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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

Two features are to be added to the Pioneer. Today a regular cartoon service from the pens of the brightest and best artists is inaugurated, and will be continued.

In addition, by means of special arrangement, a political column will appear at least twice weekly, the first making its appearance on Saturday of this week.

Correct information on politics—county and state—is of particular interest because of the coming campaign. The Pioneer is fortunate in having at its disposal the service of some of the most expert political writers in the state. It will strive to make this feature a strong one.

Mr. Roosevelt appears to have quite recovered from his vocal disorder.

Perhaps that cold blast from the north is another letter from John Lind to Frank Day.

Now that Governor Eberhart has experienced being sick he must know how the democrats feel.

The Hutchinson man who lost \$700 in one afternoon playing pool in Minneapolis, probably is willing to spell the game with an "L."

## A STRANGE STATEMENT.

This from the Ada Index: There is no doubt that more interest is taken in county option in Norman county than in any other issue of the campaign. Very little interest is taken in reapportionment, for this county has nothing to gain from redistricting.

It is interesting to learn that Norman county is not particularly interested in reapportionment. Add to this the fact that Ada is the home of A. H. Hanson who is willing—yea more than willing—to represent the sixty-first senatorial district in the next house of Minnesota legislature, and you have something to ponder over.

The pill prepared by the Index will have to be well coated before it is swallowed by northern Minnesota where reapportionment is of such vital importance that candidates for the state law making body are ready to pledge themselves in favor of the very issue which, if successful, must retire them to private life, because to redistrict means to do away with some offices.

The Red Lake Falls Gazette looks at it in this way:

The people of the northern part of the state do well to make much of reapportionment. The chances are that they will only be able to secure it by standing over the legislature with a club. Fine promises to be sure are made now. When complete census returns are in and it is seen as it will be seen, that a fair reapportionment means to all intents and purposes a political revolution.

Reapportionment looms too large for the ordinary individual to get in its path, much less a man seeking political favors.

## SEES MUCH GOOD IN THE "BEMIDJI PLAN"

There is printed in St. Paul and Minneapolis a publication known as the "Twin City Commercial Bulletin." It represents, and is backed by, the best commercial interests of the northwest. It is an authority in the world of business and as a result of the high standard which it has attained, occupies a commanding and powerful position among the periodicals of the country.

Therefore, when the "Commercial Bulletin" devotes editorial space to any subject that subject has to be one of importance. It is because of this that friends of the Northern Minnesota Development Association will be gratified to note that the work carried on by the Association, and particularly that line of work which was originated by a Bemidji man, W. R. Mackenzie, receives the following splendid endorsement by the Twin City publication:

"The coming legislative election presents an opportunity for the merchants of the state to join in doing patriotic work that will tend to their personal benefit as well as the general uplifting of the material interests of the communities of the commonwealth. The question simply is, will those who will be first and most benefited by the movement be fully

awake to the opportunities which lie at their door?"

"The Northern Minnesota Development Association seems to have struck the right pace in promoting a good cause. A merchant in one of the northern towns expresses his hearty approval of the plan pursued by the Development Association and predicts a substantial accomplishment in that section of Minnesota.

"He says that the association has sent out pledges to candidates for the next legislature, in which they promise to stand for reapportionment, good roads, rural consolidation of schools, aid for the immigration bureau, and state assistance for roads through state land.

"In return for his pledge, the candidate is given the support of the Development Association. The first of these pledges, said the merchant, were sent out August 7 and a number of replies were received by return mail.

"This promptness shows a commendable interest in the movement and especially in the matter of good roads, assistance for the immigration bureau and promotion for a system of road building throughout the state. The letters stated that the Development Association is doing good work and has a cordial support to the writers.

"Two meetings of the Development Association have already been held, the first at Bemidji, for organization, the second at Crookston, for planning the work. The third is appointed to be held December 1 and 2 at Brainerd, for action. The people of the section of the state which is involved in the movement of the Northern Minnesota Development Association have every reason to expect much benefit to all the communities.

"The same results could be gained by the spread of a similar movement which would cover all the counties and all the legislative districts of the state; why cannot it be undertaken and pushed vigorously? Why should not the merchants of Minnesota realize their opportunity? It is to be believed that generally the view will be entertained that there can be nothing that will so direct the energies and activities of the people in the direction which will do the state the greatest amount of good. Every merchant should feel himself appointed a committeeman to work for the welfare of Minnesota."

## SOO ROAD TO ENTER SUPERIOR

Wisconsin Railroad Commission Finally Grants Application.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 25.—The Soo road has been granted a certificate entitling it to build a line of road into Superior from its present terminal to the ore docks.

Competing roads in Superior brought continuous opposition to the company's application and railroad circles have been keyed up to a high pitch of expectancy over the commission's probable action in the matter.

The commission also granted a certificate to the Soo for the Pokagama Bay route, an extension of the present line to the site of the proposed plant of the United States Steel corporation.

## ENTERTAINED AT MILL CITY

Delegates to League of American Municipalities.

Minneapolis, Aug. 25.—This city is relieving St. Paul of the pleasure of entertaining the delegates to the convention of the League of American Municipalities.

The delegates left St. Paul in chartered cars, being taken through Fort Snelling reservation to Minnehaha park.

From there the party went direct to the city hall at Minneapolis, where an informal reception was held and the Mill City committee took charge of affairs for the day.

After an auto ride through some of the parks the delegates were taken to the workhouse grounds. Here the delegates investigated the workhouse and the municipal garbage incinerating plant. Luncheon was served in the workhouse dining hall.

After luncheon the delegates boarded chartered cars again for Lake Minnetonka, arriving at Big Island park at 4 o'clock, where a business session devoted to a discussion of the commission plan of city government was held.

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## BIG DECREASE IN BIRTH RATE SHOWN

Census Returns Indicate Sharp Fall in State of Minn.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Startling conclusions spring from an examination of the returns of the census of 1910, as far as the returns have come in, when compared with statistics of natural growth in former decades. The coming race suicide casts its shadow before; for the natural increase of the native born American is falling off to an alarming extent and another decade at this rate would put us in the class with France, whose decreasing population has been the burning question with the government there. In spite of all our natural resources and all the national and state aid to encourage an increase keeping step with former years the signs point to a dropping away of 50 per cent in internal increase of population from the records of former decades.

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## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat. Minneapolis, Aug. 24.—Wheat—Sept., \$1.09; Dec., \$1.11@1.11½; May, \$1.15. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.15; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10@1.11; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05@1.10; No. 3 Northern, \$1.02½@1.07.

St. Paul Live Stock. St. Paul, Aug. 24.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.25@5.75; fair to good, \$4.75@5.25; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.00@4.50; veals, \$5.50@6.75. Hogs—\$8.25@8.85. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.75@4.00; yearlings, \$4.25@4.75; spring lambs, \$5.25@6.00.

Duluth Wheat and Flax. Duluth, Aug. 24.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.12½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.12½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.07½@1.10; Sept., \$1.12½; Dec., \$1.12½; May, \$1.15. Flax—On track, in store, to arrive and Sept., \$2.45½; Oct., \$2.35; Nov., \$2.34; Dec., \$2.29½.

Chicago Grain and Provisions. Chicago, Aug. 24.—Wheat—Sept., 98½c; Dec., \$1.02½; May, \$1.08@1.08½. Corn—Sept., 60½c; Dec., 58c; May, 60½c. Oats—Sept., 34c; Dec., 36c; May, 39½c. Pork—Sept., \$21.15@21.75; Jan., \$18.20. Butter—Creameries, 24½@29c; dairies, 25@27c. Eggs—14½@22c. Poultry—Turkeys, 20c; chickens, 12½c; springs, 15½c.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Aug. 24.—Cattle—Beeves, \$5.00@8.50; Texas steers, \$3.75@6.00; Western steers, \$4.00@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.10@6.25; cows and heifers, \$2.65@6.25; calves, \$6.50@9.00. Hogs—Light, \$8.80@9.25; mixed, \$8.30@9.20; heavy, \$8.10@8.95; rough, \$8.10@8.30; good to choice heavy, \$8.30@8.95; pigs, \$9.00@9.50. Sheep—Native, \$2.50@4.65; yearlings, \$4.50@5.60; lambs, \$4.75@6.90.

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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcement. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for the office of County Commissioner of the first district of Beltrami county.

A. E. Rako.

Candidate for State Senate. I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for senator for the 61st district, unequivocally endorsing the platform adopted by the Republican con-



vention, June 21st, 1910 and pledge my vote and best effort to legislation that will reapportion the state justly and effectively on or before January 1st, 1912, and without regard to the term of office for which I

may be elected, should I be the choice of the Republicans of this district and be elected in the general election in November next. Albert Berg.

Announcement for Register of Deeds. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Beltrami county, to be held September 20, 1910.

J. O. Harris.

Candidate For County Auditor. To the voters of Beltrami county: I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of county auditor for Beltrami county, subject to your approval, at the republican primaries to be held September 20. If chosen I will do my best to fill the office to your satisfaction.

Henry W. Alsop.

Candidate for Clerk of the Court. I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of Clerk of the Court, to be voted upon at the primaries September 20, 1910.

Fred Rhoda.

Candidate For County Treasurer. I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Treasurer of Beltrami county at the primaries to be held September 20th.

G. H. French.

Candidate for Probate Judge. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for Probate Judge at the primaries to be held Sept. 20, 1910.

M. A. Clark.

ANNOUNCEMENT. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for register of deeds of Beltrami county as the primaries to be held September 20, 1910.

I. B. Olson.

Announcement. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of County Auditor of Beltrami county at the primaries to be held September 20th, 1910.



Announcement. I hereby announce myself as a republican candidate for Representative of the 61st district at the primaries to be held September 20, 1910. If nominated and elected I pledge the people of this district to support their demands. I am for reapportionment and good roads.

Respectfully, Iver A. Krohn.

Announcement. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of County Superintendent of Schools of Beltrami county subject to the primaries to be held September 20th, 1910.

W. B. Stewart.

County Surveyor. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for County Surveyor of Beltrami county at the primaries September 20th.

Roy Bliier.

Announcement. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer for Beltrami county on the Republican ticket at the primary election, September 20, 1910.

L. O. Opsata.

Candidate for Senator. I wish to announce through the columns of your paper that I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for state senator from this legislative district at the coming primary election. I will make known at some later date the platform upon which I will solicit the support of

the voters of the district. A. L. Hanson.

Announcement for Coroner. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for coroner of Beltrami county at the primaries to be held September 20 1910.

M. E. Ibertson.

Candidate For County Attorney. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county attorney of Beltrami county, subject to the primaries to be held September 20th, 1910.

G. W. Campbell.

Candidate For County Commissioner, First District. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of County Commissioner of the first commissioner district of Beltrami county.

I respectfully solicit the support of the voters of the first district.

W. G. Schroeder.

Announcement. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the Republican nomination to the office of county attorney at the primaries to be held September 20. If chosen, I will do my best to fill the office to your satisfaction.

Chester McKusick.

A. B. Hazen Candidate for Sheriff. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff of Beltrami county



at the primary election to be held September 20, 1910, and I solicit your vote at the polls.

A. B. Hazen

Sheriff of Beltrami County.

Announcement For County Auditor. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomi-

nation for auditor of Beltrami county at the primary election to be held September 20th, 1910, and I solicit your vote of the polls. John Wilmann.

Candidate for Sheriff. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff of Beltrami county at the primaries September 20th.

I respectfully solicit the support of the voters of this county.

Andrew Johnson.

Announcement. I hereby announce my candidacy as a candidate for the Republican nomination as a member of the house of representatives from the 61st senatorial district which comprises the counties of Beltrami, Clearwater and Red Lake. If nominated and elected I pledge myself to use all my efforts to secure the re-districting of the state, a one mill tax for good roads, a liberal appropriation to advertise the resources of Minnesota and a county option law.

D. P. O'Neill.

Announcement. I hereby announce myself as candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the republican ticket at the primaries held Sept. 20, 1910.

A. N. Benner.

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