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the time the exhibits are presented at the school building. Exhibitors need make no previous notice of their intention to exhibit. Any resident of Minot is privileged to exhibit either flowers or vegetables, but adults are eligible to prizes for vegetables only. Those not over sixteen years of age are eligible to prizes on both flower and vegetable departments. Adults, however, are urged to exhibit flowers, even though they may not compete for flower prizes. No charge will be made for entry of exhibits or entrance to the exhibition. The social committees of the women's clubs comprising the City Federation will conduct refreshment booths at the exhibition, and the slight charge they will make for refreshments will, it is believed, defray the expenses of the exhibition.

It is desired that every citizen of Minot, large or small will do all in his power to add to the success of this undertaking which has for its sole object the betterment of the community.

SUPT. KELSEY GETS PROMOTION

Head of G. N. Minot Division Becomes Asst. General Superintendent—
C. E. McLaughlin to Minot

C. E. McLaughlin, who has been superintendent of the Dakota division of the Great Northern at Grand Forks, has been transferred to the Minot division, taking the place of Supt. F. D. Kelsey, who goes to Great Falls as assistant general superintendent. Mr. Kelsey has established a reputation for being one of the best superintendents of the G. N.

R. A. McCandless, who has been superintendent at Great Falls, goes to Grand Forks.

HAIL AND WIND INFLICT VERY SEVERE DAMAGE

Tolley, Glenburn and Foxholm in Path of Storm Which Did Hundreds of Thousands Dollars Damage

Immense damage was done by hail over a territory varying from three to twelve miles and extending from eight or ten miles north of Glenburn south and west to the vicinity of Foxholm, Tuesday night. Vast fields of the very best grain to be found in the state this year were devastated within a few moments. It is impossible to estimate the loss but it runs away up in the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

It is impossible to get an entire list of those in the storm area as there are hundreds who suffered losses, complete in most cases. Very little insurance was carried on the crops as the farmers have become so prosperous that they feel that they can in many cases carry their own risk.

The storm occurred between eleven and twelve o'clock at night, following a terrifically hot day. Hail stones as large as hen's eggs covered the ground. Stock in the pastures suffered from the large stones. Cattle could be heard bellowing and many horses were cut in the wires when they ran in an attempt to get away from the storm.

J. F. Ahmann, a prosperous Foxholm farmer, was in Minot Wednesday after the storm. He stated that in his locality a strip of territory six miles long and three miles wide was laid bare. The storm came from the northwest and the immense hail stones broke out practically every window in the north and west sides of the homes. At the Ahmann home the hail tore through the screens, breaking the windows, covering the floor.

Among those who lost their crops in the Foxholm district are J. F. Ahmann, 400 acres; Andrew Nett, 300 acres; Mike Bittner, one quarter section; Henry Willenbrin, 320 acres; Val Engelhardt, John Backes, George Klosterman, Frank Nelson, Peter Miller, Louis Albers and Fred Ahmann.

There are undoubtedly others whose names we have been unable to learn at this writing.

Maurice Christenson, who lives four miles and a half west of Glenburn, drove to Minot Wednesday, passing over the district where the damage was done. He followed the path of the storm as far as the old Lynch postoffice. The grain on the Kersey Gowin farm was ruined completely. At the Harry Gowin farm every straw was pounded into the ground. At the Harry Jones farm the windows were broken out of the residence. Chas. Matson, who had 800 acres of crops, reports a loss of 25 per cent. Mr. Christenson says that the storm extended but a short distance east of Glenburn, traveling south and west.

B. F. Baker, who lives two miles east of Glenburn, reports a complete loss of several hundred acres of the

finest appearing crops. C. E. Colcord lost between two and three hundred acres. At his farm all of the smaller buildings, including two granaries, were blown away. J. S. Beam lost practically all of his crop with the exception of his rye, which he had almost finished cutting. Mr. Beam's crop on the G. D. Colcord farm is a complete loss.

Three Men Injured
The new residence which George Stroup was building was wrecked. Three men were sleeping in a bunk car at the Stroup farm and they were badly bruised when the wind turned the car over and over.

Albert Ebert reports almost a complete loss but he was one of the few men in the Glenburn district who carried any insurance. A. C. Dayton lost 1,000 acres of grain.

DEERING BOY KILLED

A sad accident occurred Tuesday, July 25, near Deering, when Leonard, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Anderson, met death when he fell from the water wagon, the rear wheel passing across his neck. The boy was riding on the tank and one of the hired men was hauling it to the steam outfit when the wagon struck a rut. Mrs. Anderson, the mother, was at Northwood at the time of the accident with another son who went there for an operation.

TREASURER'S REPORT

For Burlington School District No. 1, County of Ward, State of North Dakota, for the year 1915-1916:

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand at beginning of school year, July 1, 1915	\$6579.58
Total amount received during the year from the apportionment of the State Tuition Fund	794.96
Total amount received during the year from the apportionment of the County Tuition Fund	568.07
Amount received during the year from Taxes levied by the District School Board, including outstanding warrants received or endorsed in the collection of Taxes	6238.27
Amount received during the year from other sources	76.12
Total receipts for the year, including Cash on Hand July 1, 1915	\$14207.00

EXPENDITURES	
Amount paid during the year for School Houses, Sites and Furniture	2108.94
Amount paid during the year for Apparatus, Fixtures, etc.	68.38
Amount paid during the year for Teachers' Wages	3232.50
Amount paid during the year for Services and Expenses of School Officers	120.00
Amount paid during the year for Interest on Bonds and Warrants	395.76
Amount paid during the year for incidental Expenses	1355.63
Amount paid during the year for Redemption and Refunding of Bonds	841.20
Total expenditures for the year	\$8102.21
Cash on hand June 30, 1916	6106.79
Grand Total Expenditures and Cash on Hand, to balance above Total Receipts	\$14207.00

RELATING TO SINKING FUND

Amount of Sinking Fund in Treasury July 1, 1915	2000.00
Amount received into and transferred to the Sinking Fund during the year	500.00
Total	\$2500.00
Balance in sinking fund June 30, 1916	2500.00

JOHN H. WERNER,
Treasurer of Burlington School District No. 1,
Approved this 11th day of July, A. D. 1916
By Order of the District School Board:
Attest: CHAS. WISTROM,
GORDON I. NEFF, Clerk.

CLERK'S STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS OF DISTRICT

Whole amount of Warrants Outstanding June 30, 1916	\$8000.00
Whole amount of Bonds outstanding June 30, 1916	210.53
Total Indebtedness of District June 30, 1916	\$8210.53

Approved this 12th day of July A. D. 1916
By order of the District School Board:
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Flower and Vegetable Exhibit

Dates are August 17 and 18. The executive committee of the City Beautifying League have the details of the Flower and Vegetable exhibit to be held August 17 and 18 arranged. The school board has kindly granted the use of as much space in the Central and High School buildings as shall be necessary for the exhibition.

The committee feel that they have been very fortunate in the way of obtaining skilled and competent assistants and judges. Mr. E. L. Rowan will superintend the arrangement of the exhibits, which fact will assure the public that the best possible results will be achieved.

The following is a list of the judges: Rear Yard Contest—J. H. Lewis, R. B. Stacy-Judd and S. Woodford. Vegetable Garden Contest—J. M. McArthur, Mrs. J. L. Baptie and Mrs. C. A. Edblom.

Vegetable Exhibit—W. A. Peck, Mrs. R. W. Pence, Mrs. Norman Ellison. Flower Exhibit—Mrs. J. C. Huyck, Mrs. J. D. Van Fleet and Mrs. F. A. Brugman.

No announcement is to be made as to the time the judges in the Rear Yard contest will make their rounds. Contestants may be prepared to see them any time between the present date and the time the awards are made in the early autumn.

The judges in the Vegetable Garden contest will complete their work before the exhibit, August 17 and 18, so that no one need hesitate to place vegetables and flowers in the exhibit for fear of spoiling his chances in the contest. The judges of the Vegetable Garden contest will submit to the Rear Yard judges a list of contestants worthy of consideration in the contest for the loving cup offered by Secretary W. E. Holbein for the property presenting the best appearance in both front and rear yards. Final decision in this matter will be made by the rear yard judges.

Anyone not entered in the contests wishing to compete for the cup may do so by sending a card to the secretary of the league, Mrs. T. J. Vincent, signifying his address and desire. Entry of exhibits will be made at

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