

Local Mention

Miss Anna Bromley spent Sunday with friends in Ray.

Jay Carpenter spent Sunday with friends in Springbrook.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wing, on Wednesday, August 12th, a son.

George Hanson was among the notables transacting business here Monday.

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Atty. Geo. A. Gilmore spent Saturday attending to business in Alexander.

M. S. Donovan and son, Howard, spent Sunday with relatives in Alexander.

Atty. Johnson of Alexander was among the visitors in this city Sunday and Monday.

Supt. Martha P. Tatem spent Saturday conferring with two school boards in Ray.

Treasurer Carl Livdahl returned Monday from a visit with friends in Bowman, N. D.

Miss Edna Shephard left yesterday morning to visit with friends in Bainville, Montana.

Oscar Hanson of Flaxville, Mont., spent Sunday with his wife and children in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyer of Wheelock were visitors in this city a few days of last week.

Wm. Wattam and wife left Sunday morning to visit with relatives in Angus, Minnesota.

Miss Oleta Lukens returned Monday from a two weeks visit with friends in Plentywood, Mont.

Mrs. Chas. Pierce and daughter are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Austin in this city.

Miss Tillie Peterson left Sunday for her home in Wheelock after a short visit with Miss Clara Kallak.

Herman Peterson of Wheelock, was attending to business in the City of Opportunity the first of the week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church is entertained this afternoon by Mrs. C. A. McKinney.

Boyd Rutledge and wife have returned from a visit in Minneapolis and will make their home in Williston.

Miss Olga Berg returned yesterday morning from Valpariso, Indiana, where she has been attending college for the past two years.

Food and candy sale Saturday afternoon in the corner building of Brueggers. The young ladies Fidelity Society will be in charge.

Mrs. M. S. Donovan expects her sister, Miss Webber of Thompson, N. D., tomorrow. Miss Webber is one of the teachers in central school.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Vanderhoff entertained a few friends at an elaborate dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Van Cleve of Minot.

Miss Clara Macdonald left Saturday for a month vacation. She will visit with friends in the eastern part of this state and also in Minneapolis.

Our steady customers realize that the good health they enjoy repays them many times for money expended. Medicine Lodge Springs Co. 8-2t.

Mrs. Louise Dalvey of Decorah, Iowa, arrived in the city a few days ago and has accepted the position of stenographer in the States Attorney's office.

Miss Frances Kellogg stopped off with friends in this city Tuesday while on the way to her home in Schafer after an extended visit with relatives in Ohio.

We have just received a fine new Circuit View outfit for making photos 8 inches wide to 6 feet long. We are now prepared to take all kinds of views such as threshing outfits, harvesting scenes, farm views, etc. Any one wishing photos of this kind, call 8-3t.

Advertisement for G & J 'Nobby Tread' tires, featuring a globe and text: 'All Around the Globe... 5,000 Miles... L. N. STICE, WILLISTON, N. D., Local Distributor'

James McCutcheon of the White House, was among the visitors in Williston Monday.

A. Perkins left Tuesday morning for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the old soldiers reunion, of the 103rd Ohio regiment.

Mrs. Stauffer and children who have been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Davidson in this city for several weeks, left Sunday for their home near Marmon.

Miss Helen Oveson left Monday to enjoy a vacation with her parents in Chinook, Mont. She was accompanied by her niece and nephew, the children of Ben Olson.

Miss Clara Kallak returned Friday from her vacation spent with relatives at Reserve, Mont. She was accompanied home by her friend Miss Tillie Peterson of Wheelock.

Dr. R. Hargrave of Ohio, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Dr. Hargrave is reported to be a very fine speaker. Don't fail to hear him.

The reports that come from Rev. Shaw's sick room are very encouraging. He is now beginning his third week in bed and it is expected that by the end of that time he will be sitting up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dickinson and daughter, May, left Tuesday morning for Portal, N. D., to visit with relatives. Mr. Dickinson will also make a business trip to Canada before returning home.

The Young Ladies Fidelity Society of the Catholic church will hold a food and candy sale on Saturday afternoon in the Bruegger building on the corner. Remember the place and get your Sunday dinner.

The mild laxative salts contained in medicine lodge spring water takes the place of drugs and patent medicines and is beneficial while most drugs and patent medicines are injurious. Medicine Lodge Springs Co. 8-2t.

Mr. and Mrs. Hader and Dr. Morrow of Medicine Lake, Mont., stopped off with friends in this city Saturday while enroute to Minot. They returned Monday accompanied by Misses Ilene and Genevieve Morrow, of Minot, sisters of Dr. Morrow.

Rev. Bloom filled the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday and preached two interesting sermons. He was greeted by a large number of his former parishioners. Rev. Bloom is acting both for himself and Rev. Shaw on the program committee of the State Conference which meets here September 24-27.

Mr. A. Rygg, the tailor, don't believe in canvassing the town for cleaning and pressing because people don't want to be troubled in that way but phone No. 14, 33 West Second Street and your work will be called for and delivered when you need it. Our work guaranteed. Yours for business, Rygg, the tailor. 9-1t.

Miss Polly Wold entertained a crowd of her friends last Saturday evening at a stag party given at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. P. Bergman. Music and cards were the special features of the entertainment, followed by an elaborate luncheon. The following young ladies were present: Misses Petra Hovind, Mabel Eldness, Emma Olson, Emma Pierson, Nellie Davidson, Bertha Lent, Velma DuPuis, Lena Edith and Ethel Crow, Helen Oveson, Geneva Lukens, Adele Moulger, Mildred McMillen and Eunice Innis.

Rev. E. H. Stickney, D. D., of Fargo, Supt. of the State Missionary work, will preach at the Congregational church both morning and evening and in the afternoon at Spring Coulee and Garden Valley. This is the first visit Dr. Stickney has made to Williston since Rev. Shaw became pastor and the pastor bespeaks for him a full attendance of the members of the church and congregation. Rev. Hargrave has been invited to supply the pulpit for one Sunday and it is expected that he will do so on August 30th.

The secretary of the Fair Association, as well as the school authorities are anxious that the local schools be represented in the school exhibits of the fair. A request is made that the superintendent be notified by all pupils who have industrial work, manual training models, sewing work, maps, penmanship papers, drawings or paintings, or any forms of school work that they are willing to place with the school exhibits. Or it will be a still greater accommodation if pupils would voluntarily bring their work to the Central School within the next ten days.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Primary Enrollment In order to avoid any possible misunderstanding, notice is again given concerning the enrollment of first grade children, the enrollment to take place in the primary rooms of the Central Building, at half past one, Friday on August twenty first.

Anticipating a larger than ordinary attendance in the first grade, the Board and superintendent wish to know definitely the number for whom preparations must be made. This early enrollment is the most direct and most complete method of ascertaining that number. All parents who wish to have their children enter the first grade this coming term are respectfully urged to concern themselves with this notice. If it be possible to make provisions sufficiently comprehensive, all children who have reached the age of six, or who will be six years old before the first of January and all who have attended school but are not to be in the second grade this term, will be allowed to enter school on the eighth of September, and should be enrolled on Friday. It is well for the children to be accompanied, but if each unattended child is provided with a card bearing his name and birth date, and his parents' name and address, the enrollment can be completed satisfactorily.

C. H. Reinhart was up from Ray this week.

Ben Olson was in from Bonetrail over Sunday.

S. M. Hydis went to Minneapolis yesterday on a business trip.

A. E. Lowe left yesterday morning on a business trip to Minneapolis.

Wm. Landes was among the visitors here this week from Rawson.

J. C. Brother of Epping, was among the notables here Tuesday.

Miss Ruby Putnam was over from Alexander visiting friends here this week.

Miss Anna Koppang of Bergan, N. D., was a visitor here the first of this week.

H. T. Overland of the Marmon vicinity, was among the visitors here this week.

A. J. McPherson of Culbertson, Mont., attended to business here on Tuesday.

H. A. Nelson, wife and baby of Neson valley, were visitors in Williston last Friday.

A. R. Reynolds was up from Ray attending to business here the first of the week.

J. E. Hanley of Schafer was attending to business in the City of Opportunity Monday.

C. R. Dodge and J. O. Barklund of the Schafer vicinity, were visitors here over Sunday.

Harry Rosenberg has returned from a vacation spent with relatives in LaCrosse, Wisconsin.

J. H. Lloyd was down from Glasgow, Mont., and attended to business here the first of the week.

Clarence Matthews returned home Saturday from a visit in St. Paul and Sauk Centre, Minnesota.

An 11-pound boy is reported at the home of George Newton, which arrived on Friday, August 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Settle entertained a number of relatives at an elaborate dinner yesterday evening.

Mrs. Scott Smith of Poplar, Mont., was a visitor in this city over Sunday with Miss Dora Wilkinson.

L. F. Perkins and family returned home Tuesday from a vacation trip spent in Chicago and Minnesota.

Misses Nelson and Johnson, accompanied by Mr. Loe of Ray, spent Tuesday evening with friends in this city.

L. D. Lampman, who has been visiting with his brothers here, left Saturday for his home in Columbus, Ohio.

Mesdames C. C. Martin and Leo Hollar are spending the day with Mrs. Frank Siewert north of town today.

The friends of Rev. Edwin S. Shaw will be glad to know that he is recovering from a recent attack of typhoid fever.

R. H. Brush, of Grand Forks, president of the Wonderland Trail Association, was a visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntosh made a business trip to points in Montana, also in McKenzie county a few days the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greengard are expected to return home tomorrow from an extended visit with relatives in Chicago and LaCrosse, Wis.

Miss Grace Murphy who has been visiting the family of her brother, Thos. Murphy in this city, left Tuesday for her home in Minneapolis.

Farmers in this section will find it to their advantage to see us about their real estate loans. We will give you a fair deal from beginning to end. E. J. Lander & Co., Rawson Bldg., Williston. 9.

C. H. Ludington was over from Alexander the first of the week.

Miss Roba Rawson and a party of her friends spent Saturday and Sunday with her grand-parents at Rawson, McKenzie county.

Nels Peterson of the South Side, was over yesterday to meet his uncle from Portland, Ore., who accompanied him home. Mr. Peterson will also visit with his niece, Mrs. J. M. Settle in Alexander.

N. M. Garrison and Miss Sophie Harris returned Monday from a business trip to Chicago. They made the selections and did the buying for the new store in the Crescent Theatre, of which notice will be given later.

Thirty years loaning money to North Dakota farmers has established for us a reputation for fair dealings. Consider this when you come to place your loan. E. J. Lander & Co., Rawson Bldg., Williston. 9.

Mesdames J. M. Settle and D. E. Plier of Alexander, entertained a party of Williston friends Sunday at the home of Mrs. Settle. An elaborate dinner and supper was served and the visitors returned to Williston in the cool of the evening having spent a most enjoyable day.

Mrs. C. D. Milloy entertained a party of her lady friends last Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. J. G. Van Cleve of Minot, who is a visitor in the city. About a dozen ladies were present with their fancy work and afternoon passed rapidly. An elegant luncheon was served and all present enjoyed the occasion.

Mrs. A. E. Lowe very pleasantly entertained a number of friends at her home on Third Ave East yesterday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. Van Cleve of Minot. The ladies took fancy work and the time passed rapidly. Music was furnished by Mrs. Hardaway and Misses Viola Gordon and Mildred Poole. An elaborate luncheon was served by the hostess, who was ably assisted by her daughter, and niece, Misses Gordon and Poole. The afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Lucy Frasier of Moorehead, Minn., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Martin west of town, is spending a few days in this city with Mrs. Denny.

R. N. Welling went to Ambrose on Tuesday on a business trip. Mr. Welling had a room in the district which was destroyed by fire Sunday, and went to look after his interests.

The following were applicants for teachers' examinations as reported from the county superintendent's office: Anna Gunderson, Hofflund; Ethyl Reibsmen, Williston; Erling Manger, Manger; Marie Carr, Ray; Hyder Poling, Gladys; Rose Turck, Cottonwood Lake; Vera Philips, Wildrose; Nellie Cuddington, Tioga; Goldie Gill, Howard; Merle L. Allen, Epping; Della Staples, Culbertson; Sigrid M. Soren, Springbrook; Ruth Marmon, Marmon; Fern M. Lacey, Marmon; Mrs. Lena P. Jacobson, Bonetrail; Mrs. Ernestine Crosbe, Wheelock.

TO BOOM YOUR TOWN

Talk about it. Write about it. Elect good men to office. Be friendly to everybody. Keep your sidewalks in good repair. If a poor man starts a project, help him. If a rich man starts a project, encourage him. Sell all you can and buy all you can at home. Don't talk the town down to strangers. If you are rich, invest in something; employ somebody. If a project to improve the town comes up, don't hoot—investigate. Don't let your personal antipathies get away with your business judgment. Follow the men who have the vim and energy to go ahead—and "saw wood."

Be courteous to strangers who come among you so they will go away with good impressions. If you don't like your town well enough to speak well of it, get out of it and make room for better men. Always cheer on the man who goes for improvements. Your portion of the cost will be nothing but that which is right. Do not kick at any proposed improvements because they are not at your door, or for fear that your tax will be raised fifty cents. Don't be afraid to stick your hand down in your pocket for money to help a public enterprise. You owe something to the community for being so kind as to patronize you. Don't! Don't!! Don't!!! For heaven's sake don't think your ideas are the only correct ones as to what improvements are needed, and how they should be obtained. We heard an old man say once that his name was written down on every paper that came around with the word "Temperance" on it. Let your name be written down to every paper that has "Improvement" on it.

WILLISTON CHURCHES

M. E. CHURCH Rev. E. Lewis Wall, D. D., Pastor The L. A. S. meets this week with Mrs. C. A. McKinney 441 1st Ave. West.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyer of Wheelock, were guests at the parsonage Thursday night.

The pastor held brief services over the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Isgrig Saturday afternoon.

Next Sunday morning Dr. D. Hargrave of Ohio will occupy our pulpit. The Dr. has been the pastor of the same church for 28 years. Be sure to come out and hear him.

The pastor baptized Mabel Harriet, the two-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lundstrom, Wednesday afternoon.

TRINITY ENGLISH LUTHERAN John Nelson Lentz, Pastor All services are held in the public library and are conducted in the English language.

Morning worship at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 11:30 A. M. A cordial welcome to everybody. Time and place for picnic will be announced Sunday morning.

MONEY FOR MOVING NORTH DAKOTA CROPS

Grand Forks, Aug. 19.—Money for moving North Dakota crops is always a matter of interest to the North Dakota farmer. This year the money for moving crops has been assured through the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States who has deposited funds from the National Treasury with banks in different parts of the country as the need was indicated. In reply to an inquiry regarding crop funds for North Dakota sent to Secretary McAdoo at Washington some weeks ago the following statement was received at Grand Forks. "If the necessity appears, I shall again deposit Government money in the banks to assist in moving the crops. On June 29 a letter was sent to the President of each of the 7,500 national banks in the country asking if he expected any unusual demand in his locality for money during the next six months; if so, for what purposes and in what month it would be most needed. The replies will enable the department to determine intelligently what assistance is required."

Since the above was written the Government funds have been distributed as promised and the result is sufficient money the banking centers to handle our crops. CITY COMMISSIONERS MEET The City Commissioners held a meeting at the city hall Monday evening. An electrical ordinance was placed upon its first reading. This ordinance will regulate and specify the size of wiring and the method of wiring for all kinds of electrical work in the city.

The government bill for power was passed and other routine business disposed of. The next meeting will be held Monday August 24th.

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

By Special Correspondent

This week opened in the Capital under a pall of sadness, due to the death of Mrs. Wilson. The simple but impressive funeral services were held in Washington, on Monday afternoon and the interment took place in Rome, Georgia, on Tuesday afternoon. All departments of the government were closed both afternoons.

Because of the European War and consequent tie up of ships in which to export our goods, the House has passed a bill allowing foreign built ships American registration, provided a majority of the capital in said ships is owned by Americans. It is hoped, by this means, to overcome, to some extent, the stoppage of our export trade and also to make a start in the building up of our merchant marine.

This bill in amended form also passed the Senate from whence it went to conference and, after slight changes is now back in the Senate where it is meeting with considerable opposition from a few Senators, but will doubtless pass.

With the same end in view, Representative Humphrey of Washington, has introduced a bill in the House providing for a mail subsidy for American built ships constructed under the supervision of the Navy Department. A conference was held between Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, Senator Simmons, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Senate and Representative Underwood, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House with a view to advising plans to make up the loss in tariff revenue due to the stoppage of imports by the War. It was practically

decided to double the tax on Beer, Wines, Whisky and Tobacco. It is believed that this will sufficiently increase the income from internal revenue to overcome the loss. Should such prove not to be the case, a stamp tax will probably be placed on checks, deeds and mortgages and like instruments.

The prices of most food stuffs have been steadily climbing since the outbreak of hostilities abroad, this has caused the President to write to the Attorney General, asking that he be advised of the law in the matter with a view to punishing the guilty parties under existing law, or have passed laws under which they could be punished. The rise in prices in most of these commodities is looked upon as unwarranted and uncalled for.

James J. Hill, the western railroad magnate, was in the city and called on the Secretary of the Treasury. It is presumed they considered ways and means for aiding in the movement of the wheat crops.

An important conference was held in the Treasury Department between men from various sections of the country. The subjects considered were: the restoration of the market for foreign bills of exchange; the provision of means for transporting crops and merchandise abroad; and a method of providing war insurance for ships which might be induced to enter American registry so as to furnish that transportation.

The President expresses himself as in sympathy with the conference and will do all in his power to aid in the relief. Business conditions are beginning to assume a more settled and normal aspect.

Williams County Fair September 2, 3 and 4.

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