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Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, preceded by unsettled weather in east portion of state tonight.

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## SPEAKER ASKS CONSERVATION OF CHILDHOOD

Interested Audiences Hear Darius A. Brown Deliver Important Message

### WOULD HAVE CHILDREN'S HOMES OPENED TO NEEDY

Declares Nation Has Vital Problems to Be Solved in Immediate Future

Whether a man or woman connected in any way with the fraternal or not, it was evident from the faces of all at the two meetings addressed by Darius A. Brown on the conservation of childhood that he had earned attention and interest. His message was one that affected every home in the nation and therefore contained a personal message to all who heard him.

For an hour and a quarter in the afternoon he gave his hearers a great human message, relating the great dangers which are lurking about for ruining the boys and girls of the nation, telling of the need of conserving the child life of the nation and pointing out the method adopted by the great fraternal, under whose auspices he spoke, to give to the unfortunate boys and girls, who were deprived of the shelter and instruction of a home, a substitute as nearly as possible perfect, in the development of every side of the child's nature.

"We have capacity in our present Mooseheart for 5,000 children when all the buildings are completed as planned, but our hope is to have a Mooseheart not only in Illinois but one in the South, another in the East, one in the West and another in the North, and our dream finally is to be able to throw down the bars to the children of the nation and see that not only every child of a departed brother Moose but every needy child in the nation is given an education and a trade in life," said Mr. Brown, "and by an education we mean the physical, mental, moral and spiritual development of the child."

## POLICE SEARCHING FOR FAKE HOTEL PROMOTER

(By United Press)  
Minneapolis, Oct. 17.—Minneapolis police today were searching for L. L. Jennings, hotel proprietor, who claims to have been a partner of "Cy Thompson." Jennings is wanted to answer for swindling three persons out of \$75. Posing as joint owner of a hotel at Austin and also of the famous Oakdale farms, Jennings is said to have interested victims in a proposed hotel at Chateau Thierry.

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## KELLIHER WOODSMAN KILLS SELF WITH GUN

Chris Hovie, about 30 years of age, was found dead in his shack, about five miles northwest of Kelliher Saturday forenoon by an employee of the Larson Brothers cedar yards, who went into that vicinity to check up on the cedar which Hovie was cutting for that company. Unable to find Hovie at work, he went to the shack and there found the laborer lying on the floor dead.

County Coroner H. N. McKee was summoned at once, and after investigating the circumstances surrounding Hovie's death, pronounced it a case of suicide. Near the body was found a single-barrel shotgun and two unexploded shells, which were loaded with bullets. Judging from the position of the fatal wound, and from the position of the gun and the body on the floor, County Coroner McKee believes that Hovie sat on the edge of the bed, leaned over the muzzle of the loaded gun and fired the shot which ended his life. The bullet entered the center of the man's chest and went out through his back, slightly to the left of center. Directly in line with the wound, considering that the body was in that position when the shot was fired, was a bullet hole through the roof of the shack.

## TOUR TO GRYGLA REGION PLANNED FOR THURSDAY

Number of Cars to Leave Here Thursday Morning, Return Friday Afternoon

The trip into the Grygla district and towns northwest of there, which was planned for last Thursday, was postponed until Thursday of this week. On Thursday, October 20, it is planned to have a number of auto loads leave here early in the morning to make the trip into that territory.

## FINAL INSPECTION OF STREETS IS DUE SOON

The third and final trip of the judges selected by the Woman's Civic and Community to decide upon which street or avenue has made the greatest improvement in appearance during the summer, will be made in a day or so. Upon this inspection will depend where the cup, donated last year to Irvine avenue, will go this year.

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## SOLDIER STUDENTS MAY ORGANIZE FARM COLONY

Tentative Plan Calls for Group of 100 to Form Colony in Northern Minnesota

Soldier students of the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota are considering a Northern Minnesota land colonization project recommended to them by Principal D. D. Mayne of the school of agriculture at University Farm, and Charles Bowe, agricultural director for the tenth district under the United States Veterans' Bureau.

The matter was presented to the veterans at a formally called meeting in the assembly hall at University Farm. Albert Determen, representing the college of agriculture; Knute Lohberg, representing the school of agriculture; Oscar J. Jacobson, representing the "vestibule" school, and Kenneth Law and George Carlson, representatives at large, were named as a committee to investigate the proposition.

## EDUCATORS TO OPEN SESSIONS HERE THURSDAY

Program at Armory Thursday Night Opens Three-Day Division Convention

The first convention of the Northern Division of the Minnesota Education association is to open here Thursday evening at 8 o'clock with an appropriate program at the new armory. The main sessions of the three-day convention are to be held in the armory, while the other meetings will be held at the State Teachers college and at the Methodist church.

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