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## W. GOODMAN STABBED TO DEATH BY NEGRO

### Man Who Operated Card Room Was Stabbed in Heart by Henry Brown and Ran to Taylor Drug Store Where He Fell Dead.

William Goodman, aged 30 years, who operated a card room in the old New York restaurant building on North Main street, ran screaming into the Taylor Drug store at ten o'clock Monday night, crying "I am stabbed," then fell on the floor just in front of the cigar case, dying within five minutes without another word.

The stabbing occurred a moment or two before Goodman entered the store, in the front of the room, close to the front door. The murderer is Henry Brown, who was arrested within two hours of the time he did the stabbing, in a shack occupied by a negro in the west end of the city. Brown is in the county jail and a charge of murder in the first degree will be filed against him by State's Attorney Herzigstad within a day or two.

The row between Goodman and the negro started over a game of cards which they had played a few minutes before in the card room located in the rear of the building on the main floor. Brown had come to the place to play and he had a limited amount of money, something like \$1.00. He had lost the dollar and he claims that Goodman made fun of him for being such a sucker. Brown continued in the game and buying a white chip to be used as an ante, lost that one. He bought another chip and lost it also. He says that Goodman taunted him by saying, "Yes, I'm smarter than you that I was."

When Brown got thru playing, he started for the door and says that Goodman followed him to the front of the room. He claims that they got into a row and that Goodman struck him two or three times in the face, that there were no marks on him and it is generally believed that he is not telling the truth, for Goodman's friends say that he was a man who would not be likely to strike anyone. The darkey pulled out a common road sized pocket knife and plunged it into Goodman's side, the blade, which was as sharp as that of a razor, going in its full length, cutting a gash an inch long in the side and another gash three-fourths of an inch long in the apex of the heart. The door was locked with a Yale lock from the inside. Goodman realized that he was seriously hurt, so unlocked the door and ran as fast as he could to the Taylor Drug store, hoping to get relief. He died within a few minutes after the stabbing, without explaining to anyone how the trouble started.

As he staggered into the store, Cap Saunders, the manager, was waiting on a customer, Miss Balerud. Another customer, a man, was in the store. Mr. Saunders telephoned to a doctor and notified the police department. Coroner B. W. Pence was on hand within a few minutes after the man died. The front door was locked and no one was admitted to the place except the authorities. Goodman lay on his back, his hat a foot or two away from him. He did not have his coat on and his vest was unbuttoned. His hands were all covered with blood and he had evidently tried to stop the flow of the blood while on his way to the store. A \$500 diamond ring sparkled on one of his bloody hands.

Officer Reed arrived before Goodman died, but the man was not able to speak. He evidently recognized Reed for he raised his hand and looked at the officer.

Chief of Police Dougherty was on the job within a few minutes and lost no time in spinning his web about the city. President Shaw assisted in locating the slayer.

Officers John and Dick Reed and Walt Marlon boarded the eastbound outgoing train on the Great Northern, riding on top of the box cars thru the rain without overcoats, to Surrey. Here the trains were stopped and carefully searched. Every taxi man was warned not to haul any man out from Minot. The night was dark and rainy and it would have been an ideal time for a murderer to make his escape.

Brown says that after the stabbing, he ran east along the Soo track, then south on First street southeast to the south hill. He went to his own shack and washed his hands, the officers finding what they thought was bloody water. They also found an old knife, but this did not prove to be the one with which Brown did the deed. Nearly one o'clock, a telephone message was received at the police station, saying that Brown had been located in a negro shack in the western part of the city. Chief Dougherty, Sheriff Scofield and Deputy Chet Jacobson jumped into President Shaw's car and soon arrived at the house. Brown made no resistance and was soon in the county jail. He did not know that Goodman was dead, he says, until he heard Sheriff Scofield tell the turkey that the man should be locked in his cell as he was a murderer.

Brown appeared before the state's attorney Tuesday and made a confession. In his statement he says that he was being attacked by Goodman, who struck him two or three times, and that the door being locked, he pulled his knife and gave Goodman a little jab, intending to "carve him up a little," but not expecting to kill him.

Coroner Pence held an autopsy Tuesday morning. He found that the knife had gone clear thru the cartilage of one of the ribs, piercing the apex of the heart, making a hole thru which the blood flowed. Had the knife struck an inch lower, death would not have resulted.

There were two eye witnesses to the stabbing, Owen Sherry and Tom Hughes, who were in the room. Sherry, who was acting as "look-out" at the place, was drawing a glass of water for Goodman, when Brown attacked him.

After Goodman was stabbed, he exclaimed to his friends, "That nigger has stabbed me. Get a doctor," but Goodman left the place before the men could come to his assistance.

On the way to the county jail, the negro told Chief Dougherty that Goodman had gotten all of his money and besides attacked him, causing him to stab him. He said that there was a bad feeling between himself and Goodman because Goodman accused him of "slipping a cinch" into Goodman's partner.

Among card men, "slipping a cinch" means the violating of the rule whereby the man who has the very best possible hand he could draw from a deck, is permitted to "call" any bet the other players may make, but never permitted to raise the bets. This is a rule strictly observed in a "gentleman's" game of poker.

Henry Brown generally was known as "Brownie." He has lived in Minot two years and was formerly employed as porter at Frank Rose's barber shop. Of late he has been washing dishes at night at Lyle's Lunch. He was janitor at the G. N. depot for some time. He claims that his wife died of the flu in Fargo last fall. Brown confessed to the sheriff that he had carved a man once in Fargo, for hitting him over the head with a billiard cue. He is considered among the colored folks of Minot as "a no-good nigger."

William Goodman has resided in Minot for about ten years. He was a very quiet young man, never giving anyone any trouble and while he did not make a great many friends on account of his quiet disposition, those who did know him, speak well of him. He was noted for paying his debts strictly. If he owed a man a dollar, he would not rest until the obligation was paid.

His father, A. L. Goodman, is a clothing merchant at Ashland, Wis. He was informed of the death of his son the same night and wired the police Tuesday. He arrived Wednesday afternoon to make arrangements for the burial. Mr. Goodman is a Hebrew, and appears to be a very fine gentleman.

The inquest was held Tuesday afternoon. The jury, A. F. McLane, Geo. Hoover and Fred Almy, brot in a verdict to the effect that Wm. Goodman came to his death from a stab wound in the heart, caused by a knife held in the hand of Henry Brown, commonly known as "Brownie."

### Minot Rotary Gave First Dinner-dance

The Minot Rotary Club celebrated its first birthday last Friday night with a dinner-dance at the Leland hotel dining room.

Covers were laid for sixty, four being seated at each table. Each member was seated at the table opposite the wife of some brother Rotarian, affording all an opportunity to be better acquainted. The tables were decorated attractively with bouquets and throat the evening, music was furnished by the Quigley orchestra.

Orrin Pierce, who acted as master of ceremonies thruout the evening, had charge of a huge Rotary wheel. As it was spun around, numbers indicated the tables that were to dance.

Practically every woman present was given an opportunity to tell why she had married her husband and there were some exceedingly clever answers. The men told how their wives had assisted them in their business. The answers were so unique that many of the members had to do some tall explaining when they arrived home.

Each Rotarian was supposed to give each woman present some favor. The favors comprised silk handkerchiefs, flowers, bottles of perfume, gold pins, besides many unique gifts peculiar to the business or profession of the donor. Each woman carried away a large armful of presents.

E. A. Long, president of the Rotary, A. D. McCannel, and others delivered short talks. The entire evening was enjoyable, the entertainment being one of the most unique affairs the city has known.

### Sold 11 Hogs for \$500

Howard Meyers, a prominent farmer from northeast of the city, marketed eleven hogs in the city Wednesday, selling them for more than \$500. He received 18 cents a pound for them, live weight. Mr. Meyers claims he can make good money with hogs at this price. He will have in 600 acres of crop this year, so to date he has very little wheat sown. He says the farmers will sow wheat up to May 20 and as the ground is thoroughly soaked, the crop is expected to make up for lost time. Nearly every farmer is sowing wheat on some disced land, as they will not be able to get a very large wheat crop, unless they do. This may be considered "slip-shod" farming in the ordinary year, but if we get plenty of rain, which is apt to be the case this year, the wheat is likely to beat the weeds up and a good crop follow.

## MARCUS M. BEIGHLE KILLED IN COAL MINE

### Prominent Sawyer Miner-Farmer was Crushed to Death Instantly When Mass of Dirt Falls on Him

Marcus M. Beighle, aged 41 years, a prominent coal miner of Sawyer, was crushed to death in his mine, ten miles southwest of Sawyer and about twenty miles south of Minot Monday afternoon at three o'clock. His body which was covered with several tons of rock and dirt, was recovered in about half an hour. The body was horribly crushed and death must have been instantaneous.

Mr. Beighle, who was interested in the coal mining operations with R. W. Beighle, his brother, who is a member of the state board of Regents of North Dakota, had been working on the opening of a new mine. The dirt had been scraped away for a distance of 40x140 feet and a vein of coal about eleven feet thick had been found. Two farm teams had been driven to the mine for coal and Mr. Beighle, assisted by E. B. Bevins and Arthur Muzzy were at work getting out coal, doing "strip mining". They were at work along a ledge of coal, when a mass of several tons of rock and dirt slid from the top of the ledge, catching Mr. Beighle and covering his body completely. Mr. Bevins was caught by the legs in the mass, but not badly injured. Mr. Muzzy heard the dirt coming and got out of the way.

Coroner Pence was called to the scene of the accident Tuesday but did not deem it necessary to hold an inquest. Beighle was taken to Sawyer where the deceased had resided, and the funeral was held there today.

Mr. Beighle had resided in Ward county for 17 years during which time he had been engaged in coal mining and farming. He was a member of the M. W. of A. He was a splendid type of citizen and scores of friends extend sincerest sympathy to the bereaved members of his family over this horrible tragedy.

Mr. Beighle is survived by his wife and one son, ten years old. He was married twelve years ago to a daughter of W. H. Putney. Prior to coming to North Dakota he lived near Chicago, Ill., and after coming here taught school at Velva and other points for some time.

### E. B. McCutcheon is Venerable Master of Scottish Rite Lodge

Preparedness Lodge No. 10, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry will be formally inaugurated in Minot May 23. The work will be put on in full form by Scottish Rite Masons from Fargo and Grand Forks. Sovereign Grand Inspector General Plumlee of Fargo and other dignitaries will be present and assist in the ceremonies. A large class will be initiated on that date which will possibly exceed 100, over fifty applications having already been received. The morning session will commence at 10 a. m., the afternoon at 2 p. m. and the evening session at 7:30 p. m. There will also be the traditional Scottish Rite banquet at the Leland at 6 p. m. Lunch will be served in the Temple at noon.

Scottish Rite members in good standing are requested to affiliate with the new Minot body. Petitions for initiations will be received until May 18. Blanks may be had from the secretary or any member. This should be one of the biggest days in Masonry in Minot for some time. The officers are: E. B. McCutcheon, Venerable Master; F. C. Upton, Senior Warden; L. H. Volmer, Junior Warden and acting Secretary.

### Minot Attorney Remembered by Wealthy Uncle

Attorney J. J. Coyle left today for Nevada, Iowa, where he went to look after a \$50,000 estate left to him by a wealthy uncle. Mr. Coyle states that the uncle died and remembered every one of the Coyle brothers and sisters in a similar manner, besides leaving a large sum to charitable institutions.

Mr. Coyle will go to Freeport, Ill. from Iowa to look after his share in the estate left by his father, who died several weeks ago. Mr. Coyle's interest in the two estates amounts to something like \$100,000, which will cause him a good deal of bother, figuring just what he will do with it. Mr. Coyle, who is the salt of the earth, is receiving the congratulations of his many friends over his good fortune.

### Minot Women Attending Williston Meeting

A number of women from this city went to Williston Wednesday to attend the annual convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs of this district.

Mrs. Kara A. Dickinson, chairman of the Social and Industrial committee, read a paper at the meeting. Mrs. Leslie White went as a delegate from the Art Club.

Miss Stella Nash and Mrs. G. E. Bemis represented the Wednesday Musical club.

W. E. Byerly motored over from Velva Wednesday morning thru the mud, arriving in time to participate in the march of Knights Templar to escort Grand Commandery officers to the Temple.

## GRAND COMMANDERY HOLDING CONCLAVE

### One of the Best Sessions in History of Organization in Progress—Wm. D. Henry, Wahpeton, Elected Grand Commander.

The annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of the state of North Dakota, opened at the Masonic Temple in this city Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

An escort from De Molay Commandery No. 10, of this city, marched from the Temple to the Grand Hotel at nine o'clock and accompanied the Grand Commandery officers and representatives from the various Commanderies of North Dakota to the Asylum. In the line of march from the Hotel to the Asylum, there were 37 members of De Molay Commandery and 44 officers and representatives. All were in full uniform.

The Conclave was opened with the following Grand Officers present: R. E. Granville, W. Wolbert, Grand Commander, Williston; V. E. Sir Wm. D. Henry, Deputy Grand Commander, Wahpeton; E. Sir Wilson L. Richards, Grand Generalissimo, Dickinson; E. Sir Edward S. Person, Acting Grand Captain General for Major John H. Fraine, who is with the army of occupation at Coblenz, Germany; E. Sir Ernest C. Eddy, Grand Senior Warden, Fargo; E. Sir Allan V. Haig, Grand Junior Warden, Devils Lake; E. Sir Nelson E. Elsworth, Grand Prelate, Williston; E. Sir Geo. H. Olmstead, acting as Grand Treasurer, Grand Forks; E. Sir Walter L. Stockwell, Grand Recorder, Fargo; E. Sir Otto Bauer, Grand Standard Bearer, Mandan; E. Sir John H. G. Turner, Grand Sword Bearer, Bottineau; E. Sir Frank C. Reed, acting for E. Sir Geo. H. Russ, who is Major with the overseas forces, Grand Warden, Bismarck; E. Sir Archibald D. McCannel, Grand Captain of the Guard, Minot.

Right Em. Sir Thomas Morris, Grand Commander of Minnesota, was present and inspected the North Dakota Grand Commandery, being given full honors at the opening of the Conclave. The opening is said to have been one of the very best in the history of the Grand Commandery, due largely to the excellent work of Major Person, the acting Grand Captain General.

Grand Commander Wolbert gave the opening address Wednesday morning. The Grand Officers gave their reports and the following special committees were appointed: Inspector—E. S. Person, E. C. Eddy and Max Hendrick. Returns of Charters Commanders—Geo. I. Fetton, C. O. Olson and E. A. Riply. Charity and Christian Observance—W. J. Hutchinson, John Orchard and N. E. Elsworth. Carroll J. Atkins, Cando, N. D. No. 14; W. D. Henry, W. L. Richards and Frank Reed. Permanent Members Badge—Frank C. Falkenstein, A. V. Haig and F. D. Cameron.

Jurisprudence—C. A. Hale, Clark N. Kelly, Geo. H. Phelps, Frank H. Sprague, Herman Winterer and Andrew J. Stade. Grand Commanders Address—E. A. Hill, Henry Lanxon and Frank P. Taylor.

Credential—Frank M. Acker, O. E. Couch and J. E. Dunn. Among the Past Commanders present, not heretofore mentioned are: Blending Fisher, H. W. Wilson, James Johnson, W. H. Reighart, A. J. Brunner, C. F. Truax, Frederick L. Meservy, Alexander Hay, W. L. McIntosh.

One of the Past Commanders, Frank White of Valley City, is in service with the American Forces in France, while Mrs. White is in charge of relief work for the returned North Dakota soldiers in New York City.

Every one of the sixteen Commanderies with the exception of Ivanhoe, at Lisbon, N. D., were represented by either delegates or members. The following is a complete list of the representatives: Tancred, No. 1, Bismarck—Frank Reed and Lewis K. Thompson. Auvergne No. 2, Fargo—Henry Lanxon, Wm. L. Curtiss and Ernest C. Eddy. St. Aldemar No. 3, Grand Forks—Casper Olson and Finley D. Cameron. Wi-ha-ha No. 4, Jamestown—Geo. I. Fetton. St. Elmo No. 5, Valley City—Herman Winterer. Zion No. 6, New Rockford—W. E. Biggs, O. E. Couch and F. E. Reed. De Molay No. 10, Minot—Frank P. Taylor, Aksel Bratsberg and Frederick L. Meservy. Wahpeton No. 11, Wahpeton—Eugene A. Hill, Benj. F. Lounsbury and Elmer H. Myhra. Cyrene No. 7, Devils Lake—Jos. E. Dunn, James Chidister and Blending Fisher. Temple No. 12, Dickinson—Max Hendrick, John Orchard and Otto F. Hennings. Loraine No. 13, Bottineau—Frank C. Falkenstein and Peter Scott. Carroll J. Atkins, No. 14, Cando—E. T. Judd. Coeur de Lion No. 15, Mandan—E. A. Ripley and Louis F. Smith. Crusader No. 16, Williston—Robert C. Gilmer, Fred Acker and O. E. Couch.

Grand Recorder Stockwell delivered a very fine address on Civic Righteousness this morning.

The report of the inspecting officer, Otto Bauer, was given Wednesday. Cyrene of Devils Lake was given first place with De Molay of Minot a close second. De Molay made a splendid record during the past year, getting raised from tenth to second place.

The Conclave concluded its work this afternoon. The Conclave was one of the most successful in the history of the Grand Commandery.

At four o'clock Wednesday afternoon the visiting members and their ladies were taken for an auto drive about the city after which supper was served by the ladies of the Presbyterian church in the church basement. Following this work in the Temple degree was exemplified by De Molay Commandery. This is the first time in the history of the Commandery when this work was exemplified, the candidate receiving instructions in tactics. De Molay Commandery received much praise from the visiting members for the splendid manner in which the work was done. Grand Recorder Stockwell said: "The entire work was of a high grade and the work in the opening specially was second to none. We surely appreciate the fine spirit manifest at this Conclave and are especially pleased with the reception given by the citizens of Minot."

Following this work the Commandery hall was held at the Temple, the enjoyable function being very largely attended. The Grand March began at 9:30, all Knights being in full uniform. Among the features of the evening's entertainment was the violin solo by Mrs. Preston Hallman, vocal duet by the Misses Marcene, violin solo by the talented son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Volmer, the readings of Miss Doris Kemper and the vocal solo by Miss Holt. Music was furnished for the hall by Quigley's six-piece orchestra. Delightful refreshments were served and the whole affair was one of the most brilliant social functions this city has enjoyed.

Among the out of town women accompanying their husbands to Minot for the affair were Mrs. Hoyland, Coteau, N. D.; Mrs. Perry Hodges, Mrs. Angus Ferguson, Mrs. E. A. Roach and Mrs. Herman Goltz of Bottineau, N. D.; Mrs. N. E. Elsworth of Williston and Mrs. G. W. Wolbert of Williston, wife of the Grand Commander.

The following officers were elected today for the ensuing year:

William D. Henry, Wahpeton, Grand Commander. Will L. Richards, Dickinson, Deputy Grand Commander. John H. Fraine, Grafton, Grand Generalissimo. Ernest C. Eddy, Fargo, Grand Captain General. Allan V. Haig, Devils Lake, Grand Senior Warden. W. J. Hutchinson, Grand Prelate. Alex. B. Taylor, Fargo, Grand Junior Warden. Walter L. Stockwell, Fargo, Grand Recorder. Otto Bauer, Mandan, Grand Treasurer. John H. G. Turner, Bottineau, Grand Standard Bearer. Geo. H. Russ, Jr., Bismarck, Grand Sword Bearer. Archibald D. McCannel, Minot, Grand Warden. Geo. Olmstead, Grand Forks, Grand Captain of the Guard. Grand Forks was selected as the place for the Conclave next year.

### F. G. Sell Buys Interest in Bargain Store

F. G. Sell, formerly with the Hodgins Transfer Co., has bought an interest in the Bargain Store on First street S. E., and is now associated with A. L. Mortenson in the conduct of the business. This firm is doing an extensive business in new and second hand furniture. Already their business has increased to such an extent that it becomes necessary for them to build a storage balcony at the back of their store and within a short time we confidently predict that they will have outgrown their present quarters. Today a carload of new furniture arrived for them which will add quite materially to their present stock, which is already extensive and varied, equal, in fact, to the average stock carried by furniture stores.

### Marsh Bros. Re-open "Dad's" Lunch

Marsh Brothers have taken over "Dad's" Lunch, the restaurant operated by their father for years on Central avenue, and have completely transformed the place, the handsome enameled interior presenting an appearance at once beautiful and inviting. Male help will be employed exclusively and there is no question but "Dad's" Lunch will again resume its former popularity among the businessmen of the city on account of its excellent cuisine and prompt service. George and Roland (Babe) Marsh will be in charge, giving the details their personal attention.

### Herbert Colton Coming to Minot Normal School

The many friends of Herbert Colton, well known North Dakota educator, will be pleased to learn that he is soon to become a member of the faculty of the Minot Normal School. He is still at Camp Lewis, where he is an officer in the educational department of the Camp, but will be released before fall.

Mrs. Colton, who is a very talented instructor, has been re-engaged as teacher of mathematics and science in the Minot schools.

## REGIONAL RED CROSS CONFERENCE SOON

### To Be Held in Minot May 22 and 23—Peace Program Will be Outlined—Nine Counties Represented

A Regional Red Cross Conference will be held in Minot on the afternoon and evening of May 22 and on the morning of May 23.

Representatives from every Chapter and Branch in the northwestern district, comprising the counties of McKenzie, Williams, Divide, Mountrail, Burke, Ward, Renville, McHenry and Bottineau are expected to attend. A big mass meeting is being arranged and it will probably be held in the high school auditorium.

The following from Minneapolis, representing the Northern Division will speak:

Major Field, Divisional manager. Mrs. F. L. Fridley, Director of the Bureau of Development. Frank J. Brun, Director of the Civilian Relief.

Miss Anderson, Director Bureau of Nursing. W. F. Grenell, Director of Bureau of Accounting.

Former Governor L. B. Hanna, who spent a year in Red Cross executive work in France, has consented to give an address on the evening of May 22. The peace program will be outlined at this meeting.

### Very Clever New House Organ

The initial number of the "Associate," a house publication issued by the Fuller Motor Co., came from the Independent press this week. It is a bright, newsy sheet, printed on deckled edge book paper of an attractive color. The sheet gives pictures of the officers and salesrooms of the firm, as well as a cut of the first garage operated by F. N. Fuller, president of the company, who began his career as an auto salesman at Williston in 1913, in an insignificant one-story store building. At the present time three handsomely appointed warehouses and offices are maintained and provided conditions warrant it is but a question of time before more business houses will be established. The editorial matter of the new publication indicates abilities of unusual calibre and shows that not all editors are in active management of publications.

### Peter Scott is State Inspector of Amusements

Peter Scott of Bottineau, who was chief game warden of the northern part of North Dakota for the past four years, did not receive a re-appointment, but five days after his term expired, he was given a much better appointment by Attorney General Wm. E. Langer, that of Inspector of all places of amusement of the state of North Dakota. Mr. Scott took charge of the work April 15.

Mr. Scott was one of the best game wardens the state has ever had. His reports were always in on time and they never had to be sent back for correction. Mr. Langer met Mr. Scott at a meeting of the Minot Town Criers, recently, and it was owing to their meeting that caused Mr. Langer to look up Mr. Scott's record when looking for an able man to fill this responsible position. The appointment came as a complete surprise to Mr. Scott.

"I can thank the Minot Town Criers, indirectly, for my appointment," Mr. Scott said, "and I have sent in my application to join this wide-awake organization."

Mr. Scott arrived Wednesday to attend the session of the Grand Commandery.

### Plan Memorial Celebration

The W. R. C. held a big meeting at Odd Fellows hall Tuesday afternoon, and in spite of the rain, 40 attended. Mrs. Jennie Myers, Mrs. H. C. Lander and Mrs. C. B. Bach entertained royally, serving delightful refreshments. E. Ellison, Jasper Baker and Mr. Taylor, Civil war veterans, were present. Four new members, Mrs. Beverly, Mrs. Albert, Mrs. Van and Mrs. Devaney, joined the Corps.

Plans for the Memorial day celebration, May 30, were discussed. The Memorial sermon will be preached at the Baptist church, Sunday, May 25, by Rev. Mr. Sprong. All veterans, returned soldiers and Boy Scouts are especially invited.

### Twin Brother Visits Mrs. F. J. Murphy

Lieut. C. J. Harris, who has been visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Francis J. Murphy, departed Tuesday for his home, Sioux Falls, S. D.

Lieut. Harris is the twin brother of Mrs. Murphy. He has just been discharged from service after being shifted around from one camp to another, being in six different training camps since he enlisted in June, 1917. Lieut. Harris is keenly disappointed because he was not sent across, but the powers that be no doubt concluded that it was necessary to retain many in this country for training purposes.

Cal Andrist, Noonan publisher, was in Minot today, enroute home from Phillipsburg, Mont., where he spent several days looking after an estate of his father, who died recently.