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A Difference

The old saying that it makes a great deal of difference whose ox is gored still holds good. Just recently "Our Peaceful Theodore" has been pushing a case against a Wisconsin newspaper man for libel. It occurs to us that we have read some speeches of the ex-president, in which the words "liar," "cheat," "coward," "crook" and a few other choice phrases were used. We presume that the Colonel has been pushing this suit just to prove that he has all the libel phrases and words copyright-ed.

Does Tariff Affect Wages

Duluth Nws-Tribune: Eugene N. Foss is the democratic governor of Massachusetts. He once was a republican. But he decided that the protective tariff was an iniquitous affair which robbed the many for the benefit of the few, while incidentally the way to office was not open to him in that party.

So he became a democrat on the tariff issue. He was more than a tariff revisionist, he was practically a free trader. He made this campaign issue and won. He won again on the same contention. Now the tariff is being revised in a way that largely fulfills his ideals.

He is to have his returns. He has his chance to prove that the manufacturers of this country do not need government protection, that they are

big enough, strong enough and rich enough to stand without favors.

But Governor Foss is also a manufacturer and his employees recently decided they must have a twenty per cent increase of wages. Speaking for his company he refused this and his refusal was put on significant grounds. He said:

"The request comes at a peculiarly inopportune time, when the industries of the country are seeking to adjust themselves to the impending change in the tariff policy of the national government. There are few, if any industries, which at this juncture are in a position to incur an increased expense by making a substantial advance in wages."

So the employees struck, 1,200 of them, and Mr. Foss closed the factory. As a free trader he finds that a protective tariff is essential to permit wages to keep pace with the cost of living and that advance in the kind of living which has been the America wage model.

It is now Secretary Redfield's part to put in operation his declared intention to investigate any manufacturer who used the new tariff as an excuse for regulating wages. Governor Foss offers him a distinguished subject.

Battle The Flies

The North Dakota Health Bulletin contains the following:—As the cold weather of winter has passed and stands bowing to the graceful entrance of spring and warm weather, we rejoice in beholding nature take on her new mantle and gaze with admiring eyes at the new growth of things beautiful, but at the same time we should not forget that with this change of season comes our common enemy—the fly. This is the most dangerous insect known to man. They are the filthiest of all vermin—they are born in filth, live in filth and carry filth around with them. They are capable of carrying millions of disease germs and leave some of these wherever they alight. They may and actually do infect the very food you eat and it is surprising that there is not more sickness than there is when we realize that they come to your kitchen or to your dining room fresh from the cuspidor, where, perhaps, sputum from tubercular people is deposited—from the privy vault, where colon bacillus and the germ of typhoid make their home—and from other breeding places as the garbage can, manure pile, from decaying vegetable matter, or from the cantagious sick room—with their feet and bodies laden with the virus of disease which is deposited in milk and upon food only to be injected into the unwary human body and still this contamination escapes recognition owing to its microscopical appearance. Carried into the body, then, it is capable of setting up such diseases as Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diptheria, Tuberculosis and other infectious diseases.

A clean home is the fly's worst enemy. There he perishes for want of filth. It is most essential, therefore, that the home and its surroundings be kept scrupulously clean and sanitary. Allow no filth or decaying matter of any kind to accumulate on or near your premises. Sprinkle kerosine over contents of privy vaults, keep garbage receptacles tightly covered; clean the cans every day, and the boxes at least every week. See that all manure is removed at least once a week—by so doing you will eliminate the breeding places. To get rid of this pest, screen your doors, windows and porches. Screen all food especially milk. Do not allow them to come into contact with the baby's bed, his bottle or comforter. Catch them as fast as they appear. Use liquid poisons, sticky fly papers, fly swatters and traps.

A good fly poison can be made by using one pint of milk, one pint of water, one tablespoonful of formaldehyde, one tablespoonful of sugar. Saturate small squares of bread and place in a shallow dish using the precaution that it is beyond the reach of children and animals. This is a simple mixture but it will kill flies by the thousands.

As in most matters of sanitation and hygiene, cleanliness is the watchword. Make your backyard correspond with that beautiful lawn in front.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends and parties who so kindly assisted us upon the death and burial of our beloved father.

Hattie Tuman.
Nora Tuman.
Waven Tuman.
Opal Tuman.
Dennie Tuman.

The Mandan Electric company has under consideration the installation of a public heating plant. The matter was put off last year, owing to poor crops. An expert on heating plants will come here from Minneapolis and judging from the demand for the service it is likely the work on the plant may be started at an early date.

NEWSLETS ON THE WING

Caught as They Fly By The Editor's Old Scatter Gun

The Culbertson Republican goes after the auto speeders in that town. Everybody's doin it.

The contract for the three story Berringer Bros. block at Dickinson has been let, and will cost \$45,000.

It is believed here that eventually the N. P. will make the Mott branch a main line route for heavy traffic.

Governor Hannah's daughter, Miss Jean, is to be married at 8 o'clock on the evening of June 11 to Edwin Clapp of Fargo.

Work will be commenced at once on the flour mill and elevator to be erected at Mott this summer by Stewart of Morris, Minn.

A mixup between a cow and a bulldog at Minot became so serious that the police reserves were called out to quell the riot.

The Velva Journal celebrates the commencement of Volume 14 by cutting out ready prints. The Journal is now all home print, six page paper.

Careless and malicious autoists have succeeded in arousing considerable indignation among the citizens and the official wrath of the police of Fargo.

The officials at Forman will demand that one of the deputy state examiners be sent here to go through the records of the register of deeds during the term D. L. Warriner served.

Robert Menge met a horrible death twelve miles south of Belfield when he was very badly cut under the knives of a disc, when his team ran away, that he died within a few hours.

The Rugby Creamery opened for business the first of the week and is now in charge of Mr. Henry Nelson. Mr. Nelson is from Sauk Center, Minn., and a man well qualified to handle the property.

Hans Skaug, a prosperous farmer four miles north of Minot, has eight good milk cows and takes the milk to the Minot restaurants every day. In one year these cows produced \$1,355.00 worth of milk, which isn't a bad income.

The editors of Sheridan county have received "invites" to be present in Culbertson Saturday, June 14th for the purpose of forming an editorial association for the county. The afternoon will be devoted to social entertainment and evening for business.

On Tuesday evening of this week, says the Rugby Optimist, Police Magistrate Holbrook made one of the biggest raids in the history of the city, when he nabbed eight or nine automobile drivers who were violating the city ordinances by driving without lights, speeding, etc.

Automobile owners over the state are applying for licenses more rapidly than they did last year, and, so far, the secretary of state has issued nearly 8,000 licenses, while up to the first of June last year less than 7,000 had been issued.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gunderson of Valley City are the parents of three brand new baby girls born to them Sunday, May 18th. The smallest of the trio weighs a trifle over seven pounds and the three of them make a combination of which the parents are proud.

Ranchers near Medora say there was an unusually heavy loss of range horses in the bad lands the past winter, in some cases running as high as 30 per cent. Fall rains spoiled the nutritive qualities of the grass, then the heavy snow of October packed it close to the ground, making it hard to get, while lack of snow in the winter deprived the animals of needed moisture.

One instantly killed and two injured is the result of an explosion of a gasoline tank at Rolla. Geo. Deveraux was the unfortunate man killed, and Harry Kyle and Chas. McKay were somewhat, but not seriously injured. The accident occurred while Mr. Deveraux was trying to mend a gasoline wagon tank with an acetylene welding machine he had but recently purchased.

F. J. Bushard, president of the Consolidated Produce company of Minneapolis, has been at Mandan and arranged with the commercial club for the establishment of a creamery and a produce house in Mandan. As a result a contract was signed between the parties and it is thought Mandan will have a \$3,500 creamery and produce house in operation within 40 days.

Peter Borgrud met with an accident near Maddock that nearly cost him his life. While plowing he sat down beside the team to chat with a neighbor. In some manner one horse became entangled and fell over on Borgrud and the animal doubled thrum under its weight. Borgrud's life was saved owing to the fact that a doctor was secured almost immediately after the accident.

Frank W. Richardson, who it is alleged deserted a wife in Chicago two years ago, and came to North Dakota was married at Fingal to Miss Lillor Mikkelsen, daughter of a rich banker. His wife learned of his plans and wired to the sheriff here to arrest him. The officer was unable to reach Fingal by telephone, but procured an automobile, in which he drove the forty miles. The wedding ceremony was over when he arrived, but he took the bridegroom into custody.

AT THE BOSTON

Institute Extra Special

Commencing Monday Morning, June 9th, and closing Saturday night, June 14th

For the benefit of those who will attend the teachers' institute next week, and those who have not already taken advantage of past offerings, the Boston will make some of the most remarkable reductions in ladies new spring and summer ready-to-wear suits, coats, dresses, skirts, waists, undermuslins and shoes, it has ever been our privilege to offer or your opportunity to buy. As an example of what we are offering for this occasion we ask you to consider the following exceptional bargains.

Monday, June 9th, to Saturday, June 14th, Only

50 new spring suits tailored from the very latest materials and in the newest styles—Suits worth up to \$22.00
Special for Institute Week only

\$10.00

35 new tailored suits, select styles, fashionably designed, new and nobby fabric creations—worth up to 30.00
Special for Institute Week only

\$12.50

Ladies white and white and black striped serge suits—handsome, finely tailored garments, worth up to \$32.50
Special for Institute Week only

\$10.00

Ladies linen suits, very fashionable and desirable summer garments, in chic snappy designs, and worth up to \$12.50
Special for Institute Week only

\$3.75

COATS

Ladies, Misses and Junior spring 1913 styles, the very newest of this season creation, at great reduction prices for institute week.

\$15.00 coats, all sizes	11.25
at.....	
\$16.50—the newest	13.25
at.....	
\$20.00 Man-tailored coat	15.00
at.....	

DRESSES

For Institute Week Only

Dresses, Serges Foulards, worth \$9.50 to \$12.50, at.....	5.98
Dresses, in Serges, Foulards, Pingerie, Ratines, worth from \$14.50 to \$18.50	10.98
at.....	
Dresses in Silk, Messeline, Challies, Lace, all shades and styles, worth from \$18.50 to \$22.50, at.....	14.98

THE BOSTON

Ladies' and Misses' Exclusive Outfitters

Union Block, Williston, N. D.

CONGREGATIONAL

Edwin S. Shaw, Pastor
Children's Day will be observed next Sunday with special exercises by the school as advertised elsewhere in the morning at 10:30 and with a sermon appropriate to the day by the pastor in the evening.

Bible School at 11:45—Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 P. M. Evening service at 8. A special invitation to parents for next Sunday.

The pastor will preach at Garden Valley school house next Sunday at 3 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL NOTES
Two vital topic sermons are slated for June 8. Plan to hear one at least. Are you physically, vocationally, morally unfit? Hope not, but there are millions who are and the pastor's class will study the causes and remedies of this unfitness all through June. Sunday, June 8, we discuss "The Community's Responsibility."

How can you afford to miss it? The pastor greatly enjoyed his speechifying trip to the eastward—especially the day or two spent among former parishioners at Church's Ferry. Surely the sight of old friends warms the heart.

LUTHERAN

I. G. Monson, Pastor
Ray—Sunday, next Sunday, hence no service here. But June 15th here again. Norwegian in the morning and English in the evening. The English discourse in the evening next time, as well as the following evenings during the summer, will be on historical or apologetical subjects, and only short discourses at that. Services hereafter will be held in the old Zion church, corner 8th St., and 1st Ave. East. Sunday school same place.

COM. PASS BILLS AND PETITIONS

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said that he understood there was a city scavenger under contract, and that little attention had been paid to this work. Also that if there was such an office as scavenger he suggested that the same be abolished so that some one else could be gotten to take up the work. It appears that the council must advertise for bids for this work, which will be done. The health officer also said that he had observed a large pile of rubbish, tin cans etc., adjacent to the city jail and suggested that it might be a good idea to get this out of the way and set a good example. He was directed that in cases where people refused to clean up that he have them arrested and brought before a justice and fined.

The matter of allowing a large number of bills was then taken up and for nearly two hours the council went over these bills, satisfying themselves as to the correctness of the claims. Some of the bills were turned down. Among the claims were two or three for refunds on meters, which had been presented two or three years ago and never allowed. The council did not look kindly upon a number of old accounts, which had been put over from one time to another and never settled and some of these accounts will probably be left pending.

The commissioners drew their first salary vouchers for the managing of the affairs of the city of Williston at this meeting.

Hope deferred has given many a man cold feet.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received up to 10 o'clock A. M., July 1st, 1913 by the undersigned at Williston, N. Dak. for the erection of a church building according to the plans and specifications drawn by Morrison H. Vail of Dixon, Ill., and on file with the undersigned, and at the Builder's Exchange, Fargo, N. Dak., and Minneapolis, Minn., bids to be submitted as follows:—

One bid to include construction of the building complete, ready for the lath; one to include finishing on interior of church above basement, complete; one bid to include the construction of the building complete.

Heating and plumbing are not included in the above, nor excavating, concrete walls and footings, already done.

A certified check of five per cent to accompany all bids. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Building Committee.
E. R. Brownson, Williston, N. Dak.

SPEAKS AT ALEXANDER

Alexander Chronicle:—Hon. U. L. Burdick, state's attorney of Williams county and formerly Lieut. Governor of this state, will be the speaker of the day July 4th at Alexander. Mr. Burdick is one of the big men of North Dakota, both physically and politically. He is an able and fluent speaker and will be one of the big drawing cards for our big celebration.

The adjustment committee of Sheridan and Valley counties in Montana has completed its work, and Sheridan county starts with an indebtedness of about \$108,000.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

A. J. Stafne Farm Lands

No. 1.

Have eight sections, good farm and grazing land, 8 miles east of Sidney, Mont.; 70 per cent tillable, on O'Brien Creek, Six Dollars per acre, all adjoining. Best bargain in west on large tract. Can you beat the price? Easy terms. Sections 5 and 7, twp. 21, rge. 60, sections 13, 23, 27, 21, rge. 21, rge. 59 and section 3, twp. 20, rge. 59.

No. 2.

Two sections farm and grazing land adjoining Benniepie creek, 22 miles southwest of Alexander, homesteads adjoining; plenty of water, when fenced makes ideal stock ranch. Easy terms; seven dollars per acre. Sections 31 and 33, twp. 148, rge. 104.

No. 3.

Good thirty room hotel at St. James, Minn. Park Hotel, 80 miles south of Minneapolis, modern brick building; running; will trade for good farm.

No. 4.

Oleson Farm—good half section, one half cultivated, one mile north of Cartwright, N. D., fair buildings, all level farm land. \$15.00 per acre, easy terms or on crop payment.

No. 5.

Following snaps in quarter sections:
Evans quarter, all level, 80 broke, S. E. 13, 149, 103, \$1800.
Kittelsen quarter, two miles from Rudser, 70 broke, in crop, all level, S. E. 7, 159, 101, \$1600.
Shanks quarter, 5 miles west of Williston, 30 broke, all farm land, \$1500.
Walker quarter, 5 miles south of Portage, Wis. Good buildings, 100 broke, apple orchard, will trade for western farm. \$4000.
N. D. Small buildings, 100 broke, level land, will trade for land here. \$3000.
40 acres irrigated land, all under cultivation, 5 miles north Williston, will trade for prairie land. \$40 per acre.
Searles Creamery, all new machinery; running, at Searles, Minn. Good German community, with good trade; will exchange for good farm. \$3000.

Submit me a cash offer, or reasonable trade, for any of above bargains, as we are not agents, and can close a deal at once.

I buy, sell or exchange anything, anywhere. Look over this bulletin every week, I might have something that you want; am not looking for big prices but quick deals and consequently handle and deed more land than any other real estate dealer in the two counties.

A. J. Stafne Farm Lands

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