

## TOM HENNESSEY WILL USE NEW MACHINE GUNS

### Bottineau Sheriff Takes New Method For Bootleggers

MINOT, N. D.—Browning machine guns have been secured by Sheriff Thomas Hennessey of Bottineau county and will be used to stop whiskey runners who refuse to stop when halted by officers, inspectors connected with the attorney general's office, who returned to Minot after spending two or three days working on the Canadian line, stated. The guns, secured from the adjutant general's office, are being placed along roads leading from the Canadian line thru Bottineau county, and Sheriff Hennessey has stated that any whiskey runner who refuses to stop or who opens fire on the officers, will have the machine guns turned on them, the inspectors state.

So far as can be learned, the Bottineau sheriff is the first officer in this section to secure machine guns to help him check whiskey running. Federal and state officers use high-powered rifles. Sheriff A. P. Scofield of Ward county stated that his three carries rifles, and he has two or three on his staff that can bring a car down just about as quick with machine guns.

## CONCRETE BOAT GOES TO BOTTOM

### Government Vessel End Career Without Cargo

NEWPORT, R. I.—The concrete steamer Cape Fear, a United States Shipping Board vessel, has been sunk in the deepest part of Naragansett Bay in a collision with the Savannah Line steamer City of Atlanta. At a late hour, nineteen of the crew of thirty-four of the sunken vessel were unaccounted for. The Cape Fear sank in three minutes, about halfway between Castle Hill on the Newport shore, and Rose Island, going down less than 125 fathoms.

The Cape Fear was outward bound from Providence for Norfolk in ballast, and carried only its crew, as the City of Atlanta, which was bound from Savannah for Providence with a cargo of pig iron. Just how the accident happened was not determined tonight, especially as the weather was clear, with only a slight cloudiness and a light sea running.

### Mail Carriers' Examination Here

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Ramsey at Devils Lake on November 27, 1920, to fill the position of rural carrier at Churchs Ferry, Garske, Starkweather and Webster and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The salary of a rural carrier on a standard daily route of 24 miles is \$1,800 annum, with an additional \$30 per mile per annum for each mile or major fraction thereof in excess of 24 miles. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a postoffice in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. Both men and women, if qualified, may enter this examination, but appointing officers have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Women will not be considered for rural carrier appointment unless they are the widows of U. S. soldiers, sailors, or marines, or the wives of U. S. soldiers, sailors, or marines who are physically disqualified for examination by reason of in-

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juries received in the line of military duty. Form No. 1977 and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington at the earliest practicable date.

### Five Spuds Weigh Over Eleven Pounds

DICKINSON, N. D.—John P. Berlinger has five potatoes weighing an even 11 pounds or an average of two and a fifth pounds each. Mr. Berlinger raised 14 acres of potatoes on his fine farm which yielded him 2,000 bushels. The spuds are of the Burbank and Early Ohio varieties and are absolutely free from blight or blight, all of which goes to prove that other states or even other sections of North Dakota have nothing on Stark county when it comes to raising the great family vegetable.

## GRAND THEATER DREW CAPACITY HOUSE FRIDAY

### Fiske O'Hara Appears Was The Hit Of Years

The Grand theatre made the most popular hit of the year past when on Friday night Manager Miller presented Fiske O'Hara, one of the most popular singing actors traveling on the big circuits of the country. A crowd that filled the big auditorium of the theatre to capacity, applauded and demanded encore after encore during the evening's program.

"Spring time in Mayo" was the title of the play presented by a company headed by the noted actor, accompanied by his wife (Patricia Clary), and what critics said was one of the best companies of players to visit Devils Lake in several years. Orchestral music aided in the presentation. Comment was great on the success of the program and compliments for the theatre many — directed particularly towards Mr. Miller's efforts to bring to this community the better things of show-dow and to break the monotony of the movies, altho it is acknowledged the Grand presents the best of the Northwest always to its patrons.

### E. L. Hughes And Others Purchase Gulbro Interests

E. L. Hughes, Ralph Huestis and Alexander Lake have purchased the electrical business of A. L. Gulbro. The name of the new firm will be the Electric Service company. It is the intention of the company to furnish electric service not only to Devils Lake but to the entire Lake Region. Devils Lake will, however, be headquarters of the company.

## BUTTER FAT RECORD GETS A NEW MARK

### Two Year Heifer Brings 376.16 Pounds For Owner

The North Dakota record for butterfat production in the two-year-old heifer class has been broken. The previous record was 376.16 pounds of fat produced in one year, held by a cow owned by the Agricultural college. The new record is being made by Salome's Carnation, who has in 281 days, or less than nine months produced 401.05 pounds of fat. She still has over three months left and she will surely bring the total production for the year up to 500 pounds of fat.

Salome's Carnation is a purebred Jersey owned by William Page & Sons of Hamilton, N. D. She is not getting any more care or feed than any of the other cows in the herd. She is being milked only twice a day and is receiving only ordinary good care. With ideal conditions such as most test cows are given, she would do much better.

The heifer was bred and raised in North Dakota and is being tested on the farm where she was raised. Her home is only a few miles from the Canadian line. This seems like conclusive proof that dairy cattle can be successfully raised in the northwest. The Pages have several other cows on test and good records are expected from all of them.

## OIL "MELON" TO BE CUT NOW BY OIL TRUST

### \$157,000,000 Is To Be Doled Out December Sixteenth

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Stockholders in the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana, will share a "melon" valued at approximately \$157,000,000 Dec. 17, according to the decision by the company's board of directors.

The directors voted to declare a stock dividend of one and one-half shares for each whole share of stock held. The authorized capital stock is \$100,000,000. Though only in existence eight years the company is reported to have made profits totalling \$200,000,000 since its organization.

Couldn't Find Any. "I got one good laugh out of the tour, anyhow," said York Hamm, "and that was when a tank town sheriff tried to attach our box office receipts."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## NEWS OF NORTH DAKOTA

### BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

**Good Roads Plans**  
MINOT, N. D.—Steps are being taken to revive the North Dakota State Highway association, by holding a meeting at Minot in the near future. Every effort will be made to have all the good roads enthusiasts in the state at this meeting, and especially to have a large representation from along the Roosevelt Highway. The date for the meeting will be announced within a few days.

**States Attorney Jailed**  
MINOT, N. D.—Ivan Metzger, state's attorney of Williams county, Dr. H. C. Windell of Williston, and Orville Hendricks, reuter, living on Dr. Windell's farm near Williston have been arrested by a deputy United States marshal and will appear before Judge J. W. Woodrough in federal court here on a charge of conspiring to intimidate and deprive a citizen of property.

The three were indicted by the grand jury when Claude Martin, a farmer living neighbor to Hendricks, appeared before that body and offered testimony to show that the three men threatened him and attempted to drive him from that part of the state.

**A Big Duck**  
MINOT, N. D.—The largest green head mallard ever bagged in this part of the northwest was exhibited here yesterday by a local hunter. The bird was killed north of Minot and weighed 4 1-2 pounds. It was almost as large as a goose.

**Bismarck Bridge Progress**  
BISMARCK, N. D.—Casings are being sunk for the piers of the Mandan-Bismarck bridge, across the Missouri river. Cylinders or caissons of cement ten feet high are set into the mud and as the dirt and water are taken out the caisson sinks. When it has sunk ten feet, another ten-foot section of caisson is added and the

work continues. For some of the piers the engineers expect to go down 75 feet or more. After a depth of 25 feet has been reached, it is necessary for the men who work inside, filling the buckets with dirt, to work under compressed air.

**Save Artesian Water**  
BISMARCK, N. D.—Artesian water in North Dakota is being wasted, according to a recent report by W. H. Robinson, state engineer. The water supply in the sand stone and other water bearing strata in North Dakota are being depleted, according to the report. Mr. Robinson quotes a law, in existence in South Dakota and urges that similar legislation for control of artesian wells in this state be enacted.

### Bisbee G. A. R. Died Last Week

BISBEE, N. D.—Died Sunday forenoon, Mr. James M. Gray, aged 83 years, at his home here, after an illness of several months standing. His inability to be up and about was due to extreme old age and a general breaking down of a once rugged and healthy constitution.

Deceased was a veteran of the civil war, having enlisted in the navy division which had in charge the blockading of the rivers and harbors of the south. Later he was transferred to an infantry division and served throughout the war.—Bisbee Gazette.

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