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Memorial by B. P. O. E. Tomorrow

"Their faults we write upon the sand; their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory."

Such is the keynote of the Elks' annual memorial service, which will be held in the Auditorium tomorrow afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. Following its usual custom, the Bismarck lodge of Elks No. 1199 extend an invitation to the public to attend this service in honor of its absent brothers, Marshall H. Jewell, William F. Cochrane and A. W. Eppinger, who "softly and sweetly sleep low in the ground."

Judge Andrew A. Eruce of the North Dakota supreme bench will deliver the address of the day. His subject will be most fitting for the occasion.

The Elks' band will play an overture while the audience is gathering, which will be followed by the opening ceremony by the lodge. Rev. Father Hill of the Catholic church will give the benediction.

The order of the service as announced this afternoon is as follows:
Order of Services:
Overture—Elks' Band.
Opening Ceremony—The Lodge.
Hymn—"Sleep Thy Last Sleep"—J.

A. Parks. Bismarck Male Quartet. Prayer—Dr. W. J. Hutcheson. Vocal Solo—"Somewhere a Voice Is Calling"—Mrs. H. H. Steele; Miss Helen Fisk, accompanist.
Address—Judge Andrew A. Eruce, North Dakota Supreme court. Piano Solo—"Charity"—Miss Helen Fisk; arranged by William Polla.
Closing Ceremony—The Lodge. Hymn—"Lead Kindly Light"—Dudley Buck. Bismarck Male Quartet. Benediction—Rev. Father Hiltner. Music—Elks' Band.

SEES REAL HIGH COST IN SPRING

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 2.—Food cost skyrocketing has just started, says State Dairy and Food Commissioner Helme of Michigan. Just watch, next spring food will be so high people can't afford to keep any stock. Hens won't lay now and it costs too much to keep them over winter. He predicts few hens and few eggs next spring.

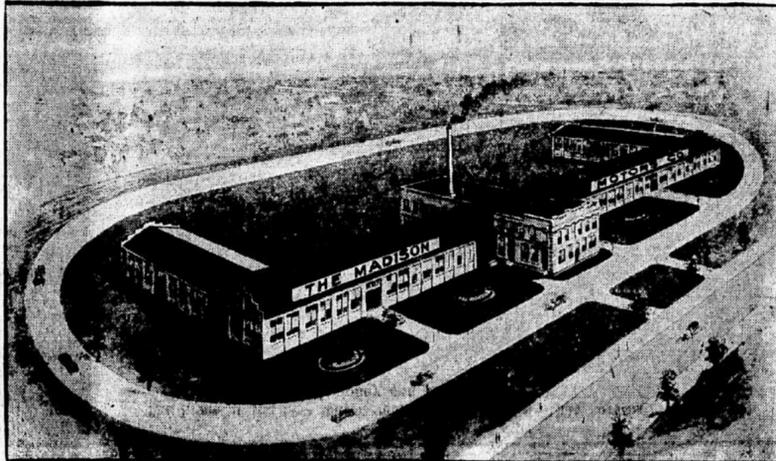
BANG WENT HIS SOUP AND FISH. Belle Fourche, S. D., Dec. 2.—Tim Zorbas cleaned grease spots from his breeches with nitric and sulphuric acid, went into a warm bath room with them and exploded. Tim by the combination, had made guncotton.

MILLER BOUND OVER TO COUNTY COURT AT RYDER. Ryder, N. D., Dec. 2.—Herman Miller, charged with assault upon his wife, was bound over to the county court by Justice of the Peace Lomen at the hearing this week. The witnesses were Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Steve Guttormson and E. H. Rykkelie.

LUNDMARK DISPOSES OF INTERESTS AT PARK RIVER. Park River, N. D., Dec. 2.—Frank Lundmark closed a deal this week whereby he disposed of his bakery and restaurant here to G. E. Gaylord, of this village. Lundmark intends to go to northern Minnesota. He has been in business here two years.

VOTE TO BOND VILLAGE OF McHENRY FOR LIGHT PLANT. McHenry, N. D., Dec. 2.—The proposition of bonding this village for an electric light plant, which was voted on Tuesday, carried by a good majority. Work on the structure will be rushed to completion so service will be in effect before the end of the winter.

WEED PIERCES PUPIL OF EYE OF VERONA YOUNGSTER. LaMoure, N. D., Dec. 2.—George Freadhoff, a youngster, fell onto a small stiff weed this week which pierced the pupil of his left eye. It will be necessary to await the subsidence of the inflamed condition of the eye to determine whether the sight will be affected.



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