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Young Soldier Beat Dago Frank at His Own Game.

Aleck Hoff, who has been employed on the Robert Miller farm, north of Granville, was in the city Monday night, enroute to Des Moines, Ia. Aleck walked into Dago Frank's barber shop and the Dago thot he had struck another easy mark. Aleck has been around the world somewhat, having served for several years in the army. He asked for a hair cut and a shave. The Dago suggested that his hair was too oily to cut well without a shampoo. The Dago shampooed the young man. He singed his hair. He put oil and some other kind of "stink-em-good" on it. He discovered a black head and removed it from the young man's face. He massaged him and steamed his face until it shone like a babe's. When he got thru after about two hours' work, he presented his bill for \$3.50. Aleck said he had ordered a hair cut and a shave and was willing to pay 75 cents. He defied Dago to send for the police and finally was permitted to leave after paying the 75 cents. This is one time that Dago got the dirty end of the stick.

Death Claims Gabriel Bolstad.

Gabriel Bolstad, aged 25 years, who was employed at the E. A. Dunn Dairy, died at a local hospital Nov. 16, from influenza. Funeral services were held Sunday, the remains being interred in Rose Hill cemetery.

Mr. Bolstad is survived by his wife and a little daughter.

Froid, Mont., Farmer Dies in Minot.

Leonard Martin Williams, a prominent farmer from Froid, Mont., passed away at St. Joseph's hospital Sunday after a lingering illness from nephritis. The remains were shipped to Froid for interment. The deceased was 62 years, 11 months and 17 days old. He was a prominent member of the Baptist Brethren church.

Connecticut Man Dies in This City.

Joseph Rowe, who was employed as fireman for the Northern States Power Co. died in this city Thursday from pneumonia. He was 35 years of age and leaves relatives in Connecticut, who cannot be located. The remains were interred in this city Wednesday.

Aviator's Wife Arrived for Visit.

Mrs. Chester Jacobson, who has been with her husband, Lieut. Chester Jacobson of the aviation service at Sacramento, Cal., for several months, arrived in this city Thursday and is making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Scofield. Her husband will probably be granted a furlough in about a month. Lieut. Jacobson is an instructor in the service and has won a great name for his dare-devil flying.

Holbein Attending National Convention.

Will E. Holbein, secretary of the Association of Commerce, who left for Rochester, N. Y., recently to attend the National convention of secretaries of Commercial clubs, is expected home in a few days. The convention took up after war problems largely and Mr. Holbein will return with some brand new ideas that will prove of much importance at this time.

Mr. Holbein will visit Niagara Falls enroute home.

Death of Mahoney Babe.

Dorothy, the 18-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mahoney, died Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Mahoney home in this city. The little one had been ill but a short time with influenza. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Catholic church by Rev. Fr. Raith. The little one is survived by her parents and a sister.

Masonic Officers.

The following officers of Star in the West Dodge No. 38, A. F. and A. M., were elected Thursday night:
Albert Lowe, W. M.
J. R. Pence, S. W.
Vernon Stenersen, J. W.
A. D. Hagenstein, Secretary.
H. E. Byorum, Treasurer.

Stole Chas. Withers' Buick.

Chas. Withers' new Buick Six car was stolen from Main street in front of the Waverly hotel one evening early last week. There is not the slightest clue to the thief but it is believed that the car is still in the city as the roads have been unfit for long drives.

Solem Blomberg Injured in France.

Mrs. Solem Blomberg who has charge of Dr. C. C. Nugent's dental office, has received word that her husband was wounded recently by a machine gun bullet in France. He is improving rapidly and will probably be sent home early.

MINOT and VICINITY

J. A. N. Ellison has returned from a business trip to Minneapolis.

Autos are making trips in from the country again, the drivers reporting the roads improving fast.

John Ekall of Springbrook N. D., died of wounds received in battle, recently.

Minot meat markets are offering around 20 cents a pound for Thanksgiving turkeys, alive.

C. E. Leverich, formerly superintendent of the G. N. Minot division, is now located in New York city.

C. D. Miller and son from Granville were in the city on business Monday night.

Editor and Mrs. Francis of Velva, who have been very ill with the flu, are both out, tho quite weak.

Dick Barrett, one of Glenburn's most prominent farmers, was in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hart of Akron, O., visited Minot friends last week, enroute to Tacoma, Wash., their future home.

Theo. and Albert Mork, W. E. Stefek and Geo. Halligan, with their families, are ill from influenza at their homes south of Des Lacs.

A grade cow sold at the W. A. W. Culbertson sale recently for \$144 and

her yearling calf brot \$40. She was a first rate milker and worth the money.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Millar have gone to Grand Forks where they are visiting with their daughter Mrs. P. M. Cole. They will leave Saturday for San Pedro Cal. to, spend the winter.

Con Lidstrom, former Minot furniture dealer, writes from Minneapolis, where he is employed in the rug department of a large furnishings establishment, that he is delighted with his position.

Dr. Moffet of Donnybrook was in the city for a few hours Tuesday. The doctor has been going day and night, looking after the influenza patients and declares that the disease is abating slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Wolfe and daughter, Mrs. Alta Shipley, left today for Seattle, Wash., where they will spend the winter. Mr. Wolfe's sons, Dan and Welty, and their son-in-law, Mr. Shipley, are employed in that city.

F. M. Harder and W. R. Banks of Lansford, were in the city Tuesday enroute to San Diego, Cal., where they will join their families. They have extensive farming interests at Lansford and will return in the spring.

Christian Engen from Braham, Minnesota, is visiting at the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Martin Engen, south of Des Lacs. He was unable to attend the funeral of his son, Martin, held recently, owing to illness in his family.

Mrs. Harold Lamming of Grand Forks arrived for a visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hunter.

Ben Johnson of Astoria, S. D., arrived to look after his farming interests south of Des Lacs. He is making his headquarters at John Borud's.

Mrs. Lee Miller of Granville has ninety fine turkeys which she will market in a few days. The birds rustled for their own living on the Miller farm, after a few weeks old. Mrs. Miller considers that the good they did destroying grasshoppers amounted to five times the value of the food they ate.

Some scoundrel went out to Walter Forsyth's farm near Plaza Tuesday night while he lay dead at Bismarck and stole one hundred full blood chickens. They made a clean sweep, taking all they had. Mrs. Forsyth took great pride in her beautiful flock. The whole community should take an interest in helping to locate the thief.

George Eroo, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Eroo, who has been in the Custer training camp since July, is expected home in a few days. George was transferred recently to Camp Grant, Ill., where he is now studying for a lieutenant's commission. It would be necessary for him to remain three months before completing his work, but he is expected home shortly to resume his work with the Second National Bank. George writes that the training has done him a world of good. He is heavier and stronger. This only emphasizes the fact that our schools should pay more attention to physical training, which they will undoubtedly do in the future.

WANT ADS.

For Rent, For Sale, Lost, Found, Taken Up.

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand clothing and shoes. Haskell's Second Store, N. Main St. Phone 154 Black. 1-31-tr

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WANTED—To hear from owners of improved and unimproved farms for sale. Give full description of land, improvements and price wanted in first letter. The Minot Underwriters Co., Minot, N. D. 11-19-14

LOST—Four horses, a team of iron gray mares, well matched, five and six years old, weight 1300 lbs. each. They are short and blocky, and one black gelding, small star on forehead, bob-tail, large collar mark on left shoulder, weight about 1200 lbs., one black mare 8 years old, star on forehead, bob-tail, weight about 1150 lbs. Will pay \$25.00 reward to anybody that will find these horses for me or bring them to me. These four horses are in good flesh, or fat, as you call it. H. C. H. Stege, Minot, N. D., R. F. D. No. 4.

FOR RENT—New seven-room house near Normal school. O. B. Herzogstad, Minot, N. D. 10-24-tr

WANTED—Nice, clean rags at the Ward County Independent.
FOR RENT—Hotel at Williston, N. D. For further information write W. C. Gibb, Havre, Montana. 11-21-13-cg

ESTRAYED—From my place in Minot on Nov. 1st, one dapple gray mare, weight 1250, in good order, collar scar in left hand side, halter, tender on neck. \$50.00 reward for information leading to her recovery. Swan, M. Lindgren, Minot, N. D., 611 3rd St. N. W. *11-7-14

LOST—Wednesday, Nov. 6, either near the Pure Milk Creamery on Valley St., or in the caboose of the Soo local, pocket book containing grain check for \$55.55 and \$5.40 in cash. Finder leave at Independent office for reward. D. S. Tabler, Logan, N. D. 11-14-14

LOST—Two head of horses, one 4-year-old horse, star in forehead, mane clipped, short and chunky, weight around 1100 lbs. One driving mare, star in forehead, weight about 1000 lbs. Suitable reward. Notify Henry Juergens, Burlington, N. D. 11-14-14

WANTED IN EXCHANGE—An improved quarter section of land within 3 miles of Berthold or Lone Tree, for gilt-edge Minot residence property. Address Mrs. Dora Wagner, Blaisdell, N. Dak. 11-7-14

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock cockerels, \$1.25 each, at my farm. Joseph Gustafson, Drady, N. D. 11-21-14

ESTRAYED—From my place Nov. 18th, one Guernsey calf, bought on the A. W. May sale. Please take up and notify H. F. Farge, R. R. 1, Minot, N. Dak. 11-21-14

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Fidelity & Casualty Co. of New York will give free inoculation against influenza and pneumonia to its Minot health policyholders for the next fifteen days at the office of the Fidelity & Casualty Company's surgeon

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Have Your Gift List Complete

While it is time. Much of the enthusiasm in purchasing Christmas gifts is enhanced as the season approaches yet these lists must be made out early this season. Much of the real pleasure in gift giving lies in having the list filled with selections carefully, leisurely and thoughtfully made. Shopping now will avoid the delays and disappointments that are inevitable in the rush of the eleventh hour.

Practical Gifts For Her

In our list of merchandise suitable for Xmas gifts to a woman there are many items needed for practical purposes by every woman. They need not be of a character to be worn as an ornament but may be items of wearing apparel such as Gloves, Neckwear, Silk Hose, Kimonas or many items of a most useful character.

Gift Suggestions For Him

It is not easy to find just the right gift for a gentleman because they are generally supplied with all the ordinary requirements. We quote here, however, a few items which make appropriate gifts and which will be found here in endless assortment—Silk Mufflers, Neckties, Shirts, Etc.

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