

CORRESPONDENCE

SAWYER ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Cleven of Minot visited Friday at the Booth home. Mr. Cleven was also looking up his political friends and by the looks of things they are many around here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Beigle took Mrs. Zander to Minot Friday for a slight operation on her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook Robinson of Velva were Sawyer callers Saturday evening.

Archie Johnson of Minot was visiting relatives here Sunday.

The Daniels and LeRette families attended an entertainment last Wednesday, given by the Normal students at Minot.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Whaley and Mrs. Gallagher of Minot were in Sawyer Friday.

Camp meeting is on at the Nazarene camp grounds with a good attendance. Rev. Bud Robinson is the speaker. Many campers are here from a distance and all are enjoying a fine time.

The High school graduates went to Minot Saturday for a picnic in the park. They also had their pictures taken.

S. D. Briar spent the week end at home.

Miss Katherine Daniels who has just closed a very successful term of school at Manfred, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Pitkin spent a few days last week at the J. S. Welty home on South Prairie.

Elmer Nephew of Fargo was in town the first of the week. Mr. Nephew is now traveling for the Allis Chalmers Tractor Co.

L. P. Hanson and daughter Ruth, and Leona, visited the Bailey family the first of the week and also took in the camp meeting.

An auto load of fishermen went to Strawberry Lake Sunday. We did not learn how many fish were caught but probably a good catch as they had plenty of bait and other fishing tackle.

Edgar Bailey went to Van Hook Tuesday to look after his farming interests there.

BERTHOLD NEWS

The remains of James Gains were received Saturday and given a military funeral this (Monday) morning by the Danling Legion Post. People from Carpio, Tagus, Des Lacs, Lometree, near Makoti and Plaza as well as a large number from this neighborhood showed their respects to the departed one and family by their presence. A representation of a canon wagon drawn by six horses, and guided by three drivers, took the place of the hearse. The band in uniform Legionnaires, and a large number of vehicles participated in the march from Calman's undertaking parlors to the cemetery. Memory, love, and respect were shown with flowers and flags.

Hon. T. M. Williams of Rolling Green township and candidate for the legislature, and Mrs. T. M. Williams were visitors in Berthold Monday.

The State Grange which was due to meet the latter part of this month in Plaza, has been indefinitely postponed, so we are informed by Mr. Williams, the State Master.

Mr. E. R. Johnson for some years in charge of the lumber yard at Hamberg, Wells county, and for the past few years at Norma, N. D., was checked in as manager of the Rogers local lumber yard Monday. The writer knows Mr. Johnson for several years and to be one of the highest type of honorable dealers as well as pleasant and agreeable with his customers in all North Dakota.

Mr. Roloff Johnson, formerly from this community, but now of Evert, Wash., is visiting relatives and old acquaintances here. Mr. Johnson still owns a farm south of Berthold and he as well as Mrs. Johnson and all his family have a large number of good friends here who would be glad to see the Johnsons move back to Ward county.

Senator McCumber is becoming the favorite of this community for U. S. Senator. If we were to express it in race track lingo, we would say, "It's McCumber against the field."

Rev. Hawk of Des Lacs, announced last Sunday that he would begin a series of meetings next Sunday at 11 A. M. in the Severson school house, Tolgen township, which is about 7 miles south of Lonetree. Daily services will be held and in all probability will continue a week.

Claude McIntyre of Donnybrook has purchased the Cripe restaurant and will close the business for a week for remodeling and then will open one of the finest eating houses in the northwest.

The Berthold ball team played a "bate" game at Minot last Sunday, but the Minot boys knowing that the Berthold lads rank among the very best players of the northwest, refuse to be misled by such playing.

RYDER NOTES

Everybody is feeling pleased over the prospects of a big crop this year.

Mrs. H. E. Mielke and Mrs. E. H. Hilton returned from Portal Saturday where they attended the fourth district convention.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Erb, a son, May 27.

Prof. C. Klafke will fill the position of school superintendent next year at Ray, North Dakota.

Mrs. A. O. Lindstrom is visiting friends at Van Hook.

Leo Tibbs has a position in the Bovey Shute and Jackson Lumber Co.

Mrs. J. H. Richardson is making preparations to move to Minot.

The old settlers will celebrate on June 20 at Hiddenwood.

The school closed at Ryder Thursday, June 1.

Mr. E. E. Fredeen will soon leave for the Twin Cities to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Engdahl and children returned to Stanley Saturday after spending several days visiting at the home of Mrs. Engdahl's father, Joseph Wustner.

Mrs. Ruby Long and daughter are here from Canada, guests at the L. S. Officer home.

L. E. McEwin of Fargo was a Ryder visitor recently.

Earl Snippen who has been receiving medical treatment at Minot returned much improved in health.

The following delegation will attend the irrigation congress to be held at Bismarck, June 7 and 8: O. J. Bys, E. E. Fredeen, C. R. Hurly, H. C. Miller, B. A. Dickinson, Henry Snippen and L. S. Officer.

A meeting of the board of trustees and elders was held at the home of Mrs. K. E. Campbell Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lomen expect to leave soon for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will visit for a few weeks. John Campbell left Saturday for Grand Forks where he will visit friends and attend the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. as a delegate from the local lodge here.

BLAISDELL

Chas. Bieri, 14 year old son of Joe Bieri, manager of the Rice Lake ranch, was seriously bitten by a stallion last Friday while trying to get the animal from the pasture into the barn. The boy was taken immediately to the hospital in Stanley, N. D., where his chances for recovery are doubtful. The animal was always very gentle and never showed any signs of being savage. It was a miracle that the boy escaped from being killed, for the stallion bit and pawed him from the horse he was riding an older son who was assisting drove the animal away.

High school closed June 1st. Professor and Mrs. Luchsinger and son returned to their home in Surrey, N. D., Saturday morning.

Mrs. Marcus Lukkasse, entertained the Noregian Ladies' Aid Thursday. A very large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. P. Nelson are the proud parents of a daughter born June 2nd. August was highly elated over the event and was passing the YBs.

A double header base ball game was played here Sunday between Coulee and Blaisdell and Kickapoo and Blaisdell. Coulee won by one score, while Kickapoo was a shut out. A very large crowd enjoyed the games.

Iver Udvo, the Dr. Raleigh medicine man is moving to Palermo.

P. R. Kringene was assisted by C. N. Gulso in hauling a car load of barley to town, which will be shipped out this week.

E. H. Mittelstadt went to Minot Monday eve to meet his daughter, Beatrice who finished the high school term at Willow City and was enroute home.

John Rock is the proud possessor of a new Ford.

Alfred Berrisford has purchased two splendid lots from Pete Nelson, and will move one of the vacant store buildings from Palermo here, where he will have another general store.

COUNTY LINE

Harry Galagher, famous Tagus elevator man, recently bought what is known as the old De Kooper farm, and has been doing a general job of painting up the buildings the past week.

The John Teeder and Devenport families, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rolf, John Shulky, and others from this section were at Stanley on business a week ago last Tuesday.

S. O. Ringeon, the assessor, has made the rounds once more and again we realize for perhaps a few days how poor we are, or at least until the assessor gets out of sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitmore of Epworth county, visited at the Silas Engen home a week ago Sunday.

A class of 12 8th graders received their diplomas at Tagus last Thursday night, a fine program was rendered and a full house attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynen and family left Sunday for a month's vacation via the Ford route to parts of South Dakota and Minnesota.

Mrs. Walt Colbourn, was a Minot visitor from Wednesday till Saturday of last week.

Bert Tallasen and family were business callers at Berthold last Saturday.

A load of Divine Healers were up from Minot last Tuesday and Wednesday, holding two meetings at the A. A. Peterson home.

Dances a week ago at Blaisdell and Tagus last Saturday night were well attended and a nice time enjoyed by all present, another dance is to be staged at Blaisdell next Saturday night and one (a barn dance) at the I. M. Dilley farm Saturday, June 17th. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Hebig were at Minot last Friday and Saturday. Little Miss Nina, who had been at that place for two weeks, returned with them.

Jay Nettleton received injuries a week ago when a span of colts he was hitching up to a wagon made a dash to get away when only three traces had been hooked up, causing the tongue to drop and enter the ground throwing the wagon up into the air including Jay, who came down on his head and shoulders. Dr. Hillis attended, and Jay is able to be about in pretty good shape again.

In a double header base ball game at Blaisdell last Sunday, Coulee won the money the score being 9 to 10 and Blaisdell winning from Kickapoo something like 5 to 20 so we are told. Next Sunday there will be another double header at Blaisdell between that team, Tagus, and we understand, Palermo. Blaisdell to play the second game with the winners of the first.

For County Commissioner

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for commissioner from the Fourth district, Ward county, in the June 28 Primaries. I have had much experience in building and maintaining county roads and will give this work special attention if elected. I promise to practice economy if I am successful. Your vote and support are earnestly requested.

WM. JOHNSON.

(Pol. Advt.) 6/8-3t

If you want to buy a lot at your own price in Minot's best residence district watch announcement in next week's paper.

Attempt Made to Remove T. Mostad

An attempt was made to oust Thorwald Mostad, as receiver of the Sawyer State Bank last week, when M. K. Porter, of the Bankers' Guarantee Commission and Deputy Bank Examiner Bergstrom paid a visit to Sawyer and made a demand upon Mostad for the keys and records of the institution.

Mostad refused to get out, claiming he had been appointed receiver by the District court, therefore would continue to hold his position until ouster proceedings for cause were brot against him.

Deputy Bergstrom sealed the vault of the safe but Mostad disregarded the seal on the above grounds and entered the vault and proceeded to do business. He is still in charge and declares that he will remain there until he receives an order from the district court to get out.

It is said that the banking department desired to conduct the affairs of the Sawyer State Bank in conjunction with some of the other closed banks, for the purposes of economy.

State Agency Opens in Minot

Oen & Strom, who are the state agents for the Stransky Vaporizer for Fords, have engaged in business in Minot and have opened their main office in the Jacobson Block, corner First St. and First Ave. S. W. They are securing sub-agencies in every county in the state and are developing a large business.

This firm is also handling the Milburn puncture proof tube. Both the vaporizer and the tube are put out under a strict guarantee from the firm, who offer to return the money if after 15 days trial the purchaser is not satisfied.

Mr. Oen is the son of Mikel Oen, one of our pioneer citizens and Mr. Strom has been engaged in the automobile business in Minneapolis for several years.

Graham and Lowe Elected to School Board

Albert Lowe and R. M. Graham were elected members of the board of education of the Minot Special School District Tuesday, filling the places held by John Lynch and B. E. Stewart. Mr. Stewart was not a candidate for re-election.

The vote was as follows: R. M. Graham, 835 Albert Lowe, 711; John Lynch, 351.

Other members of the school board are Frank P. Taylor, H. E. Byorum and Peter Fugleso.

Mr. Lowe is the proprietor of the Riverside Mercantile Co. and Mr. Graham is general manager of the Rogers Lumber Co.

Nazarene Camp Meeting at Sawyer

W. A. Ruth of Sawyer was in the city Wednesday. He reports a good sized crowd in attendance at the annual camp meeting of the Church of the Nazarene which is being held at Sawyer and to continue until a week from Sunday.

"Bud" Robinson, and Rev. Beebe, noted evangelists from Los Angeles, Cal., are holding the crowds with rapt attention. Mr. Hutton, the singer from Long Beach, is making a hit with his vocal work.

Series of Farmer Picnics Begins Monday

A series of farmers' picnics are to be held in Northwestern North Dakota beginning at Strawberry Lake next Monday. One will be held at Velva on Tuesday and they will end with a big old settlers' picnic at Hiddenwood, Tuesday, June 20.

John H. Worst, state immigration agent, will address each gathering. These picnics are being held under the auspices of the Minot Association of Commerce.

Velva Wins from Burlington

Velva won the game against Burlington played on the Minot diamond last evening by a score of 6 to 1. This game was played for the purpose of settling a disputed game played recently by the teams mentioned in which the score stood 5 to 4 in Velva's favor, Burlington protesting the game on an error. The gate receipts of both games went to the winner of Wednesday evening's game.

N. D. Retailers at Grand Forks June 13-15

The North Dakota Retail Dealers Association will convene in Grand Forks June 13-15. W. M. Smart, president of the city commission, Governor R. A. Nestos and J. F. T. O'Connor will appear on the program. Minot will make a bid for the 1923 convention and it is believed will secure it.

MINOT MARKETS

Grain
No. 1 Dark Northern, \$1.37.
Durum, \$1.03.
Rye, 71c.
Flax, \$2.19

Farmers Produce
Butterfat, 32c.
Butter, 25c.
Eggs, 20c.
Potatoes, 60c.

Brinton Files Petition in Bankruptcy St. Paul, June 8.—J. W. Brinton of St. Paul, formerly connected with the Nonpartisan league in North Dakota, today filed a petition in bankruptcy, in United States district court, here, setting liabilities in which he is at least jointly responsible with others at \$250,066.27, and assets at \$815.85.

Bring Your Picnic Baskets

All former residents of Illinois and Indiana are invited to meet at Riverside Park, Wednesday, June 14. They are asked by the committee to bring their picnic baskets as each group will enjoy their dinners by themselves. The program will follow the luncheon.

G. N. Veteran's Special

The G. N. Veteran's Special train enroute to Spokane, will arrive in Minot at 4:20 a. m. Sunday, June 11. Fred Almy, member of the Veterans' rom Minot will attend.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Cecil Gilbertsen of Glenburn was a visitor in Minot Wednesday.

Nick Schilling Auction Sale at Berthold, Wednesday, June 14th.

H. F. Arndt, prominent Tagus farmer, transacted business in Minot Wednesday.

District court is threshing out civil cases this week and will probably be adjourned Saturday.

The Ward County Farm Bureau picnic will be held at No Man's Land, Burlington, June 21.

The new owners of the Rice Lake ranch arrived last week from South Dakota with seven cars.

Andrew Johnson of Douglas, candidate for county treasurer, was a Minot visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Truax returned Monday from a short visit at the Gibb ranch near Sanish, motoring over.

Knut Walsvik, oldtime Max farmer, has filed his petition for county commissioner from the Fifth district.

Theo. Miller and mother, Mrs. Lee Miller of Granville, were in Minot Monday the latter to visit a dentist.

A. B. Shattuck, formerly of Glenburn, who moved to Denver, Colo., six years ago, is back visiting friends.

Dan W. King of Torning township, has returned from Cando where he owns a large farm. He has 400 acres in crop there.

Melvin Johnson who returned from the south recently, quite ill, is reported much better and will be fully recovered within a short time.

County Auditor Kennard reports that many farmers are withdrawing their state hail insurance. They have until June 14 to do this.

James Milloy, secretary of the Association of Commerce, attended a Burke County Development meeting at Portal Monday night, delivering an address.

Wm. O'Leary, who was recently appointed state transportation officer, left for Bismarck and Jamestown today with several charges. He was assisted by Arthur Emmanuel.

A big dinner is to be served at the South Prairie Community hall on Saturday evening, June 24, for the members and their wives and all who contributed to the fund for the hall.

Mrs. F. J. Falvey returned Sunday from Long Beach, Calif., where she spent several months visiting with her son, Frank. She found the weather much warmer here than in the west.

C. E. Colcord, county auditor of McHenry County, was in Minot Saturday and was accompanied home by his wife who has been receiving treatment from a specialist, and his daughter, Edith.

Mrs. M. B. Rowe of Fargo, former manager of the state federal employment agency, has informed Clyde Nelson that an employment agency will be opened in Minot to care for the fall harvest.

S. N. Miller, Benedict banker, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business in behalf of the development association formed by six towns in that vicinity. He is a brother of Hans Miller, well known Ryder banker.

Welcome showers fell thruout northwestern North Dakota Wednesday, cooling the atmosphere and improving the crops to a considerable extent. A report from Pesesnden states that rain fell steadily Tuesday night.

Miss Christina Hahn of Dresden, who has been under treatment for the past three months at a local sanatorium left for her home Friday greatly improved in health. Miss Hahn is the daughter of Chas. Hahn, prominent resident of Dresden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson have returned from the south where they spent the winter. They made the round trip by auto. Mr. Johnson, whose health was not good for some time, is feeling fine again. They were in Florida, Georgia, Louisiana and Tennessee.

Franz Herzog, who moved west seven years ago, arrived recently and will spend the summer at the farm of his son, Carl, near Tasker. His wife died six years ago and he is now living with a daughter at Reardan, Wash., near Spokane, whose husband is a merchant. Mr. Herzog visited Minot today in company with his son.

Former Congressman P. D. Norton withdrew from the Senatorial race after determining that his candidacy would endanger McCumber's chances for re-election. He criticises Ormsby McHarg of Jamestown, candidate for the U. S. Senate, who has no show for election, but whose candidacy tends to strengthen that of Lynn J. Frazier.

Ira L. Rush, local architect in charge of the plans for the Ward county fair grounds and buildings, has returned from Des Moines where he conferred with Pearse, Robinson & Sprague, landscape architects who will lay out the grounds. Mr. Rush visited the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs in that city. He visited the fair grounds at Des Moines, Perry, Ia., and at Hamline, Minn.

Alex. Albin, prosperous Berthold farmer is in Minot today attending the supervisors' meeting. Mr. Albin came to Ward county 20 years ago and has built up a fine farm home. He has 45 acres of potatoes, has a total of 475 acres of splendid looking crops, keeps 65 head of stock and his family comprised eight. Mr. Albin will soon be able to retire. He has worked hard, has managed well and has much to show for it.

Man and Wife Treated for Cocaine Habit

Phil McGraw and wife, who have been receiving treatment for the cocaine habit in the county jail, were released today, upon their promise to leave town. They have been without cocaine for seven days and the county physician believes that they are cured of the habit.

Bankers Meet Here June 15-16

The bankers of North Dakota will hold their state convention in Minot June 15 and 16.

A fine program has been arranged. Doug Malloch, the noted poet, is to appear on the program.

Spirited Glenburn School Election

A spirited school election was held at Glenburn Tuesday, C. V. Ferguson and Mrs. R. Gilbertsen being elected. The vote stood: C. V. Ferguson, 68; Mrs. H. Marean, 44; Mrs. Gilbertsen, 71; Chris Broderson, who ran on stickers, 42.

McCarthy Heads Community Club

James McCarthy was elected president of the South Prairie Community Club, Saturday, succeeding John Kavanaugh. Herman Widdell is vice president; B. C. Witham is secretary and Wm. C. Walker was elected treasurer and trustee.

Look for great auction announcement in next week's Independent. 11

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