

# KELSEY'S COLUMN



## WERE YOU BORN IN A RENTED HOUSE?

Or was it not back on the farm or in the village somewhere in these big United States where your parents owned their place—where you spent your childhood near to the heart of nature—and steadied your character into manhood and womanhood amid the purifying influence of HOME? Have you estimated the value of providing the same home environments for your child?

If interested, call at our office; we have a proposition that will appeal to you.

Remember our "Auto" is always "at your service."

**FOR SALE** ON WALNUT STREET, A neat hardwood finish; city water, bath and toilet. Carpeted with fine lawn and shade trees. This property is cheap at \$2500, but for quick sale we are offering it at **\$2000** only.

**FOR RENT** ON NORTH EIGHTH ST., four room cottage. Per month, \$10 with summer kitchen.

**FOR RENT** ON UNIVERSITY AVENUE, good repair. City water and col. \$18 per month.

**FOR SALE** ON COTTONWOOD ST., lot 6x140. This is a bargain. \$425 at once.

**FOR SALE** ON REEVES AVENUE, modern but neat; fine lawn and shade trees; good cellar. Size of lot 6x750. This is an excellent property conveniently located. Price **\$4200**.

**FOR SALE** ON BELMONT AVENUE, A nice ten room house, brick foundation; city water; nice lawn and shade trees; lot 150x112. Rents for \$25 per month. This is a good investment. Price **\$4000**.

**FOR SALE** ON CHESTNUT STREET, good cellar and basement. Lot 60x140; lawn and shade trees. Rents for \$18 per month. Good barn on premises. A bargain at **\$1250**.

**FOR SALE** NICE 5 ROOM HOUSE on Cottonwood street. Close in. City water and good cellar. Lot 6x140. Price **\$1350**.

**FOR SALE** FOUR LOTS ON INTERNATIONAL AVENUE. Just what you are looking for. Splendid investment. Each **\$62.50**.

**IS YOUR HOUSE VACANT?** If so with us and we will rent it immediately. Have several desirable tenants on our waiting list.

**ASK FOR ONE OF OUR NEW \$5.00 CONTRACTS FOR DEED.**

**KENT REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.**

## THE CITY IN BRIEF

**Bonquets for Ladies.**  
Crockston Journal: Miss Florence Pace, the soprano soloist for the evening, has improved since her last appearance here. There is the same clear, sweet and compelling soprano, artistic temperament and graceful presence, but there also seems to be more confidence, increased power and ease. She opened the program with a group of Indian love songs and the range of selections served to show her versatility. Her last selection, "Ballatella," from Paggiacci, showed remarkable power and range and gave people the best impression of her wonderful voice. It was the heaviest of her selections and was splendidly rendered. The singer has a voice of extraordinary compass and flexibility, without a trace of harshness or effort. Miss Titus, of Grand Forks, was the accompanist and her graceful rendering of the difficult music added much to the solos of Miss Pace.

**Good Business at Carrington.**  
Attorney H. J. Maxfield of the law firm of Craven & Maxfield of Carrington, is in the city today. Mr. Maxfield graduated from the U. N. D. law school last June and located at Carrington. He reports that business is good at that point and that he has been very fortunate in his location there.

**Will Look for Homestead.**  
W. Anstett of Aitkin, Minn., but formerly of this city, is in Grand Forks as the guest of his daughters and son, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. S. Howell and Philip Anstett. Mr. Anstett is on his way to Canada where he will look for a desirable homestead on which to locate.

**Special Services.**  
There will be special services in the Baptist church beginning April 9 and extending until Easter Sunday. The meetings will be held nightly and will be known as "Passionite Services" and aim to spiritually strengthen the members of the congregation.

**Meets With Mrs. Sidney Clarke.**  
The Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Sidney Clarke this week on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her residence at 505 South Sixth street. A study of missions in Africa will be given.

**Sacred Literature Course.**  
On Wednesday evening of this week Rev. Frank E. R. Miller of the Baptist church will give a lecture in the sacred literature course at the Baptist church on "The Last Years of the Apostle John."

**Will Take Examination.**  
Willard Fawcett has left for Omaha, Neb., where he will take the examination for a lieutenant's commission in the United States army.

**Big Real Estate Transfer.**  
Saturday in Pleasant View township occurred the transfer of a half section of land from W. E. Hayward to John J. O'Brien for the consideration of \$5,000.

**Removing Stock Today.**  
The departments of the Ontario store are all closed today except the grocery and the stocks are being removed to their new locations, preparatory to the pulling down of the old buildings. The store will be closed all week and the various departments will open for business in their new quarters next Monday. The various departments will be located in the present store rooms of the Ontario located in the Idlings and Krueger blocks, the quarters recently occupied by the Friedman stock and the Platy by the Friedman stock. The stock has been reduced sufficiently by the sale held during the past fortnight to be accommodated by these temporary quarters.

**Deplorable Condition of Things.**  
The condition of the walks in Grand Forks is today the subject of comment on the part of many outsiders who visit the city. As compared with the walks in any of the neighboring towns, those of Grand Forks have decidedly gone to seed. In some instances it requires an acrobat to walk over them with any degree of safety. In addition to this the streets and alleys in many parts of the city are literally filled with everything imaginable from a pile of cordwood to threshing machines and traction engines. Cities are judged by just these things and it is up to Grand Forks to work a reform in this particular.

**Will Redecorate the Store.**  
The building now occupied by the Ferguson stock of dry goods on South Third street, will be vacated on Wednesday of this week and will be at once taken possession of by carpenters and decorators who will refit it into one of the finest millinery stores in the northwest. The walls will be covered with green burlap to match the steel ceiling and the entire store will be fitted over into a dainty room for the exhibition of millinery goods. The new store will be opened about April 1 by Minneapolis parties.

**Audience Was Pleased.**  
The "Isle of Spice" was presented at the Metropolitan Saturday evening and was well received. The chorus is good and scenic effects ahead of anything seen here for some time. The twelve witches put on a clever sketch, the girls in the sketch being attractive and well drilled. The "Isle of Spice" ranks as one of the cleanest and best of the season's productions.

**Boxing Up Stock.**  
Today the force of J. Ferguson who has had a dry goods store on South Third street for some time, is boxing up the stock. At present Mr. Ferguson has not decided just what will be done with the stock, it may possibly be sold here in the city or it may be moved further west. It will be stored in the city for the present.

**Notice.**  
All persons indebted to Frank Lehman or Vienna bakery, will please call at the office of James Twanly, room 2 Beare block, or Joseph Trocha.

**Notice Royal Neighbors.**  
All children of the Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen are requested to be at Old Fellows' hall at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon.

**You will find that the New York restaurant gives the best meals and service for the money in town.**

**Political Mix-Up at Crockston.**  
Grand Forks is not the only city in the north where there has been a strenuous political fight on its hands. While the campaign developed earlier here, it is quite as bitter at Crockston. The opponents there are G. S. Chesterman and J. D. McPhee. The republican nomination was practically tendered to J. D. McPhee, at present an alderman from the Fourth ward. He declined the mayoralty nomination, but went on the ticket as an alderman candidate. Later he was tendered the nomination for mayor on the citizens' ticket and accepted. In the meantime the limit for filing petitions for alderman candidates had expired, so that the Fourth ward cannot have a candidate. The fight promises to be most spectacular and interesting, as the men are both strong and the fight will be to a finish.

**In the Desert.**  
McKenzie County Chronicle: R. M. Calverwood drove out a number of land seekers last week, among them being Wm. L. and A. F. Bell, F. A. Simon and Wm. J. Kennedy of Thompson. Last Saturday morning one of the above party asked the host what the name of the institution was, and learning that the hotel was as yet without a name they decided to give it one immediately. Accordingly Mr. Kennedy was appointed master of ceremonies and the name chosen was the Bell View hotel. The way the ceremony was performed wasn't slow, either. Quite a large crowd gathered to witness the exploitation, which was on "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning."

**Visits Bemidji.**  
This morning President Merrifield of the state university left for Bemidji on matters of business. The distinguished gentleman met with serious adventures enroute to the station which The Evening Times agreed to suppress as well as the object of his visit to the far from quiet village in the pines.

**Lakers Here.**  
R. S. Dewar, superintendent of the city schools of Devils Lake, and Edward T. Flynn, a prominent attorney of that city, were here Saturday night and Sunday. Although the genial professor is not a lawyer, he is the only one of the two who did a court business.

**Kent Returns.**  
E. H. Kent returned last night from an extended business trip to eastern cities and is very much pleased with his trip. He says he did not find any place where people were not talking about the Canadian northwest, and that the eyes of the entire country are now upon it.

**Goes to Minot.**  
Attorney George A. Bangs will go to Minot tonight, where he will appear in a case involving a sale of stock of the defunct First National bank of that city.

**Will Visit Here.**  
Miss Lillian Farrell of Langdon will arrive tonight for a visit with Miss Nellie Tyrrell at the Antlers.

**Trouble With His Ear.**  
Ed Cameron is suffering from a very painful abscess in the ear.

**Back at His Work.**  
W. D. Jones, the U. S. mail clerk who has been off duty for some time because of a rather serious attack of typhoid fever, resumed his work today.

**Kean Property Sold.**  
The Kent Realty & Investment company has sold the Robert Kean property on North Eighth street to Barney Mullen.

**Is Improving.**  
Mrs. Burke, who recently sustained rather severe injuries from falling down cellar, is doing splendidly and will soon be entirely recovered.

**Where to Get Tickets.**  
Remember the Pace-Heide concert at the Methodist church Tuesday, March 27, at 8:15 p. m. Tickets 75 cents, at Bendek's office or at church entrance.

**Prominent Neche Man.**  
A. J. McFadden of Neche, one of the prominent business men of that place, was a Sunday visitor. Mr. McFadden anticipates an early spring and believes the outlook is good for a profitable season.

**Attorney Davis Arrived.**  
Albert Davis, formerly stenographer of the supreme court, and who has formed a partnership with Scott Rex of this city, arrived today to assume the duties of his new position.

**See Trying to Buy.**  
A rumor is current in the city today that negotiations are under way, with a probability of being closed at an early date, by the Soo for the purchase of property for terminal purposes in this city.

**Public Stenographer.**  
Miss Laura Daubenberg, room 2, Clifford block. Phones: 933 N. W. Tri-State, 292R. Call and get prices.

**Hair Dressing Parlors.**  
Shampooing and hair dressing; also glove cleaning, at Mrs. E. A. Marsh, 139 South Third street. Phone 742M.

**Have It Done.**  
Your dental work by the alveolar method. Dr. Couvrette, DeMers avenue and Third street, over drug store.

**Are you prepared for an emergency?**  
Sickness! Fire! Burglars! Have you a Northwestern telephone in your home? Order today! Don't delay!

Unless you have found the ideal place to lodge, the Furnished Rooms ads. should be of perpetual interest to you.

## PERSONALS

T. J. Baird and J. S. Sinclair, two prominent Lakotans, spent Sunday in the city.

W. A. Gynn of Neche spent Sunday in the city. J. James of Grafton, accompanied by Mrs. James, was here Saturday night and Sunday. W. G. Conley of Bismarck registered in over Sunday.

Henry Witham, special agent for the New York Life, Sunday in the city after an extended trip over the state. J. Ferguson, the Third street merchant, spent yesterday at Crockston with his family. Cens Packard, foreman of the Journal news room at Crockston, spent yesterday in the city as the guest of his parents. Guy Thornburg, representing the J. I. C. Threshing Machine company, was a passenger east this morning on business. Miss Laura Daubenberg Sunday at Crockston yesterday as the guest of her parents. Miss Cora Turner returned to her school work at Thompson Sunday evening. G. W. Brundage visited relatives at Larimore Saturday. W. H. Johnson of The Evening Times force, spent Sunday in Fargo with relatives. Mr. Ralph Spink, of Grigley, Minn., has arrived in the city and accepted a position with The Evening Times under News Foreman Ed Spink, his brother. Judge Templeton will go to Fargo tonight to attend to court matters. Charley Lee of St. Paul, an expert printer, is one of the recent additions to The Evening Times mechanical force. Miss Sally Sanden of Meckinock, N. D., is visiting with Miss Flora Lodmell. Miss Grace Willy arrived from Crockston Saturday evening to visit Mrs. C. C. Finch of this city. Miss Maggie Spencer of Michigan City was the guest of friends in the city yesterday. Homer Maxfield of the firm of Craven & Maxfield, Carrington, is a prominent visitor in the city today. C. R. Besley of Larimore spent Sunday in the city. E. Fox of Michigan City was a Sunday guest. Gunder Olson of Grafton spent yesterday in the city. C. D. Lord of Park River was among those who Sundayed in the city. J. J. Quam and wife of St. Thomas spent Sunday with friends in the city.

"Pinched for money," a man will sometimes offer to sell something at an amazing sacrifice. Those who watch the classified ads, reap the benefits in such cases.

## TO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED - A FIRST-CLASS COAT-maker at once; steady situation for the right man. Rolf Bros., Tailors, Clifford building.

J. W. Ross, the architect.  
W. J. Edwards, the other architect.

## Coming Events.

- March 27—Meeting of the Great Northern Circuit association.
- April 2—General election for city of Grand Forks.
- March 27—Concert at M. E. church—Florence Marion Pace, soprano, Mr. Harold Heide, violinist.
- March 27—Meeting of Great Northern Racing Circuit officers in Grand Forks.
- March 26—Isle of Spice, Metropolitan theatre.
- March 26—Babes in Toyland, Metropolitan theatre.
- March 27—Yon Yonson, Metropolitan theatre.
- Lady Elks' Dancing Party—Thursday evening, April 19.
- At the Metropolitan Theatre—Dates later: "Way Down East," Blanche Walsh in "The Woman in the Case," "The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast."

**THE NEW YORK Hotel and Restaurant**  
Is the only RESTAURANT in Grand Forks that has solved the eating problem. Everything Always Ready. Everything the Very Best. Everything Clean and New.  
Special Dinner, Daily 25c  
\$5 Commutation Tickets \$4  
Newly Furnished Rooms per month \$10  
If You Come Tomorrow You will Come Next Day  
Matheson & Koenig, Props.  
406 DeMers Ave.

**Piano Bargains CAN BE FOUND AT THE GRAND FORKS MUSIC CO.**  
IF PROSPECTIVE PIANO BUYERS will call or write, they will be convinced at once as to Tone, Easy Action, Up to Date Cases and Lowest Prices.  
Our Pianos are all High Grade Standard Makes, and the New Makes will suit one and all.  
Our Special \$50.00 Offer is good until April 1st. Terms to suit.  
**GRAND FORKS MUSIC CO.**  
Opp. Hotel Dacotah  
Both Phones 364L  
Everything in Sheet Music and Talking Machines.  
He finds no weal who flees all woe.



# SCHWAM'S

## 8 Days' Spring Opening Sale

In order meet new customers and introduce my new spring stock of Miller Hand Made clothes I have decided to let every man in Grand Forks come to my store, for 8 days, and select any of the articles advertised below and deduct 25 per cent. from my regular prices, pay the balance and get a new Spring suit without the profit : : : : : I want to prove to you that I sell **Better Goods for the Same Money or Equal Goods for Less Money**

**ONLY 5 DAYS MORE** Sale closes Saturday, **ONLY 5 DAYS MORE** March 31, at 10 P. M.



**Men's Department**  
Men's cassimere suits, marked \$7—25 per cent off **5.25**  
8 days' sale

Men's worsted suits marked \$10, 25 per cent off **7.50**  
8 days' sale

Men's Miller hand made suits marked \$15, 25 per cent off **11.25**  
off 8 days' sale

Men's Miller hand made suits marked \$18, 25 per cent off **13.50**  
off 8 days' sale

Men's Miller hand made import-cassimere suits marked \$20, 25 per cent off **15.00**  
8 days' sale

Men's Miller hand made finest Globe mills worsted suits, all imported goods, hand made button

holes, collar and lapels, the best to be had, marked in plain figures \$22, 25 per cent off **16.50**  
8 days' sale

**Young Men's Department**  
You may deduct 25 per cent from the marked price of any young man's suit in the house.

**Children's Department**  
Closing out this department 50 per cent reduction.

3-piece suits marked \$2.50, 8 days' sale **1.25**

3-piece suits marked \$3.00, 8 days' sale **1.50**

3-piece suits marked \$4.00, 8 days' sale **2.00**

Saturday was the largest day in the history of my business, scores of old customers called and purchased together with many more new ones, who had read my advertisement in the Evening Times. It more than demonstrates that there is one store that's on the square when they advertise. Remember for 5 days more the profit is all yours. Come in and get acquainted with me.

**Shoes**  
Red School House Shoes for men, boys and children need no introduction. You know what they are.  
25 per cent off from our regular prices.

Men's \$3.50 shoes **1.87**

Men's \$3.00 shoes **2.25**

Men's \$3.50 shoes **2.62**

Men's \$4.00 shoes **3.00**

Men's \$5.00 shoes **3.75**

**Boys and children's**  
\$1.25 shoes **95c**  
Boys' and children's \$2.00 shoes **1.50**

**Hats and Furnishings**  
We are agents for the celebrated Red Wing Hats, the best value ever offered at the price, \$3.00 to \$3.00.

**NEW SPRING SHAPES NOW READY.**  
A full line of new spring furnishings, new shirts, new ties, new underwear. All the latest novelties can be found here.

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