

THE CITY IN BRIEF

Miss Thorlackson to Paris. Miss Louise Thorlackson left this morning for Paris, on a nursing case.

How About. That proposition I made for a new typewriter? I'm in a good one. M. M. Merrill, Remington Typewriter Company.—Adv.

Announcement. A nice Christmas present will be given to all customers at Groves' Studio, 119 DeMers avenue. Tri-State 424L.—Adv.

Christmas Sale. St. Paul's Guild will hold their Christmas sale Tuesday, December 2 at Guild hall. Dinner served at 5:30.—Adv.

At the Met. A holiday gift to the public at large, a great film production in five reels Monday and Tuesday only, "Tigris," the Master Crackman. Admission, 10c; children, 5c.—Adv.

Old Folks to Elect. The local lodge of Old Fellows will elect officers at the meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening. All members are urged to be present.

Mekinoek Pastor Here. Rev. O. T. Ness, pastor of the Mekinoek Lutheran church, was in Grand Forks today on his way to Buxton where he is to visit relatives. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ness.

At the Met. On Monday and Tuesday the big Tigris feature "Tigris" will be seen at the Met. Matinees 4 p. m. Evenings, 7:30. Admission as usual, 10c; children 5c.—Adv.

To Attend Land Show. W. E. Black, agent of the Canadian government in this city, left Saturday evening for Chicago, where he will attend to business interests and attend the land show.

Bjornson Speaks at Mekinoek. J. S. Bjornson, deputy to the county superintendent of schools spoke at the Mekinoek Lutheran church Sunday evening.

At the Met. Monday and Tuesday "Tigris," a four part mystery in five reels; over 100 scenes. Admission as usual, 10c; children 5c.—Adv.

Icelandic Club Meeting. Rev. E. Thorgrimsdottir will speak on "The Awakening of Iceland," at the meeting of the Icelandic club of the state university, to be held this evening.

Your Photographer. Nothing will add more to the Christmas pleasure of the friends and kinsfolk at home than your photograph, sent them early and at Hoff's studio, Bruce and Fourth street.—Adv.

Walt and Buy. Your Christmas dolls at the Methodist Ladies' Aid bazaar Wednesday, December 3. The booth will be in charge of the young ladies of the church. Supper will be served at 5:30 p. m. Tickets, 35 cents.—Adv.

Visitors From the West. Miss Alberta Filatreault and Miss Josephine Filatreault of Spokane, Wash., arrived this morning at their home at Crookston, where they will visit about a month. Miss Alberta Filatreault formerly resided in Grand Forks.

At the Met. Monday and Tuesday "Tigris," the most stupendous detective story ever produced in which startling changes follow one another in quick succession. Matinees 4 p. m. Evening 7:30 and 9. Admission, 10c; children, 5c.—Adv.

Engine Coupled Blaze. Sparks from a hoisting engine engine caused a small fire shortly before noon today, at the building being erected on DeMers avenue opposite the Great Northern depot, by Skaren & Olson of East Grand Forks. The blaze was quickly extinguished by the fire department.

On Sale. Beautiful linen at parish hall by the ladies of St. Paul's auxiliary Tuesday, December 2.—Adv.

Took Group Picture. A group picture of all university students was taken early this afternoon at the institution. The bleachers were moved in from the athletic field and placed in the big open space between Budge and Science halls, where the students set while the photograph was being taken. The picture was taken by the representative of a Winnipeg firm, which is making a specialty of college work.

Debating Board Meets. A meeting of the university debating council is being held at the law school this afternoon. It is expected that the final selection of judges to pick the intercollegiate debaters will be made today. Several other matters are to be discussed also.

Rendering Tank Also Up. The question of the type of rendering tank to be installed in the new municipal slaughter house will also come up for reconsideration.

In the light of evidence recently received in regard to the matter, however, it is thought that the friends of the more expensive apparatus have a good chance of being victorious at the meeting tonight.

The milk ordinance, calling for the inspection of all milk sold within the city limits, will come up for its final reading, and is expected to pass, although a few minor changes may be made.

No report is expected from the ordinance committee which has been investigating the question of gas rates charged in this city.

Funeral Held for Mrs. Breen. Pioneer Resident of Grand Forks Passed Away Last Saturday—Buried This Morning.

Funeral services were held at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock this morning for Mrs. John Breen, aged 84, who died at her home, 623 Third avenue, last Saturday night following a three days illness.

Monsignor Lemieux officiated at the services. Interment was in Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Breen's death was caused by pneumonia. She was a resident of Grand Forks for the last thirty years and is survived by two sons and four daughters.

THINK RUSSELL WAS MURDERED

Recluse Who Contested Dakotan's Claim to Estate May be Victim.

Melrose, Mass., Dec. 1.—Under an order of District Attorney Higgins, an autopsy was performed on the body of William C. Russell, who died Saturday, traces of arsenic were found, and there are indications that there will be still further sensational developments.

William Russell is the man who contested the claim of "Dakota Dan" Russell to half the Russell estate.

MILWAUKEE FIRE LOSS \$125,000; AUTOS BURN

Big Blaze Early Sunday Morning Devours Distributing Plant in Wisconsin City.

Milwaukee, Dec. 1.—Sixty automobiles and the building of the Ford automobile distributing agency in Wisconsin, was destroyed in a fire early Sunday causing a damage of \$125,000. The loss is nearly covered by insurance.

The fire was caused by an explosion of gasoline and the flames spread over the entire place before the firemen could extinguish them. Fearing more explosions and rescuing the recent deaths of nine firemen by falling walls, Chief Clancy ordered his men to fight the fire from the outside.

Scores of persons living in nearby flats left their rooms last night as the fire spread and thousands, who were attracted to the blaze, remained far outside the danger zone fearing an explosion of several thousand gallons of gasoline stored in the garage. The firemen, however, kept the flames from spreading and halted them before they reached the explosive fluids which were stored beneath the surface of the floor.

IMPORT MINERS

Many Workmen Taken to Michigan Copper Mine District.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 1.—About 500 workmen were imported into the Michigan copper region during the last week to take the places of striking miners, making a total of about 2,500 imported since the strike began. These, with deserters from the ranks of strikers, have made it possible for the companies to increase the extent of their operations. It is expected that the Mohawk mine will resume soon. The dammarack, Hancock and Franklin will then be the only idle mines in the district, and these will remain closed for the winter.

The importation of men has been attended by no disorders. The forces will be further augmented this week.

MELLEN DINED.

Ex-President of New Haven Road is Honored by Laboring Men.

Boston, Dec. 1.—Charles S. Mellen heard himself eulogized yesterday by the heads of all the labor organizations connected with the Boston & Maine railroad. Nearly 250 employees of the road gave Mr. Mellen a dinner and presented him with a set of engraved resolutions expressing their appreciation of his relations with his employees while president of the road.

Mr. Mellen has been sporadically on the power and rights of labor. He referred to the tremendous latent power in labor organizations, and said the reason it did not receive greater reward was because of jealousy between the different bodies and lack of loyalty to the common cause.

Having bought 420,000 pounds of Australian beef at less than the lowest American price, the navy is earnestly requested to engage in the retail trade.

HOOK AND LADDER IS NOT ADEQUATE

Declares Dr. Orr Sanders, Chairman of City Fire Committee.

Plans for rebuilding the hook and ladder truck at present in use by the Grand Forks fire department will be taken up tonight at the regular meeting of the city council.

Dr. Orr Sanders, chairman of the fire department committee, said the council is strongly in favor of the purchase of an aerial truck for the city, but a majority of the council are said to be opposed to incurring the expense.

Dr. Sanders contends that the present truck, even after it has been rebuilt, will not be equipped to reach to the tops of several of the higher buildings of the city, and that the failure of the council to order an aerial ladder truck may eventually entail a severe loss.

Rendering Tank Also Up. The question of the type of rendering tank to be installed in the new municipal slaughter house will also come up for reconsideration.

This is the third time this matter has been considered by the council, on both previous occasions the members having voted for the cheaper tank.

In the light of evidence recently received in regard to the matter, however, it is thought that the friends of the more expensive apparatus have a good chance of being victorious at the meeting tonight.

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A. C. Giffith The Ontario Store
ANNUAL HALF-PRICE SALE OF KNIT GOODS
Once again we offer this annual sale of quality knit goods. For years we have purchased in addition to our regular stock a sample line of the justly famous Simon Ascher and Co's knit goods. These we have offered to our customers just when they are most acceptable (before Christmas) at a saving in price of one-half. Every piece of the eleven hundred pieces is in good condition—you will find no worn, soiled samples, but clean, fine merchandise. We place them on sale tomorrow in our Ready-to-Wear Department (second floor). Your Christmas money will do double duty. We know you will be one of the first to profit.

20 More Shopping days until CHRISTMAS
Books for Boys and Girls
Ask a boy or girl what they want for Christmas and you can be assured that they will say among other things, "and of course books." This year we have a specially fine collection of good books. Solve your problems by purchasing at once. 25c, 35c 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Dainty Greeting Cards
The greeting card reproduced here is but one of the many dainty cards we are showing this season. In addition to the A. M. Davis Co's line we are featuring three others, all different in character. The Gibson Art Co., The P. F. Voland and Co., the Parker Art Co., lines. We have gone to the trouble and expense of sampling every design so that every card you buy is new and unhandled. Some designs have been closed out already so we recommend making your selections at once.

Dennison Gift Dressings
Make your package look attractive. It adds a real joy to Christmas giving. There is a big difference between ordinary cards and the Dennison cards. The designs are so novel and neat and the embossing is real embossing. You don't need to compare to see the difference. Then, too, there is the gummed tape, the tinsel cord, the tissue paper and the other Christmas fixings. Our selection is very complete in both the 5c and 10c qualities. 20 More Shopping Days Till Xmas

EAST GRAND FORKS
Are Visiting Mother. Stephen and Theodore Gravelle, who are engaged in business at Fargo, are in the city, visiting their mother, Mrs. Marie Gravelle.

SHORT COURSE OPENS TODAY
Third Annual Term is Begun—Local School to Have Special Farmers' Work.

Friends Who Believe In Us
We all know something of the pleasure and satisfaction it gives us to have a reliable friend; one who believes in us and whose confidence in us cannot be shaken.

To the people of this community we offer the services of this bank in the true spirit of friendship and business integrity and will be glad to have you make it your banking headquarters.

First National Bank
Grand Forks, N. D.

JAIL SENTENCE FOR DRUNK AUTO DRIVERS
Chicago Judge Would Abolish Fine Option and Put Violators Behind the Bars.

DARLING RETIRES
Long Service With Department of Justice to Be Terminated.

An Entire Estate Squandered
The published bulletin of the total failure of a private trust in an important instance, John L. Davis, a retired lake captain, left one-half of his \$100,000 estate to charity and the other one-half to a favorite nephew, who was made the executor of the estate without bond.

Northwestern Trust Company
Grand Forks, N. D.

Scandinavian Christmas Money
As usual, we have a supply of Scandinavian Christmas Money on hand for the convenience of those who wish to send money "home" for Christmas.

Northern State Bank
Grand Forks, N. D.
Have you one of our Free Household Expense Records.

The Modern Xmas Present
has elements of lasting value. Christmas giving now-a-days means preservation rather than waste. One of our Six Per Cent First Farm Mortgages, written for a term of years with interest payable annually, would make a splendid Christmas gift for your wife, wouldn't it? Until the mortgage has run out the principal sum will remain intact, and in the meantime the annual interest will furnish new money for many useful things. We can furnish you with a First Mortgage in almost any denomination desired, large or small.

E. J. Lander & Co.
GRAND FORKS, N. D.