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On Reforms.

EDITOR HERALD: The Transcript man finds time, during his anxious labors for the good of the city, to give me the following dose:

This town ought to be properly reformed with H. G. Buskirk touching it up for \$100 a year. About six more breaks like that and the community wouldn't be worth saving.

Now, if some people said that, perhaps it would not make an old soldier like Van Buskirk at all sorrowful. But coming from a reformer, it naturally makes even a poor soldier feel bad. Van Buskirk hasn't much to say, but he will place his humble efforts to relieve suffering, against anything the great reformer ever did. In fact, he will place his work relieving the pains of just one old mule, and he has helped more than one—against all the work the great reformer ever did in his six years in the legislature, and believes that his comrades and the people will think more of what was done to help the old mule than they will of what the great reformer did. However, it's a question whether the great reformer did anything.

H. G. VAN BUSKIRK.

Cass Lake Cor. Duluth Herald: Earl Rogers and wife left on Wednesday for Minneapolis, where they will hereafter make their home. Mr. Rogers has accepted the position of superintendent of the C. A. Smith sawmill at the Mill City, and will enter upon his new duties at once. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers have made many friends during their residence at Cass Lake, and all will much regret their departure. Mr. Rogers, by the way, is one of the best mill men in the country.

Bemidji Pioneer: Val Kaeparek has been in the employ of Barney Burton for six years, and has recently received a souvenir which shows that his services have been appreciated. Mr. Burton gave him about as fine a gold watch as is made. We are thinking of getting out of the newspaper business.

The trouble with the goodly town of Little Falls is that the expenditures are now, and have been, greater than the revenues. This has nothing to do with any issue, live or dead—it's a fact.

School Teachers

Wishing to dispose of their orders should write, J. J. Tucker, Ft. Ripley, Minn.

Notice.

Trespassers on the islands in the Mississippi river, on Section 5, belonging to the Belle Prairie Catholic church, are hereby warned to keep off, and stop cutting wood, or they will be prosecuted.

TRUSTEES BELLE PRAIRIE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Picture and frame Free at Nelson's.

Dr. Dufour, late of New York, is visiting Dr. Seguin at Buckman.

Eugene Cota, the well known farmer of Little Falls town, has recovered from his recent illness.

Pillager Post: If Pillager would succeed in getting the necessary appropriations to build the Crow Wing river bridge we must gear up a notch or two and brush off a few flies.

On Wednesday evening next, Feb 20th, the Knights of Pythias lodge with their invited guests, will celebrate at their hall in the Buckman Block the thirty-eight anniversary of the founding of the order.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: John Kraemer, a prosperous farmer of Rich Prairie, is visiting Casper Pick in town. He has just closed a deal for the purchase from John Otto of Luxemburg of 120 acres of wild land in the town of Pierz, Morrison county.

Cloquet Pine Knot: Rev. Arthur N. Claggett, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church in this city, has tendered his resignation to become effective in June. Mr. Claggett's health has been very poor for some time past and we understand that it is his intention to take a long rest and try to recuperate and with this object in view he has resigned.

At Oquaka, Ill., according to the Democrat of that city, the members of the Modern Woodmen camp are not easily dismayed, and when they start out to do a thing they do it as hard as they can. Recently the camp was conferring the ceremony of "adoption," when the candidate became alarmed and, breaking away, dashed through the door and reached the street with the entire working team in pursuit. He was followed for several blocks, finally overtaken and brought back to the hall, when the ceremony was concluded.

A Chinaman on Americans.

A Chinaman, on being asked his opinion of Americans, gave the following reply: "They live for months without eating a mouthful of rice. They eat bullock and sheep in enormous quantities with knives and prongs. They never enjoy themselves by sitting quietly on their ancestors' graves, but jump around and kick balls, as if they were paid for it. They have no dignity, for they may be seen walking with women."

The Chinaman told only part of the truth, for he overlooked the fact that we have the best flour in the world; the most wholesome meat; and that we drink "Golden Grain Belt" beer, the most healthful beverage, because it is the purest. This beer is a perfect tonic for men and women and should be in every home. Order a case of your nearest dealer or be supplied by JOS. LEDOUX.

FROM CALIFORNIA.

Hon. Geo. Geissel Pleased with the Country.

The following extracts are taken from a letter received by Judge Richardson from Hon. Geo. Geissel, who is now located at San Bernardino, Cal.

"I like the climate first rate. It beats any I have found so far on this continent. I own an orange grove of 20 acres, all in bearing, and I can tell you that time never passed so quickly as now when I am working among those trees. It is a pleasure to look at the trees now hanging full of the golden fruit, the foliage being a dark green that shows off the yellow fruit prominently. One great advantage is the location, it being strictly out of the frost line. There was a hard frost between Christmas and New Year's, which did immense damage, but it never touched my grove, or any on the Rialto tract. Still, yesterday morning I could see snow nine miles away on the mountain tops. I have a fine view of the mountain range north of my ranch, which I enjoy greatly. My family lives in the city, but I am out on the ranch from Monday morning to Saturday evening.

"San Bernardino has not the mildest of California climate. It is nearer the mountains, and gets a little hotter in summer and a little colder in winter, than down nearer the coast. We are sixty miles east of the ocean, and 1100 feet higher, but the Valley is a beautiful one, with snow capped mountains to the north and east. Old Grayback, twenty-four miles from my ranch, is over 14000 feet high. There is a low range of mountains to the southwest. I think this is the loveliest spot on earth. If you should ever come out here I promise you a whole week to show you the sights—hot and cold springs gushing out of the mountain side not over 100 feet apart, and many curious things you never dreamed of in old Minnesota.

"Give my best regards to the old settlers. I wish I could be with them at their next meeting.

John DeLeo has been appointed deputy oil inspector at St. Cloud.

Fred Lakin will sell Deering machinery at Royalton this summer.

The Northern Pacific has ordered all the men in its shops to be vaccinated.

W. H. Lee, of Browerville, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Lee of Long Prairie, and Miss Nora Giblin of Sauk Centre, were recently married.

Albert Selke, formerly of Little Falls, now in charge of the flour mill at Rice, will move his family to that place from Sauk Rapids in the spring.

The St. Cloud Journal-Press says that Dr. Geo. A. Junk of Stockport, England, denies the report that he is to be married. Dr. Junk formerly lived in St. Cloud.

Sauk Rapids Free Press: J. W. Berg of Little Falls bought of H. F. Brown, S. & O. Kipp and Fred R. Thomas, non residents, 440 acres of land located in the town of Granite Ledge. The deal was consummated on Friday.

Sauk Rapids Free Press: Gus Kern of Royalton, was in the village Monday. To the Free Press he stated that he had disposed of his shoe business in that town and is contemplating a trip to Idaho in search of a climate more conducive to his health. Mr. Kern has placed three of his eldest children in the Carlisle government school in Pennsylvania. Each of the five children of Mr. Kern has also been given 80 acres of land on the White Earth reservation. "Gus" says it is remarkable what an exodus of people are going west.

LOST.

Lost Saturday, while shopping in Little Falls, a lady's pocket book containing \$3.50 in silver. Made of light-colored leather; also contained child's ring. Reward for return.

Mrs. C. J. MONK.
Royalton.

Rehearsals of "The Woodmen Picnic" have been postponed until after Easter.

Have you seen the fine picture and frame given away "Free" with each dozen Photos at Nelson's.

The family of Chas. Anderson, who died some time ago, will soon leave their home on the West side, and move to Michigan.

John Schmolke was in from Buckman Tuesday. Mr. Schmolke is a firm believer in the future of that section of country, and is confident that a railroad will be built through that place. Many new settlers have located in that part of the country.

Rev. H. F. Stillwell, pastor of the First Baptist church of St. Paul, preached in the Baptist church this week on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Rev. Stillwell is one of the most able and interesting speakers in the state, and those who missed hearing him, missed a rare opportunity.

Now the Transcript wants to help remove the city's burdens. We are glad to welcome that paper into the ranks of those who, like The Herald, have had that object in view for some years. A tardy repentance is better than none. Tell the joyous tidings throughout the city, yea, even in the Third ward.

The special meetings held in the Baptist church under Rev. E. R. McKinney and Rev. H. F. Stillwell, of St. Paul, closed Thursday evening. These meetings have been very helpful and stimulating to all who have attended and the church is in much better condition because of them. Several new members have been added to the church by baptism and by letter.

Isaac Mayoux, a well known farmer of Ripley was in the city Monday. Mr. Mayoux is certainly a citizen who deserves well of his country. He is the proud father of fourteen children, alive and hearty. In all Mr. and Mrs. Mayoux have had nineteen children. They have fifty-two grandchildren. Monday was the fortieth anniversary of their wedding day. Mr. and Mrs. Mayoux are still hale and hearty.

Edward Fortier of this city has recently shipped fancy pigeons as follows: A. W. Weiderheim, White Bear Lake, Fantails, Turbits, Trumpeters and Dragons valued at \$15; H. K. Barber, Minneapolis, Fantails, Yellow, Blue and White Butterstrain valued at \$10; W. D. Randall, St. Paul, Turbits valued at \$10; M. Braisel, Indiana, Trumpeters, Owls, Fantails, Dragons, Turbits, valued at \$50. All the above are of the best Eastern strains. The Fantails come from the stock of Jesse M. Rutter, the leading breeder in the U. S. and the Owls, Turbits, and Trumpeters from G. W. Pittleson, one of the leading breeders of short-faced varieties. The Fortier collection is unequalled in the Northwest in many varieties. A choice lot of pigeons now for sale at low prices.

If some people who are at present so anxious for a bond issue would come out squarely and say their object is to "cinch" some past deals, they would get more respect and more attention. What's the use of the pretense? The council has power to issue bonds now, though perhaps not for the purposes that the gang desire. It is proper enough to consider paying off the city's floating debt, but the agitation should arise from a more legitimate desire than simply to cinch what has recently been done, and to lay the foundation for further unwarranted expense. We do not say that it would be bad to pay off the floating debt, but it is more than strange how anxious certain people are about it. No one is so foolish as to think this desire rises from a wish to see justice done to the unfortunates who are getting paid in city orders; not at all. Why this great solicitude, this deep interest in the city's financial welfare, so suddenly manifested? It was not always thus.

Raymond & Ebert have put in a Mosler safe.

Old Settlers' Association.

The regular meeting of the Old Settlers Association of Morrison and adjoining counties will be held at Little Falls Feb. 22, 1901. The meeting will be called to order at 10 o'clock a. m. After completing business an adjournment will be taken for dinner, to meet again at the court house at 1:30 p. m. to hear addresses on pioneer life in Minnesota. Hon. C. A. Gilman and Capt. J. E. West of St. Cloud have been invited to speak.

A residence of forty years in the state is required to make one eligible except in case of man and wife; both are admitted if one is eligible. A registry book made for the purpose is ready for those wishing to enter their names and a sketch of their lives. Such parties will be expected to contribute something toward paying expenses, but nothing will be asked of invited guests, which will include all ex-soldiers and old people generally.

There are upwards of three hundred now living in this county who have a right to join the association. It is desired that all avail themselves of the opportunity of joining. All who hear of the meeting will please attend and notify others, as no invitations will be sent out by mail, as heretofore.

N. RICHARDSON.

Pres. Association.

Little Falls, Feb. 13, 1901.

Rev. S. K. Thollehaug attended the conference at Princeton this week.

Rev. F. A. Sumner visited the camps in the Menagha district this week.

Wm. Forde is employed for the present in a camp near Grand Rapids.

John Gray, for some time an inmate of the hospital, has been taken to the Soldier's Home near St. Paul.

Died.

Julie, aged three years, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Anderson of the West side, died Saturday afternoon of pneumonia. The child's father died about a year ago. The funeral took place from the Zoar Lutheran church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Foss died at St. Gabriel's hospital last week Tuesday, of the infirmities incident to old age. She was 82 years of age, an inmate of the institution for two years. The funeral took place Saturday and the remains were interred in the hospital burying ground.

Wm. McWilliams, son of John McWilliams and brother of Mrs. F. E. Levis of this place, died at West Superior, Jan. 29th. The funeral took place at Westfield, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. Levis and Mr. McWilliams attended.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Regular services next Sunday morning, preaching by the pastor from the text—"It is Finished."

In the evening the ninth sermon of Pilgrim's Progress will be given, illustrated by three large paintings as usual. The sermon will consist of a review of the scenes of "Vanity Fair" and a discourse on "Beacon Lights" as found along the pathway of the Christian. Some interesting scenes will be presented and everybody invited, at 7:30 o'clock.

Be Sure to Remember

That the popular Pan-American exposition Route this summer will be the Nickel Plate road, the shortest line between Chicago and intermediate points and Buffalo. No excess fare is charged on any of its Peerless Trio of fast express trains and American Club meals ranging in price from 35c to \$1.00 are served in all its dining cars. Palatial through vestibuled sleeping cars and modern day coaches with uniformed colored porters in attendance on the wants of passengers. The acme of comfort and convenience in traveling is attained through the superb service and competent equipment found on the Nickel Plate Road. Write, wire, telephone or call on John Y. Lalahan, General Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago.

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ELMDALE

Feb. 12.—Christ Larson, accompanied by his children, Thora and Leander, visited Elmdale relatives Sunday.

John Wilzek of Little Falls was in the village last week.

Geo. Chapman and family of Royalton visited at the home of Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Thompson, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Janie and Emily Boyle and W. W. Boyle visited their sister, Mrs. H. C. Larson, of Little Lake Beauty, Sunday. Arthur Boos has recovered from an attack of the grippe.

Following are the names of those who were confirmed at the Danish Lutheran church Sunday: Carl Jacobson, Christ Larson, George Larson, Martin Larson, Sophus Madson, August Johnson, Carl Miller, Peter Rasmussen, Christ Rasmussen, Nannie and Julia Thompson.

Services were held at the German Evangelical church Friday afternoon.

Rev. A. Olson of Flensburg preached at the Union S. S. building Sunday afternoon and evening.

No services were held at the Catholic church last Sunday, Rev. Belowski being at Randall during the day.

H. Olson and C. G. Mokros went to Rice Monday.

Miss Gertrude Hohn of Buckman is visiting at Frank Kopka's.

Mrs. Chas. Luudin of Upsala visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jacobson, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Bertha Mokros came home from Little Falls Thursday and returned Monday.

Tuesday Alex Firkus bid good-bye to Elmdale friends, took his violin in one hand and an ax in the other hand, and started to St. Wendell, where he expects to find work.

N. B. Twist and Martin Hovelson went to St. Cloud Monday.

Frank Herman gave a party Monday evening of last week.

Miss Ida Sutliff is staying at G. R. Vallett's.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Solieck Sunday in honor of Miss Julia Sobieck.

A surprise party was given at Albert Booth's Saturday evening.

John Karnoski of Swan River visited at J. H. Rudeck's Monday.

Miss Hannah Christenson of Swan River is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Vick.

A dance will be given at the hall Saturday evening, Feb. 16, under the auspices of the M. W. A.

J. S. Borgstrom, the artist, was in the village this week.

A. C. Nelson and family visited at N. P. Thompson's Sunday.

John Janietz visited at Swan River Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jacobson and son Carl went to Little Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudbeck and children visited friends at Swan River Sunday and Monday.

Born—On Tuesday, Feb. 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Larson, a son.

The Northern Accident Co. of Menominee, Wis., W. T. Tourtilotte, agent, has paid claims as follows: Wm. C. White, accident, \$26.06; Byron Rogers, sickness, \$10; Hiram Ridlou, accident, \$11.66.

P. Wedmark, representing the Minnesota Scandinavian Relief Association, is in the city. The concern is an old and reliable one. Mr. Wedmark also represents the Svenska Posten of Minneapolis, the leading Scandinavian newspaper.

ORDER TO HEAR PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL LAND OF MINOR.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
COUNTY OF MORRISON) ss.
In Probate Court, Special Term February 12, 1901.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Francis Zornmeier, John Zornmeier and Theresia Zornmeier, minors.
On reading and filing the petition of Theresia Zornmeier guardian of said minors representing among other things that Francis Zornmeier, John Zornmeier and Theresia Zornmeier the said wards, are seized of certain real estate in the Town of Buckman, in said county of Morrison and state of Minnesota and that for the benefit of said wards the same should be sold, and praying for license to sell the same; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, from said petition, that for the benefit of said wards said real estate should be sold.

It is ordered, That all persons interested in said estate, appear before this court, on Saturday, the 9th day of March A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the court-house in Little Falls in said county, then and there to show cause, (if any there be) why license should not be granted for the sale of said real estate, according to the prayer of said petition.

And it is further ordered, That this order shall be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Little Falls Herald, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Little Falls, in said county.
Dated at Little Falls, the 12th day of Feb., A. D., 1901.

By the Court,
N. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.