

News From Nearby Towns

INTERESTING NEWS TAKEN FROM OUR EXCHANGES

STARKWEATHER

Dan Leach of Langdon visited in Starkweather Tuesday.

Mrs. H. A. Schwartz visited at Devils Lake Monday.

Ole Aalhus was a passenger to the Lake Monday.

William Maurer visited friends in Minnesota Friday and Saturday of last week.

Leon Maurer went to Devils Lake Saturday afternoon returning Monday.

Editor and Mrs. Finley of Hansboro were over night visitors in Starkweather Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dougherty were over night visitors at Devils Lake Monday evening.

A. O. Sather left Monday afternoon for Hot Springs, Ark, where he will pass the winter.

Edna Davis returned to Minneapolis Monday where she is a student at Hamline college.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Resler went to Devils Lake Monday evening returning Tuesday morning.

Miss Bertha Olson returned Saturday from Minneapolis where she spent the holidays at her home.

Miss Mabel Holton returned home from Starbuck, Minn., Monday where she spent the holidays with her parents.

Misses Laureen Lewis and Roseanna McCarten of Devils Lake visited with Mrs. Rose Nash last Friday.

Miss Ida Agern returned from Fergus Falls, Minn., where she spent the holidays at the home of her parents.

Miss Evelyn Ragen returned to her home at Garske Monday after visiting at the F. N. Maurer home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Briggs went to Rock Lake Monday.

Miss Nellie Boulger returned to Valley City to take up her studies at the state normal school after visiting a few days with her sister Mrs. T. J. Dougherty.

L. D. Maurer went to Devils Lake Monday afternoon on business being called there by damage done to his apartments by fire in the Bangs block.

Miss Hattie Anderson a student at the state university returned to Grand Forks, Monday to resume her studies after spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Edelman attended the Kessler-Freedman wedding at Devils Lake Sunday.

EDMORE

(Edmore Herald)

Willard Merriam is taking a course at the D. B. C., Fargo.

The visiting students all returned to Fargo and Grand Forks where they will resume studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Honey had as their guests for New Year's dinner Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Toomey.

Miss Helen Wolody spent the holidays at home returning to her school at Alsen Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ogilvie on Thursday last, a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Currier entertained at what last Wednesday evening. A fine lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening's play.

Miss Esther Lockton, a nurse at the hospital at Devils Lake spent several days here this week, visiting at the Burling home.

The A. O. U. W. dance last Thursday evening was well attended, young people from every direction coming in for this event. A good time is reported by those in attendance.

Lou Allee has given up his position

on the dray and has gone to Minneapolis where he will remain for some time.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Anderson, on Saturday morning last, a big baby boy. John was busy the next two days handing out "smokes" and not a cheap brand either.

Willard Merriam played with Munch basketball team against Brocket at Brocket last week and reports state he played a great game.

Owing to the fact that some of the teachers who were away on their holiday vacation did not get back until Monday afternoon there was no school until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leonard left this morning for Wisconsin, where they will spend the balance of the winter with relatives, returning here with the opening of spring. Leo says he will start a baseball training early and be in good condition when he reports here about May 10th.

Abe and Chas. Calof returned Saturday from Winnipeg where they had been in search of a new place to make their homes. They tell the Herald-News that owing to the war business is about at a standstill and an investment made at this time might be a long time in bringing returns. They will look elsewhere, perhaps in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stevens who have been visiting at the Ole Stevens home in Triumph township left last Thursday for their home at Forth Berthold reservation.

Rumor has it that the Hampden Guardian has suspended publication. It is perhaps true as no copy has appeared on our exchange table for some weeks. If any of our Hampden readers have items of interest that they wish to send down we will be pleased to print them.

Milton Kelly spent Saturday and Sunday with the folks here, returning to his duties in the World office at the Lake on Monday's train. Milton says that they have all the work that the office can handle and that it is steadily increasing.

Wm. Wright who has spent about three weeks in southern Minnesota is back. Mr. Wright speaks in the highest terms of the country he visited and says: "I never heard the word 'hardtimes' mentioned while there." That will be the case in North Dakota as soon as diversified farming gains a firm and lasting foothold.

HAMPDEN

The whist club met this afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Brant.

Miss Nellie Minns left Tuesday attend the high school at Edmore.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elling Benson on New Year's day.

Magnus Peterson is reported as having purchased the Martin Olsen residence.

John Waade is repairing and improving his work room in the rear of the harness shop.

Miss Nelson, of Northwood, who teaches school near Loma, was a caller in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brandt were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Knutson at the latter's home Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. J. Thorsen and children returned home from Northwood Monday evening after a brief visit with Mrs. Thorsen's parents.

Willard Merriam of Derrick spent Monday in Hampden visiting with his sister Miss Edna Merriam. He returned Tuesday morning.

Anton Norum, of Hallock, Minn., arrived in Hampden for a visit with his brother, P. Norum, on Wednesday last week. He left Monday morning.

Prof. Harvey left for Devils Lake Monday for a few days visit before the opening of the schools here next week.

Mrs. F. A. Klug and children, Pearl and Gordon, who visited the fore part of last week with Mrs. Y. A. Nelson returned to their home at Lakota Saturday morning.

Carl Thompson, who has been working in this neighborhood the past year departed Saturday for his home at Evansville, Minn., to visit his parents. He intends to return when work opens up in the spring.

About ten of Hampden's young people departed Monday for Grand Forks to enroll as new students or resume their studies, after a short vacation at the State University. It is doubtful if there is a village in the state that is as well represented at the U as our own little Hampden.

D. Minnis was on the sick list the forepart of the week.

Mrs. Ira Neidinger is spending a few days with Mrs. Shipley this week.

Miss Ura Bresnahan was in Edmore Monday having dental work done.

T. S. Anderson was in Edmore Tuesday having dental work done. He returned the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Berg, who were visiting at the O. J. Knutson home returned to their home at Henning, Minn., Saturday.

C. D. Lord, of Park River, president of the First National Bank, was here to attend the annual meeting of the bank on Tuesday.

The Rebekah Lodge held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. Installation of officers was the principal work of the evening.

Mrs. A. C. Davies returned from Grand Forks Tuesday evening. She accompanied Miss Thompson who has been visiting here for some time past.

The Misses Lillian Brandt and Clara Flack returned to their homes at Page Saturday morning after a brief visit with their cousin, Mr. Litscher.

Hans Enger, one of Hampden's best known farmers, was in town Wednesday and dropped into the Guardian office for a chat. He also subscribed for the paper. His example should be followed by others. The chat is always nice but \$1.50 sure hits us where we live.

CHURCHS FERRY

(Churchs Ferry Sun)

G. L. Weimer of Knox was in town on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Engelhorn returned Tuesday from Alexandria, Minn., where she spent a couple of weeks visiting her parents.

Prof. K. A. Rygh is enjoying a visit with his brother from Dogden, N. D.

George Steig came up from Lakota Wednesday for a visit with relatives.

Harland Carter returned Sunday from Minot where he spent his vacation with his mother.

Misses Agnes and Marguerite Moe returned to the state University on Monday to resume their work.

R. L. Thompson left for Grand view, Washington, to spend a few days visiting his people.

The teachers of our local schools returned Saturday after having spent the Christmas holidays at their various homes.

The town took on new life Monday morning. The opening of the school set the wheels of activity to moving again after a short holiday vacation.

Ivan and Herbert Hansen left Sunday evening to resume their studies at the university of Minnesota after spending their holiday vacation at home.

Miss Adeline Engelhorn left for Bowman, N. D., last Friday where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public schools of that town.

Miss White's mother who has been seriously ill for some time, passed away last Saturday, at her home in Perham, Minn. Miss White reached home shortly after her mother died.

Miss Francis Shortridge of Devils Lake has accepted the position in our schools made vacant by the resignation of Miss Waddell. Miss Shortridge comes here well recommended.

A telegram received here Tuesday evening that Melvin Swenson of Willett, S. D., has been killed. No particulars have been received.

While trying out the gas lighting system in the high school gymnasium on Thursday evening, Harold Sorlie was severely burned about the face and hands. The can containing the denatured alcohol for generating exploded throwing the burning liquid on his clothing. Prompt work on the part of bystanders saved a more serious injury.

George Solberg returned Sunday evening from a pleasure trip to Minot

and other western points.

Miss Ada McCormick returned to Perth, Saturday to take up her school work again after her vacation.

Miss Emma Olson spent a few days last week visiting relatives returning to Williston last Saturday.

Miss Clara Ruppelius of Rolla is working in the telephone exchange this week in the absence of Miss White who was called home.

Miss Hilda Welo who is attending the A. C. this year returned to school Monday afternoon after a short vacation.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Harding on Wednesday.

The crack train on the G. N. No. 1 has just completed a record for "on time arrival" at Seattle that has never been approached by any transcontinental train of any railroad. The train was on time 238 times out of 242. This is certainly a wonderful

record and speaks well for the service of the Great Northern system.

A delightful party was held at the J. G. Nichol home Wednesday evening, the occasion being the celebration of Miss Etta's 13th birthday. The young ladies report a most enjoyable evening but are mum when asked for further information regarding the entertainment.

PENN

(The Penn Hustler)

Mrs. J. M. Morgan returned home Tuesday after spending the Christmas holidays with friends and relatives at Churchs Ferry.

Miss Margaret McDonnell was visiting friends in town the latter part of the week, returning to her home at Churchs Ferry on Saturday.

Clarence Peterson, cashier of the Penn State Bank, has been ill this week with chicken pox but is now getting better.

Alex McLean was a business visitor in our village Tuesday returning to his home in Devils Lake the following day.

G. Simmons of Bartlett came up Thursday and attended the dance given Friday evening, returning to his home Saturday.

Master Kenneth Morgan, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morgan is ill with the small pox.

Mrs. Ger. Ball went to Grand Harbor Thursday to visit at the home of her mother Mrs. E. DeMars.

Mrs. J. A. Strand and daughter, Estelle were visiting friends at the Harbor between train Saturday.

Miss Helen Johnson returned to Mayville Monday to resume her studies at the normal after spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Ida Gesner returned home

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LAKE REGION

MID-WINTER FAIR AND FARMERS' CONVENTION

Devils Lake, Jan. 26-27-28

THE THREE BIG DAYS OF THE YEAR IN THE LAKE REGION

ON the above mentioned dates will occur the great Mid-Winter Fair which is being looked forward to by thousands and thousands of Lake Region citizens as a joyous festival of pleasure, entertainment and learning.

A superb collection of farm produce will be displayed, a regular carnival of booths, school displays, art work, cooking and a *gigantic* stock show.

A vast multitude of visitors from eight counties will be in attendance and you should surely be one of the vast throng.

COME!

Devils Lake will have open house for the visitors ---have the time of your life, its a grand get together event in the form of a jubilee.

NO ADMISSION

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TO BE A SUCCESS, YOU MUST BE THERE