

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS FROM ALL PORTS

GRAND FORKS HAS A STRING OF SIX

Horses Will Leave Here Thursday Night on Journey of G. N. Circuit

Trainer Lilly of the state fair grounds race track will leave Thursday night of this week for Williston with a string of six Grand Forks horses that will make the Great Northern circuit which opens at the "City of Opportunity" a week from today.

RAIN CAUSED RACES TO BE POSTPONED

Fargo, N. D., June 2.—On account of the rain it was necessary to postpone the opening events in the June race meeting till Wednesday afternoon, when the card which was announced for yesterday will be pulled off.

It was announced late Tuesday that the track would be in better condition today than any time during the season. The track dried up in fine shape today and it is confidently expected that some good marks will be made tomorrow.

J. W. Hawk has been engaged as a starter on account of the inability of the official who was engaged to leave Kansas City. Mr. Hawk has served in this capacity many times and has given very good satisfaction to the drivers and spectators alike.

ENTRIES ALL IN.

It is expected that the stake entries for the state fair races which closed May 31, will all be in by this evening and the list will be announced tomorrow morning. Secretary Bachelor has a good field already and with more in prospect the largest entry list of any fair held in the state can be assured. The premiums of enormous size have attracted horsemen from every corner of the globe and the best in the business may be seen in Grand Forks July 20 to 24.

MAY PLAY PICKETS.

With no more games on the schedule the university is coring around for a game with the Pickets on Saturday afternoon of this week or next week. No arrangements have been made thus far. The university team may also play the Hillsboro team if arrangements can be made. The game to be played before school closes. The management is also considering seriously the proposition of playing at Chautauqua and the team will probably take on all comers at Devils Lake.

ARVILLA TO MINOT.

The Arvilla team which played in Grand Forks Sunday and Monday will journey to Minot next Thursday and will meet the Magicians' fast team. Three games will be played at Minot on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Arvilla will be strengthened by the addition of some new players now on the road and Fadden's bunch should give a good account against the strong Magic City team.

MAY MEET PEG "Y."

There is a probability of the university track team going to Winnipeg before school closes and engage in a field and track contest with the Winnipeg Y. M. C. A. No arrangements have been made but it is understood that negotiations are under way.

METROPOLITAN THEATRE

Wednesday, June 2nd

First Annual Class Play of the Grand Forks High School

"She Stoops to Conquer"

Miss Alice Lavelle Director

PRICES: \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c

ENTRIES COMING IN AT SLOW RATE

Not Enough Boys Yet for Grand Forks End of the Relay Race

Entries for the big relay race between Grand Forks and Fargo are coming in very slow and only twenty-five boys have signified their intention of taking part in the big event promoted by the Y. M. C. A. of both cities.

Fargo has been faring somewhat better and has entries that will almost total the fifty mark. Training has been going on for over a week at Fargo and the boys of that city may be in better trim than the local runners unless something is started at once.

Of the entries thus far received most of the boys are the larger ones and nearer the age limit which is 19 years. This is one advantage, but still even the younger lads over 14 years old can enter and do just as much as the big boys with the training under way in a few days. The entries close June 12.

Preparations for the big event as to course and assistance are well under way. Both cities have been guaranteed enough automobiles to take care of the boys and both cities will have a physician along the course so that there need be no danger. All that is needed is more entries and Grand Forks with a little training under the direction of Director Miller of the Y. M. C. A., the local team should take the honors and deliver the message.

SPANTON SAVING UP.

Spanton and his Grafton wonders are liable to blow to Grand Forks soon for a game with the Pickets.

Spanton has been saving up and waiting for his team to be in the best trim and the time it is expected, will be ripe in about a month. "Spikes" was an old Grand Forks player and a good reception will be accorded him when he comes this way.

BALLARD AND JACE.

The rubber match between Percy Ballard of this city and Eberman Jace of Canada has been arranged. The wrestling match will take place June 11. It has not been decided whether it will be made a public affair or private. If the people demand a public exhibition, it is probable that it may be possible to arrange it before the day set.

CHANDLER CHANGES.

From all indications Bert Chandler, the former Pickett star second baseman who is playing in the Canadian league this year, has switched and is no longer playing with Lethbridge. In the account of a game played yesterday, Chandler's name is included in the Calgary lineup and he is accounted with four put-outs and five assists.

START BARN.

The new horse barn for the state fair grounds to be used for exhibition purposes will be started at once. The ground was staked out for the new building this morning and the structure will be in close proximity to the present exhibition barn in the northwest corner.

THIEF RIVER COMING.

Thief River Falls, the only team that got two games on the Pickets last year will play a week from next Sunday in this city. Arrangements for the game with the Pickets for June 13 or 20, was made yesterday.

ARRANGING GAME.

A game between the barbers and bartenders of East Grand Forks is being arranged and will be played at the Pickett park in the near future.

HAS BIG STRING.

C. P. Burnstad of Burnstad, in Logan county, writes that he will send two car loads of running horses for the relay races at the state fair.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs.

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct. Detroit, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, St. Louis, Cleveland, Chicago, Washington.

GAMES YESTERDAY

Table with columns: First Game, R. H. E., Philadelphia, Boston, Second Game, R. H. E., Philadelphia, Boston, Batteries.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs.

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct. Pittsburgh, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Boston.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Table with columns: First Game, R. H. E., New York, Brooklyn, Batteries; Second Game, R. H. E., Cincinnati, Rowan, Karger, Dubuc and McLean; Chicago, Brown and Moran.

RAIN AT PITTSBURGH.

AMERICAN ASSN.

Standing of the Clubs.

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct. Milwaukee, Louisville, Minneapolis, Indianapolis, Columbus, Toledo, Kansas City, St. Paul.

GAMES YESTERDAY

Table with columns: R. H. E., Toledo, Milwaukee, Batteries; R. H. E., Indianapolis, Kansas City, Batteries.

BIRTHPLACE OF TWO PRESIDENTS

Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, is noted as the locality of residence of the signers of the American Declaration of Independence and the birthplace of two presidents of the United States. Near the South Carolina line, in the lower end of Mecklenburg, Andrew Jackson first saw the light of day. Within thirty miles of the Jackson cottage, in western Mecklenburg, James Knox Polk was born November 2, 1795. He was of Scotch Irish ancestry; his people bore the name of Pollock, and came from North Ireland. His father was a farmer of limited resources, and lived near the town of Pineville, N. C. The Polk cottage—in which the eleventh president was born, was a small log house, without windows— with no more architectural pretensions than the cabin in which Abraham Lincoln made his advent into the world. Twenty-five years ago, after the Polk house had been removed from its original site, I visited the spot and made a pen drawing of the diminutive dwelling that was published in a New York illustrated weekly, in 1884. The relic was thereby saved from oblivion. It was authenticated at that time by reliable and aged local residents, but has since been destroyed.

The embryo president remained in the old north state until he was 11 years of age. In 1808, his father's family removed over the Allegheny mountains into Tennessee, and settled in Duck river valley. James Knox was the eldest of ten children, and was early set to work to make his way in the world. He was placed as assistant in a mercantile establishment to learn the arts of trade. He did not fancy business, and did not take to commerce. Like the primitive Lincoln, he was a student of books, and his ambition went to the acquisition of knowledge more than to the accumulation of dollars. The senior Polk finally allowed him to prepare for a course of university studies. He again crossed the mountains, returned to his native state, and in 1815 entered the North Carolina university. He took a three year's course at Chapel Hill, and graduated with high honors in 1818. He returned to Tennessee and took up the study of law with Felix Grundy. After two years' legal preparation he was admitted to the bar in 1820. He rose in his profession and became a lawyer of distinction. Within three years he was elected by his constituents to the Tennessee legislature. In 1822, he acquired himself so well and acquired such popularity that he was sent to congress from his district, on the Democratic ticket, in 1825. He was returned to congress for seven succeeding terms until 1839. He was made speaker of the house in 1835; in 1837 took prominent part in national deliberations and exerted great influence in congressional legislation. Those were stirring times at the nation's capitol. Great events agitated the public mind, and enlisted the government's attention. Able men represented many states in congress. Brilliant speakers debated complex questions. Calhoun, Webster and Clay were heard from. National boundary lines and foreign treaties engrossed our government, excited the press and disturbed the people. Questions, that became classic, were made; and statesmen who became leaders arose. Public sentiment was divided; policies were ably advocated, and strenuously contested. There were famous orators in those days. Polk took great interest in every vital question before the government, and his industry, sagacity and untiring zeal brought him into frequent prom-

inence before the nation, and placed him among the leading politicians of his time. His gifts and energy classed him as a coming man, of commanding promise. He adhered to Democratic theories and became influential in his party. Through all the stirring scenes and oratorical contests in congress he stood by the political faith and supported the sentiment of his people. His duties as speaker called for rulings, during exciting discussions, that were often contested, that precipitated much acrimony, but received the sanction of the congressional majority. He was an unwavering supporter of President Jackson in his vigorous and aggressive administration, and long held the loyal friendship of "Old Hickory." He served fourteen years in congress in epoch-making periods, and in 1839 was elected governor of Tennessee. He was renominated for governor in 1841, and also again in 1843, but the Whig forces had then gained ascendancy in Tennessee, and he was each time defeated.

In 1844 Polk was unanimously nominated by the Democracy as a compromise candidate for president. His competitor was Henry Clay, the peerless orator from the Blue Grass region, who carried the Whig banner. The leading national questions at that time consisted of Texas annexation and settlement of the Oregon-Columbia boundary dispute. Both were subjects of momentous consequence and agitated and excited the people. Clay had expressed questionable sentiments on those popular demands, and the Democratic policy harmonized with the public desire. Polk was elected president over his brilliant opponent by sixty-five votes in the electoral college, receiving 170 votes, against 105 for the Whig candidate.

For the vice-presidential office George M. Dallas was elected. The Democracy was now in the heyday of its popularity and in the zenith of its power. It proceeded to execute its policies with vigor and promptness. Complications of manifold character developed. Re-annexation of Texas precipitated various difficulties. The great Texas plains had been ceded to the United States by the Louisiana purchase in 1803, but had been allowed to relapse into Spanish control. The accession of such extended territory opened up the possibility of the formation of three or four new slave states in the northwest. Texas annexation was therefore protested by the "free" faction. Texas boundary disputes also involved our republic in a war with Mexico. Carpers and critics handicapped the president in the contest with Mexico, but American valor asserted its quality and the Latin nation was conquered in a seige that originated Grant and Lee and Jackson and Bragg and Hill and Longstreet and Taylor and Scott and Davis and other military chieftains whose names afterwards famous in American history.

By the Guadalupe Hidalgo treaty of Feb. 2, 1848, New Mexico, Arizona, California and Utah were ceded to the United States, and the area of our republic almost doubled, and a vast mineral and agricultural region added to our domain that has since made up one of the great commercial and industrial nations of the world. Eminent among the great statesmen of the great republic of the United States, the president who came from the primitive log cabin in Mecklenburg county. The event was equalled national importance only by the emancipation proclamation of Lincoln in 1865. Another question of international moment was adjusted by the Polk administration in the settlement of the Oregon and Canadian boundary dispute, that had long irritated England and America, and which had been vigorously and stubbornly resolute, and much divided in sentiment, and controversies had frequently threatened to involve the two nations in war. Timicable negotiations were conducted, peaceful counsels prevailed, and an international agreement was effected. The United States government accepted at its northern boundary limit a parallel of forty-nine degrees. The original American claim of territory to latitude of fifty-four degrees forty longitude north was waived, and warfare between the two great nations avoided. The Polk government also originated an interior department to develop internal resources. The president, however, vetoed an extravagant appropriation for river and harbor exploration, and sanctioned a low tariff law in 1846. President Polk retired from office March 4, 1849. He died three months later, at Nashville, June 14, 1849. He was interred in a mausoleum on the lawn in front of his former residence at Tennessee's capitol. President Polk guided the nation and directed its army and navy through a crisis of forty-nine years. He made a record of uncommenced statesmanship and deserves the gratitude of the republic. He merits a more imposing monument at his birthplace. Congress should see that such is received.

Notice to Steam Heating Contractors.

State Normal School, Valley City, North Dakota. Sealed bids for the installation of a heating and lighting plant and the revision of the ventilating system of the state normal school at Valley City will be received by the undersigned at the office of the school up to 10:30 a. m., Thursday, June 10, 1909.

Plans and specifications are to be consulted at the office of the school, at the builders' exchanges of Fargo, Grand Forks and Minneapolis and at the office of the Consolidated Engineering company, Chicago.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1,000 payable to Hugh McDonald, president of the board of management, as a guarantee to enter into contract should the bid be accepted.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. (Signed) George A. McFarland, Secretary.

Notice of Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage executed and delivered by Gustaf Roseleaf, mortgagor, to Otto Roseleaf, mortgagee, dated the first day of December, 1904, and filed for record in the office of the Register of the County of Grand Forks, North Dakota, and State of North Dakota, on the seventh day of December, 1904, and recorded in book 81 of mortgages page 204, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the court house in the County of Grand Forks, State of North Dakota, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on the 18th day of June, 1909, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage at the date of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows: Lot Four (4), Block Ten (10) in Skidmore's addition to the City of Grand Forks, County of Grand Forks, North Dakota.

There will be due upon such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Eleven Hundred, Eighty-six and 13/100 (\$1,186.13) dollars; principal and interest of said mortgage, and the further sum of Sixteen (\$16.00) dollars premium paid by the said mortgagor for insurance upon said premises, which payment was made under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, together with interest upon said insurance premium at Seven per cent since the same was paid, and paid on the 24th day of December, 1907, making the full amount due at the date of sale, \$1,202.13.

Mortgagee. Murphy & Duggan, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Grand Forks, N. D. May 12, 19, 26; June 2, 9 and 16.

BIDS FOR GARBAGE TEAMS. Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the city of Grand Forks, N. D., will receive sealed bids up to 10 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 7, 1909, for the service of two teams and two men for the removal of garbage as provided in a certain ordinance providing for the collection and removal of garbage in the city of Grand Forks. Such bids shall state the amount per month for which the bidder or bidders will collect and remove all garbage of Classes one and Class five as stated in said Garbage Ordinance No. 266. The city being divided into two districts. District No. 1 comprising the First, Second, Third and Seventh wards; district No. 2 comprising the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth wards.

with the center line of Lewis Boulevard; Thence in a southeasterly direction to the Red River of the North.

Also, that part of main commencing at the intersection of the center line of Fenton street with the center line of alley through blocks 5 and 3 of Riverside Park addition;

Thence in a southerly direction along said center line of said blocks to the center of Skidmore avenue.

Also, that part of main commencing at the intersection of the center line of alley through block 10 of Riverside Park addition;

Thence in a northerly direction along said center line of alley to its intersection with the center line of Conkling avenue;

Thence west 125 feet more or less to the intersection of the line common to lots 3 and 4, block 15, Riverside Park addition;

Thence in a northerly direction 190 feet more or less to the intersection of center line of proposed alley in said block 15.

And that at 8 o'clock p. m. on the 21st day of June, 1909, the city council of said city will meet at the council chamber for the purpose of approving said plans and specifications and estimate of probable cost, and that any person or persons interested in said matter who may have objections thereto, or to any part thereof, is hereby notified that at such meeting an opportunity will be given him to be heard.

By order of the city council. W. H. Alexander, City Auditor. Dated May 25, 1909.

RESOLUTIONS. To the Citizens of Grand Forks, N. D.: You are hereby notified that there have been filed in the office of the city auditor of said city, plans, specifications and estimates of the probable cost for the construction of a main sewer along the streets, avenues and across the property hereinafter described, to-wit:

Commencing at a point from the center of Thomas street where the same would be intersected by a line drawn through the center of Clinton avenue;

Thence in an easterly direction following the center of Clinton avenue and Fenton street to an intersection

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