

# FROM EXCHANGES

## STARKWEATHER

(From The Starkweather Times)

John C. Reid, familiarly and affectionately known to everyone in this community as "Old Dad Reid," passed off the stage of human activity last Thursday evening at the General hospital at Devils Lake, whence he had been taken about four weeks ago, in the hope of recovering from an illness which had laid hold upon his aged body. The passing of "Old Dad" while not unexpected, brought a throb of emotion into the breast of everyone who knew him, as was evidenced by the remarks passed by his friends when the news of his death came, and the kindly, affectionate discussion of his life.

Supt. P. K. Cessander will be in attendance next week at the North Dakota state teachers' association in session on the 10th, 11th and 12th at Grand Forks.

The basket social and program given at the St. Joe school house last Saturday night was a very successful affair from every point of view. Not only was a most enjoyable evening spent by all those attending but the tidy sum of \$120 was realized, which will be used for the purchase of a musical instrument for the school.

The marriage of Marie Sime, well known local young lady, and John Nielson of Omaha, Neb., took place Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's father P. A. Sime. Following the ceremony, which was performed by Pastor S. Miesel of the Bergen church, the young couple left for Omaha where they will make their future home. The bride is a pleasing and accomplished young lady who was born and raised in this community. She has a large circle of friends and acquaintances who wish her a long and happy married life.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pownell at the General hospital at Devils Lake on Sunday, October 31.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeborn, on Wednesday, November 3.

S. A. Denoyer came up Wednesday from Graham's Island, where he has been visiting at the home of father, to look after his interests here before leaving for California to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty and son Charles of Rock Lake were Sunday visitors at the T. J. Dougherty home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loudon came up from Devils Lake Saturday night and spent Sunday visiting with friends here.

Charles Cissner came up from Devils Lake Tuesday.

## EDMORE

(From the Edmore Herald-News)

The Peter Roisum family have decided to break up housekeeping for the winter. Miss Clara will go to Sherwood to make her home with her brother.

Otto Wing spent a few days here with his family the past week. Mr. Almer Sagen and Rev. Ensrud attended a meeting at Brocket on Friday, October 29th.

Goodwin Olson, who has spent the month on his farm in Canada, came down Saturday evening.

Joe Dahl was a passenger to Grand Forks Saturday morning.

Sidney McNew and wife came Saturday to visit with Mr. McNew's sister, Mrs. J. Gjesdal.

Miss Louise Duell of Devils Lake was a week-end guest at the Smith Merriam home.

Louise Fern, who has made his home at Edmore for a little over a year, left Friday afternoon for Lakota by auto where he took the evening train for his home at Park Rapids, Minn. He was called there by a telegram announcing that his mother's home had been totally destroyed by fire.

Earle Nyhus autoed to the county seat Monday, where he attended to business matters.

Harry Allee, Goodwin Viger, Haakon Hetland, who together with Selmer Tollefson, enlisted in the navy last week and departed for Minneapolis to enter service, returned to Edmore Saturday.

Mrs. Ole Anderson, Mrs. Ole Stevens, Mrs. T. K. Sagen and Mrs. C. M. Sagen, who have spent a couple of weeks in Iowa, visiting at the home of their aged father, returned home Friday.

Joe Schledorn left Tuesday morning for Detroit, Michigan, where he expects to get employment in an automobile factory.

Miss Alice Johnson was a visitor at Lakota Tuesday, between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson left Wednesday for Fargo and Page, where they will visit a week with relatives.

Miss Clara Roisum left yesterday morning for Sherwood, where she expects to spend the winter at the home of her brother, Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Skjveland were county seat callers the first of the week.

N. A. Lovang of Homestead, Mont., has been in the city for a few days, visiting at the home of C. A. Sagen

his old time school mate. He is a former resident of Welsh county, and was in the newspaper game at Adams. He is a brother of Senator Levang of Walsh county.

## HAMPDEN

(From The Hampden News)

F. L. Barteau was a passenger to Lakota Monday morning to meet Mrs. Barteau who returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Barteau at Comstock, Minnesota.

O. M. Shipley of Eaton, Ohio, formerly of this city, arrived in town Saturday evening for a few days' visit with friends and to attend to business matters.

Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Blair and O. M. Shipley motored to Devils Lake Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Purford and families were entertained at the H. L. Mackey home Sunday.

Frederick Hanna of Minneapolis, was in town the fore part of the week for the semi-annual audit of the Farmers Bank.

Russell Mackey returned Tuesday evening from Chicago, where he has been spending a few days with his brother Roy and family.

Miss Ragna Lindseth left on Friday morning for Fargo, where she will spend the winter attending school.

The grade pupils of the local school enjoyed a Halloween party at the school house Friday evening. Halloween games were the evening's pleasures and a light luncheon was served.

James B. McMillan, Emil J. Olson, Russell Bordon and Isaac Ackre motored to Devils Lake today.

Fay Neidlinger left Friday for Plymouth, Ind., after spending the summer months in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neidlinger motored to Devils Lake Friday, spending the day with friends.

## LAWTON

(Lawton Republican)

Miss Ruth Quill spent the week end with her parents at Park River.

Miss Ella Bruhjel of Edmore spent Saturday and Sunday with the Creasy family.

A carload of apples is expected to arrive at the Farmers elevator about the beginning of the coming week.

Misses Gertrude Young and Anne Scott, teachers in Shepherd township, spent the week end with their parents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Boehmer of Newbre township, November 5, twins, both boys. Mother and children are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bratt, son Gust and daughter Annie, were transacting business and shopping in Devils Lake Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelly and their two sons accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Creasy and Miss Barbara Vobayda visited Devils Lake Monday.

Quite a number of the young people attended the American Legion dance at Edmore last Wednesday. All report a very enjoyable time.

Alanson Kops, Pearl Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Olsen motored to Devils Lake Friday evening to hear Fisk O'Hara in "Springtime in Mayo."

November 2, election day, as Peter Larson of Shepherd township was stabling his cattle, half a dozen of them attempted to crowd into one stall, and in straightening matters, Mr. Larson was crushed against the wall. The injuries received will confine Mr. Larson to the house for some time.

A letter from W. W. Gurr, late of the Golden Fields Farm, Cato township, was received the first of the week, stating that he and family are now settled in Chicago, and desire the Republican sent to their address as they wish to keep in touch with old friends and neighborhood happenings.

Married by Judge Griffin at the court house, Devils Lake, Thursday, October 28, Miss Albina Ziska of this village and Mr. Joseph Koubat of Sauter township. The bride was beautifully attired in a Killinger satin crepe gown and carried white roses. Miss Lillian Zahradiska who was also tastefully dressed acted as bridesmaid and carried white carnations. The groom was assisted by his brother Albert Koubat.

## RETAIN WORKS ORGANIZATION

Rock Island Arsenal Employees and the Commandant Approve the Council System.

Despite strenuous opposition by organized labor Rock Island, Ill., arsenal employees by a vote of more than two to one have decided to continue their works organization plan.

The arsenal is divided into thirteen different departments for the purpose of the works organization and each department has three representatives on the central council of thirty-nine employees, including several women.

The chairman and four members of the council met with the commanding officer and four of his principal assistants at the joint council committee.

The object is to establish a definite organized means of communication between the management and employees. It is asserted that it has produced a discussion and settlement of many departmental problems; that it has produced increased interest in the work, as is shown by innumerable suggestions for better methods and improvement in machinery, and has provided a mechanism by taking care at the source of many small matters of importance to individual workers.

The commandant, Col. H. B. Jordan, declares the plan is simply a means of obtaining "organized team work" and is a co-operative attempt to apply common sense to industrial plant relationship.

Rock Island arsenal union men, however, do not look with favor upon the plan. They were unable to obtain a ruling that length of service would guarantee positions for their members when the peace time reduction of the past few months started.

The arsenal commander declared that efficiency records should have first consideration. The issue came to a test when C. A. Cook, president of the arsenal federation, and E. J. Aspengren, machinist union official, were dropped from the force. The unions' organization appealed the case to the secretary of war. The commandant's action was upheld.

Demand for Labor Falls Off. Employment agencies in Chicago, which went out of business during the war, when any sort of laborer could pick his own job and name his own hours and wages, say there is a marked falling off in the call for labor, both skilled and unskilled, and that the supply now far exceeds the demand.

Everywhere there is a tendency by the public to dispense with luxuries and many necessities under the hope that prices of everything will fall. Merchants are buying in limited quantities and manufacturers report many cancellations of orders. As a result, large numbers of men are being laid off in factories and stores of the Middle West. There also has been a flood of men from the East seeking employment. There is very little building and contractors say they do not care to undertake it at the present prices of materials and labor, and the danger of strikes.

Yardmen Arrested in Detroit. Edward J. Gall and William J. Judge, treasurer and secretary of the Detroit Yardmen's association, were placed under arrest by a deputy United States marshal to answer to an indictment charging them with violation of the Lever act by conspiring to disrupt transportation of foodstuffs. They admitted identity before J. Stanley Hurd, United States commissioner, and were ordered held under bail of \$2,500 each, pending arraignment in Chicago, where the indictment was issued.

Gall and Judge are among the 65 men in various parts of the country, including John Graman of Chicago, who were indicted August 8 as a result of the "outlaw strike" of railway yardmen last April.

## PRAYER WEEK NOVEMBER 14-21 BY THE Y. M. C. A.

### Local Organization Will Participate In Movement

The week of November 14-21 has been named as Prayer Week by the national organization of the Y.M.C.A., according to an announcement made this week by Secretary Conrad of the Ramsey county branch. The announcement says:

The National Y. M. C. A. of North America will observe the week of November 14-21 as a special Week of Prayer for boys and young men. Never in the history of the country has there been so evident a need for Christian people to unite in special supplication for the spiritual and moral guidance of our young men. Some of the local churches have already arranged to observe this Prayer Week and it is hoped the boys and young men will in a measure feel this ever present interest the Christian people have for them and at least fall into some of these services.

Good Roads Meeting At Minot, November 18

MINOT, N. D.—The North Dakota Good Roads association will hold a meeting here Thursday, November 18, to which all people interested in good road of the state have been invited. W. E. Holbein, acting secretary of the association, has sent an appeal to all cities and towns of the state to have representatives at the meeting, that the question of good roads might thoroughly be gone over.

JIM SAYS: "We've all voted, election is over and won't come around again for a long time," But! Jim adds:

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## Voters In Favor Of Extension Work

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, N. D.—That agricultural extension work is making good with the farmers in North Dakota is indicated by the figures received from three of the eight counties in western North Dakota which voted on the proposition of whether or not to continue extension work.

Sixteen of 21 precincts in Golden Valley county showed a vote of 814 for extension work and 441 opposed giving a majority thus far of 373. In Kidder county 23 of 34 precincts

gave a majority of 340 for the work, and reports from more than half the precincts in Williams county show a good majority for extension work. No figures are yet available from the other five counties that voted on the work, Divide, Burke, Stark, Morton and Slope.

## Hen Makes Wonderful Egg Laying Records

Agriculture College, N. D.—A pen of five Single Comb White Leghorns won the North Dakota State Egg Laying contest by producing 724 eggs in one year. One of the birds in this

pen laid 177 eggs, the highest for an individual hen. These birds were entered in the contest by Carl Zehr-feld of New Rockford, North Dakota. The contest was conducted by the North Dakota Agricultural college under the direction of Enoch J. Peterson, poultryman. The contest opened November 1, 1919, and closed October 31, 1920. It was limited to twelve pens of five birds each. A trap nest record was kept of each bird.

Benjamin E. Harrison of Garake motored into the city Monday to dispose of a quantity of chickens on the local market. The R. E. Cobb company secured the consignment.

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