

**Local Mention**

Tom Bjornson of Bonetrail is visiting in the city today.

A. J. Brunner of Minot, was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. English were shopping in the city Monday.

Howard Lampman was in from his ranch on Cow Creek Monday.

Send some copies of this issue of the Graphic to the friends back home.

Have you contributed your mite to the efforts of Appreciation Week?

See the Williams County State Bank for Grain Loans. Rate 6 per cent. 16-tf.

Mrs. Merrill, Bainville was a Williston shopper last Thursday afternoon.

Richard Peyton returned Tuesday from a trip to Fargo and the twin cities.

Gravel delivered on short notice. 15-tf. Adv. G. J. Harding, Phone 113.

Wilbur Walker of Ray, visited with his many friends in the city Saturday evening.

Miss Nellie Borden of St. Paul is a guest at the home of her brother, M. J. Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Butler entertained the "Granola" club Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Gustive Oid, Scooby, Mont., was calling on Williston friends last Thursday afternoon.

A new photo always makes an ideal Xmas gift. The Williston Photographers. 20-tf.

Miss Bertha R. Palmer visited the schools in Buford Tuesday making the trip by train.

Judge Fisk and Court Stenographer Hanzen are at Stanley for the fall term of court.

Ben Olson of Bonetrail, was transacting business in the city the latter part of last week.

Photos made ideal Xmas gifts. One dozen photos will make 12 gifts. The Williston Photographers. 20-tf.

Thomas Ryan of St. Paul was a visitor at the M. J. Borden home several days last week.

Justice E. B. Goss of the state supreme bench spent a short time in the city on business this week.

Forget your troubles and keep in mind the bazaar, supper and dance to be given on the afternoon and evening of December 6 by the St. Peters Episcopal Guild. 22-2t.

Mrs. McGaw and Mrs. Brainard very pleasantly entertained the Auxiliary last Friday afternoon.

L. B. Burns of Tioga, was among the out of town members attending the Elks lodge Saturday evening.

Don't buy your apples until you look over the line at Brueggers. They have winter apples that can't be excelled at any price. 21-2t.

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Pat Carney of Ray, was a Williston visitor Saturday.

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Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Dr. Drake, Mondak, were Williston visitors last Thursday afternoon.

Young and old will have a merry time on the afternoon and evening of December 6 if they attend the bazaar, supper and dance to be given by St. Peters Episcopal Guild. 22-2t.

Mrs. John Settle of Alexander, who has been seriously ill at a local hospital is reported much improved.

Bessie A. Sinnott, dressmaker, 617 2nd Ave. W., Williston, N. D. Phone 125. 7-tf.

M. S. Williams, manager of the Whole Wheat Milling Company Mill, made a business trip to Stanley Monday.

The St. Peters Episcopal Guild will hold a bazaar, supper and dance on the afternoon and evening of December 6. 22-2t.

Mrs. I. Rensenberg, Kenmare, returned home Friday after a ten days visit with her daughters, Mrs. W. A. Garrison and Miss Rose Rosenberg.

Ladies are invited to call at the Allen Sisters millinery parlors and see the beautiful line of hats specially priced at from \$3 to \$5. 22-1t.

The November session of the county commissioners will begin on the 22nd. The Better Farming Directors will meet with them on the 23rd.

J. H. Borden, the new city salesman for the Williston Grocery Co., has established his residence here. He is a brother of County Commissioner M. J. Borden.

A large and well selected line of hats are now on display at Allen Sisters millinery parlors. As a special inducement these hats are selling at from \$3.00 to \$5.00. Don't fail to call and see. 22-1t.

Attorney C. Aurland of Minot, was among the business visitors in the city Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Aurland is one of the old timers in Western North Dakota and visited with several of his friends as well as taking care of his business.

The last chance for your Thanksgiving day mince meat will be given you at the Episcopal Ladies Guild Sale at the City Grocery Store Saturday afternoon. 22-1t.

Your sister, wife, mother or sweetheart will appreciate your photo as a Xmas gift. Come in and have them taken now. The Williston Photographers. 20-tf.

D. D. Sullivan, Optical Specialist, of Fargo, will visit Williston professionally, Monday, November 29. All persons having defective eye-sight or who need their glasses changed or renewed should call and see him. Office at Great Northern hotel. 22.

If you want just apples buy them anywhere, but if you want good winter apples buy them at Brueggers. 21-2t.

There's a good time coming for big and little on the afternoon and evening of December 6 when the St. Peters Episcopal Guild give their bazaar, supper and dance. 22-2t.

Your brother, husband, father or sweetheart will appreciate a new photograph for Xmas. Why not sit for them now? The Williston Photographers. 20-tf.

For Sale by the Methodist Ladies Aid, fruit cake, plum pudding and mince meat in any quantities. Is for sale now at the Palmer residence. Phone orders delivered. 22-2t.

Of all the picturesque tales of the race track, "Blue Grass" is a winner. Picturized from the play by Paul Armstrong, with that beloved American actor, Thomas A. Wise in the stellar role, "Blue Grass," which comes to the Orpheum Theatre on Wednesday, November 24 through the combined efforts of the producers, the Equitable Motion Pictures Corporation, the director Charles Sear, the author, Paul Soule Spencer, Jack Boone and others of equal note, is a proven "thoroughbred."

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Only seven more weeks till Christmas. Why not sit for your Christmas photos now? The Williston Photographers. 20-tf.

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On account of the big increase in all kinds of Photographic chemicals and other material, we shall after Nov. 15th raise the price of post card photos to \$2.50 a dozen. All other photos will be made at former prices. The Williston Studios, J. E. Fasonault, C. V. Olson. 20-tf.

**KERBAUGH-COURVILLE WEDDING**

Frank E. Kerbaugh and Miss Anna Courville, both of Ray, were united in marriage at the Congregational parsonage in this city Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Batten performing the ceremony.

**LOCAL BOY RECEIVES SPLENDID PRIZE FROM CURTIS COMPANY**

George Wolpert, one of the city's youthful captains of industry is rejoicing over a well deserved commercial triumph. As a contestant in one of the twenty-five classes of Saturday Evening Post boys for the prizes, ranging from touring cars down, offered by the Curtis Publishing Company for the largest increase in sales of Posts, Womens Home Journals and Country Gentlemen, George has just received \$100, that being the first prize to the winner in his class.

The piece of good fortune was all the more enjoyed because it was at first believed to be lost. According

to the first announcement a young gentleman from Indiana was the winner. But an investigation of a suspicious bulge in the enterprising Hoosier's record for a certain month resulted in his relegation to second place with the Williston boy at the head. The investigation was made at the request of J. D. Wolpert, George's father, who had been closely following the monthly bulletins showing the progress of the different contestants. In a similar contest last year young Wolpert won a prize of \$50.

**ILLINOIS FARMER MOVES ONTO WILLIAMS COUNTY FARM**

Allen Beedles and family of Detroit, Illinois, will arrive this week and locate, as a tenant, on a farm four miles east of Williston, owned by Clerk of Court J. O. Seibert. Mr. Beedles is a young farmer who has been renting in his former community. Mr. Seibert, whose former home was in Illinois has succeeded in interesting several farmers near his old home and expects some more of them out here before spring.

**WILL PURCHASE NEW FIRE HOSE**

The Monday evening session of the city commission was mostly devoted to considering bids for fire hose required by the department. Six bids were received, ranging from 80c to \$1.00 per foot. Three of the bids were personally submitted by representatives of the houses bidding. Each in turn showed the commissioners, with earnestness and eloquence, that his hose was by far the best buy. The question of selection was referred to Fire Commissioner Monroe and Fire Chief Smith. The amount to be purchased is 500 feet.

**BETTER FARMING ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS**

County Agent Hall announces a meeting of the directors of the Williams County Better Farming Association for Tuesday, November 23. They will hold both forenoon and afternoon sessions jointly with the County Board, which meets the 22nd. A full attendance of the B. F. A. directors is expected.

**"CHILDREN OF EVE"**

Viola Dana, featured in Edison's marvellous photo drama "Children of Eve" released through Kleins-Edison Feature Service, to be offered at the Lyric Theatre Thursday and Friday, November 18 and 19, sustains in this film production her reputation as a finished actress, earned while a star in speaking roles in legitimate drama. Her splendid achievement in the leading role of "The Poor Little Rich Girl" heralded as Miss Dana's best work on the stage, is fully equalled if not surpassed by her in "Children of Eve." Her complete mastery over her lines, grasp of situations and delineation of minute details in this screen production, establish conclusively her adaptability for film work. "Children of Eve" bristles with tense situations which affords this accomplished star excellent opportunity to rise to her natural plane.

"Children of Eve" is typically a story dealing with passions and emotions of persons, the prototype of whom we meet every day, and consequently it appeals strongly.

**RAPID PROGRESS ON ARMORY**

In spite of the unfavorable weather of the last ten days Contractor Harding is pushing the work on the Armory-Auditorium with marked success. The brick work is well above the second floor and a week more of the present moderate weather will suffice to complete it. The building can then be enclosed and the rest will be comparatively easy. During the night the top of the walls are covered with canvas and fires in numerous smudge pots prevent the mortar from freezing.

**THE SALVATION ARMY**

Tuesday, November 23rd, Rev. James will preach again.

Thursday a Thanksgiving service will be held at 8 P. M.

Friday, November 26th, Rev. Harriss will preach again.

At the Salvation Army Thursday, November 18th, 8 P. M., Rev. James the assistant pastor of the M. E. church will preach.

Saturday, November 20 8 P. M., Rev. Harriss of the M. E. church will preach.

Saturday, November 21, 8 P. M., Rev. Keltner will preach.

Sunday, November 28, a Welcome Meeting will be held for the incoming Assistant Officer of the Williston Corps.

**MARRIED AT PARSONAGE**

An early morning wedding ceremony was performed at the Methodist Parsonage at 12:15 on Wednesday, November 17th when George B. Morris of Gladys and Frances Walters of Bonetrail were united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony. Rev. H. Styles Harriss officiated. J. C. Walters brother of the bride and Miss Lois Marmont accompanied them. The contracting parties are two of our highly esteemed young people from the northern part of Williams county and where they will make their home we wish them the best in life.

**HAD FINE PARTY**

The Elks Hard Time party last Friday was one of the social successes of the season and the large number of Elks and their guests attending had the time of their lives. The Friscilla party next Wednesday evening promises to be just as successful. Appropriate music will be furnished and a luncheon served.

**HAVE CHANGED MEETING NIGHT**

**CHORAL UNION TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHTS AT SEVEN THIRTY - SINGERS INVITED TO JOIN**

The Choral Union by an almost unanimous vote has changed its night of meeting to Friday and the hour to 7:30. This will give members who have other engagements later in the evening an opportunity to attend as the hour of rehearsal will close at 8:30 promptly. It is hoped that a large

number will avail themselves of this more convenient time of meeting. The Union has been doing some excellent work this winter on "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast" but there is room for more on every part and the work is not yet so far advanced as to make it difficult to join now.

If the Choral Union is to be a matter of civic pride, and there are cities smaller than Williston in which this is true, it may be necessary for people who sing to make some sacrifice in order to be on hand and boost a good thing. On the other hand people who do not count themselves singers in any but a very modest fashion are cordially urged to join, for they will get help and inspiration and give encouragement by swelling the numbers. There is absolutely nothing required of new members save the desire to join and stay by. And everybody who has that desire is welcome.

**MRS. VAN DYKE CONVALESCENT**

A letter received by G. B. Metzger from Dr. Van Dyke, brings the welcome information that Mrs. Van Dyke who underwent a serious operation at the Mayo hospital, Rochester, Minn., is gaining strength at an encouraging rate and is able to take occasional walks for distances of a block. When she is able to leave the hospital she will go to St. Paul where they will spend the winter.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO KEWPIE ET AL**

**CHERUBIC GOD MAKING AN APPRECIATION WEEK RECORD - TWO DAYS YET**

Little Dan Cupid, who is always pictured as clothed in sweet innocence and armed with bow and arrows, and who is vested with power to regulate the love affairs of men and maids, has not been wasting Appreciation Week. He has not been idly dreaming the days away with his chin in hand and his pink toes dabbling in the snow. Not so you can notice it—Kewpie is a booster and has practical plans for settling and populating the county. The little chap's quiver must be almost empty and his wings very weary with hurrying from Wheelock to Wildrose and Wildrose to Gladys, and Gladys to Trenton, and Trenton to Williston, then over to Ray, and heaven only knows where else.

Dangerous Dan has been shooting his shafts into susceptible hearts with a reckless abandon that will make hardened old bachelors hide deep in their trenches. And every arrow was tipped with a virus that spread an epidemic among the young men of the county. An epidemic of appreciation

of their fair neighbors, and a determination to obey that impulse—to get a license.

How else can a five day's list like this be accounted for?

November 12th—Arthur M. Hill and Thea Eline Severson, both of Wheelock, married in this city by Rev. A. E. Distad at the pastor's home.

November 13th—Kristian A. M. Engelstad and Sophia Furstad, both of Gladys; license issued. Charles Albert and Irene Skaff, both of Bonetrail; license issued. Clarence Halphold of Spring Brook and Mabel Myers of Williston; license issued.

November 15th—John M. Pride and Hattie E. Dixon, both of Trenton; license issued.

November 16th—Emil Ingberg and Sena Evanson, both of Wild Rose; license issued. Frank E. Kerbaugh and Anna Courville, both of Ray; married by Rev. James H. Batten at the Congregational parsonage the same day. Parfel Zapara and Pauline Vandenko, northwest of the city; married by Judge Butler at his office. George B. Morris of Gladys and Francis Walters of Bonetrail; married by Rev. H. Styles Harriss at the Methodist parsonage the same day.

November 17th—Andrew G. Moen and Eupheua Ctherine Jeffrey, both of Howard; married by Rev. James H. Batten at the Congregational parsonage the same day.

**FALLS DEAD IN WAGON**

**TEAMSTER DROPS TO BOTTOM OF COAL WAGON WHILE WAITING ON STREET**

Edward J. Mott, aged 36, a resident of Fifth avenue west, met almost instantaneous death from heart disease about two p. m. last Friday while standing in his empty coal wagon on Broadway. The deceased had engaged in hauling coal from the Black Diamond mine and was waiting in front of the office of Manager Ludowese. Mr. Mott and Mr. Ludowese had held some conversation and the latter had re-entered his office on an errand. When he returned Mott had collapsed in the bottom of the box. Mr. Ludowese called Deputy Sheriff Strom who chanced to be passing, to his aid but it was soon evident that life was extinct. It is stated by those who knew him that Mr. Mott had at times complained of heart trouble.

The deceased leaves a widow and five children, the oldest being ten years of age. It is stated that he carried no life insurance.

Funeral services were conducted from the Congregational church Monday. The deceased had many friends who unite in extending sympathy and aid to the unfortunate family.

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# TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

It's none too early to think of Christmas things. The days will soon slide around and the early buyers always fare best. Fill this Christmas with good cheer, with kindly affection and thoughtfulness—remember every one of the children, your own and your friends.

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