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WILLISTON, WILLIAMS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1906.

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Republican Rally Tuesday Evening

Republican Rally Will be Held in Court Room
Next Tuesday Evening---Hon. H. R. Turner
and Gen. E. A. Williams Will Speak---
Program Being Prepared.

A Republican Rally will be held in the court room next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. There will be presented as speakers, Hon. H. R. Turner of Fargo and Gen. E. A. Williams, of Bismarck. These gentlemen rank among the best speakers in the state and have taken a most active part in its development from the early days up to the present time. Each and every citizen in the county should be especially interested in Gen. Williams. He is the man after whom this glorious county of ours was named and he is just as good as the

county that bears his name. He is Surveyor General of North Dakota, has been the leading spirit in irrigation work in this state and was chairman of the recent Republican convention at Jamestown. He is recognized as one of the most entertaining and forceful speakers in the northwest and you should be sure to hear him. Besides the speeches by Hon. Turner and Gen. Williams there will be addresses by local parties. A musical program is also being prepared. Attend this rally and you will never be sorry.

Coal Shute Crushes Boy

Myron Haines, a 17 Year Old Boy is
Crushed Between Engine and Coal
Shute---Boy Dies

Myron Haines, an eighteen year old boy employed by the Great Northern was severely crushed between the cab of an engine and one of the shutes on the coal shed Friday morning at two o'clock. Both legs were badly crushed. The doctors were summoned and the boy was carried to the depot. There the legs were attended to after which the boy was taken up town. An operation was performed but it did not save the young man's life and he died Friday afternoon. The boys folks live at Mabel, Minn. but he had an uncle living at Hesper, N. D. and he came to the city to look after the remains. The body was shipped the first of the week to Hesper for burial.

According to reports the engine had pulled up to the shed to coal up. Haines was on the tender working with the shute. After getting coal the shute was pushed up and Haines gave the signal to back up. As the engine backed up the shute dropped back and he was caught between it and the cab of the engine. The shutes are hung some way on a balance and whether it was out of working order or whether Haines did not shove it up high enough we are unable to learn.

Asphyxiated In Elevator

Manager of Elevator is Overcome by
Gasoline Gas---Found Two
Hours Later

Manager Pope, of the new elevator had a close call Friday afternoon when he became asphyxiated from gasoline gas. Mr. Pope was working at his desk and after a while became aware that he was not feeling just

right. He got up and tried to open the window but it being stuck he went to the door. The door did not open very easily and not being able to get it open he started back to the window. By this time he was very weak and fell several times on his way across the room. Upon reaching the window he made several attempts to raise it but did not succeed so started across the room again, making for the door. He only got about half way across when he fell and he was found on the floor a couple of hours later by parties entering the office. Dr. Dochterman was called at once and he was removed to the hospital. The doctor worked over him there for some time and soon had Mr. Pope on the road to recovery.

Buys Stock Farm

A deal was made recently whereby James Heffernan becomes the owner of the R. H. Styles ranch, located some twenty miles east of Williston. This is reported to be one of the best stock farms in this section of the state.

Will Handle Coal and Wood

H. V. Smith of This City will Open Up
Coal and Wood Yard Monday

H. V. Smith of this city has decided to open up a coal and wood yard and will be ready to take orders Monday. He will have his office for the present with E. C. Carney. Mr. Smith has secured the out put of the Ole Bryn mine and will handle the entire out put of coal from there during the coming winter. Besides handling the lignite Mr. Smith intends handling hard coal and will have a supply on hand in the near future. Up to the present time it has been impossible to get hard coal in the city and people wanting to burn it will be pleased to learn that Mr. Smith will carry this coal as well as the home product. He will also handle dry split

wood. As soon as possible he will have sheds erected upon a suitable location and will put in a good supply of coal. Thus during the winter people will be able to get good dry fuel. Williston has been without a coal and wood office up to the present time and people will appreciate the fact that they will be able in the future to phone in their coal orders and have them promptly filled.

Band Concert Monday Eve

Williston Band Will Give Concert next
Monday Night---Excellent Program prepared

The Williston Concert Band will give a concert in the court room next Monday evening, commencing at eight thirty. Mrs. B. L. Hardaway will assist in the concert, giving several vocal selections. Mrs. Hardaway's singing is always a source of pleasure to her audiences and she will be of great assistance in making the program one of the best given by local talent.

The band has been working diligently under Prof. Onstad's leadership, and the program is the best they have ever prepared. You must be sure and attend or you will miss a musical treat. The following is the program:

- 1 March, "Brooks Chicago Marine Band" Sietz
- 2 Intermezzo..... Russe
- 3 Waltz, "Wedding of the Winds".....Hall
- 4 Vocal Solo, "Bonnie Sweet Bessie".....Gilbert
Mrs. B. L. Hardaway
- 5 Violin Solo, (a) "Serenata".....Meszkowski
(b) "Legende".....Wieniawski
A. Onstad
- 6 Cornet Solo, "Scenes that are
Brightest".....Round
C. Edwin Davis
- 7 Vocal Solo, "Answer" (Violin Obl.
ligato).....Robyn
Mrs. B. L. Hardaway
- 8 Descriptive Overture, "A Trip to
the Farm".....Hoff
- 9 Grand Selection, (Faust).....Gounod
- 10 "Chicago Tribune".....Chambers

Town Sites Are Contested

Contests are Filed Against Townsites
in Fort Berthold Indian Reservation

A sensation in land circles has been caused by the filing of numerous contests against townsites in the old Fort Berthold Indian Reservation. The contests were started by F. A. Powers and twelve others, all of Towner. They are represented by Attorney M. A. Brennan of Devils Lake and base the contests on the fact the department of the Interior erroneously allowed entries, other than actual land entries, as provided by congress within the limits of the reservation. The townsites of Ross, Stanley, Shaffer, Plaxa, Palermo and Donnybrook have been contested. These lands have been scripped and the townsites claim that this was contrary to the law.

Contests on other lands such as desert entries, timber and stone claims are being filed in both this land office and the one at Minot. According to the claims of the Towner parties commuted proofs, upon which only \$1.25 per acre was paid were not according to the law. Claim holders throughout the Berthold reservation are greatly

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MEN'S FURNISHINGS

It is time for cold weather wear. Our men's and boys furnishing dept is the largest in town. You can save money by buying your winter furnishings here. Our goods always please.

Sheep lined coats

We carry the largest line of men's and boy's sheep-lined coats in Williston.

A large assortment in brown and grey duck and corduroy. Either in regular or three quarter lengths with large sheep skin storm collars.

Also a large line of sheep skin lined corduroy Ulsters.

Men's Underwear

This is an important item just now. We are showing a large line of ribbed and flat woolens in natural gray, pink, and fancy colors. Also a fine line of cotton and wool fleeced.

Prices ranging from 85 cents to \$3.25 per suit.

Sweaters

We just received a large and nobby line of men's fancy sweaters. Just the thing for hunting, in all colors.

Winter foot wear

Never before did we have such large and well selected line of winter foot ware.

Our line of Good Seal and Boston rubber goods is complete.

Mittens

Our line of men's and boy's mittens is now complete in every way, in all styles and grades from 25 cents to \$2.00 per pair.

Over Coats

Men's ratified overcoats with the Kersey Shell at \$55.00 \$65.00 and 75.00.

Men's fur trimmed, plush lined overcoats at \$25.00.

Men's and boys caps now here.

Bruegger Mercantile Co.

NEW FALL GOODS AT LOW PRICES

Greengard Bros. Clothing store will be a popular place to trade this fall. We have taken great care to get the best and most up to date line of clothing money can buy. Our stock is the largest we have ever carried; Our showings are well assorted and we are carrying styles that will please everyone.

Overcoats, and Fall Suits, of the famous ADLER'S Collegian Make, Made for Young and Old, at Greengard's
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