

STATE PLANNING MANY BUILDINGS

CONSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT NORTH DAKOTA TO BE ACCELERATED THIS SPRING. MORE SCHOOL HOUSES TO BE ERECTED THAN ANY OTHER TYPE OF BUILDING.

That the building in the state of North Dakota for the present year will exceed all previous records, is the indication from the many bids being advertised for in the different parts of the state.

An elaborate new federal building will be erected at Minot this summer, and bids have been advertised for and will be received until March 17. The building to be fireproof and of stone with brick facing.

The schools, which are being planned, will be the most numerous of any type of building to be erected. Several districts have been considering consolidation and all will put up good buildings.

An exceptionally large number of farmers' elevators are being planned in the smaller cities and villages of the state, and several of these companies have already been organized.

The city auditor of Ellendale is advertising for bids for a brick municipal building.

At Alexander the Dakota Northwestern Telephone Co will install an exchange in the spring.

Plans are maturing for an opera house and moving picture theater at Beach. The purpose is to enlarge the present opera house by an addition to the stage and the seating capacity.

The activity in the building of school houses is unusual. The Ardoch school, which burned recently at a loss of \$7,000, will be rebuilt as soon as possible. Bedford is planning the erection of a two-story school building.

Plans for the big north side school at Minot have been approved by the state superintendent, E. J. Taylor. The school building at Endeavor is to be enlarged and improved.

A new \$12,000 school building is being planned at Glenfield, a two-story brick structure 36x50; modern throughout.

ital \$10,000. They will erect mill soon.

The Sheyenne Canning factory has been incorporated at Lisbon, with a capital of \$14,000. A. B. Cary and Son are making preparations for another bottling factory at New Rockford.

The Bloom Farmers' Elevator Co., of Bloom station, has been incorporated with a capital of \$25,000. Jacob Yeager, J. W. Crawford and others are interested.

At Marion, the Farmers' Elevator Co. plans a brick feed mill.

At Wahpeton bids are being received for the erection of the new business block of Aaron Stern. The building will be a two-story fire proof structure, with brown stone front, and pressed brick walls.

A number of new firms have been incorporated recently. Among them are: The Braddock Telephone Co., capital \$5,000. Wm. Baxter and others; The Wallace Gatehouse Co., at Carrington, capital \$25,000; J. Ed. Gatehouse, Jr.; The Crystal Springs Bottling Works, at Devils Lake, capital \$25,000. W. E. Bryant; The International Mercantile & Bond Co., at Fargo, capital \$2,500. J. Burtenshaw; The Spring Brook Trading Co., capital \$10,000. Jacob Widman; The Southern Rural Telephone Co., at Tower City, capital \$2,300; L. B. Stine; John A. Anderson an others of Valley City have incorporated the Bera Farmers' Co-operative Elevator at Bera.

COOPER CONTINUES CORN CONTESTS BOYS AND GIRLS OF THE STATE MAY COMPETE FOR PRIZES THIS YEAR.

Director Cooper of the Better Farming association has announced a continuation of the corn and pork production contests in this state in 1914. The competition will be under the auspices of the association and any boy or girl between 10 and 18 years is eligible to enter.

The plan of the corn contests is to increase the acreage and yield of the state, develop early maturing varieties and clean and improve the fertility of the fields. The average yield has practically doubled in this state since 1910, but still there is an average of only five acres of corn for every farm.

The pork contests are for the purpose of determining the greatest amount of pork that can be produced from one litter of pigs within the shortest time at the lowest cost.

Cash prizes of \$700 are offered for the winners in the corn contests, the state being divided into two districts, north and south. The prizes for the pork contest are \$340 in cash with many specials for the winners with different breeds.

The primary purpose of the corn contest is to encourage the growth of that cereal in North Dakota, and of the pork contest to provide some method of converting the increased corn yields into ready money.

In the corn contests the contestants must have at least one acre in crop and must plan the work. The contestants can hire the plowing, if necessary. The corn will be judged by representatives of the Better Farming association and the prizes in each district range from \$75 down to \$10 for the 16 high winners in each district. Last year's winner was a Ransom county boy, who raised 106 bushels of matured corn per acre.

NEW LINE MAY BE EXTENDED

Stanton, N. D., March 2.—The N. P. engineers who have been making a preliminary survey from Dunn Center to Sidney, Mont., returned to this city having completed their work. Judging from remarks passed by the head engineers we judge that the efforts to establish a better grade were very unsatisfactory and that work will not extend further than Dunn Center on that line for some time.

Engineers who were here last week have been called to St. Paul and nothing definite as to where they will go next is known by them. A few of them may start work south of the Cannonball.

While no authoritative report is at hand, it is not likely that the rails will be laid out of Golden Valley until fall.

Engineers who were here last week are reported to have said, that before April first, Stanton people would be treated to a very satisfactory surprise in some pending railroad movement, and there is a general rumor in the air that, should the Great Northern cross the Missouri river at Big Bend, the Northern Pacific will build north from Stanton and connect with the G. N. at that place. This would be the connecting link in Jim Hill's proposed gulf road. Indeed, the idea is certainly feasible and may be correct.

COUPLE SOUGHT IN WILDS OF CANADA Mayville, N. D., March 2.—A man named James Marshall and a woman who passed as his wife, residents of Mayville for a brief period, are being sought by law officers from Canada. The woman was cook at the Hotel Northern for about two weeks and Marshall was employed at the same place as general handy man and roustabout. They left here for parts unknown. The couple were residents of Kenaston, Sask., where he is said to have deserted his wife and children and eloped with a woman who was both a sister to his wife and wife to his brother. She also, it is said, deserted her husband and children. The laws of Canada provide heavy penalties for desertion of wife and children and Marshall will be prosecuted to a finish if located.

ARRANGE PLANS FOR SUMMER SCHOOL MEET Devils Lake, March 2.—Superintendent J. A. Haig has already started plans for the Ramsey county summer school session, which will be held in conjunction with the counties of Rolette, Towner and Pierce at Chautauqua this summer. Mr. Haig is writing the superintendents of these counties on matters which must be closed at once. The session is to last six weeks and will be opened so that the teachers may receive the benefits of the Chautauqua program. The Chautauqua directors have consulted the superintendents of these counties and Superintendent Y. G. Barnell as to the choice of talent and when selection is made they will be asked to give an opinion. While Chautauqua is in session the classes will close at 1:30 o'clock and this will give the teachers all the afternoon and evening to prepare their work for the next day and enjoy the attractions of the summer resort. The Chautauqua association has offered many inducements to the teachers. E. W. Gilbertson has offered to rent furnished tents at a very low rate and season tickets will be sold to the teachers for \$2.

BIRTHDAY OF FAMOUS TEMPERANCE LEADER. Portland, Me., March 2.—Many letters of congratulation have been received at the home of Mrs. L. M.

IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS Not less meat if kidneys feel like lead or bladder bothers you—Meat forms uric acid.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless, inexpensive, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

Stevens in this city in anticipation of the seventieth birthday anniversary of the noted temperance leader, who was born March 1, 1844. Mrs. Stevens has been an active worker in the temperance movement for 40 years. In 1874 she assisted in organizing the Maine W. C. T. U. and was its first treasurer. Twenty years later she was elected vice president of the National W. C. T. U. and since the death of Frances Willard in 1898 Mrs. Stevens has been at the head of the national organization.

HE WENT CRAZY WHILE AT MINOT Minot, N. D., March 2.—H. Hanson living south of Valva, was taken to the county jail here, after going violently insane in this city. Mr. Hanson was suffering from a mild form of insanity and was taking treatment from local physicians in an effort to better his condition. The treatment evidently failed of success as he became raving crazy yesterday and was taken to the county jail and will be held there until the arrival of the sheriff from Towner, who will take him back to McHenry county for further disposition.

ATTEMPTS TO KILL WIFE. Following Bitter Quarrel, Henry Bechtold Pulls Gun on Spouse. Mandan, N. D., March 2.—Becoming angry at his wife after a family quarrel, Henry Bechtold of Glen Ullis is alleged to have pulled a gun and attempted to kill her. Her cries of alarm brought others to the scene, who prevented him from any further action in furtherance of wreaking his furious rage.

He was immediately arrested and his case brought up for trial before Judge John Tavls, justice of the peace, but inasmuch as a sufficient opportunity had not been given the states attorney to become familiar with the case and know just what evidence was obtainable, the case was continued.

NEW CREAMERY OFFICERS. Dickinson, N. D., March 3.—The Dickinson creamery Co. elected H. W. Reed, Wm. David, J. V. Jensen, Rasmus Jensen, H. L. Reichert, C. S. Langdon and Guy Dickinson directors for the ensuing year. Officers: H. W. Reed, president; J. V. Jensen, vice president; Guy Dickinson, secretary-treasurer.

ADJUSTED COURT HOUSE LOSS. Manning, N. D., March 2.—The insurance adjusters have been here and allowed the losses as follows: Court house, claimed \$1,600, allowed \$1,525.00; claimed on furniture and fixtures, \$1,056.75, allowed \$650; claimed on records \$1,085.50, allowed in full.

CITY HALL FOR GOLDEN VALLEY

Golden Valley German-American: The much discussed City Hall question was suddenly decided when the Mesdames, Chas. Scharf and H. G. Kindworth presented to our astonished gaze a sum of money aggregating something over \$1,000 and also slapped down a check book, shoved a pencil in our paw and ordered us to sign. We signed, Lord bless you yes, for while we will have to wear our last year's clothes now, we will have a large modern City Hall and opera house which will do credit to a city many times the size of Golden Valley.

A meeting was held on Saturday night and a committee was appointed to have plans made, which as soon as completed will be submitted to bidder for immediate construction. As near as can be ascertained at this writing, the hall will be 32x70 feet, 12 foot posts, with a circle ceiling and a stage about 14x32 feet. Too much credit cannot be given to Mesdames Scharf and Kindworth for their persistent effort in collecting such a large sum of money, for when the total is completed it will amount to something like 1400, and we wish to commend our citizens for so liberally responding to a much needed public improvement.

FUNGI TO WRECK BUILDING. Professor of Forestry Predicts Destruction of Structure Hill Gave \$5,000 to Save.

Seattle, March 2.—Fungi growing under the bark of the massive fir columns of the forestry building erected by the state in 1909 for the Alaskan-Yukon-Pacific exposition, and now used as a museum by the University of Washington, cannot be exterminated and within a year or two the impressive building will be an unsightly decaying structure.

This is the opinion expressed today by Prof. Hugo Winklerwerder, dean of the college of forestry.

James J. Hill recently donated \$5,000 to help save the building, but this money is being used to strengthen the foundations.

FINGERS SHATTERED BY DYNAMITE CAP

Schafer, N. D., March 2.—John Griebel, living near Dimmock Lake, northeast of Schafer, had a very serious accident with a dynamite cap. As Mr. Griebel was walking along, he discovered something lying partly hidden on the ground, and stopping he picked it up, which proved by investigation, that it was a dynamite cap. It was partly crushed together and Mr. Griebel made an attempt to straighten it with his fingers, by pinching it when it exploded, tearing his fingers in a bad manner. The thumb, index and middle fingers were taken off at the first joints. The rest of the hand will be saved, which, after all, was a very lucky accident.

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When Headachy, Bilious, Constipated. Stomach Sour, Breath Bad. Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels as upset stomach.

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A Cascaret tonight straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

BE PRETTY! TURN GRAY HAIR DARK Look young! Nobody can tell if you use Grandmother's simple recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; stops ends, dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe for about 50 cents.