

# News From Nearby Towns

INTERESTING NEWS TAKEN FROM OUR EXCHANGES

## CHURCHES FERRY (Churches Ferry Sun)

Miss Marie White returned home Monday.

J. G. Jacobson went to Grand Fork Tuesday on a few days business trip.

Mrs. K. O. Raftshol went to Willow City Tuesday for a short visit with her mother.

C. W. Smith, night operator for the G. N. spent a few days in the Twin Cities this week.

Clifford Harper, who worked for Harry Learned last season returned Friday and will spend the season here.

Rev. S. S. Wyand of Drayton spent Monday at the M. E. church. He has recently been appointed to assist in the big financial campaign for Wesley College of Grand Forks.

C. M. Wilson, agent for the Bovey Shute Lumber Co., at Silva, N. D., spent a few days here this week visiting relatives.

The Hausmann skating rink is furnishing no end of sport for the children and young people of the Ferry. The mild weather of the past two or three weeks made it possible for all who skate to enjoy themselves on the ice.

A big rabbit hunt is planned for next Saturday afternoon. The Maza sports will start the drive from that end and a company of hunters from here will start north driving the game to the north end of Lake Irvine, where the roundup will occur.

The mountain lion which was seen and heard by several of our citizens last winter has again appeared upon the scene. It is reported that one of the farmers living northeast of town heard cries like that of a human being out in his grove early one morning, and upon investigation found it to be an animal answering the description of the mountain lion.

Miss Emma Welo is teaching near Harvey, North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson departed Friday for Hot Springs, Ark., where they will spend the rest of the winter.

W. D. Bailor and Roy Noltimer are spending the week fishing on the Mouse river. Irvine Enger is attending to the stock in their absence.

An exciting rabbit hunt was indulged in by about twenty-five men from the Maza neighborhood last week. Besides having considerable sport they succeeded in shooting 63 of the pests.

The basket ball team of the Deaf and Dumb school at Devils Lake will be here today and will play our boys at the gymnasium this evening. A fast game is expected.

Miss Edith Bedell of Maza was unable to return to Wesley college when school opened after the Christmas holidays, as she was afflicted with the measles. She is much improved at this writing.

James McCormick returned home last Friday from a two weeks visit with relatives at Streator, Ill.

Alfred Anderson, son of Hon. and Mrs. Bernat Anderson, was home last week for a few days visit. Mr. Anderson is working for the Soil Survey.

Prof. Ide of Cando, Superintendent of schools of that city, was in town Saturday. He was on his way home from Leeds where he attended the Cando-Leeds basket ball game the night before.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lysne left last Saturday for the west where they will spend the remainder of the winter. They will visit different cities in California and will spend some time at the San Francisco Exposition before returning home.

The Royal Neighbors met Thursday night in their hall and the officers for the ensuing year were installed. After the business session they were invited to the home of Mrs. A. P. Engelson where a delicious lunch was served.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Rygh was christened at the Zion Lutheran church last Sunday morning.

C. C. Connolly of Devils Lake and C. C. Morrison immigration agent of the Great Northern were here last Wednesday afternoon between trains and held a meeting in the Masonic hall for the purpose of interesting the farmers and business men in the efforts which are being made by the Lake Region Development association in cooperation with the Great Northern railway for the purpose of advertising the region throughout the eastern states with the end in view of getting more settlers.

There is considerable improvement in the train and mail service since the new train schedule went into effect. The Churches Ferry people are pleased with the change in that they get a morning mail and also that fast train No. 3 stops here.

## EDMORE (Edmore Herald)

Prof. Harvey of the Hampden public schools was in the city on last Thursday transacting business.

Obert Vig spent a few days at Munich last week, a guest at the home of Pete Honiff.

Mrs. Albert Roisum and Mrs. R. M. Cox left Monday morning for Park River where they will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Rev. Haavet of Lakota held services in the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon and evening.

Dr. Craig of Hampden was a visitor in town Tuesday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Ed. Kelly, an old Edmoreite, was calling on friends here the past few days.

Thursday morning last fire again visited Lakota when the hotel known as the Hotel Lakota was gutted.

Last Monday the branch train again changed time, the train from the north arriving in Edmore at 9:50 a. m. and on the return trip they are due here at 4:50 p. m. On that day also the exclusive passenger train was taken off and the mixed train was substituted. It is understood that this train must run on schedule or the passenger will be returned. In that case the towns on the branch should see that it does.

Walter Moscrip of Kerr, Sask., was a recent guest at the home of Regiser of Deeds O. F. Anderson. Mr. Moscrip was an early settler in the Edmore country where he first became acquainted with the Anderson family. He still retains his farm there and is at present looking after his interests. He stopped off at Devils Lake returning from St. Paul where he accompanied a carload of stock.—Devils Lake Journal.

Iver Lestrud is one of the jurymen drawn for the term of court that will convene on January 18th. This is an adjourned term but the old jury was discharged by the judge at the completion of the last term and which necessitates the drawing of a new jury.

Word comes from Bismarck that a measure providing for the taxation of franchises for foreign corporations has been introduced into the house by Representative Harris of Burleigh. This bill is aimed at catalog houses.

M. M. Van Osdel and family returned Saturday from a two week's visit at Mission Hill, S. D.

Supt. McLaughlin of the Dakota Division was a passenger up the line Monday. He called at the local station and found everything in the best possible condition.

Otto Wing writes from Bismarck asking that we send the Herald-News to him during his stay at the capital.

We neglected last week to mention that J. F. Dougherty was called to Lakota to attend the funeral of his brother who died a few days previous at that place.

At their last meeting the board of

county commissioners named the official papers for the coming year, and while we are not inclined to "kick" still we feel that we should have been one of the five. The Hampden Guardian was named as one, a paper, which up to the present time, has hardly been thought of as a newspaper and which has a circulation as small as it could possibly get. The Herald-News has a list of 987 subscribers and if the practice of getting "full value for the taxpayers' dollar" is to be the slogan of the new board, we can conscientiously say that they made a bad mistake in this particular instance.

## PENN

(The Penn Hustler)

The son and daughter of A. C. Simons are on the sick list this week.

R. Stanley of Dry Lake was a business caller in our little village last Monday.

Mrs. Moeller of Rugby was here on her bi-weekly visit to the music class. I. Samuelson of Churches Ferry was a business caller in town the fore part of the week.

P. L. Klyver was a business caller in Churches Ferry Wednesday.

Mabel McDonald of Churches Ferry is spending the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McDewitt, Jr., drove from Grand Harbor Wednesday and spent the day visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simmons returned home Thursday after spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives at Bartlett.

Mrs. Bob Horne was a Devils Lake shopper between trains on Wednesday.

G. Simmons of Bartlett came up Thursday for a brief visit with relatives and to attend the dance Friday evening returning home Saturday.

Miss Alice Daeley of Devils Lake, came up Friday to attend the dance.

Frank Bail of Poplar Grove was visiting friends and relatives in town this week.

Mrs. A. M. Holt came up from the Lake Friday and acted as pianist at the dance that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Madeford arrived from Rock Lake Saturday for a short visit with relatives. They are on their way to Indian to visit at the home of Mr. Madeford's parents.

The Hard Time dance last Friday evening given by the dancing club was well attended and proved to be the most enjoyable event of the season. It is hoped that all the dances may be as well attended as this one.

## CRARY

(Crary Public Opinion)

Mrs. J. W. Orchard of Warwick was visiting in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kavanaugh and daughter Genevieve visited relatives at Devils Lake Friday.

W. E. Downs went to Grand Forks Tuesday morning to attend the exhibition and display of the "No-Vary" products.

Miss Ella Haney of Orr, N. D., has been a guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Ahlbrecht returning to her home Thursday.

John McDougal, a friend of M. D. Kavanaugh came down from Hampden Tuesday for a brief visit returning on Wednesday.

J. H. Smith left Wednesday for Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and daughter Mrs. Geo. Walker expect to leave on the 19th for California to spend the remainder of the winter months.

F. R. Stevens left for Ann Arbor Michigan, Wednesday to join Mrs. Stevens at the home of her parents. In March Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will make a trip to the coast to visit the Panama exposition.

The Hurst Sisters Minstrel company gave a production here Friday evening and were well patronized by an appreciative audience. After the show the minstrel troupe furnished music for a social dance.

Oscar Funk, returned from Ilines, Minn., Monday this week where he took the remains of his deceased wife for interment. Mr. Funk and daughter have the sympathy of friends and neighbors in their great bereavement.

The Crary Band will give a concert and dance at the opera house on the evening of Lincoln's birthday, Friday, Feb. 12.

Will Dean returned from a trip to Inkster and Grand Forks this week.

O. B. Olson returned Wednesday night from Buxton and Hillsboro where he has real estate holdings.

Jesse Nicholson has resumed his position as helper at the depot since No. 1 has returned on this line of the G. N. Ry.

Miss Katherine Medelman made her usual trip to McVillie Tuesday to resume her work in music after the holiday vacation.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McGurren Wednesday, Jan. 13, 1915, at 10 a. m., a boy. "Mack" is passing around the cigars and receiving the congratulations of his friends.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church was held at the church Saturday afternoon. The business of the year and the reports of the various departments were heard, vacancies and expired terms, in the committees and officers were filled by election and appointments.

At the annual business meeting of Congregational church was held at the church Saturday afternoon. The business of the year and the reports of the various departments were heard.

At the annual business meeting of the Ladies Aid held at the home of Mrs. Kelly last Thursday the follow-

ing officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. F. S. Chamberlin.  
Vice President—Mrs. F. W. Southam.  
Treasurer—Mrs. H. A. Nicholson.  
Secretary—Mrs. H. S. Pond.

The directors and stockholders of the First National bank held their regular meeting last Tuesday. The directors were all re-elected, viz: J. H. Smith, H. A. Nicholson, J. S. Kirk, E. M. Sagmoen and O. C. Sagmoen and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—J. H. Smith.  
Cashier—O. C. Sagmoen.  
Asst. Cashier—H. S. Pond.

Miss Ella Sexton was a Devils Lake visitor Friday.

Miss Oeschger spent the week end at Devils Lake with Misses Serungard.

Louis Downs was in Lakota between trains Wednesday.

L. C. Wright is back from Montana and will remain at the parental home for some time.

Henry Long, who has been at the Mercy hospital for a couple of weeks was taken to his home on the Reservation the latter part of the week.

## HAMPDEN

Dr. Minnis is about town again after a short illness.

Dr. T. Craig made a professional visit to Edmore Tuesday.

Miss Ida Young was a visitor at Edmore between trains Saturday.

Miss Lydia Gruber of Alsen, arrived Sunday to attend the high school.

Prof. Harvey returned from Devils Lake Tuesday after a few days visit with friends.

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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

MUSIC

# TO BE A SUCCESS, YOU MUST BE THERE