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APPOINTMENT OF ANDREW MILLER, FEDERAL JUDGE, CONFIRMED BY SENATE

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Fargo to confer with court officials and to go over the calendar,

The federal court calendar, which Judge Miller will handle, is crowded. Because of the illness of Judge Amidon and the difficulty of getting other federal judges to hold long terms of court in North Dakota, there is a mass of business accumulated. Many persons are said to have been in jail for months because of the fact that there had been no court session to dispose

Under the terms of the bill which created the judgeship in North Da-kota, Mr. Miller will be known as asociate district judge until the retirement of Judge Amidon when he be-comes the only federal judge in the state. The appointment as federal judge is for life, at a salary of \$7,500

Other Appointments

A thorough reorganization of the court machinery in North Dakota is expected to follow. The appointment of M. L. McBride as United States District Attorney and James Shea as U. S. Marshal are expected to come soon according to word from Washington. They will replace the present Democratic office-holders.

The position of federal judge is not the first public office which Mr. Miller will have held. He had held minor offices in Iowa as a young man before coming to North Dakota and was Attorney. torney General of the state for two

Confirmation of Mr. Miller had been pposed by the clean court committee f North Dakota which filed with a

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charges. The subcommittee had hear-ing behind closed ddors at which all witnesses which desired to appear were heard.

Among others who opposed the nomination were former Senator A. J. Gronna of North Dakota.

The subcommittee after taking testimony made a favorable report to the full committee, where new charges were encountered and the nomination were encountered and the nomination was referred back to them for further inquiry. Additional witnesses appeared but the storm of last Saturday prevented others from reaching Washington and ended the hearings. It was reported by those who attended the executive hearings of the committee that the opposition to Mr. Miller was based in part on his alleged.

Miller was based in part on his alleged attitude during the war but it was understood that committee members felt such charges had not been substantiated.

Langer Tells How He Worked Ruse To Visit Townley In Jail

William Langer, former Attorney General, who engaged in a series of debates with A. C. Townley in Kan-sas, Nebraska and Minnesota last summer, today explained the visit he made to Townley in Jackson County, Minnesota jail, early in December. A story published in a Minneapolis pa-per was called to Mr. Langer's atention.

"Former County Auditor, Wm. E. Vadnais, of Divide County, was in the state prison," Langer said. "He asked me to help him get out. I investigated circumstances and was convinced that Vadnais, who had been the I. V. A. chairman in Divide County, had been railroaded to prison by Non-partisans. They had promised him suspended sentence if he pleaded guilty to charges of misuse of funds but instead put him in prison. None of Vadnais' political friends were helping him.
"Vadnais had no money and his

family was in hard circumstances. acted as his lawyer without pay. I got a writ of habeas corpeus from the supreme court releasing him but Bratlein threatened to push other harges and it was necessary to get

him a pardon.

"I wanted Townley to use his influence to call off Nonpartisan attacks on Vadnais. I had told him during debates in Kansas that if he went to jail I was coming to see him. He replied he would not let me in. So I went to a nearby town, telephoned Townley's secretary, told him I was Senator John Jorgenson, of Iowa, and that I wanted to see Townley. I went to Jackson to keep the appointment and the sheriff let me in. I spent an hour with Townley but got no definite promise and went back again to talk over Vadnais' case. We also discussed physical culture which Townley was much interested in. I did not get a definite answer from Townley but some of the opposition to a pardon disappeared and Vadnais was pardoned. I went there as an attorney representing a client, and after the interview I told the sheriff who I was."

EVER EAT RABBITS? UNEMPLOYED AIDED

Raidroad Agrees to Ship N. D. Ani-mals Free to Union City Mission Minneapolis, Feb. 5.—Rabbit steaks catlets and spareribs-rabbit fricassee au gratin and a la King-rabbits served up in every mode and style known to chefs since the first rabbit was put over the fire for prehistoric man's evening dinner, are going to help solve the problem of feeding the hungry and unemployed at the Union City mission in Minneapolis, Rev. W. Paul, superintendent, announced yesterday.

An offer made by officials of the Great Northern railroad to transport without charge all shipments of rab-bits from North Dakota addressed to the Union City mission in Minneapolis has been accepted by the mission as a means of supplementing the food sup-ply required to feed more than 1,000 unemployed men each day. The num-ber of meals served daily at the Union City mission is approximately 4,000, Mr. Paul said, and of that number by far the most are free meals.

Because of the prevalence of rab-

bits in North Dakota this winter, busi-ness men and farmers in that state are

planning rabbit hunts.

Mr. Paul said he expected the first shipment of rabbits this week. In City mission are poring over cook books to acquaint themselves with all the different ways in which rabbit may be prepared so than even the most unerring palate cannot recognize it.

Income Tax Facts
Changes in the revenue law are of
material benefit to the average family man. Under the revenue act of 1921 a married person, living with wife or husband, whose net income for 1921 was \$5,000 or less, is allowed a per-sonal exemption of \$2,500. Under the revenue act of 1918 the exemption allowed a married person was \$2,000, regardless of the amount of net income.

The normal tax rate is the same, 4 per cent on the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemptions, and 8 per cent on the remaining net income Given his personal exemption of \$2,500, plus \$400 for each dependent, a married man with three children—the average American family—will pay this year on a net income of

United States must determine for himself whether his income for 1921 was sufficient to require that a return be filed. Full instructions for making out a return are contained offices.

senate judicial subcommittee written \$4,000 a tax of \$12. On the same in- on the forms, a copy of which will be come for 1921 he would have paid a sent to taxpayers who filed a return tax of \$56. Every citizen and resident of the however, does not relieve a taxpayer

Lloyd McCleery Dies Lloyd McCleery dropped dead at his farm home 13 miles southwest of Ryder Thursday. It is reported that heart trouble was the cause.

Mrs. Oscar Anderson of Velva received word that her father had died in Germany.

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