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MAGIC CITY BUSINESS COLLEGE

MINOT, N. D.

SOO LINE.

East.

No. 108, 12:20 a. m.
No. 106, 12:55 p. m.
No. 256, 9:15 a. m. (To Bismarck).

West.

No. 107, 2:30 a. m.
No. 105, 12:55 p. m.
No. 261, 4:30 p. m. (From Bismarck).

GREAT NORTHERN.

East.

No. 4, ar. 6:35 a. m.
Fargo-Surrey, 8:30 a. m., ex. Sunday.
No. 6, 1:00 p. m.

West.

No. 2, ar. 4:15 p. m.
Sherwood, 4:45 p. m. except Sunday.
No. 1, ar. 2:15 a. m.
No. 3, ar. 1:00 p. m.
Crosby and Williston, 3:10 p. m.

Additional Local

Seth E. Newcomb of Norwich has returned from a three months' visit with relatives at Vancouver.

J. H. Burns, the Surrey "smithy" was in the city Wednesday. He says that few farmers have disposed of their wheat as they are waiting for the long price.

Jack Pecheck of White Earth was drowned when the machine in which he was riding near Detroit, Minn., overturned in the water, pinning him under it.

The Great Northern depot at Rollette was entered by sneak thieves, and some express packages and \$8 or \$9 in cash taken. There is no trace of the thieves.

D. E. Benell of Surrey threshed Marquis wheat that averaged 24 bushels, macaroni wheat 18 and Blue Stem, 11 1-2.

Peter Vandenoever threshed 24 bushels of No. 1 wheat to the acre on his farm south of the city.

Mrs. J. E. Harmon was called to Valley City by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Lockwood, who submitted to an operation.

A giant magnet was used to extract a small piece of steel from the eye of Knut Sagen, a young threshing engineer of Northwood, at a Grand Forks hospital. The method was successful.

Nels Oslund of Wahpeton, who operated one of the first hotels in Minot 27 years ago, visited this city today. He occupied the old frame building on south Main street recently vacated by Mitchell & Hancock.

Isaac Berg is making a good record with his Case threshing outfit. In one half day he threshed 1700 bushels of oats. He has been running from morning till night for the past three weeks.

Thomas Doyle, a former employe of the Independent, arrived from Winnipeg with his family to visit with his wife's father, Ole Heskin of Norwich.

Mr. Doyle holds a responsible railroad position in the Canadian city, where he has been located for five years. He says that many thousands of young Canadian men have gone to war, many of the factories and business houses running exceedingly short handed.

Thieves robbed four stores at Flaxton during one night.

Robbers secured \$28 from Sauer Bros' store at Tolley.

Burglars robbed the Norma hardware store of \$8.00 and some wearing apparel.

Prime beef advanced to \$11.00 a hundred in Chicago last week. Last year the price was \$9.25.

Four horses were killed by lightning on the W. A. Van Winkle farm south of Lansford. Dave Mead, the hired man, was stunned.

Thomas Dods, who murdered Ed Burke in Bottineau county, drew eight years.

One hundred dollars' worth of guns, knives, etc., were stolen from J. W. Calnan's hardware store at Berthold.

Tuesday night. Thieves used a skeleton key to enter.

Al Sconzella, from 12 miles southwest of Des Lacs, captured a pelican that is eight feet from tip to tip. It is on exhibition at the E. G. Kress store.

The Independent learns that Mrs. W. H. Francis has been seriously ill this week at her home at Velva, but is glad to hear that she is recovering at this writing.

W. A. Stickley has charge of the publicity end of the state industrial exposition.

L. B. Nicolayson, a prominent thresherman, has been operating seven miles south of the city. He finds the wheat running from 12 to 25 bushels.

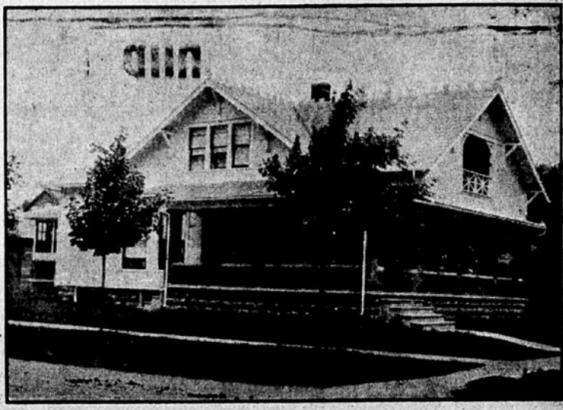
The Soo has been drilling a deep well at Max and after going down 2400 feet, have abandoned it because no water can be found.

Secretary of State Hall will order the Progressive ticket printed on the ballot for the fall election, in accordance with Atty. General Miller's opinion.

"Farmer" Tyler brot to this office a nice assortment of apples from the trees on the big farm south of the city. The trees are heavily laden and the quality perfect.

The home of Peck Hayes, colored, on Jarvis street was damaged to the extent of \$100 by fire today. Chief O'Leary rescued Hayes' bulldog that had been chained to the bed.

BUILT THIS HOME WITH NORTH DAKOTA MONEY



The Independent is always glad to see North Dakotans prosper. Charles Funderberg, our old time Surrey friend, now resides at New Carlisle, Ohio. He made a large share of his money in North Dakota, where he still owns valuable farm land. The New Carlisle Sun recently ran the picture of Mr. Funderberg's new home with an interesting write-up, which we reproduce:

"Here's a picture of another of the new, thoroughly modern and substantial homes recently built in New Carlisle—the home of Charles Funderberg at Washington and Scott streets. This is a case where North Dakota made the money for Mr. Funderberg and he has been kind enough to let New Carlisle enjoy the benefits of his good fortune.

"The house is constructed on the Western bungalow style and attracts the admiration of all visitors and local people. It has eight rooms and soft water bath, all modernly equip-

ped with gas. A cement basement under the entire house is a leading feature. The basement is fitted with a complete laundry, including power washer. The house is of the best grade frame construction with slate roof and copper drains. Mr. Funderberg is now installing a hot water system for heating purposes. One of the attractive features is a large sleeping porch in front, all screened. Another feature is the large front porch containing 418 square feet of surface with large square brick columns. The rear porch is also screened and arranged to make everything convenient for the housewife. A laundry shoot extends from attic to basement and an elevator in the dining room saves Mrs. Funderberg many steps to the cellar. Inside, it is tastefully finished in hardwood throughout.

"Just now Mr. Funderberg is putting the finishing touches on his garage in the rear of his home. It will be fully equipped with tools and workbench for repairing his machine, will be electrically lighted and contains an anti-freeze toilet room. With the garage will be constructed a large pergola on the north side of the house, with driveway to the garage.

"Mr. Funderberg has received many favorable comments on the general beauty and artistic appearance of his home, and New Carlisle is glad to welcome all persons, especially her former sons, who will return here and build as pretty and substantial homes as Mr. Funderberg has done."

ADMIRABLE ARRAY OF New Fall Garments For Women And Children

Our garment department is now filled almost to overflowing with handsome new coats for mothers and daughters. We feel sure that you will like our styles and know without doubt that you will like our prices. Our garment department will be handled on a closer basis this fall than ever before, and you will find by comparison that it does not pay you to send away for your garments. We want you to pay us a visit before you buy.

Heavy Warm Coats For The Children

Serviceable grey Chinchilla coats with black plush collars and cuffs, shepherd check lining; sizes 3-6 **\$2.95**

Cute little Astrackan coats in navy, with velvet collar and cuffs and low pleated satin belt. Warm quilted lining. Sizes 2 to 5 **\$4.50**

Rich black cape coats of Curitex material with quilted lining: Sizes 4-5-6 **\$6.75** Sizes 7-8-9 **\$7.50**

Nobby Cape coats for girls from 8 to 14 years. Of heavy materials in Copenhagen blue and navy. A splendid school coat **\$5.75**

Handsome and dressy black coats for girls from 8 to 14 years. Black velvet collar and cuffs. A remarkable value **\$3.95**

Wonderful Values in Ladies and Misses Fall and Winter Coats at \$9.00, \$11.75, \$12.50, \$14.50 and \$18.50

Comprising all the new styles, cape coats, low belt effects, bell flare skirts, Raglans and others. Plain and fancy materials. Dark plaids, Astrackans and Zibelines. Styles are correct and the prices exceptionally low. We want you to see them.

Rich, lustrous black silk plush coats for women. This season's popular styles at **\$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00**

New Skirts

at **\$2.95, \$3.75 and \$4.75**

All new models, Tunics and pleats. Mostly blacks and navies. Values that are truly wonderful.

New White Waists

Specialy Priced at **\$1.29**

All newest models just received. New collars, new sleeves and new vestee belt effects. Made of all-over embroideries, crepes, linen, voiles and lawns.

We Save You Money on **BOYS SCHOOL SUITS** Good, Sturdy, well made suits. Some with two pair knickerbockers. Serviceable dark mixtures and blue serge **\$2.75 to \$5.75** Bring your boys in and try them on.

Watch for our **FALL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT**, which will appear in next week's issue of this paper

THE LELAND STORE

Where the Prices are Always Low
FRANK & GRAHAM CO. MINOT, N. DAK.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

Great Cattle and Hog Sale

To be held at the **SLOCUM FARM**, 2½ miles northwest of Minot about the middle of October ---exact date to be given later

75 Head of Pure Bred and High Grade Jersey Milch Cows, Heifers and Young Bulls to be Sold. This is one of the highest testing herds in the northwest. As a herd these cows tested 5.6 butterfat last January, and never tested lower than 5.

50 Head of Berkshire Hogs The very finest lot of porkers ever offered for sale in Western North Dakota

Complete particulars will be announced in the Independent soon. Watch this paper and be on the lookout for sale posters.

J. B. TAYLOR

At The Slocum Farm Minot, N. Dakota

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Capture Check Artist. A check artist was arrested at the

Soo depot Wednesday. He had passed a worthless \$15 check on Abe Bader at the Palace Clothing store. Bader grew suspicious and found the check was worthless. The money and goods were returned.

STOLE MONEY AND TROUSERS

HOBO AT SURREY ROBS HARVEST HAND OF CLOTHING AND LOCKS HIM IN BOX CAR.

Out at Surrey where W. S. Young, Elder Dierdorff and other good citizens live, a bold robbery occurred Wednesday night when a hobo held up a harvest hand, taking all the money he had. The hobo, noticing that his victim wore an especially good pair of trousers, leveled his gun and made him take them off. He is undoubtedly wearing them now. After doing the job very thoroughly, he locked the victim in a box car, where he was found early this morning by Wm. Horner, the elevator man. No clue to the robber has been found.

Bold Robbery at Donnybrook. Eight young men were held up at Pantz's livery barn at Donnybrook Tuesday night, \$15 being secured. The victims are members of a threshing crew who remained in town over night. The robbers got away on a train.

Ernest Bohoke was instantly killed by lightning at his farm near Mandan. Two horses were also killed and his barn burned.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cole of Kenmare are moving to Grand Forks this week where their children are attending school. The Coles are old time residents of Ward county and Mr. Cole has become one of our wealthiest citizens.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

at Surrey, in the State of North Dakota, at the close of business, September 12th, 1914:

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$60,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Other real estate	4,700.00
Current expenses, taxes paid, over undivided profits	1,200.00
Due from other banks	214,843.00
Checks and other cash	4.25
Items	1,000.00
Cash	16,578.96
Total	\$86,488.49
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Individual deposits	\$23,990.44
Time certificates of deposit	25,100.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	307.05
Due	61,498.49
Bills payable	10,000.00
Total	\$86,488.49

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA }
County of Ward }
I, W. S. Young, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. S. YOUNG, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1914.
WALTER H. BOND, Notary Public.
My commission expires Aug. 20th, 1914.
CORROBOR-Attest:
R. E. HARRON, Notary Public.