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Boost, and THE WORLD Boosts With You; Knock, and You Knock Alone.

THE PAPER MILL

The committee appointed by the Commercial club to handle the Paper Mill proposition met yesterday afternoon...

But to our mind the advantages to the community so outweigh any selfish reasons that there should be no hesitancy felt in accepting our arguments...

WHY SLEEP?

The business men of Devils Lake have decided to accept the proposition of the eastern parties who wish to establish a large paper mill at that city...

A number of factories in a town sustain that place to a large extent, regardless of crop conditions. But while the opportunities are here, unless something is done to advertise the fact...

Bro. Cushing is getting fearful that most of the republican papers of the state will turn democratic within the next year or so...

In looking back over the dark ages of news paper history, we find that a man whose name changed to be Ben Franklin and who flew a kite in a thunder storm and showed that lightning had electricity in it...

We don't like to appear curious in the matter, but we'd like to have somebody tell us why it is that a woman can sail around the streets in an auto all day in the blazing sun...

We are much obliged for the two kind mentions of The World appearing in recent issues of the Rugby Tribune...

If the law making it compulsory for all editorials to be signed is passed in this state there are a lot of editors who won't get writers cramp signing their names unless they change their custom of clipping from the eastern papers...

The Register of Deeds association convenes in this city today and Devils Lake has another opportunity to play host to a gathering of distinguished officials of the various counties of the state...

In Akron, Ohio, an amateur musician was arrested for disturbing his neighbors and was sentenced to ten days in jail for failing to play "Yankee Doodle" in a manner that pleased the judge...

The editors of the state are not anxious to compete for a paltry \$20, if the number of marked copies received by the local Commercial Club is any evidence...

A small boy was nearly drowned on the Fourth of July by a green water snake. The dispatches failed to give the name of the river, but it is understood that Green River, while without headwaters, is conducive to snakes...

In St. Louis a man who went up in an airship was stricken dumb while aloft. Airships would be popular in this section of the state if we could pick the occupants of the extra seat and be assured of the same effect...

There were nearly five times as many deaths from the hot wave as from the effects of the Fourth. An agitation for "Safe and Sane" weather is now in order...

They were standing in the doorway of one of the Devils Lake department stores. The girl with the beautiful blue eyes looked up into the face of the young man by her side and said: "Jay, I want you to help me select a present for a young man. Can you suggest something appropriate, something that you yourself would like if you were to get it?"

"For Guy, I suppose," cruelly remarked the young man. "Sure, I can suggest something he would like. Come with me."

With that he led the way to the necktie counter and selected a lavender colored affair with yellow stripes running through it.

"There," said Jay, "he will surely like that."

"Are you sure that is what you would select yourself," asked the girl with the blue eyes.

"Certainly," lied the athletic young man.

The girl deposited the necessary change for the purchase of the tie and on the way out of the store said: "Jay, I just couldn't wait until we got home. We've been engaged three weeks, and I wanted to give you something you could call your very own, something in exchange for this"—here she exhibited a sparkling diamond on her left hand—"Here, take it. It is for you. Why, Jay, what is the matter?"

But Jay did not hear. The blow was too much for him.

NOT DECIDED. Special to The World: Williston, N. D., July 12.—The motion restraining Clerk of Court Stenseth of Ramsey county from transferring the records to Nelson county in the drug store cases in Devils Lake, was argued before Judge Kneebush, but up to 3 o'clock this afternoon no decision had been rendered.

EVEN THOUGH HEAVY, HEAVY HANGS OVERHEAD.

ACCUSED OF ADULTERY AND CRIMINAL OPERATION BUT WILL MARRY.

Williston, N. D., July 12.—That Ernest H. Lynn is not deterred by the criminal charges in district court against him was shown today when he procured a marriage license from Judge Butler to wed Miss Bertha Monroe. Both parties give their residence as Buford.

It will be recalled that Lynn is under indictments on two counts, one of adultery and the other of performing a criminal operation. He is now out on bonds aggregating \$2,500.

PROF. LADD COMMENTS IN BULLETIN, JUST OUT ON LAW REGARDING SALE OF SNUFF.

In the last bulletin of the food department of North Dakota, just issued, the law in regard to the sale of snuff is given in full and a comment on its enforcement is also given. Professor Ladd condemns the sale and use of snuff and gives the reasons for such a stand in regard to the matter.

The snuff law went into effect March 6, but as a health measure prosecutions are not to be made under the provisions of the statute until Sept. 1, the enforcement of the law is left to the state's attorneys, sheriffs, police officers, health officers and the food commissioner.

In regard to tin found in food products the bulletin has the following to say: "There has been considerable discussion as to the amount of tin which is dissolved in various canned products. Recent examinations have confirmed previous conclusions that certain products should not be put up in tin cans, certainly not unless the cans have an acid resisting lacquer which will protect the tin from action by the acid of the fruit."

"Fruits which are dangerous or may be dangerous, when taken from the can are blueberries, squash, pumpkin and rhubarb. At times, especially where the tin is not of the best quality, raspberries, asparagus and lobsters have been found to contain an unusual proportion of tin."

The bulletin says Himalya, which is a patented cure for asthma, is not properly labeled to show the proper amount of alcohol and also fails to find why this product is classed as a cure for asthma. McLean's Tar Wine Lung Balm is not, Professor Ladd says, a cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption, etc. "The product is illegal in this state."

In regard to the advertisers' Protective Association of America, the June Bulletin makes the following comment: "Some organization calling itself The Advertisers' Protective Association, whose only place of business seems to be a lock box in the New York postoffice where they never call for their mail, has sent out a circular letter to editors and publishers, signed by Fred W. Hooper, whom nobody has been able to locate, it seems, claiming to represent an investment of \$400,000,000, and said to be composed of manufacturers of foods, drugs and beverages. The purpose of the circular is stated, is to warn editors against publishing information which will be detrimental to the interests of the association, which no one has been able to locate and which, we venture to say, if there are any members, is composed of men from those companies manufacturing adulterated and spurious foods, drugs and beverages."

But few will be influenced by such a brazen attempt to subsidize newspapers as is shown by the spirit of the circular which is sent out, and which, in the experience of the writer, is characteristic of much of the patent medicine business with its redoubtable contract and other means of forcing certain papers to carry on a fight for a class of products which are a disgrace to American civilization."

After July 1 several new laws went into effect pertaining to weights and measures of food products sold. One is that all sold in the state must be net weight and not gross weight paid or containers. Another one is that a loaf of bread for sale shall be two pounds in weight. The remainder of the bulletin contains a list of some hundred or more food products that have been examined by the commission. They are marked "passed," "questionable," "misbranded," or "illegal" according to the analysis.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE SHOWS CHURCHES FERRY STURDY.

The following crop report for Ramsey county is given out from Churches Ferry by Commissioner of Agriculture Gilbert:

Crop condition less favorable owing to hot winds and lessened precipitation, in some parts of the county. Rain, however, fell last night over large areas, cooling the air and renewing the moisture. All kinds of grain are generally in good thrifty order. Wheat is now heading out in excellent shape. Corn and flax are maturing in promising manner and other grains are holding their own. Potatoes and other vegetables are healthy and rank, and small fruit is plentiful. Stock is in fine shape. Farmers are busy harvesting, the crop being large and of good quality. Potatoes buds are active and are injuring the vines. No grasshoppers reported. Weeds are very abundant, more so than in any other year, owing to superabundant precipitation.

HARVARD AND YALE LOSE TRACK MEET TO CAMBRIDGE AND OXFORD TEAMS.

London, Eng., July 12.—The English collegians won from the Americans, both Harvard and Yale being defeated in the track athletic meet with Oxford and Cambridge. No records were broken. The English boys won five firsts out of eight, including the 100 yard dash.

AT HOSPITAL. James Nash of Webster is confined to the local hospital.

FROM MINOT. Montevideo, Minn., July 11.—Guy M. Gordon, manager of the Chippewa Mill...

ACCORDING TO MESSAGE JUST RECEIVED.

FORECASTER RANDALL HAS HAD FLAGS INSTALLED AT BIOLOGICAL STATION.

Willis Moore, chief of the United States weather bureau, will arrive in Devils Lake next Saturday evening.

No. 1, according to Forecaster Randall, of the Devils Lake bureau, who received a telegram from the famed weather man. Mr. Moore has engaged quarters at the Great Northern hotel.

Sunday he will be at Chautauqua and deliver an address on the mysteries of the air. He will also visit the local weather department, which is under the capable direction of Forecaster Randall, and he will no doubt find things in "apple pie" order.

Mr. Randall has just completed a new weather idea which has been installed at the biological station. Flags will be raised to indicate the weather, on the flag pole, which was put in place at the station yesterday.

LEMPKE FORGERY CASE MAY GO TO FORKS—HENSRUD IS DISMISSED.

Lakota, N. D., July 12.—The case against Fred Lempke, charged with forgery probably will be transferred to Grand Forks county. Lempke filed an affidavit of prejudice against the county judge Monday and the place of the trial will be accordingly changed.

The case of the state vs. Carl Hensrud, on a charge of blind pigging, was dismissed on motion of State's Attorney S. G. Skulason. Hensrud was arrested on June 7 at Pokin, where he was alleged to have conducted a blind pig. The complaining witness was E. Isachsen and as he failed to appear when the case was called in court, the motion to dismiss was the only thing left.

DASH AND BRILLIANCE MARK PERFORMANCE OF WORLD'S CHAMPION SKATER.

"Miss the classic performance of that wonder, Harley Davidson at the Chautauqua," said one who saw him last night, "and you miss half your life. He is a daisy, brilliant, dashing, clever in every movement."

Of course, you will say the same but more, perhaps, when you see the sensational work of this world's champion skater. Jumping over seven chairs while skating is only one of the feats that he does with ease, and in the newest, cleverest series of stunts ever shown he dazzles the spectator with the apparent ease with which he performs.

The name of Davidson is well known over the northwest wherever people talk skating. Mr. Davidson's father was famous years ago, his two sons and two daughters have contributed to the family reputation by touring this country and Europe frequently and annexing many of the championship records.

Harley Davidson first attained fame on the ice. After winning many records he became interested in roller rink work and has been engaged in that for a number of years.

NOT A MILL.

There is not a news print mill in the United States but is running to its fullest capacity and that has the best financial rating. Paper making is one of the oldest arts, and in a way, suggests the ancient times when men always followed father in staying in the same business. It is possible to find in manufacturing history, any business, conducted on anything like the scale that paper making is, that has so many successes and so few failures.

DEFEAT FORT LINCOLN TEAM AT CHAUTAUQUA BY SCORE OF 9 TO 1.

Devils Lake succeeded in defeating the soldier boys from Fort Lincoln in a baseball game played at the Chautauqua last yesterday afternoon, the score being 9 to 1. The contest was interesting and the boys from Fort Lincoln at several stages of the game showed that they were there. They were encouraged by a good delegation of rooters. The same teams will play again this afternoon at Chautauqua.

HAS IT OVER CARRINGTON JUDGING FROM REPORT SENT OUT FROM THAT CITY.

From all accounts the postal savings bank is doing well in Devils Lake and has as good a record as any in the state. The Carrington bank has been a failure, however, judging from the following dispatch that has been sent out from Carrington, N. D.:

Not one penny has yet been deposited in Uncle Sam's postal savings bank, which opened in this city for business June 27, and as a result Carrington people are not very much enthused over the new establishment. The reason given is that the citizens are well satisfied with the banking facilities already afforded, and are not anxious to deposit money with the government at 2 per cent when the local banks pay two and three times that amount on savings.

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CORN IS THE STAPLE CROP FOR NO. DAK.

WELL KNOWN AGRICULTURALIST DELIVERED ADDRESS AT CHAUTAUQUA.

NO BETTER AUTHORITY ON CORN GIVES INTERESTING INTERVIEW TO WORLD.

Dr. A. B. Hess, superintendent of schools at Crookston, a scholar, teacher, and lecturer of note, who delivers an address this afternoon on "Corn," which he will accompany with charts, has been on the grounds for several days. Dr. Hess, who is an acknowledged authority on the subject of agriculture, and especially on corn, when interviewed by a World correspondent this morning on North Dakota as a corn state said:

"Beyond the question of a doubt North Dakota lies in the corn belt and happy and prosperous will be the farmer who early realizes this truth. One question must be answered soon: 'How can we increase our wheat yield per acre and build up instead of exhausting the fertility of our soil?' This question has two answers—diversified farming and the intelligent growing of legumes."

"Corn forms one of the staple crops both as a forage crop and as a grain crop. Fortunate was the farmer who, last year, had a small acreage of corn, for it not only gave him grain but the stover formed an excellent forage for his stock. With corn comes the raising of stock to consume it and the marketing of stock will afford another opportunity for the farmer to increase his bank account. Plant corn and raise stock to harvest it, if the labor required to harvest corn is too great for the returns, as some seem to think. Then corn brings in a diversified rotation of crops, gives the best cultivation to our soil, improves the physical condition and thereby increases the available plant food, affords employment for farm labor the year round, assures the farmer of feed for his stock when other crops fail and brings in bigger returns both in direct and residue crops than wheat at our present yield."

Successful corn growing depends upon principles interesting and positive. In order to produce a reasonable crop of corn in this latitude we must first consider the physiological features of our farm, and under this head comes the exacting study of our soils, both from the viewpoint of its chemical composition and physical condition.

"The temperature of our locality, the prevailing winds during the growing season, the precipitation and the temperature of the nights during July and August, are factors that determine the variety, the kind, nature, and frequency of the cultivation. These conditions prevailing, with our highly nutritive soils, the sunshine and moisture and a hard-headed common sense farmer, we shall soon see these prairies blossom as a rose and the farmer grow in wealth and independence. The soils of North Dakota are rich in nitrates and salts and will produce an excellent stock with the minimum amount of fiber or woody substance and the maximum percentage of protein and oil. Stover last year was worth at least 30¢ per ton and an average of 2 1/2 tons were raised high here. This only for the stover or fodder, to say nothing of the grain raised. This was your dry year, how much more in the average season? Compare this with your wheat last year. \$15 per acre for the fodder only. How many farmers realized \$15 per acre last year from any or all other grains."

Variety. "One thing must be well understood at the very beginning, that the corn plant is one of the most sensitive of plants and will return one hundred fold to him who will bestow upon it the care and nurture it requires. We cannot hope to get the highest yield of milk and butter fat from the beef breeds of cattle; equally so with corn. We cannot get the highest protein content from the stover and a good ear of corn besides. Decide first what you want—both corn and fodder or more forage, or the grain mainly—if you want fodder then drill your corn, a good variety of sweet corn such as the evergreen and you will get an abundance of feed of excellent quality. If you want grain select a variety that you like—one which will produce good ears, high enough from the ground to be caught by the corn harvester and that will mature in ninety days. Golden Dent, Pride of North and Minnesota No. 13, are good Yellow Dent varieties and Northwestern Dent, the most popular in the state, will give splendid results if properly studied and cultivated."

"Yes, I believe North Dakota is a great corn state but one thing must be 'soak in' and that is that we must confine ourselves to ears weighing 10 to 12 ounces and mature them thoroughly and not attempt to raise 16 or 20 ounce ears. Careful observations and tests which we have made demonstrate the fact that the corn plant requires 900 tons of moisture to develop one ton of dry matter. If then 500 tons of water must be collected by the roots in order to form this ton of dry matter, it is easily seen that the root system must be carefully developed and the blades of sufficient area to evaporate those 500 tons. The average corn plant in North Dakota should have a leaf area of 12 to 14 square feet. These things being studied, your great state offers splendid opportunities as a corn state."

FROM RUGBY. James Shaffer is here from Rugby visiting with friends.

WITH GETTING MONEY BY MISREPRESENTATION.

FEE WAS NOT WHOLLY EARNED—ATTORNEY'S CASE NOW BEING INVESTIGATED.

Williston, N. D., July 12.—There seems to be a concerted action on the part of a number of people to get the scalp of Attorney A. J. Bessie. Last Friday Fannie Haynes filed an affidavit in which she alleges that Mr. Bessie secured \$25 from her by misrepresenting conditions in the court proceedings in which she was interested and wherein Mr. Bessie acted as her attorney.

Today F. J. Davies filed an additional affidavit charging Mr. Bessie with obtaining \$7 from him by a misrepresentation. Davies alleges that Mr. Bessie as his attorney in a Montana land contest case failed to perform his duty and intimates that the fee paid him was not wholly earned.

LUTHER COLLEGE BAND IS HERE FOR SCANDINAVIAN DAY TOMORROW AT CHAUTAUQUA.

The Luther college band and glee club of fifty-two talented musicians, arrived this afternoon on No. 5 from Lakota, where yesterday the boys gave a splendid concert. This evening a program will be rendered at Chautauqua, but the real program will be rendered tomorrow evening at the conclusion of Scandinavian Day.

Warden Hellstrom will be here tomorrow and will make an address in the afternoon on "Citizenship." The Norden chorus will assist in the Scandinavian Day as well as the big band and glee club.

ST. LOUIS WON TEST AND RIGHT TO COMPETE IN BENNETT CUP CONTEST.

Kansas City, Mo., July 12.—Three St. Louis balloons won the test to determine who should compete with the foreigners for the Bennett cup. The last balloon in the race for the Gordon-Bennett cup landed near La Crosse, Wis. No records were broken nor no one was injured.

HIS REFUSAL TO LEND MONEY FOR CARFARE CAUSED WARFARE—JAIL SETTLES IT.

Two japs proceeded to settle differences last evening by the knife route, when the refusal of one Jap to give the other money to go to Minot brought about a miniature warfare in which the refuser was injured. A night's lodging in jail was all that was necessary, and this morning with the assistance of the assistant states attorney the affair was settled amicably and the Jap released on the promise of good behavior.

K. C.'S LABOR DAY.

The following from the Grand Forks Herald will be of local interest: At the meeting of the Knights of Columbus last night, Labor Day, September 4, was selected as the date for the next initiation. The lodge has held no ceremonial for over a year and considerable overdue enthusiasm is now coming to the surface. Forty applications have already been filed, 75 neophytes are expected to be put through the various tests on the night of initiation. The local council takes in Walsh, Cavalier, Pembina, Nelson, Ramsey and other counties. The council with its new quarters, is well equipped to handle a large class.

A DISPATCH FROM CADIZ SAYS GERMAN WARSHIP IS OFF THE COAST.

London, Eng., July 12.—A dispatch from Cadiz says that a German warship is cruising off the Moroccan coast.

SUGAR INVESTIGATION.

New York, N. Y., July 12.—The congressional investigation of the sugar trust will take place in this city next Tuesday.

ARTHUR NEWTON, IT IS CLAIMED, MADE BOGUS STORY OF CRIPPEN'S GUILT.

London, Eng., July 12.—Arthur Newton, Doctor Crippen's attorney, has been suspended from practice for a year because he made a bogus confession of Crippen's guilt.

FAMILY REUNION.

With the arrival of Mrs. Frank Wheelon and children from Minot this afternoon a family reunion was possible at the Austin residence on Eighth street. The members of the family group on the Austin-Wheelon side of the fence being, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wheelon and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hawkinson of Towner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheelon and children of Minot. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Austin and son Alvin of Devils Lake, Alvin Austin Sr., H. B. Austin and Miss Josephine Austin of Chicago.

CELEBRATION.

Lakota, N. D., July 12.—Aviator Smith of Lakota failed to fly at the market day celebration here. He made several attempts but his engine refused to work. Pekin beat Lakota at baseball 16 to 8. The Luther College band made a big hit.

"LUCKY BOB" MAKES SPLENDID FLIGHTS

PLUCKY AVIATOR STUCK AROUND UNTIL WEATHER WOULD PERMIT A FLIGHT.

SATISFIED MANY WHO HAD GIVEN UP HOPE OF SEEING MACHINE IN ACTION.

"Now or never," was the expression of "Lucky Bob" St. Henry last night just before he mounted to the cabin to pilot "Sweatheart," the Glen Curtiss biplane, in a splendid exhibition of air navigation.

The wind of the last couple of days had discouraged the plucky aviator and disappointed the people who had traveled twice before to the Rock Island military reservation to see the flights.

Those who went last night hardly expected to see the machine go in the air, but several thousand were willing to take another chance and get stung, if need be, fearing that if they did not go there might be a possibility with the wind down, and they were not going to miss it.

True to his word, when the wind had subsided "Lucky Bob" prepared for the attempt. Earlier in the day, when the wind was still blowing a gale, "Bob" said that he would stick with the crowd, since the crowd had stuck by him, and that he would remain a week if necessary until the flight was accomplished.

The deed was accomplished, and even though "Lucky Bob" had to fail because of the high wind Sunday, he is the hero of today and can now pack his trunk for another climb to again set sail, although after last night's performance, Devils Lakers and Chautauquans would be willing to have him stick around another four or five days.

The aerial exhibition last evening were among the finest ever seen in North Dakota, not excepting the flight of "Bob" at Valley City or the daring exploits of the air made by Hoxey at Grand Forks.

The first flight, which was made shortly after 8 o'clock was indeed perfect and profusely illustrated the control to which the machine was subject under proper atmospheric conditions. For five minutes St. Henry remained in the air, making graceful dips, and swooping down over the crowd with ease, although many trembled as the daring aviator went through some of the hair raising stunts. He landed without a mishap in the center of the military grounds and after a ten minute intermission made a second flight.

In the second flight "Bob" remained in the air a longer period and went higher. The machine was seen by many in the city as well as the thousands on the grounds, and those who failed to take the chance were sorry indeed that they were not there to witness every move.

Bob St. Henry circled the lake and the grounds and showed that he had the machine under excellent control. The North Dakota lad, who lives at Carrington, is an aviator of no mean ability, and is as plucky as any who now make air trips. "Lucky" Bob has captivated the people of Chautauqua, Devils Lake and Ramsey county, and even though the wind was not in his favor for two days, he showed his willingness to please the crowd and remained here until he had succeeded in making a successful flight. The management of the Chautauqua is more than pleased with his work and if he should ever fly again in this city he would have a record crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Henry are ready to leave Devils Lake. They have been highly honored and respected guests while here and it is the wish of all that the aviation stunts, which will continue in North Dakota for a time, will be as successful, under proper weather conditions, as they were in Devils Lake.

YOUNG MAN KILLED AT HIS HOMESTEAD NEAR WILLISTON.

ACCIDENT OCCURRED IN FIELD—PARTICULARS ARE VERY MEAGER.

Williston, N. D., July 12.—George Kiddoo, twenty one years of age, was accidentally killed at his homestead near Eckberg's yesterday forenoon.

The deceased was a young man of good habits, twenty-one years old, and less than two years ago he married Miss Mabel Link, daughter of Edward Link, the well known contractor. Recently the Kiddoes lost a child. The accident occurred in the field, it is said, but the particulars are very meagre. Coroner Thomas was summoned at one o'clock and hurried to the scene of the tragedy.

SERGEANT LAWRENCE AND PRISONER FALL THROUGH PLATE GLASS WINDOW.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 12.—Locked in each other arms after a terrific struggle Sergeant Michael Lawrence and a prisoner fell through a plate glass window and were both severely cut. The battle and subsequent crash drew a large crowd.

NEW ORLEANS MAN ELECTED TO HIGHEST OFFICE AT NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 12.—J. P. Sullivan of New Orleans was elected head of the Elks lodge at the National convention held here.

Some of those road overseers in this fortunate boy killed in an accident was held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

At Hospital. James Nash of Webster is confined to the local hospital.

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ports have been in circulation, was seen by a representative of the Associ-