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We are much obliged for all those nice summer days—just passed.

I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 30, has been transferred from Northwood to Anita and Editor Lang is N. G. Good boy.

A bible trust is the latest, all the leading manufacturers have combined. We have a small one, thanks.

Two legal holidays for February, Abraham Lincoln's birthday on the 12th and George Washington's on the 22d.

A big strike of the Paris exposition carpenters involving 5,000 men, is now on, and unless soon adjusted, will greatly effect the big exposition.

Brigham H. Roberts is ousted from Washington and returns to Utah a sad, but wiser man. The vote for expulsion was 278 to 50.

The remains of 199 of Uncle Sam's brave soldiers have just arrived from the Philippines and await the order of their relatives. They are at the Presidio in San Francisco, and five are from North Dakota.

The Kentucky legislature has passed the high hat law, which forbids ladies wearing same in theaters. Hope don't need that law; the ladies here are very good about removing their hats in the opera house.

The Boars are still gaining ground at a rapid rate and England naturally feels blue. The British loss on the 25th, ult., in one battle, is reported at 15,000 killed, wounded and missing. After the battle the British grounds resembled a plowed wheat field. Ladysmith will be abandoned in order to save lives.

Grand Forks Herald: A. DeLacy Wood, the famous promoter of country newspapers in Minnesota and North Dakota, pleaded guilty in the Minneapolis police court recently to drunkenness and was sentenced to the workhouse for ninety days. When his name was called he jumped up and in an excited manner shook a certificate at the court, saying it was a case where one judge appeared against another, but no attention was paid to the remark.

Wood was founder of the Finley Golden Slope, but the Slope is in good hands now.

A special from Manila, dated the 26, ult., says: The war in the Philippines is over. No further surrender can be hoped for. The danger in the present situation is that a bloody feud may arise between the American army and the Filipinos. This danger can be greatly lessened by action by congress, which is now imperative, outlining the policy of the Philippines. It is likely that many insurgents are still holding out for the very terms which congress will be willing to give. The time is ripe for a conciliatory policy, allowing the Filipinos to have some say as to the nature of the government under which they will be obliged to live.

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NOXIOUS WEED LAW
Is All Right, and Must Be Enforced, Says Judge Pollock.

Saturday's Fargo Forum says: Judge Pollock today decided the case of the state of North Dakota vs. Christian Messner, which involved the constitutionality of Article 16, Chapter 22, (Section 1683, etc.) of the Revised Codes, commonly known as the "Noxious Weed Law." The defendant was a road overseer of the town of Durbin, and was fined \$50 by Justice of the Peace Geary under section 1686, for failing to comply with the provisions of the above chapter which requires the overseers of highways to see to it that all noxious weeds are destroyed in his district at the times and in the manner provided by the board of county commissioners. Defendant Messner was represented by Messrs. Ball, Watson & Macley, who contend that the act is unconstitutional, because:

First—It imposes an unjust burden upon the road overseer.

Second—That statute delegates legislative power to the board of county commissioners.

Third—The statute is special legislation.

These questions were all raised by a demurrer to the plaintiff's complaint and were opposed by Fred B. Morrill, state's attorney, who appeared for the state.

The court overruled the demurrer thus holding the law to be constitutional.

The question disposing of noxious weeds is a very important one to the people of the state and the action was brought largely for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the act.

The act provides under section 1685 that all cost of destroying noxious weeds shall be charged against the owners of the land upon which the weeds are grown, in the event of his failing to destroy them himself and judgment may be secured upon suit being brought, which "shall be declared a first lien on the land to be enforced either by sale or as taxes on the land are collected at the option of the court."

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Our fine weather has caught a severe cold.

A few of the young folks from this neighborhood attended the dance at Hope last Friday night.

E. M. Fuller is hauling lumber for an addition to his barn. He expects two car loads of mules from Missouri some time in February.

Sam Detree took a load of hogs to Hope for W. D. Pope one day last week.

Owing to the bad weather only a few were present at the party at R. A. Pope's last Wednesday night.

Hope must expect to keep cool next summer, judging from the amount of ice that is being hauled from the Fuller lake.

Tom Headington had better have his life insured.

Jim Pope is seen over northwest quite often of late. Wonder what it all means?

The teacher in No. 1 school walked to Hope last Saturday facing that gentle breeze.

W. T. McKinnie and Frank Keith, both Missouri boys, will soon return to North Dakota. Leith will bring two car loads of mules with him. The boys will operate a farm the coming season. They think there is no place just like North Dakota, and they are quite right.

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COLGATE
The oyster supper at Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rosh's Friday night, was a pleasant affair and everybody had a good time.

Tom Rily has gone south.

G. W. Foster arrived home from St. Paul on Monday.

David Hoegg froze his face quite badly while hauling wood, on Saturday last.

Mrs. Thos. Dorrance's mother has returned to Colgate again.

C. E. Davis don't like Fargo and Moorhead weather.

Geo. King came home from Fargo sick, as usual.

The Crum girl is improving nicely since the operation and Dr. Philip is voted by all, a good doctor.

Geo. King crows a heap about those roosters he got at Hope. Can't tell which makes the most racket.

I. H. Brakke complains about something bothering his chicken coop.

Colgate appears to be dead and buried—since "Jane" kicked the old man's face off, over the telephone wire.

Tom Dornes is fitting his trotter out for the Hope races in July.

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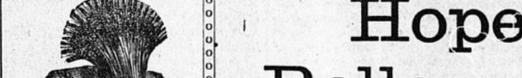
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