

About The City

LEST WE FORGET
In case of fire call 349.

Trainmen's annual dance, in City hall, New Year's night.

The Bemidji public schools will resume classes January 4.

Minnesota's 1915 state fair will be held September 6 to 11.

Beltrami county's next term of court will convene on Tuesday, February 9.

The first meeting of the new board of county commissioners will be held Monday, January 4. The chairman will be named.

The 1915 convention of the North-Central Minnesota Educational association will be held in this city, February 11, 12 and 13.

"The Cavaliers" will appear in Bemidji January 15. This is a Red-path attraction and comes here under the auspices of the Woman's Study club.

The 1915 summer meeting of the N. M. D. A. will be held at Coleraine, June 10 and 11. The winter convention will be held in Bemidji next December.

Basketball Tuesday evening, "Big Bemidji" against the Minneapolis Independents. On Thursday and Friday the St. Cloud C. C.'s will play here. Everybody's going.

It is the effort of the publishers of the Pioneer to make the local columns of the paper of much interest to its readers. In this they cannot be successful without assistance, and every news item, no matter if seemingly of trifling consequence, phoned to 31, is appreciated.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Clifford Ward of Benedict is spending the holidays with his parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fuller of Crookston are the guests of their daughter Mrs. E. F. Netzer.

Frances Bowers and Myrtle Shafer of town of Eckles, were business visitors in the city Thursday.

Mrs. E. G. Marfel of Minneapolis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Shellfoo of Norton avenue for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Tuomy entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Robinson at dinner at the Markham last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krenz of Bemidji avenue entertained Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marcum at Christmas dinner.

Mrs. John Abercrombie of this city went to International Falls Thursday, where she will visit relatives for two weeks.

Gus Melges, formerly of this city but now in the real estate business in Minneapolis, was the guest of Bemidji friends yesterday.

Stewart's grocery will be closed all day Christmas.—Adv.

Grand Theatre

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

TONIGHT ONLY

The Potter and the Clay

A two part Kalem in which a woman's revenge is spoiled by her own daughter.

Hearst-Selig News Pictorial

All the late war news and other interesting events.

The Untarnished Shield (Lubin)

The second of "The Beloved Adventure" series featuring Arthur Johnson.

The Tall of Hicks and The Plumber's Picnic

Two good comedies

Admission 5c and 10c

TUESDAY: Kelcey and Shannon in "After the Ball". Six reels of thrills, tears and cheers. Matinee at 3 P. M.

Bert Jamison of Walker, judge of probate of Cass county, was in Bemidji Christmas eve, being the guest of relatives while here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Netzer had as their dinner guests yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fuller of Crookston and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sathre of Dewey avenue, entertained Mrs. O. H. Sonstrud and daughters Caroline, Ava and Ella at Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hoganson had as their Christmas dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoganson and children, and Messrs Lee and Odegard.

One of these days you ought to go to Hakkerrup's and have your picture taken.—Adv.

Miss Ruth Wentworth, the teacher at Buena Vista, went to Blackduck yesterday where she will visit her parents during the Christmas vacation.

George Klein of Turtle River was in the city today on business. Mr. Kline took up his duties as postmaster Thursday, succeeding Nels Osterstad.

Mr. and Mrs. James French went to Blackduck Thursday, where they spent Christmas day with their son Edwin. They returned to Bemidji today.

Have your furniture repaired at the bargala store, first class work at reasonable prices.—Adv.

Miss Annie Werner, who is employed at the Carlson Variety store, is spending the Christmas holidays, the guest of her parents at Pine City, Minnesota.

Mrs. Charles Dickenson and daughter Cora of Island Lake, were in Bemidji Friday, enroute to Solway, where they will visit relatives for a short time.

County Attorney and Mrs. G. M. Torrance had as their Christmas dinner guests Messrs. Clayton C. Cross of this city and his brother Sherwood Cross of Winnipeg.

Omnibus to all trains, afternoon and night. Phone 355-58. Night: Call 104. Bunker.—Adv.

Mrs. John Goodman had as her dinner guests at the Markham last evening Mrs. W. B. Stewart of this city and Miss Florence Grimoldby of Virginia, Minnesota.

Miss Mary Randolph of Blackduck was in the city Friday. From here she went to Boy River where she will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joe Anderson until Monday.

Miss Myrtle White of Cavalier, North Dakota, is visiting at the home of her parents in town of Northern during the Christmas holidays. Miss White teaches school in Cavalier.

Miss Christine A. Bartol, who teaches school at Neely's siding was in Bemidji yesterday enroute to Lengby, Minnesota, where she will visit relatives during the holidays.

Make more money by preparing for a position at Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.—Adv.

Many Bemidji persons took advantage of the elaborate Christmas menu at the Markham hotel last evening and as a consequence several dinner parties were given there, nearly one hundred being served.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gill entertained at six o'clock Christmas dinner at Hotel Markham yesterday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Segal and daughters, A. Segal, and Miss Rose Cone of Superior, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cochran entertained at six o'clock dinner last evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. LaBaw, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenfield, Mr. and Mrs. William Chiechester and George Cochran, Jr. of Bena.

Forty acres of good cord wood stumpage for sale see ad 29147-33. Inquire of O. J. Weekly, 1207 Beltrami avenue or Gully Minnesota.—adv.

Miss Jessamine Gould, a teacher in the Warren public schools and her sister, Miss Etta Gould, a student at the Madison university, formerly of this city, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dempsey during the Christmas holidays.

Archdeacon H. F. Parshall of Cass Lake, was in attendance at the Christmas program given by the Sunday school class of the Episcopal church yesterday afternoon. The affair was one of the largest ever held by the church and was very successful.

We mean YOU when we say "Save part of your income and deposit it regularly in the Northern National Bank." It will earn you 4 per cent annually.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McDonald and little daughter Marion of Winthrop, are the guests of Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald of Dewey avenue. Mr. McDonald will remain for two or three weeks and Mrs. McDonald and daughter will remain until Easter.

Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Stanton, of Bemidji avenue, had as their dinner guests yesterday Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. George Strickland, Attorney E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls, Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker, Judge C. W. Stanton and H. Mayne Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kenfield of Lake Boulevard, entertained at two

o'clock Christmas dinner yesterday. It being their 25 wedding anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Brooks and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kenfield, Earl Cochran, and Mr. and Mrs. Thacher of Seattle, Washington. The decorations used were sent from Alabama, by Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kenfield of Cass Lake, who are spending the winter there and consisted of holly, mistletoe, magnolia, a branch covered with miniature oranges, and a number of other Christmas greens which grow in that state.

N. J. Case has purchased the Henriette Grocery on 8th and Irvine Ave., and extends a cordial welcome to all patrons. A complete line of groceries, cigars, school supplies, etc. always on hand.—Adv.

"Uncle" James Winebrenner of Dewey avenue has a dozen this year's pullets, which have been laying eggs very regularly since the cold weather. Yesterday, which was the coldest day we have had so far this year, was their record breaking day, and they laid nine eggs. "If anyone has pullets to beat mine, let them trot them out," said "Uncle" Winebrenner. Mr. Winebrenner has been quite a hunter in his day and Mrs. Winebrenner is wearing a set of beautiful furs which she had made this winter from a Michigan black bear, which Mr. Winebrenner shot thirty years ago. The hide, which was tanned shortly after the bear was killed, was in perfect condition according to the Chicago furrier who prepared the set. The fur is a jet black and exceptionally fine and glossy.

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WOMAN IN OPIUM SMUGGLING

Five Men Under Arrest in Connection With Suspected Plot. New York, Dec. 26.—Five men, including several sailors, are under arrest here in connection with the uncovering of what the federal authorities believe is a wholesale opium smuggling plot. It was stated that a woman, declared to be the head of a conspiracy, is on the steamer Baltic, now nearing England, and that a wireless message has been sent to the White Star liner and a cablegram to the Scotland Yard authorities looking toward her arrest in Liverpool. She is said to have \$200,000 worth of opium with her, which she and others found they could not smuggle into this country owing to the discovery of the plot.

FREIGHT RATES INCREASED

Three Steamship Lines Agree on Raise in Charges. San Francisco, Dec. 26.—An increase in freight rates was agreed on by three lines of steamships plying between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. The new scale will go into effect Dec. 30 and will be adopted by the Luckenbach Steamship company, W. R. Grace & Co. and the American-Hawaiian line.

ACQUITTED ON FIRST COUNT

Joseph Fish, Wealthy Chicagoan, Was Charged With Conspiracy. Chicago, Dec. 26.—Joseph Fish, wealthy public fire insurance adjuster, charged with conspiracy, was acquitted by a jury in a few minutes. Fish was charged with having conspired in 1909 with David Korshak, a confessed starter of incendiary fires, to cause fires for which Fish would act as insurance adjuster. Fourteen more indictments are pending against Fish and it is said he will be placed on trial again in a few days.

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CARRANZA WILL NOT QUIT MEXICO

Notifies Washington Agency to Deny Reports.

PAYS VISIT TO HIS TROOPS

Says He Found His Soldiers "In High Spirits and Eager to Assume the Offensive Against Reactionaries."

Washington, Dec. 26.—General Carranza has no intention of leaving Mexico, according to a telegram received at the Carranza agency here from Apizaca, a small town northeast of Puebla. In addition to requesting his representatives to deny all such reports the message says: "I am still in a town of Apizaca, visiting the camps of our troops and finding them in high spirits and eager to assume the offensive against the reactionaries. Necessities of the campaign demand that I visit the lines of operation so that I may become acquainted with the necessities of their movements and keep in close touch with their movements."

A dispatch to the state department says Carranza is reported to have reached Cordoba, on the line between Vera Cruz and Mexico City. His troops, it is added, have taken live stock and other articles at Orizaba and other places along the railway. A dispatch from Mexico City says that General Villa has taken a house there and will remain there indefinitely.

SUPPLY VILLA WITH MONEY

People of Guadalajara Raise Fund of Million Pesos. El Paso, Tex., Dec. 26.—Julian C. Medina, a blacksmith, has been appointed governor of the state of Jalisco by General Francisco Villa, according to advices reaching here from Guadalajara, the capital. Miguel Diezuez, the Carranza appointee, who was deposed when Villa forces captured Guadalajara recently, was a carpenter. During his recent visit to Guadalajara General Villa sought the loan of 1,000,000 pesos from the people of the state. The major part of this sum, it is said, will be supplied by the church party, which is gratified over Villa's action in reopening the churches, which had been closed by the Carranza governor. General Villa, according to reports received here, addressed the business men of Guadalajara at a mass meeting regarding the loan and told them that if the convention judgment does not obtain funds it cannot exist for another year. He predicted that if funds are not raised another French revolution will result and men such as he was addressing might fall by the knife or the guillotine. The business men are contributing to the fund. It is said.

THINKS HOUSE WILL KILL IT

Underwood Believes Woman Suffrage is Certain of Defeat. Washington, Dec. 26.—Democratic Leader Underwood predicted that when the proposed constitutional amendment for woman suffrage reached a vote in the house it would be defeated probably by a two-thirds vote. "I shall vote against it and so will most of the Democrats in the house," said Mr. Underwood. "The party, by caucus action, has gone on record holding that woman suffrage, like prohibition, is a state issue and not a national question. It is a question for the states themselves to act upon and not for congress."

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