marine."

The president pointed out the perilous position of the United States in the event of foreign war, when we should have to buy vessels from other countries to use as collectors for our fleets, a proceeding which in view of the international neutrality laws, would be exceedingly undesirable.

BASE BALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of Clubs.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	146	107	39	.733
Chicago	146	99	47	.680
New York	146	89	57	.609
Cincinnati	147	75	72	.510
Philadelphia	146	70	76	.480
St. Louis	144	51	93	.354
Brooklyn	145	51	94	.351

Games Yesterday.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	145	41	104
St. Louis	145	41	104
Boston	145	41	104

Batteries — Raleigh and Bliss; Mattern and Aldon.

R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	2	5	0
New York	6	12	0

Batteries — Willis, Leever and Simon, Gibson; Klawatter and Wilson.

Second Game — R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	9	13	0
New York	1	7	3

Batteries — Frock and Gibson; Daly and Wilson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of Clubs.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	151	97	53	.642
Philadelphia	150	93	57	.620
Boston	148	86	62	.581
Chicago	150	77	73	.513
New York	147	71	76	.483
Cleveland	150	70	80	.466
St. Louis	146	60	86	.411
Washington	149	41	108	.270

Games Yesterday.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	4	9	2
St. Louis	4	10	2

Batteries — Manning and Blair; Bailey and Killifer.

R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	9	12	3
Detroit	7	10	2

Batteries — Wood, Hall and Donahue; Mullin, Willett and Schmidt.

R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	7	5
Chicago	8	9	3

Batteries — Dygert and Lapp; Payne and Scott.

Second Game — R. H. E.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	6	2
Chicago	6	12	3

Batteries — Krause, Coombs and Lapp; Burns and Owens.

GAYNOR TO LEAD

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to secure the renomination of the Comptroller Metz, of that borough. The convention nominated for this office Robert M. Moore, president of Commercial Trust Company, a Tammany selection.

In the mayoralty fight, Justice Gaynor's chief opponent will be Otto T. Bannard, vice president of New York Trust company who was nominated by the republicans a few days ago and who has some assurance of support from fusionists. There yet remains a possibility that the independent league will make the contest a triangular one by naming a separate ticket.

The Courtship Gate.

We have been shown a design for an upholstered front gate which seems destined to become very popular. The footboard is cushioned, and there is a warm soapstone on each side, the inside step being adjustable, so that a short girl can bring her lips to the line of any given mustache without trouble. If the gate is occupied at 10:30 p. m., an iron hand extends from one gate post, takes the young man by the left ear, turns him around, and he is at once started toward home by a steel foot. The girl can, if she likes, set this part at a later hour than 10:30.

—Jones County (Ga.) News.

The Old Mistake.

"De man dat answers a gold brick circular," said Uncle Eben, "makes de old mistake. Instead o' tellin' Satan to git behind 'im, he thinks he kin git ahead o' Satan."—Washington Star.

On Oath.

The Court—You will swear that the prisoner stole your umbrella? The Plaintiff—Your honor, I will swear that he stole the umbrella I was carrying.—Cleveland Leader.

Something From Nothing.

"It is impossible to take something from nothing," quoted the wise guy. "Well, you come pretty close to it when you take the conceit out of some people," added the simple mug.—Philadelphia Record.

A wise man thinks before he speaks, but a fool speaks and then thinks of what he has been saying.

An Apt Simile.

Some men have a career like a golf ball. They are helped out of one hole only to get into another.—Lippincott's.

Death on the Guillotine.

Sardou, in order to be present at the execution of Tropman in January, 1875, spent the night before with La Roquette, the prison director. In his description he says: "At daybreak the guests went out upon the cold, bleak execution place, where the guillotine had already been erected. The bedraggled crowd, which had spent the night in drinking places, sang ribald songs and from time to time shouted for Delbler, the executioner, who meanwhile was explaining the mechanism. The basket in which the head was to drop was brought, and while looking at it I was horrified to see the lid arise and a human form emerge. 'Don't worry,' said Delbler, with a smile; 'that is only my wife, who wanted to see the execution, and I chose the simplest way to secure a good place for her.'" Clemenceau saw Emile Henry decapitated on May 22, 1894, in his capacity as a journalist, and, describing how the culprit was dragged to the machine, strapped upon the plank and there tortured by awaiting the pleasure of Delbler till the knife finally ended it all, said that the "horror of it" made him sick.

Why Blinds Were Drawn.

The Edinburgh laundry of the servants who astounded James Pava by her stern determination to have the blinds drawn closely down on the Sabbath was but carrying on the traditions of her great-grandparents. The Scot of the early eighteenth century had a reason for drawing his blinds on Sunday. Mr. Thompson in his "Weaver's Craft" gives it. "Sometimes the minister himself," he wrote, "when he got a colleague to preach for him would make the rounds, accompanied by an elder, to spy with his own eyes the sins of the absentees. Here one man is found romping with his balrus, another as the minister peeped through the window was detected kissing his wife, two men were found drinking ale, and one was found with his coat off, as if he were going to work, and still another was seen eating a hearty dinner. All were pulled up before the session of the kirk and repentance forced upon each."—London Standard.

Bread and Cheese.

A couple advanced in years got married lately. The husband had a room in the house securely locked, the inside of which his wife had never seen, and being curious of its contents, she begged again and again to see the room. At last he consented, and lo and behold, the room was full of whole cheeses! He explained matters by telling her that for every sweetheart he had in his young days he bought a cheese. His wife began to cry. "Don't cry, dear," he said. "I've had no sweethearts since I met you." "It's not that," she replied, still sobbing. "I only wish I had been as thoughtful as you and bought a loaf of bread for every man that kissed me. We could have had bread and cheese enough to last us all our days."—London Tit-Bits.

Trouble For Creditors.

Even the simplest law transactions seem to be beyond the comprehension of some people. An old farmer went into a grocer's shop a short time ago, ordered a sovereign's worth of goods and when they were ready for delivery laid down a five shilling piece in payment thereof. The shopkeeper called out, "Here, this isn't right?" as the customer started to leave. "Oh, yes, that's all right," replied the man. "I've got permission from the judge to pay 5 shillings in the pound." A heated discussion revealed that the man had lately settled an insolvency upon this basis and expected to continue that method indefinitely. When he was shown his mistake he was very indignant and evidently considered himself a much abused man.—London Globe.

She Wasn't Superstitious.

"Marry, Mary," cried Mrs. Johnson to her maid, "what shall I do? I've just had a most dreadful accident and don't know what's going to happen. I've broken my new hand glass, and you know how unlucky it is to break a looking glass. It means seven years' unhappiness." "Lor, mum," replied Mary, "don't you set no heed on that. Look at me. I'm not fretting, and I've just broken the large pier glass in the drawing room."—London Fun.

Leftover Material.

Barbara, aged four, had always been allowed to make small cakes out of the scraps of dough left from the morning's baking, so one morning after being sent to gather the eggs she came running in with a very tiny one and exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, see this little egg! It must be that's all the dough the hen had left!"—Delineator.

Ups and Downs.

"The world is full of ups and downs," quoted the wise guy. "That's right," agreed the simple mug. "We are either trying to live up to a good reputation or trying to live a bad one down."—Philadelphia Record.

A Piano Club.

Mrs. Hutton—We are organizing a piano club, Mr. Flatleigh. Will you join us? Flatleigh—With pleasure, Mrs. Hutton. What pianist do you propose to club first?—Chicago News.

Better Left Unsaid.

Hostess—It's beginning to rain. You'll get wet. I think you'd better stay to dinner. Departing Guest—Oh, dear, no! It's not raining so badly as all that.—Sydney Bulletin.



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