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CO. D. IS READY FOR WAR DUTY

Minot Company Will Leave for Bismarck This Week on Special—Williston Will Join Them Here.

Co. D, 100 strong, will leave for Bismarck tomorrow or Saturday, where the First North Dakota Regiment will be mobilized. The boys will remain at the old army headquarters at Fort Lincoln, which have not been used by the regulars for a number of years. There is ample room on the Fort Lincoln grounds.

It was first believed that the soldiers would mobilize at Devils Lake, where the regiment's entire equipment was stored, but the war department decided on Fort Lincoln. The equipment, sufficient for 1800 men, has been shipped to Fort Lincoln and just as soon as it is ready, word will be sent to Co. D and they will leave immediately over the Soo on a special train. Williston will come to Minot and the two companies will travel down over the Max line with four coaches and one baggage car.

Co. D has now recruited to nearly a hundred and will go out of Minot a hundred strong. Every train brings in members who have been away. Three came from Minneapolis, four from Devils Lake, one from Mizpah, Minn., one from Huron, S. D., and another from Miles City, Montana.

Capt. Frank E. Wheelon is in charge of the company with the following subordinate officers: First Lieut. F. Otto Gross; 2nd Lieut. A. E. Whitney; 1st Sergt. Hayes; Quartermaster Sergt. Larson; Duty Sargts. White, Falvey, Lantz and Robbins.

Members of the company worked out on the rifle range, one of the members getting a score of 92 out of a possible 100. Their rifles shoot with deadly accuracy for a distance of 2800 yards. The last show at the Lyceum this evening was given by the management for Co. D. No admission was charged but the crowd was permitted to give what it wished. The money will be used for the sick members of the company, in buying special food.

Roster of Co. D. N. D. N. G.
Stanton Hayes, First Sgt.; Leonard Larson, Q. M. Sgt.; P. R. C. White, Mess Sgt.; P. B. T. Robbins, Sgt.; C. G. Lance, Sgt.; Fred Falvey, Sgt.; L. S. McGann, Corp.; Victor Burgstrom, Corp.; Hugh Taylor, Corp.; John Leslie, Corp.; Fred VanDuzee, Corp.; George Hodge, Corp.; Roy LaShelle, Corp.; Wm. Marsh, Musician; B. B. Fleet, Musician; Geo. Sawaya, Cook; P. A. Brown, Cook.

Privates
Avelsgaard, Melvin A., Andrews, Les, Bailey, George, Bailey, John D., Bates, Harry, Baker, Chas., Beale, Irl J., Bristzke, H., Brown, Peter A., Buchko, Joseph M., Buchkl, Jas. H., Caulkins, Niel, Christianson, Herman, Clarke, Ralph H., Cyrus, Russel, Day, William, Enger, Axel, Ellison, Wildor, Fanning, Francis, Fleet, B. D., Fowler, Harold, Gillette, Raymond, Gilmore, Patrick, Gimble, Hans, Given, Guy D., Hall, Walter, Halsey, Orville, Hasse, Aksel, Halsebo, Olav, Hanson, J. Wesley, Hiltz, Jos. J., Hoffman, Edward, Howell, P. D., Johnson, Hurman, Kearns, Michael, Kilgin, Leo S., Kohn, H. Ralph, Kuhl, C. N., Laridaen, H., Larson, Chas., Lee, Andrew, Lopez, John, Lutjens, Albert, Leon, Miller, Mike, Morrow, Joen N., Moulton, Clarence, Murphy, Paul, McLain, Henry J., McDonald, McKee, W. P., Nichols, Walter, Nyberg, Oscar, Oesch, William, Racine, Allen T., Remington, Harry L., Riblett, Buel J., Rotland, Sawyer, John E., Selberg, Joseph, Schlaberg, Harry, Soderquist, Verne, Teschman, Tiller, Albert, Troyer, Earl, Tulland, David T., Sarchow, Geo., Waydeman, William, Whalen, Geo., Wilkes, Ray W., Williams, Roy S., Wilson, Arthur J., Wynn, Earl, Zebriskie, John T.

Miss Ida Tufveson Will Wed
San Diego Minister
Mr. and Mrs. Nels Tufveson have issued invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Ida Selma, to Rev. Erik J. Forsberg of San Diego, Cal., which will occur at their home in Minot, 426 Fourth avenue northwest, Wednesday, July 5, at four o'clock in the afternoon. The bridal couple will leave for

Sept. 1 will be at home in San Diego. Miss Tufveson, who is one of Minot's very charming young women, met the man of her choice at San Diego, where she has spent a number of winters with her parents.

Blakey May Build Four Story Block.
The Western Building Co. has been awarded the contract to build the new Blakey block. It will be made of reinforced concrete and may be built four stories high. The Scarlett Office Outfitting Co. will occupy the main floor and Mr. Reierson of the Waverly hotel has leased the second and third floors for additional rooms for his hotel. Offices will be located at the front of the second floor.

Wm. Tooley Weds Miss Bailey.
Wm. Tooley, who is connected with the International Harvester Co. of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Bailey at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Father Jos. Raith. They left on No. 30 for the cities to spend their honeymoon. The bride has been employed at the Scandinavian-American bank for some time. The young couple have the best wishes of a large number of their friends.

Robinson Elevator to be Moved.
The Robinson elevator will be moved from its present location along the Great Northern in order to make room for the 200 foot extension to the G. N. freight house and after July 1 will remain closed until further notice in order to make the change in location. The elevator occupied by the Minot Co-operative Grain Co. will be also be moved.

PRESIDENT CRAWFORD GUEST AT LUNCHEON

President of State Board of Regents Made Pleasing Talk—Predicts Minot Normal Largest

An enjoyable informal luncheon was tendered Lewis F. Crawford of Sentinel Butte, N. D., president of the State Board of Regents, at the Leland hotel Saturday at noon by a number of Minot citizens. President Porter of the Association of Commerce took charge of the meeting at the close of the luncheon and called on a number for informal talks. A. M. Thompson, the first speaker, told of the growth of the Minot Normal school and stated that the institution had developed so rapidly that one or two more dormitories were needed as well as the new wing to the main building planned when the building was constructed. He referred to the fairness of the board of regents.

Major Person speaking next said that while the school was for the entire state, it has the backing of the Minot citizens. He spoke of the large crowds at the public entertainments held at the school and said our people are interested in the splendid institution.

President Crane spoke of the opportunities of the school. There are 50,000 boys and girls living closer to this institution than to any other school, and 200,000 who are directly interested in the institution. He said that 500 students would attend the summer school. He said the school was long on students and short on room.

President Crawford gave an interesting talk. He said that by reason of the location the Minot Normal would soon be the largest in North Dakota. He believes that one should be established at Dickinson to care for the needs of southwestern North Dakota.

He said there are 8,000 teachers in the state, 5,000 of whom are in the country schools. Four hundred students graduate every year from the Normal schools. We have to bring in 1,600 teachers every year from other states. Our Normal schools should supply our own teachers. As the number of students increase more room will be necessary and he said the state would not hamper the growth of any institution on account of lack of room. In the next five years he predicted the Minot school would be three times its present number of students. Mr. Crawford made an excellent impression.

JOHNNIE THE MEXICAN JOINS COMPANY D

Capt. Wheelon Has Soldier Who Can "Fight the Devil With Fire"—Soldiers' Wives Will be Cared For.

"Johnnie, the Mexican," who was employed by "Dad" Marsh in his restaurant for several years, is now a member of Co. D and will soon be on his way south to fight against the members of his own nationality. Johnnie was working at Kenmare when he got the call and he hurried to Minot to join his colors. He has a wife living in this city. "Dad" Marsh has promised to see that she does not want for the necessities of life.

Paul White, a valuable member of the company, will leave a wife and five children in the city. He has been employed by the Hodgins Transfer Co. Jos. Hodgins has had Mr. White's life insured and has provided free rent for the family while Mr. White is at the front.

Capt. Wheelon informs the Independent just before going to press that his company will in all probability leave the city Sunday.

Secretary and Mrs. Will Holbein spent Sunday with friends at Anamoose.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL RESCUED FROM BRUTE

Harry Aymor, Degenerate, Captured After He Had Taken Little Tot a Mile From Her Home.

Harry Aymor, a degenerate, was caught by Mr. Sutherland, janitor of the Model school, just as he was leading the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ferris into the bushes west of the Normal school Tuesday afternoon.

Aymor had enticed the little tot from her home, telling her that they would pick flowers, and when caught, they were a mile from the little girl's home.

Aymor appeared before Judge Lynch Wednesday and is now serving a ten-day sentence for disorderly conduct. As he had not yet wronged the child, this is all that can be given him under the law.

A little brother of the Ferris girl ran to the janitor and told him that a man was taking his little sister away. About the same time, one of the Normal teachers, Miss Devine, notified the janitor that she saw a rough looking young man leading a small child out west of the Normal grounds. Sutherland gave chase. As he caught up with the brute, the child began crying. She was returned to her mother, who had not missed the little tot.

Aymor looks a degenerate and could not give a satisfactory answer as to

how the child came to accompany him. He said she had asked him to go with her to pick flowers. He had arrived in Minot that morning and after working half a day quit and wandered off into the northern part of the city. It is said that he is the man who tried to entice two other little girls away.

Prominent Piano Manufacturer Minot Business Visitor

Samuel W. Raudenbush, president of the Raudenbush & Sons Piano Co. of St. Paul, visited Minot Wednesday. The Raudenbush company has a large piano factory midway between Minneapolis and St. Paul which is growing rapidly. A large addition will soon be built to enable the company to care for the growing business. The company operates five stores, at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Minot and Fargo, the Minot house being in charge of H. A. King. Mr. Raudenbush is pleased at the way the business in general is growing, and especially with the Minot house.

Mr. Raudenbush has been engaged in the business for 46 years and is regarded as one of the pioneers in the piano manufacturing business. The Raudenbush pianos have gained an enviable reputation.

Is Selling Property Near the Normal

C. L. E. Moore, son-in-law of W. P. Fuller of Springfield, Mass., arrived last week and is engaged in putting the valuable property of the Somers Land Co., located near the Minot Normal school, on the market. Mr. Fuller is heavily interested in the Somers Land Co. This is some of the city's most desirable residence property and Mr. Moore is offering it at the right price, and on easy terms. He has established offices in the New Jacobson block.

BUICK FOUR-CYLINDER CAR JUST ANNOUNCED

L. C. Eby Telegraphs The Independent From the Factory of the 1917 Sensation

The Independent received a telegram from L. C. Eby, of the firm of Eby & Young, Minot's Buick dealers, who left Minneapolis Saturday, June 17, on the Pence automobile tour, the most extensive tour ever undertaken by an automobile concern of the country. Mrs. Eby accompanied her husband. The party left Minneapolis on a special train for Duluth, going over the lake to Bay City, Mich., and by train to the factory at Flint, Mich. The party will proceed to Detroit, Cleveland, Niagara Falls, returning via Chicago. The Buick sensation for 1917 has just been announced. It is a four-cylinder, five-passenger car, listed at \$665.

Main Street Block Sold for \$40,000
Halvor J. Halvorson bought the three-story brick block on Main street occupied by the First International bank from Frank W. Roach, Mrs. Jos. Roach and Levi Gilroy for \$40,000. The deal was closed last week.

Needed Rain Came
Wednesday's long, steady, gentle rain was just what the farmers had been looking for. The grain is about all in the ground and every drop of rain means money in the farmers' pockets. The prospects for a good crop were never better than at this time of the year.

Notice of Meeting
To the Stockholders of the Minot Farmers' Grain Association:

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Minot Farmers' Grain Association will be held at the elevator in Minot, Thursday, June 29, 1916. All are urgently requested to be present.
JOHN WALLIN, Secretary.

Williston Takes Four Straight
Williston defeated Minot on the local ball grounds Saturday 10 to 4. Sunday's game was a victory for the visitors, making four straights for Williston. The City of Opportunity has a mighty fast team. Minot will make a number of changes in the line-up and before the end of the season we expect to give the visitors an interesting time.

MASS MEETING AND DANCE IS PLANNED

Company Fund Will be Raised for Company D—Committee Now at Work.

The Association of Commerce and the doctors of the city are working in unison on a plan to assist Company D in the way it should be helped. At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the association this noon it was decided to ask the people of the city to contribute to a fund to be used by the company of militia of this city during the campaign on the Mexican border. This fund will be used for absolute necessities that the government does not always furnish. President Porter of the association appointed Messrs. H. L. Halvorson, F. B. Lambert and E. S. Person as a committee to solicit this fund, and this committee is already at work. Mr. Lambert found so much sentiment in favor of such a move that he started a subscription list this morning and secured \$100 in a very short time, only two men turning his proposition down.

The doctors of the city decided last evening at a meeting to do something to show Company D that it was appreciated, and a committee of the physicians—met with the association directors, as also did Capt. Wheelon.

Capt. Wheelon reported that he needed a number more men for his company, and it was decided that a mass meeting would put the matter up in the right shape for our people and President Porter appointed Messrs. A. B. McCannel, J. L. Devine, Ira D. Wight, R. E. Barron and Will E. Holben to make arrangements for this meeting to be held at the Armyory tomorrow evening, at which time prominent citizens will address the meeting and set forth some of the things that are worrying the officers of the local company. The meeting will be followed by a dance to assist in raising funds necessary.

Everybody is urged to attend this meeting, for it may be the last time they will be able to see the local company for many months, as it is pretty certain that in a very few days the North Dakota militia will be mobilized and sent to the Mexican border to do patrol duty. The meeting will start at 8:30 sharp.

MENNONITE BISHOP WAS WELL KNOWN HERE

S. G. Lapp, a bishop of the Mennonite church, who was formerly located in North Dakota, lost his life in the terrible train wreck at Packard, Ia. The body of Mr. Lapp was found seven miles down the stream. He was well known in this vicinity. He had often visited at Surrey during the period from 1905 to 1911 in connection with his church work. He was on his way to Minnesota when the wreck occurred. Mr. Lapp was about 45 years of age.

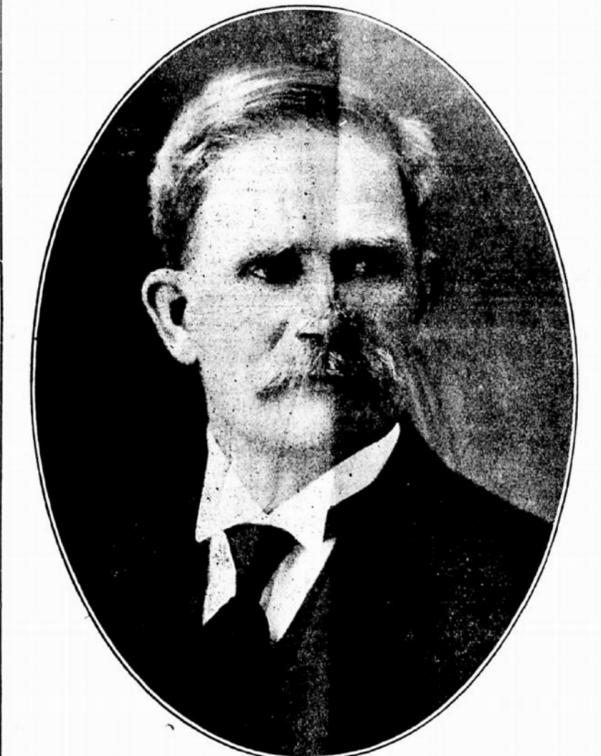
The Magician
The first annual Bulletin published by the graduating class of the Minot Normal school is off the press and it is a beauty. The students deserve credit for the unusually good work. The work was financed without a line of advertising matter. The book, which is known as "The Magician," is beautiful typographically and the subject matter was selected very judiciously.

BIG TENT MEETINGS TO BE HELD AT DES LACS

The United Evangelical congregation of Des Lacs will hold revival meetings in a big tent from July 6 to 16. Rev. H. W. A. Mergel, who has had charge of the Des Lacs church since April, will be in charge of the meetings. A tent 40x60 has been secured.

BLACK MANAGER OF THE GOOD GOVERNMENT LEAGUE

Norman B. Black, former manager of the Grand Forks Times-Herald Co., has signed up a three-year contract as manager of the Good Government League and is now in Fargo, where the headquarters of the League are located.



The above is a photo of Lewis F. Crawford, president of the State Board of Regents, taken at the Leland hotel Saturday at noon.

asked on his record as a public man and as citizen of this commonwealth. His past record proves that he has the stability and judgment needed as the executive of the affairs of the office he seeks. The fact that he has not held the office as deputy does not in the least reflect on his ability and efficiency to conduct the affairs of the office he seeks, and if elected, he will conduct the affairs of the office with credit to himself and his constituency, but he believes that his fellow citizens when casting their ballot June 28th, will consider not only the qualifications of the candidate, but also who is most deserving and entitled to recognition and Mr. Wallin places his case before the voters on his own merits, with the firm belief that they will give him a substantial majority June 28th, as their candidate on the republican ticket.—Pol. Adv.

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