

# North Dakota News

## CONTRACTS FOR MEAT AWARDED

Board of Control Purchases More than 100,000 Pounds of Beef.

(Herald Special Service.) Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 25.—Contracts were awarded by the board of control this week for 117,650 pounds of beef with which to partially supply the needs of the state's wards for fresh meats during the ensuing six months. The state buys little or no

fresh pork, practically all of which is raised by the various institutions in sufficient quantities for their own use. Contracts for the larger institutions went as follows: Bismarck penitentiary, 9,000 pounds of beef, Kupitz & Co.; state hospital for the insane, Jamestown, 75,000 pounds, Dakota Meat company, Jamestown; reform school, Mandan, 4,000 pounds, P. M. McGillic, Mandan; feeble minded institution, Grafton, 10,800 pounds, City meat market, Grafton. The price per pound ranged from 11.4 to 12.5 cents.

## WARDEN RETURNS FROM CRIME STUDY MEET

Frank S. Talcott, Head of North Dakota Prison, Attended National Congress in Buffalo, N. Y.

(Herald Special Service.) Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 25.—Frank S. Talcott, warden at the North Dakota state penitentiary, has returned from the annual national prison congress in Buffalo, N. Y. The congress in Warden Talcott's opinion, was one of the most successful ever held. Wardens from practically every penal institution in the nation, attorneys general and, in most instances, the boards of control or other supervising bodies, were represented.

Crime and its causes was the general subject for discussion. Interesting reports were presented showing that crime is not on the increase. Neither is it decreasing. The percentage of criminals remains practically stationary. An important fact brought out was that the percentage of crime varies little or none between civilizations of high and low degree. It was also proved by statistics that there is no "criminal class." Even in India, with its thug castes, the percentage of crime compares with that in America and the older civilizations of Europe.

While in the east, Mr. Talcott took time to jump over to Williamstown, Mass., from which he graduated in 1885, and where his son, Frank S. Talcott, Jr., is now enrolled as a student.

## PLAZA ORGANIZES FIRE FIGHTERS

Plaza, N. D., Oct. 25.—Plaza now has a full fledged and bona fide volunteer fire department. Application has been made for admittance in the state association. A constitution and by-laws have been adopted. Meetings will be held every month and an effort will be made to keep the members numbering about 30, interested in the organization. Frequent fire drills will be held. The equipment now on hand consists of two chemical engines and it is expected that within a short time other apparatus will be installed.

The voice of conscience is heard less easily in music-with-meals cafe or in a with auto-and street-car street than in the residence or country districts.

## MANY FARMERS HEAR FRAZIER

Republican Gubernatorial Candidate Speaks to Large Crowd.

By Tom Parker Junkin. The farmers of North Dakota are interested in this year's political campaign.

This is not news—it may have been observed and mentioned at certain times and places during the past six months. But it was evidenced last night at the gathering of the hosts from the prairies round about Bismarck when the banner-bearer of their protesting cause came to town to visit them and to address them in the city hall.

There were others present besides the farmers, of course. There were, for instance, a half score or more of the county politicians from "The Forks" there were the hardware broker, the butcher, the baker, the banker and even "Uome" Mason of the Swain, who pulled himself away from his woodrowilson museum long enough to hear the gospel of protest.

There were a considerable number of ladies, and Editor Ed. Richter in all his glory as chairman of the occasion. "Oh, dear reader, have heard the story of Cincinnatus being called from the plow, and how Abe, the rail splitter, was summoned to the aid of his country, and how near one W. W. came to sitting in the chair of the Princetonian proxy now likes so much that he has forgotten all about Baltimore and 1912 in his desire to cling to it for two years more.

Well, behold Cincy and Abe and WJB all rolled into one—for didn't he tell us how he was summoned to that Fargo convention of protest, not knowing whether he was to be headed or sent to St. Paul, and on arriving was breathlessly informed that he was the one and only and unanimitous choice for leader in the great battle? And didn't he tell us how he was hauling potatoes and boosting them into the cars so the grasping middleman could get his hard earned profit for "handling" them, and how amidst the travelling men were to see the next governor wrestling with spuds.

And didn't he tell us he couldn't make a speech, and then roll into one that stirred the applause like that other bald-headed commoner did when he declaimed about the "crown of thorns"? It was "governor's day" in Larimore. They all called him "Governor" Lynn Frazier, and the Larimore Husear band turned out in all its regalia to do him honor. The music that "handled" them, and how also—coming into town in a constant stream of automobiles that made the roads look like a flickering aurora borealis.

And he is some governor, too—or he will be when he takes the oath of office, for that is about all there is left to it, the casting and counting of the votes next month being only a matter of form. He is sincerely in earnest and has a mind of his own, has Lynn J. Frazier. He is a good republican, and he gives out cards saying so. But just now his business is to see that the farmers of North Dakota get justice and full value for their products. So he devoted his speech to telling them so. He is willing to make his record on that issue. He told them that, too, and they liked it immensely. He reviewed the history of the movement that brought him to the platform, and he scored the middleman, and the big millers of Minneapolis, and the chamber of commerce, and the gambling in the wheat pit. He declared for civil service in state offices, for good roads and for lower freight and passenger rates. And when he had finished he was given an ovation and an informal reception that was as sincere as any he will experience when he gets into the executive chair in Bismarck next January.

Next Saturday "Governor" Frazier will attend the Home Coming at the University of North Dakota and will watch Coach Gill's boys make the lads from Vermillion take on a much paler hue; he will attend the alumni banquet and he has accepted an invitation to take a place on the platform with United States Senator Knute Nelson when the Minnesota orator tells us about the errors of democracy and Woodrow Wilson, and of the glories of the G. O. P. and the attainments and abilities of Charles E. Hughes.

Herald Want Ads Bring Results.

## TRIPLE WEDDING MAKES BIG CUT IN 2 FAMILIES NEAR SWEET BRIAR N.D.

Mandan, N. D., Oct. 25.—Big reductions were made in the Barth and Zahnder families of Sweet Briar Monday when a son and two daughters of the Barth family, a son and daughter of the Zahnder family and a son of the Fried family were married at a triple wedding. The wedding was witnessed by scores of people, and after the wedding dinner was served, the whole Sweet Briar community was invited to dance.

Guests at the dance had considerable trouble in finding out just who married who, but after several minutes it was decided that the only way to determine the facts was to stop the dance and pair them off before the throng of visitors and this is the way it finally developed. Grand Baron stepped forth with his bride, formerly Mary Zahnder; next came Joseph Zahnder and his bride, formerly Eugenia Barth, and last came Ralph Fried and his bride, formerly Rosa Barth.

## HIGH SCHOOLS OF STATE GROW FAST

More Pupils in Schools This Fall Than Total Enrollment Last Year.

Jamestown, N. D., Oct. 25.—The growth of North Dakota educationally is set forth in the report issued by E. R. Edwards of this city, state high school inspector, in which is shown that all the high schools in the state, with a few exceptions are enjoying an increased enrollment.

Of 31 schools which he inspected this year, Inspector Edwards found only three which did not have more pupils enrolled than the year before. Total enrollment last year. This he says is true of both grades and high schools. His report also shows that there are at present 1,200 applications on file with the state board of education from schools seeking classification as state high schools for the first time as there were last altogether.

Pursuant to the change in the constitution of the North Central association adopted at Chicago, March 2, there is a commission of three in each state appointed to attend to the accrediting of the schools. Each inspector was asked to nominate his preferred member for this special work. Mr. Edwards of this city announced today that he has named Professor C. C. Schmidt of the university and Dr. E. F. Stabins, principal of the Grand Forks high school, to assist him in the work and who with himself will constitute the board of three. The committee will meet in Grand Forks as soon as the reports from the individual schools are in and prepare them for the association.

North Dakota now has 23 high schools in the North Central association and probably a few more will be added this coming year, says Edwards.

## PEMBINA NEWS

Pembina, N. D., Oct. 25.—Miss Hazel Kneeshaw returned from Inkster Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank King returned from a visit in Grand Forks.

Mrs. John Heneman returned from Grand Forks where she stopped off to visit her daughter, Leona, after attending the meeting of the Federation of Women's clubs at Valley City.

Mrs. Ray Stinson returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Dinning, at Grand Forks.

Miss Wilhelmina Feldman was home for the week-end.

Robert Lynch has returned from the hospital.

Mrs. E. B. Harris returned this week after attending the meeting of the Federation of Women's clubs.

Miss Pauline Harris was at home from her school at McArthur, for a day.

Hector Brandehand of Cavalier was over to spend a day with his mother and sister.

Rev. Allen O. Birchenough of the M. E. church preached his farewell sermon Sunday evening to a well filled church.

Rev. Allen O. Birchenough and Mrs. Birchenough with their two little sons Vernon and John, left for their new home at Clyde. He will fill other appointments at Sarsie and Austen.

Ed. Davis came down from Nekoma. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Davis.

The county commissioners met in an extra session on Monday to receive the report of the state examiners who have been checking up the county auditor's office from 1907 to 1914. A shortage of over \$1,500 was reported.

Ed. Hagenson returned from Minnesota where he has spent several weeks.

Mrs. F. H. Sprague entertained a few friends informally for Mrs. C. L. Prince.

BAPTIST MEETING STARTS TODAY

Cavalier, N. D., Oct. 25.—Baptists of the state began gathering here today for the annual state conference, which opens this afternoon, continuing till Sunday.

Dr. L. C. Barnes, New York city; Dr. W. E. Chalmers, Philadelphia; Dr. Samuel Red, Waukegan; Mrs. Frank Peterson, Minneapolis; Mrs. George E. Young, Minneapolis; Dr. T. L. Keenan, Chicago, and Miss Ina Shaw, Toledo, are reported as outside speakers who will participate.

R. B. Griffith is president of the association.

## SURVEY REPORT AWAITED BY ALL N.D. EDUCATORS

Findings Anent State Institutions in Government Printers' Hands.

(Herald Special Service.)

After the passing of 100 days, the report of the educational survey, conducted in North Dakota almost a year ago by Dr. Edwin B. Craighead, state commissioner of education; Dr. Philander P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education and others, is still in the hands of the government printers at Washington, D. C. The results of this survey are of the utmost importance to North Dakota, and they have been awaited with deep interest by the public in general. Commissioner Craighead now has cause to hope that the report will be available in printed form within a week. The state and federal commissioners of education were assisted in the survey by Dr. Bawden, a specialist in the United States department of education, and Dr. Coffman, dean of the teachers' college of the University of Minnesota. No advance information is available as to the nature of the report, which may involve some radical changes in the state's educational system.

Forestry School Growing.

Dr. Craighead returned this week from a tour of the northern part of the state in company with President Smith of the state school of forestry at Bottineau. The school, reports the commissioner, is doing very good work, although the number of students enrolled is not large. Dr. Craighead also attended the tri-county teachers' institute at Grafton.

In November Dr. Craighead will be called to New York to attend the annual meeting of the Carver's foundation and the yearly sessions of the national association of state universities and agricultural colleges. Dr. E. F. Ladd, president of the agricultural college; Dr. F. L. McVey, president of the university; Thomas Cooper, director of agricultural extension work, and several members of the faculty of the university and agricultural college will attend the latter meeting.

## SUSPECT HELD BY MINOT OFFICIALS

Minot, N. D., Oct. 25.—A man named Burke, claiming to be from Mohall, was taken in charge by the police of this city. He was carrying two coats when arrested, and the police are determined to find out where he got them. When questioned, he admitted that he stole them from a pal.

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officers say. Officers think it probable that he was connected in some way with the robbery of the H. L. Winter's jewelry store which occurred Sunday night. The parties who entered the store made away with eleven watches and several necklaces and the police are of the opinion that Burke may have been in the deal and that his pal skipped with the spoils.

SEVENTY-TWO AT MEETING. Devils Lake, N. D., Oct. 25.—The first day of the Ramsey county teachers' institute passed very successfully with a registration of 72. Several interesting addresses were delivered yesterday by different educators of the state. The question box is proving to be of great value.

# HEAR HON. OLE HANSON

Prominent Progressive of the state of Washington, will speak at the City Auditorium on Thursday Evening, Oct. 26, at 8:15 P. M.

Mr. Hanson is a prominent business man of Seattle, Washington. He was one of the leading Bull Mooseers of that state four years ago and two years ago was the Progressive candidate for United States Senator and has since been State Chairman of the party.

Mr. Hanson is conceded to be one of the foremost Norwegian orators of America. In this campaign he is supporting President Wilson for re-election. A real treat is afforded the people of Grand Forks county in this speech Thursday night.

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### Table Showing Attendance of Students From 13 Slope Counties at the Several State Schools

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McKenzie	6	2	4	1	2	15			
Golden Valley	4					4			
Bowman	3	1		1		3			
Adams	2	1				3			
Stark	10	10				20			
Dunn	2	2				4			
Morton	19	10				29			
Slope									
Hettinger	1					1			
Mercer	1					1			
Oliver	3					3			
Sioux									
<b>Slope Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>119</b>	

What More Convincing Argument Could Be Required to Secure every vote for the Dickinson Normal School

## GRAFTON NEWS

Grafton, N. D., Oct. 25.—Dr. and Mrs. McBroom and daughter, Helen, have returned to Adams, Minn.

Miss Marion Gray was here last week.

Mrs. Nate Upham of Drawnton was here with friends.

Mr. E. Hall and Miss Lizzie Kelly were called to Bismarck by the serious illness of their sister, Mrs. T. H. Tharison.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pirie of Costa, Rico, who have been the guests of relatives for several weeks, left on Wednesday morning for California.

Mrs. H. McKullen returned to her home at Rock Island, Ill., after visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jas. Wood.

Mrs. Norman Douglas is here from Rosetown, Sask., visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Talback.

Mrs. J. M. O'Connor of St. Thomas visited relatives here.

Mrs. G. M. Baer and Miss Jessie Baer were hostess to a large company at camp.

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