

## SUDDEN DEATH OF MINOT PIONEER

**ALLAN TOMPKINS DIES FRIDAY NIGHT OF APOPLEXY VERY SUDDENLY—HAD JUST RETURNED FROM THE SPRINGS.**

The whole city was greatly shocked to learn of the sudden death of Allan Tompkins, one of Minot's pioneers, which occurred at his home in this city early Friday night from apoplexy. Mr. Tompkins had not been well and had just returned that afternoon from Excelsior Springs, Ind., where he had spent a month. He complained of feeling tired, but after eating supper walked over to the city, returning early. He complained of not feeling well and his wife called a physician. Mr. Tompkins became worse rapidly and soon passed away.

Mr. Tompkins had lived in Minot the greater part of a quarter of a century. In the early days he built a hotel at the corner of Main and First streets, which burned down. He then built a brick building, which is a part of the Leland hotel, sold later to Wm. and C. H. Parker. He managed electric light plants at Devils Lake and Rugby, but disposed of his interests a few years ago.

In the early days Mr. Tompkins was prominently identified with city affairs. He was president of the council in 1889 and he served as mayor from 1890 to 1895.

Mr. Tompkins was born at Grafton, New Brunswick, in 1854, being 58 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife, three sons, two daughters, six brothers and one sister. His eldest son, Ernest, was the first white child born in Minot.

The surviving brothers are, Jarvis, of this city; Ernest, of Caldwell, Ida.; Howard and Herbert, of Woodstock, N. B.; Lincoln, of Holton, Me.; and Charles of Guilford, Me.; Mrs. Geo. Wilson, of Kallispell, Mont., is a sister.

Impressive funeral services were held from the M. E. church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. T. A. Olsen, officiating. The church was crowded with old time friends. The pall

bearers were Edw. Kelley, Wm. Carroll, Martin Jacobson, C. A. Johnson, John Lynch and John Ehr. The remains were taken to St. Paul for interment.

### MARGARET DICKINSON RECEIVES PREMIUM

Margaret, the 10-year-old daughter of Mrs. Kara Dickinson, has received of Mrs. Kara Dickinson, has received \$7.50 in gold as second premium given by the Youth's Companion for the best record made by pure bred Plymouth Rock chickens from the Pittsfield, Mass., farm. The chicks were received a year ago and the little lady has been doing remarkably well with them.

### BOYS PREMIUMS ANNOUNCED.

W. A. Peck announces the following premiums won by the boys who attended the Better Farming school, and who wrote examination papers at the close: First, \$5, Lee Benne, Minot; second, Don Baker, Glenburn, \$3; third, Raymond Leger, Minot, \$2.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press said: "If North Dakota wants an anticigarette law it should apply to Minnesota. We have a perfectly good one that is only four years old and has never been used."

### FARMERS WILL BUY GOPHER POISON

The Eureka Farmers' club met at the Jos. Linnertz home Tuesday afternoon. Meeting was called to order by the president, M. LaRock, and the subjects discussed were formaldehyde and gopher poison. A collection was taken up to secure gopher poison to distribute among the farmers.

An excellent supper was served at 6 o'clock after which several selections were rendered by the Misses Linnertz. The evening was spent in dancing and card playing and all had an enjoyable time. The next meeting will be held at the hall May 4.

The Carson Press says: James Sandlin, since June 1, sold \$100 worth of butter from two cows and raised eight pigs and two calves from the skim milk. This shows conclusively that the dairy cow is the bread winner in this country.

H. W. Semler, who left for Dayton, Ohio, three weeks ago, was living on a farm three miles from that city at the time of the flood. Friends of the family have expressed some alarm for their safety.

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We handle the **Weber Wagon**. This wagon has the best grain box on the market.

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If you want a good **Steel Wheel Truck** come to us before you buy.

Are you in the market for a **TRACTOR**? Come and talk to us. We can sell you anything from a 15-30 to a Big Six Sixty. The I. H. C. Oil and Gas Engine works as well on cheap fuel as the dearest.

**THE BIG FOUR OR BIG SIX** is the best high speed engine on the market. This new engine has three speed forward and burns kerosene successfully.

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Minot, North Dakota

# AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction to the highest bidders at the Carroll Feed and Sales Barn opposite the Minot Flour Mill, on

## Saturday, April 12, 1913

## 20 Head of Young Draft Mares and Geldings

Running from 4 to 8 years old, weighing from 1100 to 1600 lbs.

These horses are well broken and in first class condition ready for spring work. They are the best selected bunch of horses offered for sale yet this spring.

Sale to begin promptly at 1 o'clock P. M.

### Terms of Sale:

Time will be given until Oct. 1, 1913, on bankable paper at 10% interest. 5% discount for cash.

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E. S. PERSON, Clerk

## GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

F. J. LYMAN OF THE LYMAN LAND CO., HAS DECIDED TO LEAVE MINOT.

### BUSINESS FOR SALE CHEAP

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My residence property on South Hill, seven room modern house, with solid cement garage.

Block 11, West Minot, consisting of 16 lots and a new 7 room cottage two blocks west of normal school.

Seven room new house on East Arlington street, with furnace.

Also several three and four room

houses in different parts of the city. I will sell very reasonably and on easy terms.

I am closing out all my property here, and if you want a real bargain here is your opportunity.

I have option on two business lots on Ramstad street, between First and Second streets, will sell very cheap.

Also have numerous lots in different parts of the city. I will sell at a sacrifice in order to close out, will make terms on all my property to suit purchaser.

**LYMAN LAND CO.**  
F. J. Lyman

**GEO. W. KEMPER IS ILL.**  
Geo. W. Kemper was precariously ill for several days from the Grippe which settled in his head. A consultation of physicians was held. We are glad to state that he is recovering nicely.

### CROSBY WOMAN DIES HERE.

Mrs. Bertha LaFlame of Crosby, died at the hospital here Wednesday from spinal meningitis. The funeral will be held from the Catholic church Friday and the remains will be interred here. The deceased is survived by her husband, a prominent restaurant man at Crosby, and a little daughter.

Wm. Mumford and O. N. Elliott, who will soon leave for Baar, Mont. arrived from Burlington Tuesday with a yoke of oxen they bought and which they intend using to break a hundred acres for E. A. Aspinwall, whose homestead lies near their own. They made the journey from Burlington to Minot in less than a day, which is going some. Mr. Elliott, a man of wonderful patience, drove Buck and Bright, and when the boys drove up loud cheers. They have the right Man lou cheers. They have the right Man.

Elder Wm. Sparling has gone to Lamont, Ia., to attend the national convention of the Latter Day Saints as North Dakota's delegate.

### 55 BREEDS

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# SELLING OUT AT COST

The going out of business sale at the Palace is still on and you will have to hurry if you want to secure any of those great bargains

We have some special bargains in goods that were slightly smoked in our recent fire, but which were not really hurt in the least. We can give you many articles at much less than the cost of manufacture.

Mr. Farmer and Workingman: Get your season's supply of wearing apparel here now. You'll be surprised to learn what good merchandise you can get for a little money!

## THE PALACE

Don't forget the place—East First Street. Next door to Jacobson and Fugelso's Hardware Store

## MINOT, N. D.