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Remember the Dates--September 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8!!!

STATE FAIR

Opening of the \$100,000 Livestock Amphitheater on Monday morning, Sept. 3. Dedication address by James J. Hill.
Dan Patch and Cresceus, the two fastest stallions in the world, to go against their world's records on Monday.
The greatest Livestock Exhibition of the world--All week.
Three great Auction Sales of Pure Bred Cattle in the Amphitheater. Live stock parade on Friday. Sensational Racing each day.

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LOW RATES To the Minnesota State Fair Sept. 3-8 Inclusive 1906

Return trip tickets will be sold Sept. 1-8, 1906 inclusive to either St. Paul or Minneapolis, admission to the Minnesota State Fair included, good returning not later than Sept. 10, 1906

Splendid exhibits--Superior amusement features. "Dan Patch" and "Cresceus" to go against their records on Monday September 3.

The holiday week of the Year

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WIVES AND WIDOWS

Of Civil War Veterans to be Admitted to Soldiers' Home Oct. 1

Oct. 1 is the date set for the opening of the Minnesota Soldiers' home to the wives and widows of veteran of the civil war. By that date the old people's building will be ready for occupancy. The building is new and modern and will offer comfortable quarters for 125 people. It will have in addition to the regular rooms a kitchen, dining-room, hospital ward, parlor, library and office.

Rules for admission to the home and for its conduct will be drawn by a committee from the board of trustees, which met yesterday to consider plans for the new building and the regular business of the home. The meeting was an adjourned annual meeting and had much important business to consider.

All the old officers were re-elected or the coming year and the appointments of the commandant were confirmed. The officers re-elected are: S. E. Towler of Minneapolis, president of the board; George A. Whitney of Wadena, vice president; G. A. Lamphere of St. Paul, secretary; James Compton, commandant, and Leland P. Smith, chaplain. These nominated to the board and confirmed, are: F. L. McKasick, adjutant; Milo K. Williams, quartermaster, and E. J. Davis, surgeon.

The finances of the home and of the veterans' relief fund, also handled by the trustees, are in fine condition, everything showing a balance to be added to the income of the coming year. In the last year the soldiers' home support fund has had to its credit \$70,362.22. The disbursements have been \$66,242.79, leaving a balance of \$4,119.45. To this will be added the state appropriation received Aug. 1, amounting to \$80,000, making a total actually in sight of \$84,119.45. This will be further increased by the government per capita appropriation, which last year added \$27,450 to the income of the home. The average attendance for the last year has been 885.

The soldiers' relief fund made an equally fine showing. Aug. 1, 1905, there was a balance of \$31,927.17 to the credit of the fund. The state tax collection for the fund brought \$83,318.74, making the total available for the veteran relief work, \$115,245.91. The total disbursements for relief last year were \$86,721.22, which was divided among 1,345 veterans and their dependents.

The number of soldiers in the home at the present time is 876, a gain of eight over last year. In the last year 115 were admitted and 68 were readmitted. The losses from discharges were 11 and from death 64. The executive committee which will be in charge this year is as follows: S. E. Towler, Minneapolis, chairman; F. B. Doran, St. Paul, and Captain W. H. Harris, Caledonia.

W. S. McCORMICK MADE DISTRICT DEPUTY OF ELKS.

W. S. McCormick, just exalted ruler of the Duluth lodge of Elks has received his commission as district deputy of Northern Minnesota from the grand exalted ruler, Henry A. Melvin of Oakland, Cal. This is the first time that this honor has been bestowed on the Duluth lodge.

His jurisdiction will extend over the lodges at Minneapolis, Willmar, Hibbing, Little Falls and other places in northern Minnesota, and it is generally agreed among the brotherhood that the mantle could not have fallen on more worthy shoulders, as his past experience in lodge matters makes him specially fitted for the position of district deputy.

QUIXOTIC WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Last week was a week full of the most variable weather that we central Minnesotans have had in several years. The hottest day and the coldest day of the summer were both included in the seven days between August 19 and 26, as were some very dry days and others very wet. Why go away for a change of climate when we have such a collection of variable temperatures and weather conditions in our town and country?

A HOT PROPOSITION.

The local planing mill has been shut down during the past week to allow much needed repairs on the brick lined fire box, which was crumbling to pieces. It took nearly two days to cool the fire box sufficiently to allow a workman to enter it. The extreme heat has crumbled the entire box and it has been found necessary to entirely reline it.

Fred Oberly, Jr., of Duluth, spent the past week as the guest of his father, who is the agent for the Minneapolis Brewing Co.

C. D. Grinols, a well known St. Cloud business man, has been appointed post master at that place, and Frank Tolman of Paynesville has been appointed as register of the St. Cloud land office.

J. J. Gross has resigned as local agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co. and will be succeeded by Messrs. G. C. Raymond and S. G. Olin. The agency includes Morrison, and a part of Todd county.

Among the attractions at the Duluth White City, is Mrs. Katca, an Indian woman aged 45 years, said to be the only woman log driver known. She has worked with river drivers of Northern Michigan for the last eight years.

School District 195, Stearns county, of which Miss Celia Roble is teacher, is among the school districts receiving a prize from Stearns Co. for good attendance of pupils. The plan is to give very fine pictures to each school which can show an attendance of 65 per cent or better during the school year. The prize has been an incentive to greatly increase the attendance, says the St. Cloud Times, and consequently increase the apportionment received from the state.

YOUNG GIRL SUICIDES

Former Inmate of St. Otto's Orphanage Takes Dose of Strychnine

Oakts, Aug. 24.--Frances Simmons, seventeen years old, is a suicide. The story of her life and self-destruction is one of the saddest told in this vicinity. Because there flowed in her veins the blood of a negro, her life at home with her white mother and stepfather became unbearable, and Thursday night Frances ended it all by swallowing a quantity of strychnine.

Dying, she declared that she could no longer endure incessant nagging because of her color.

Frances Simmons was an orphan and the daughter of Mrs. E. H. Stratemyer, wife of a local shoemaker. The Stratemyers, who are both Germans, were married here a few months before Frances was born. The infant was sent to Little Falls, where it was reared in the convent.

Last spring the mother sent for her child and Frances became a member of the household. She soon was favorably known in the community as a girl of good character and pleasing disposition. General liking for Frances quite ignored her color.

But according to the story told by the discouraging girl, her home life was far from pleasant. Continually reminded that she was not an other folk, despite her settled upon her heart.

"Let me die, I can stand it no longer," the girl pleaded when she was found dying in the evening at the Idlewild, a summer hotel, from the effects of the poison she had taken. She was dead when a physician reached her side. Miss Simmons had been working in the hotel.

As stated in the above dispatch, the girl was for many years an inmate of St. Otto's orphanage and was beloved by all who knew her. In 1900 she went to the hospital at Brickenridge, where she stayed with the sisters until last year, when she went to Oakts.

While those responsible can not be held for the girl's death, the knowledge that her nagging was its direct cause should be indelibly imprinted upon their minds, leaving their punishment to conscience, if any they have.

THIS MOOSE CARRIED A COMPASS.

From Forest and Stream: Last winter near the town of Shelburne, Nova Scotia, on the farm of Mr. Cornelius Swanberg, a moose was shot by his son George, and when the creature was opened up the contents of the stomach had discharged through a rent made by the bullet. Among this half-digested material appeared a small brass compass 1 1/4 inches in diameter with a cover, but in good order. Spots of green rust were evidence that it had been swallowed at least two or three days. The young man, whom I know very well, presented me with the compass. No doubt the animal had been picking up the scraps about a camping ground and gathered up this trinket in her loose lips. Such an occurrence must be extremely rare. Very likely that no other moose had ever roamed the forests with a compass in the stomach. Had not the stomach been torn by the bullet in this instance, the discovery of the instrument would not have been made.

Mrs. T. F. Murphy, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Robinson visited at Lake Elmo and Minneapolis Tuesday.

A. D. Harrison has returned from San Francisco, where he went with his son Arthur, who re-entered the marine corps of Uncle Sam's navy after a short furlough.

ELM DALE

Aug. 28.--Anton Jandro lost a valuable horse last week. A birthday party was given last week at the home of Mr. Twig in honor of that gentleman's 50th birthday. A large number of friends were present and spent a most enjoyable time.

John Heinick of this place sustained a very heavy loss through fire last week. His large barn and all of his grain, which was stacked near the barn, were destroyed. It is thought that the conflagration was caused by the same old combination, matches and a boy. Mr. Heinick's youngest son had been playing in the hay and it is thought that he struck a match which accidentally set fire to the barn. J. Ohto made a business trip to Swan River last Wednesday.

A calf belonging to Mr. Jendro, Sr., was killed by lightning last Friday.

Arthur Bose returned to Little Falls Saturday.

A large number of our farmers were in Little Falls, Saturday, it being monthly market day.

John Sovieck attended to business matters in Little Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Armstrong and daughter visited at J. O. Tarr's Monday.

Eddie Jendro purchased a new wagon from Frank Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey visited at P. Sovieck's Sunday.

Those who went to Royalton Saturday were: J. Ohto, Fred Dixon, and Anton Jendro.

Frank Stanek of Swan River was a business caller in Elm Dale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Jendro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sovieck Sunday.

AUSLAND

Aug. 28.--John Knudson was at Ft. Ripley Tuesday.

Johnny Hill and Earl Edeburn left for Dakota Monday.

Virginia Allguer was at Ft. Ripley on business Tuesday.

Alex Pion, Jr., left for Dakota last Monday.

Those who started for Dakota last Tuesday were: Herman Allguer and Mack Rail, and those who left on Wednesday were Wm. Tolles, Otto Citrowski, Wm. and Roy Jones, Jerry Deroser and F. J. Page left for Dakota last Saturday.

TO HELP THE FARMERS

New Corporation Organized to Better Local Wheat Market

The Little Falls Merchants' Co-Operative Association is the name of a new corporation which has been organized and incorporated in this city during the past week for the purpose of buying and selling grains, principally wheat. While the new corporation is not literally connected with the Retail Merchants' Protective Association, its membership is comprised of and includes nearly all the members of the latter and it is an outgrowth of it, its purpose being to allow the body to buy wheat in its own name instead of indirectly, through some of its members, as has been done in the past.

The capital stock, \$3,000, includes the \$1,100 subscribed last year by local merchants for wheat buying and will be fully paid up.

The officers of the new corporation are as follows: President--W. H. Ryan. Sec.-Treas.--N. N. Bergheim. Directors--Val. E. Kasperek, Andrew Johnson, and Henry Goulet.

The management of the business will be directly vested in the officers, who will be accountable to the corporate body for on every thing connected with its proper conduct.

As has been stated before in these columns, the purpose of the organization is not gain, but to improve local conditions so as to make Little Falls the best wheat market in the entire surrounding territory.

An exchange says an agent for a new fangled churn stopped at a farm house and insisted that his churn would get two pounds more butter out of a certain amount of cream than any other. The lady of the house to get rid of him told him to come around next morning, and if what he said was true she would buy. In the meantime she churned the cream, and when he came she poured the buttermilk in the churn. He churned for an hour, and then told her there was no butter fat in the cream. "I know it," she said, "for I churned it last night, leaving the buttermilk for you to get the extra two pounds from."--Ex.

Store for rent in Vasaly Block.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.

County of Morrison

The State of Minnesota to M. O. Hanson, defendant:

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the justices of the peace, in and for said county, on the 18th day of September, 1906, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in the town of Scandia Valley, in said county, to answer to R. Borgstrom in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid judgment will be rendered against you upon the evidence adduced by said R. Borgstrom for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this 4th day of August, 1906.

S. L. STAPLES, Justice of the Peace.

Aug. 13 St.

ORDER FOR HEARING PROOF OF FOREIGN WILL

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.

County of Morrison

In Probate Court, Special Term, Aug. 30, 1906.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Stoppleworth, Deceased:

WHEREAS, Certain writings purporting to be duly authenticated copies of the Last Will and Testament of Fred Stoppleworth late of Dane County, Wisconsin deceased, and the probate thereof in the County Court of said County, State of Wisconsin have been delivered to this Court;

AND WHEREAS, Carrie Stoppleworth has filed therewith her petition, representing among other things that said Fred Stoppleworth lately died in said County of Dane, State of Wisconsin testate, possessed of certain real estate, situated in said County of Morrison and that said petitioner is the Executrix named in said will and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be to her issued thereon;

IT IS ORDERED, That the proofs of said instrument, and the said petition, be heard before this Court at the Probate Office in said County, on Monday the 17th day of September, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order 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, Minnesota, in said County.

Dated at Little Falls, Minn., this 20th day of August, A. D. 1906.

By the Court, E. F. SHAW, Judge of Probate.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO SELL INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.

COUNTY OF MORRISON

Village of Buckman

Notice is hereby given that application has been made in writing to the village council of said village of Buckman, and filed in my office, praying for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, for the term commencing on Sept. 24, 1906, and terminating on the 4th day of Sept. 1907, by the following person and at the following place, as stated in said application, to-wit:

Frank Mischke, in the building located in block 3, in the southeast corner of section 5, in township 33, range 30, in the village of Buckman.

Said application will be heard and determined by said village council of the village of Buckman, at a meeting to be held at the village hall in said village on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, Sept. 3, 1906.

Witness my hand and seal of the Village of Buckman this 20th day of Aug. 1906.

JOS. A. JANSON, Village Recorder.

MANY HORSE SHOES

Being Made in This City--Factory Working Overtime

The Giant Grip Horse Shoe Co. of this city shipped the first load of shoes for the season last Friday, an order of about a car and a half having been filled at that time for a Duluth wholesale house.

The demand far exceeds the supply and the management of the factory look forward to a successful season, for it is necessary to work the shops overtime to fill all the orders that have been received.

Inquires have been received from the far North of this and other continents in regard to the Giant Grip Shoe and orders are coming in from all parts of the United States. The outlook is certainly favorable for the local industry and all indications point to its steady growth.

The output amounts to about 2000 shoes per day. Over one and a half million calls have already been manufactured and more will be turned out before the season's close. The shops will probably operate during the entire year.

ROOF LEASES.

The World To-Day magazine advises all persons who wish to invest money, to lease the roofs of the large buildings in their cities. These can be used for green houses, chicken farms, sun-bath parlors, hospitals--in fact for anything in which plenty of air and sunlight is needed. They have the advantage of central location and can usually be had at low rent. A light sun-bath parlor would make a fine adjunct to any apartment house or hotel, if you live in an apartment house, hotel, or have a home of your own, you should drink golden grain belt beer at every meal. Order of your dealer or be supplied by Fred Oberly, Little Falls.

Mrs. H. C. Meining and daughter have arrived from Minneapolis and will make their home here. Mr. Meining is an officer of the newly organized Northwestern Milling Co.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for county attorney of Morrison county and respectfully solicit the support of democrats at the primaries, Sept. 18th.

DON M. CAMERON.

CANDIDATE FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Voters of Morrison County: I am a candidate for the republican nomination for register of deeds at the primaries to be held Sept. 18 and respectfully solicit your support.

Dora Corbin.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Democrats of Morrison County: I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for clerk of court, at the primaries Sept. 18th, and solicit your support.

Respectfully,
C. W. Kemp.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Democratic Voters of Morrison County: I hereby announce my candidacy for renomination for the office of sheriff on the democratic ticket, and respectfully solicit your support at the primaries Sept. 18th.

EDWARD S. TANNER.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Democratic Voters of Morrison County: I am a candidate for renomination on the democratic ticket for clerk of court, and will be grateful for your support.

Respectfully yours,
Simon P. Brick.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce to the Republican voters of Morrison county that I expect to be a candidate at the primaries to be held September 18, 1906, for the office of judge of probate, and respectfully solicit the support of the Republicans of the county for the same.

Crawford Sheldon.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Voters of Morrison County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Judge of Probate. My name will appear on the republican ballot at the primary election, Sept. 8. I have been an office holder in this county for the last half century and hope to remain in office for many years to come. I desire that every voter that is not acquainted with me to look up my record before going to the polls.

Nathan Richardson.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the democratic nomination for county treasurer, at the primary election to be held Sept. 18th.

Very respectfully,
Jacob Posch.

Little Falls, Minn., June 20th, 1906. To the Voters of the Sixth Congressional District:--

I announce that I am a candidate for the republican nomination for member of Congress for the Sixth District of Minnesota, subject to the will of the voters in the primaries and earnestly solicit their support.

The determination of all questions of governmental policy rests with the people. There is now a pressure for legislative action on more intricate questions of national policy than there has been in any previous period and the wishes of the people must be shaped into legislation through their servants in office and as a candidate I wish to study with the people the question that interests them and solicit their consideration with me and ask all voters to attend the primaries Sept. 18th, 1906.

CHARLES A. LINDBERGH

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for county commissioner from the 5th district and solicit your vote at the primaries.

F. G. Stroscherm.