

DANIELS COUNTY ELECTION CALLED

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torney Alfred Vollum appeared for the protesting delegation from Valley county.
The county Commissioners refused to grant the withdrawal presented by the opposition from Valley county on the grounds that the petition did not appear to be genuine, but had been altered. Mr. Vollum tried to talk but was cut short, and the papers signed.
The whole procedure required less than eighteen minutes it is claimed. They Valley county delegation was headed by Mr. Arnold, the son of Hon. A. Arnold.
The Valley county protestors were not under the collar as a result of the treatment which they had received, and have retained attorneys and will fight the matter to the bitter end.
There is a lot of opposition to the division at Plentywood, and Flaxville and Redstone, and it is reported that Whitetail is almost solidly against the proposition, so it appears that county division is going to have some rough sledding, as all is not in harmony among the farmers within the confines of the proposed new county.
However, bonds have been filed by Scooby business men, and if the election fails, it won't cost the taxpayers of Sheridan county anything.
The call for the election was signed by the County Commissioners and the date set for May 11th.

DR. JONES APPOINTED HEALTH OFFICER

Dr. Jones, who recently came here from Williston to take charge of Dr. Steele's practice while that gentleman is in the south, was appointed deputy secretary of the Board of Health to serve in Dr. Steele's absence, by Commissioners Matkins and Timmons over Commissioner Tyler's protest Wednesday.
It is claimed that Dr. Jones cannot serve as he is not a citizen of Montana. There is a lot of feelings developing over Dr. Steele and the health officer.
The Producers News will print shortly the amount of money paid out each year to Dr. Steele by the County Commissioners.

WON'T PAY MRS. O'GRADY

County Commissioner Timmons, chairman of the Board, again refused to sign County Auditor O'Grady's salary warrant this month, as more punishment against that lady for refusing to approve illegal claims. Messrs. Timmons and Matkins are very spiteful because of the fact that they cannot get away with the people's money. Mr. Timmons is reported as making the brags that he "Will make old mother O'Grady eat out of his hands yet before he gets through with her." He knows that Mrs. O'Grady is poor and needs the money.

County Commissioners In Busy Session

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular monthly session last Tuesday morning. The session has been a very busy one. All of the Commissioners being present. The Daniels county division proposition was up for hearing; the county agent matter and a hearing on a division of a school district. From the Reserve district was up, besides the routine business.

At the Hotels

- LELAND
Thursday, January 23, 1920
C. G. Christiansen, B. Brezinski, J. W. Grier, G. B. Clarke, Williston; E. W. Effinger, C. M. Effinger; James Bjelkevig, Watford City, N. D.; C. G. Christiansen, Flaxville; F. M. Emerson, Bowbells, N. D.; G. A. Nelson, Fargo.
Friday, January 30
F. N. Acker, Williston; James Bjelkevig, Watford City, N. D.; R. G. Tyler, Homestead; Laurena D. Sweetman, Bainville; Arthur Aspengren, Bainville; Roland Beaulty, Bainville; Halbert Reynolds, Bainville; Paul Healy, Bainville, A. C. Coniston, Bainville; R. W. Reynolds, B. Brezinski; Kitty Mannon, Bainville; Helen Becker, Bainville; Hazel Gardner; Rose Evans; Alice Gessner; Dorothy Nicholson; Mary Piper; Tom Sussen, Battleson, N. D.; L. W. Duncan, Inta; Andy Thompson, Bainville; Ole Hanson, Dagmar; Peder Bruvold, Comertown;

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Geo. M. Cathart; Wilmer Markuson, Medicine Lake.
Saturday, January 31
W. E. Dunham, Williston; W. W. Washburn, Scooby; L. W. Dungen, Inta; James Bjelkevig, Watford City, N. D.; M. C. Douglas, Osabrook, N. D.; H. K. Young, Wolf Point; Miss D. E. Young, Appleton, Minn.; Miss H. B. Soberg, Rhinelander, Wis.; F. A. Mills, Homestead; Peder P. Moe, Archer; Jene Adams, Raymond; W. M. Hunt, Whitetail; Sophia White, Whitetail; Wm. Hunt, Whitetail; B. Brezinski; Dr. C. S. Jones, Williston.
Sunday, February 1
Peder P. Moe, Archer; L. W. Duncan, Inta, Kans.; Jene Adams, Raymond; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunt, Whitetail; Miss White, Whitetail; A. A. Enfield, Antelope; James Bjelkevig, Watford City; M. C. Douglas, Osabrook, N. D.; Dan Egger, Outlook; John Booney; W. W. Washburn, Scooby; W. E. Dunham, Williston; H. K. Young, Wolf Point; F. A. Mills, Homestead; Miss D. E. Young, Appleton, Minn.; H. B. Loberg, Rhinelander, Wis.
Monday, February 2
R. G. Tyler, Homestead; P. P. Walker; Mrs. Olaf Walker; Clara Walker; Geo. M. Cathart, Coalridge; Nels Hanson, Coalridge; Bert Hamilton; B. Brezinski; G. A. Nelson, Fargo, N. D.; J. C. Hunter; G. W. McCoy; Jack Finn.
Tuesday, February 3
Jack Taylor, Ed. M. Allen, Havre; M. E. Biever, Westby; O. C. Sederholm, Whitetail; Andy Thompson, Bainville; J. F. Goss, Great Falls; G. A. Nelson, Fargo, N. D.; J. S. Miller, Homestead; Jas. Kuoola; Jas. Kealoha; Mona Holstein; Jas. Holstein; Jno. Kahookano; Nels Christensen, Dagmar; Roger Burke, Scooby; T. J. Larson, Malta; Mrs. Neiss, Outlook; Gus. A. Barner, Raymond; Stevo Chephio, Bainville; Hans J. Dixon, Dagmar; Geo. M. Cathart, Coalridge; Nels Hanson.
Wednesday, February 4th
Ed. M. Allen, Havre; Gus A. Barner, Raymond; Harold Desht, Spokane; Hilma Solberg, Westby; J. C. Taylor, Bozeman; A. Forster, Minneapolis; Peder Bruvold, Comertown; Gil Johnson; Jens Hansen, Dagmar; Steve Chephio; P. A. Lowe, Grand Forks; Martin Nereson, Westby; Walter Therildsen, Dagmar; Lou Pilleris; J. S. Miller, Homestead; O. C. Sederholm, Whitetail; Roger Burke, Scooby; Mrs. Neiss, Outlook; Nels Christensen, Dagmar.
PLENTYWOOD HOTEL
Wednesday, January 28th
Marguerite O'Grady, City; J. Cavanaugh, Fargo, N. D.; Elsie Marble, Kenmare, N. D.; P. A. Moeller, Enderlin, N. D.; C. A. Frederickson, Helena, Mont.; O. E. Hinline, Minot, N. D.; Otto Hallquist, Tompkins, Sask.; E. L. Johnson, Medicine Lake; Harry Whitty, New Orleans; Charles Gad, Flaxton, N. D.; F. E. Carroll, Glasgow; H. N. Shaver, Rolla, N. D.; I. O. Bakken, Whitetail; Joe Waggoner, Daleview; M. P. Montgomery, Minot, N. D.; N. Shain, Whitetail; Mrs. Geo. Hunter, Dooley; R. R. Reomsnyder, Fargo, N. D.; J. J. Singleton, Reserve; Frank O'Toole, City; Mrs. Henry Olson, Rolla, N. D.
Thursday, Jan. 29
G. R. Vansinckle, Minot, N. D.; E. M. Krost, Minot; I. O. Bakken, Whitetail; E. L. Johnson, Medicine Lake; O. E. Hinline, Minot, N. D.; George M. Meath, Seattle, Wash.; John L. Sweeney, Minneapolis; Nick Walton, Williston; Marguerite M. O'Grady, City; Mable Meek, City; Fred Gleason City; H. Brymltson, Enid, Mont.
Friday, Jan. 30th
Dr. Marguerite Kromer, Helena; G. A. Johnson, Medicine Lake; G. E. Janzen, Minneapolis; L. A. Brown, Froid; F. A. Shain, Worland, Wyo.; N. Shain, Whitetail; Claribel Drazt, Antelope; Leverne Drasz, Antelope; Nat Boyd, Williston; J. P. Nelson, Whitetail; M. Vencloff, Chicago; Charles Drazt, Jr., Antelope; C. L. Jones, Bainville.
Saturday, Jan. 31st
Mrs. A. P. Smerud, Flaxville; J. J. Gibbons, Reserve; F. Smith, Great Falls.
Sunday, Feb. 1st
J. E. Sandy, Outlook; J. K. La Rue, Outlook; J. J. Gibbons, Reserve.
Monday, February 2
J. E. Keefe, Opheim; P. Beito, Opheim; Emil Elleason, Opheim; R. Arnold, Jr., Opheim; Geo. Cudhie, Scooby; J. H. Abrams, Great Falls; Geo. H. Stillman, Minot; F. F. Smith, Opheim; J. H. Johnston and sister, St. Paul; W. A. Nichols, Dooley; Geo. Ellis, Antelope; J. H. Rowand, Williston; John M. Peebie, Bainville; Geo. Sanda, Antelope; M. B. Thomas, Bainville; Jack Looney, City.
Tuesday, February 3rd
H. H. Beebe, Opheim; E. G. Kurtz, Opheim; B. G. Bertleson, Opheim; George Barnby, Opheim; Jos. Whetstone, Glasgow; J. H. Bell, St. Paul; Bert Holthy, St. Paul; A. T. Lawrence, Opheim; Thomas T. Clifford, Scooby; G. A. Steinberg, Antelope; Joe Miller, Glendive; H. E. Burnham, Dooley; Ed. Sherman, Reserve; W. H.

REVOLUTION ON IN GRAND FORKS

CITIZENS IN BOOSTING FOR MILL ENDORSE LEAGUE PROGRAM AND PRINCIPLES IN SPEECHES.

"People are criticizing North Dakota and its people in a way that is entirely unjust. We have one of the finest states in the Union and we have nothing to apologize for. I was in the east recently on business and a man said to me: 'How are things out in that Bolshevik state?'
'I resent that sort of thing and I told this man so. I told him some things about what we are doing out here and what we are working for. I believe the farmers are entitled to work for the things they want in an orderly way and as good American citizens and when people who don't know what they're talking about call them 'Bolsheviks' I resent it.
'I know our governor personally and I tell you that there is not a better and squarer citizen anywhere than Governor Frazier.'
These are not remarks made by any League member or speaker; they are not made by any imported socialist or carpet-bagger speaker; they are not made by a non-resident sojourner in the state. THEY ARE MADE BY A resident of Grand Forks, John McManus, representative of the International Harvester Co., at a mill and elevator rally held at Grand Forks, Jan. 14, which was attended by 400 farmers and nearly as many Grand Forks business men.
JUST A SAMPLE
Mr. McManus' remarks are just a sample of the style of talks given that evening by such men as R. B. Griffith, proprietor of one of the leading department stores; P. A. McClerman, attorney; W. E. Small, manager of the St. Helene Lumber Co., and others. All included their remarks with the statement that they were not Nonpartisan Leaguers—but, they wanted that mill and elevator because it was good for them and for the city. Socialism is a bad thing for the state as a whole, but a little of it, applied locally to Grand Forks, is not unwelcome.
HAD EXPERT ON JOB.
Before these cool-headed business men warmed up over the mill proposition and became enthusiastic, they quietly employed an expert engineer to look over the field and tell them if the 'game were worth the candle.' His report set them going. The mill would add as much as \$35.00 an acre to the value of the farm land; it would be the nucleus around which other business would gather; it would mean a division of the immense business now going to the Twin Cities and the retention of it in North Dakota and Grand Forks. These were a few of the points that the expert engineer cited to his employers.
UNEXPECTED REVOLUTION
The change in sentiment was as complete as it was unexpected. It amounted almost to a revolution, overnight. The wind-up of the meeting evidenced this, when President A. C. Townley 'the best hated man' in the city of the state, addressed the meeting and was well received. He entered into the spirit of the meeting and offered men who have denounced him as their enemy and the enemy of the state, a chance to rid themselves of his activities; He said:
'If Jerry Bacon and others who have been fighting the Nonpartisan League program are ready to get behind the Nonpartisan League program, are ready to get behind it and boost it, I'll give a bond to stay out of the state.'
Grand Forks is having tremendous success in its campaign to sell state bonds and before the month is over will have sold its \$1,000,000 quota and be assured of the mill.

MANY SLEIGH RIDE PARTIES THIS WEEK

Several sleigh ride parties have been in evidence the last week in the line of social activities. Last Saturday evening a number of the young people of the city were entertained in this manner. After which a lunch was served and the guests attended the dance at the Orpheum.
Monday evening quite a number of the High School partook of this pleasure. Lunch was served at the City Cafe.
Wednesday evening the members of the Congregational Sunday school class were given a sleigh ride, after which the guests were taken to the Bolster home for an 'oyster stew.'
Friday evening some of the court house employees and a few of the young people were very pleasantly entertained in this way. A delicious lunch was served at the Christiansen home in this city, after which the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and music.

MEDICINE LAKE MAN DIES AT GLENDIVE

A telegram was received from Glendive, Montana, Thursday, the 4th, at Medicine Lake, stating that Andrew Munro, a well known farmer and resident of Medicine Lake, died at that place on February 3rd, but no details as to the cause of his death were received. The body will be forwarded to Medicine Lake and interred in the local cemetery.
Mr. Munro was a son-in-law of Mrs. Mary Umbreit of Medicine Lake, having married Mrs. Julia Munro, her daughter, in 1911. He leaves a wife and one son, a child about four years old.

MOVE EQUITY OFFICES TO 'COOPERATIVE CITY'

St. Paul, as the 'Cooperative City' has had an accession to its chain of co-operatives in the decision of the Minnesota State Union of the American Society of Equity to move its headquarters to that city. For the present they will be at 705 Pioneer Building. St. Paul now boasts that it harbors more and larger cooperative organizations than any other city in the country, as it is headquarters for the Equity Cooperative Exchange Company; the Cooperative Packing Company; the Cooperative Wholesale Society of America; the Equity Life Insurance Company; and now of the Equity Society which is formed to build up all kinds of cooperative endeavors.

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PETITION UNCLE SAM

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have been called upon to put so much into the railroads, we insist that they should be owned by the people and operated for the people. The time and conditions are ripe for public ownership.
'If you believe in these things, speak up; act now. Let your thought and your will be known in Washington.'
Under the caption 'Nerve' is a cartoon, representing Uncle Sam, as a big freight handler in overalls, being given orders by a small, silk-hatted, white-vested and spatted individual, labelled 'Private Ownership,' who says: 'Sam, get the railroads out of the hands of the people. He stands on the brink of chaos, into which has tumbled a mass of broken rails, locomotives and cars. Uncle Sam is carefully picking up the cars and setting them on the high ground.
Beneath the cartoon is the statement: 'Uncle Sam built the railroads in the first place with loans, land grants and concessions; he has kept them going by paying exorbitant rates, enduring poor service and bad labor conditions; and finally has had to invest over a billion dollars for betterments, raise wages and guarantee dividends in order to get effective service and a transportation system out of the wreckage wrought by private ownership. And now, after all this, the private interests came forward with the demand that the roads be handed back to them again. We call that NERVE!'
'It is time for the people to be heard.'

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DENOUNCE RED ROUNDUPS

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Recent roundups of radicals in Chicago were characterized as raids of terrorism, the purpose of which was to disrupt labor organizations, in a report approved by the Chicago Federation of Labor.

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Don't Have to Keep Track County Funds

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County Commissioners, assisted by Mr. Redmond and Mr. Ellery, and in this way Mr. Ellery could be paid without the same appearing on the records of the county.
There is no reason under the sun why these records should not be filed, but the reason that the county commissioners do not want the people to know what kind of a settlement was made. The refusal to make this settlement a part of the record is a confession of wrong doing on the part of the Board of County Commissioners. There is just one reason why the settlement is not filed and that is because of crooked work.
It is known that some of this grain has been deliberately stolen. We say it again. Some of this grain has been stolen. There is over \$20,000 owing to Sheridan county by the Montana & Dakota Elevator Company. The Montana & Dakota Elevator Company refuses to show their books to the authorities of Sheridan county.
Now, why?
The Board of County Commissioners went to great expense in hiring Mr. Hurd to come to Sheridan county to help them in refusing to file in the records of Sheridan county their final settlement; a record that the people have a right to have.
The case went right to bat. Judge Comer very reluctantly gave the county attorney until eight o'clock in the evening to read the answer of the commissioners and get ready for trial. After hearing the case the judge immediately, inside of a half hour filed his opinion denying the application for a writ. This is about the quickest decision ever rendered by Judge Comer.
In rendering the decision, Judge Comer did not touch upon any of the issues under discussion, but denied the writ upon grounds entirely outside of anything brought up in the arguments.
To effect Judge Comer's decision is that the county commissioner do not have to tell the taxpayers what the board does with the people's money.
It seems to be very difficult to get to the bottom of the graft that has taken place in Sheridan county and to put a stop to the thieving that is going on.
However, last year, when the war was going on, it was not difficult at all to get any kind of results desired, law or no law, constitution or no constitution, when it was desired to persecute innocent people of the county because of their political opinions.
New actions will be brought and other efforts will be made to find out who stole \$20,000 of the taxpayers' money.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

In the District Court of the Twentieth Judicial District of the State of Montana, In and For the County of Sheridan.
John W. Shelby, Plaintiff versus
Fred C. Conway, Sheridan County Oil & Gas Company, a corporation, Alfred T. Vollum, Ebby McKim, S. J. Greer, Albert L. Foley, sometimes known as Alfred L. Foley, Bertha M. Foley, as Guardian of the estate of Albert L. Foley, an incompetent, Defendants.
TO BE SOLD, at Sheriff's Sale, at the front door of the court house in the town of Plentywood, Sheridan County, Montana, on the 28th day of February A. D. 1920, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following described real estate, lying and being in the County of Sheridan, State of Montana, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-nine (Sec. 29) and the West Half (W 1/2) of the East Half (E 1/2) of Section Thirty-two (Sec. 32) Township Thirty-five (Twp. 35) North of Range Fifty-four (Rge. 54) East of the Montana Meridian.
JACK BENNETT, Sheriff of Sheridan County, Mont. By H. F. FEETHAM, Deputy Sheriff.
ONSTAD & GREER, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Plentywood, Montana. 43-44

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of WILLIAM J. STIVERS, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of William J. Stivers, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within Four Months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator, at the office of C. J. Cure, at Outlook, Montana, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sheridan.
Dated February 5, 1920.
M. E. HILL, Administrator of the Estate of William J. Stivers, Deceased. 43-44