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DRINK POKEGAMA, THE PRINCE OF TABLE WATERS.

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It is a "backward" Spring, and our spelling recognizes the fact. But the Spring IS coming and discreet buyers are already picking out the pretty Spring-ish things in

HAT PINS, SHIRTWAIST SETS, NECK CHAINS and BROOCHES,

which we have provided for the sure-coming of the season, when these dainty bits will be needed to heighten the effect of Spring dresses and millinery.

Don't be "backward" in coming "forward" and securing the pretty things which especially meet your taste.

Remember one vote on the Piano with a 25c purchase.

W. H. REIGHART,
The Minot Jeweler.

Watch Inspector for
GT. NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Orders Taken for
.....CUT FLOWERS.....

MINOT HIGH SCHOOL BAND IS HIGHLY HONORED.

Will Play At The Devils Lake Chautauqua This Season, Receiving Handsome Remuneration For The Same—Only Band To Be Present—Will Play For William Jennings Bryan.

The Minot School band, twenty-five in number will play at the Devils Lake Chautauqua eighteen days or the entire season of three weeks. This will be the only band at the Chautauqua grounds during the entire season, and it is enough. The boys have been working hard of late, as they anticipated that they would be secured by the Chautauqua and when the season opens in June, they will have a large number of selections in readiness. The band consisting of 25 members, will be in charge of the

WILLISTON PIGGERS VS. THE CHURCH PEOPLE.

It Is Believed That The Gambling Element of Williams County's Metropolis Are Responsible for the Many Conflagrations.

It is a certainty that the Methodist church which was burned at Williston about two weeks ago, was the work of vandals. There are those at Williston who believe that they can lay their hands on the man who applied the match to the oil which was thrown on the side of the building. It looks as if there are certain ones at Williston who have it in for the church people, and are trying to get even with them. Of late, war has been waged against the blind pigs, gambling dens and the houses of prostitution must soon leave the city. The owners have been given notice to leave by June. Several weeks ago, the Methodist people gave a concert in the court house. During the absence of those who had charge of the affair, some one entered the court house and set a quantity of formaldehyde on fire hoping

TICKET TO MINNEAPOLIS WAS LOST

A hard working man stopped in the office of the Great Northern depot and throwing down a \$20 bill Sunday evening, called for a ticket to Minneapolis. He was given the right change back, and the agent threw down the ticket, but the man forgot to pick it up. Some other fellow evidently saved him the trouble however, for when he went to board the train he could not find the ticket and remained in Minot. The number of the ticket was 2261 and the conductor was notified at Rugby to be on the lookout for it. He sent word back that he had not received the ticket.

The only place where you can get satisfaction—at Myren's the tailor.

DEMOLISHED THE JAIL AGAIN

Jim Gow got into trouble again Friday and was smashed horribly in the face. He was taken to the city jail by Officer Kimball and Saturday morning someone from the outside stove in the city's bat cave and let Jim out. Later he was arrested, given a hearing before Justice Lynch and released on his recognizance, but failed to appear at the set time. Officer Kimball declares he will arrest Gow when he sees him.

Was Driven from Home.
A thirteen-year-old boy stood at the Soo depot Monday afternoon, attempting to catch a ride to Carrington. He stated that his parents had cruelly driven him from home.

Hard to Kill Bromus Grass.

C. Aurland will soon receive 100 fine evergreen trees from the Missouri river, and he will decorate his beautiful yard with them. Mr. Aurland already has twenty varieties of trees, all of which thrive well. He experimented with bromus grass some years ago and now wishes that he had left it alone. The grass is too coarse to look well and it is almost impossible to kill it. In his experience with trees, he finds it difficult to make evergreens grow. The roots must not be left exposed to the air for an instant for the gummy substance hardens and the tree soon dies.

A Big Dance.

Gilbert Underdahl who lives ten miles southwest of the city, entertained sixty friends at a dance Saturday night. It was pronounced the largest dance ever held in that part of the county. Nels Hagen and Hanson were the musicians. Mr. Underdahl is contemplating moving to Oregon.

Have your prescriptions filled at Blake's by registered men.

HURD & MALLORY,
Contractors, Builders and Designers of brick, cement and frame buildings.
MINOT, N. D.

WHY DOESN'T YOUR CLOTHES SET WELL?

Yes, that's just the question many are asking of themselves. You will always get clothes made in the latest fashion at this tailoring establishment. We know how to cut them, and take great pains in all the little details, such as using the best of thread, linings and a hundred other little things all of which go to make up a first-class suit of clothes. Then we have the best assortment of goods from which to select.

The Minot Tailoring Co.,
JERRY ZLEVOR, Prop.
Facsimile Postoffice,
MINOT, N. D.

We Guarantee All

WATCHES

That We Repair.

Our store is a good place to bring your watch or clock to when they need repairing. When we repair your watch we guarantee the work for one year from the date we repair them.

About Our Guarantee:

If you have any doubts concerning our statements just take the trouble to look us up. Ask your neighbor—chances are he has dealt with us and knows that we always make good if we have to take the money out of the till. Our watchmaker, Mr. L. O. Hughes, is a man of years' experience in the jewelry business and you can depend on what he tells you.

Drugs That CURE PEOPLE.

All drug stores look alike to many people. This is not strange because the things which may indicate a vital difference in the character of stores are not apparent to those unacquainted with drugs.

If you knew the significance of the names of all our original packages of drugs, you would see that we buy the finest goods to be had, the goods that stand for all that is best in pharmacy.

We use such drugs because you ought to have them, and because your physician wants them used in the prescriptions he writes for you. If we fill your prescription you can feel sure about it.

McCOY & CO.,
THE QUALITY STORE,
Leland Hotel, - Minot, N D

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