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ADDRESS TO THE DEMOCRATS OF MINNESOTA

The following address to the democrats of Minnesota was published the first of the week. It is signed by nearly 100 well known democrats of the state. It truly states conditions as they exist, and the statements cannot be successfully disputed. Who is there that can deny that the selfish interests do not want Bryan for president?—and that is the sum and substance of the address. It attacks no one, but states the firm conviction of the signers that Bryan should be the nominee, and is a notification to the country at large that W. J. Bryan has friends in Minnesota who do not intend to be bamboozled or deluged. Back of these signers there is a sentiment to be reckoned with, and calling names or impugning motives is not going to change it. Following is the address:

"The monopolistic press and predatory interests of the United States are making an effort to defeat, in the next Democratic national convention, William Jennings Bryan and the principles which he represents.

"The continuous stream of misrepresentation, and the false assumption that the democrats of the nation have lost faith in the principles and personality of our great leader, impel us to a declaration of renewed allegiance to a cause which is best typified in Mr. Bryan.

"Believing that he is essential, in the contest of 1908, that the Democracy of the nation shall continue on advanced ground, that there shall be no retreat, that what has been already so dearly won shall not be lost, it is our firm conviction that the best interests of the American people demand the nomination and election of William J. Bryan to the presidency, as the chief exponent of the reforms needed in our nation, and to that end we ask the co-operation of the democrats of Minnesota.

"The conflict is between reaction and progress. The influences with selfish interests behind them, which always have been inimical to pure Democracy, are still at work. Let no true Democrat be deceived. In the present situation no man can be seriously considered in place of Mr. Bryan, if those influences are behind him. We know what Mr. Bryan stands for; he is no experiment. If we win with him, it will be a victory worth the winning, a triumph of the principles we hold dear. Others may be true; we know him to be true.

"Assuming no prerogatives of leadership; actuated by a desire to see the democracy a party of progress; not of negation; believing in positive principles, not vague generalities; and fully convinced that the welfare of the party and the nation will be best served by the nomination and election of the unsullied leader in two great campaigns, we ask the democrats of Minnesota again to rally around the standard of William J. Bryan."

Congressman Lindbergh has recommended O. E. Boobar for re-appointment as postmaster at Sauk Centre. The Congressman is magnanimous, as Mr. Boobar was quite a fighter the other way—before the primaries.

E. D. Carson of Lakin was a business visitor to this city the latter part of last week. Thomas Wotzke of the Hub Clothing company force is visiting at his home in Hensburg. David Houte of Calloway, Minn., visited in this city during the week.

SENATOR NELSON FAVORS BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE PLAN.

In a letter to Vice President Vanderlip of the City National Bank of New York, Senator Knute Nelson, after reviewing banking conditions, advocates a system of insurance of bank deposits, the plan endorsed by Mr. Bryan and many prominent men in both parties. Senator Nelson says: "The report of the controller of the currency for 1907 on page 28 shows that, taking the record of all banks since the national banking system was established with all the banks that have failed and the losses to depositors, the average of loss to depositors, as compared with the total amount of individual deposits, has not exceeded five hundredths of 1 per cent. A fund, say, of seven or eight hundredths—or at the very highest ten hundredths—of 1 per cent would be ample to protect depositors and if the banks were to contribute to such a fund and keep it with the treasury department as a trustee, the same as the redemption fund in respect to the bills, the depositors would be amply protected and the depositors could be paid in the first instance out of this fund, and then the government would recoup from the general assets and the stockholders' liability of the failed bank, making the government to that extent a preferred creditor.

"In short, I am firmly convinced that the most complete and permanent cure for the financial difficulties would be a system of legislation to protect depositors and make them feel as safe as to their deposits as the bill-holders feel about national bank notes. This would keep all the money of the country in the banks and through them in the channels of commerce and trade, and there would be no hoarding, as there has always been and always will be in times of panic under the present system."

CUSHING

Jan. 8.—Mr. Randall, Mrs. I. Franks and daughter, Eva, were down from Lincoln on a visit last week. Mrs. K. Olson went to Little Falls to consult a dentist last Saturday. Mrs. Martha Lambert, who has been visiting here for some time, left for Dakota last week. There was a dance at the Kruger's Saturday night. Mrs. Emil Carlson was in Little Falls last week. J. B. Fuller is home again for a few days. C. Morstrom was in Lincoln Sunday. O. Kjeldergaard and Mrs. C. F. Johnson of this place were Little Falls visitors last week. Miss Jennie Johnson has been staying with Mrs. K. Olson for a few days. Miss Alma Jacobson is working for Mrs. O. U. Kjeldergaard now. John Hanson, Theo. J. Thoreson and John Osterberg of this place have each killed a wolf. The new sewing society will meet with Mrs. Emil Carlson tomorrow and Rev. Nordstrom of Scandia Valley will be present. The Baptist Ladies' Sewing society will have a sale in the school house Saturday afternoon. They will also serve lunch to all who are present. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowert are here on a visit with M. Gorman now.

NOTICE

We, the undersigned land owners of eastern Morrison county herewith notify everyone in that vicinity not to cut or haul any wood or timber of any description from our lands. We own 150,000 acres of land here, for which John Schmolke of Backman, Minn., is our agent, and anyone that is caught taking wood or timber of any kind from our land will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Signed
E. L. Traek,
B. L. Gilbert,
R. Hieglein,
A. J. Nelson,
Nic. Geib,
John Schmolke.

Miss Beatrice Whitten has resigned her position in the Little Falls schools and will teach the remainder of the year at Duluth.—Anoka Herald.

WANTS

One cent a word. No ad taken for less than ten cents.

FOR SALE—Ten acres land near city. Stephen C. Vasaly.

WANTED—Everybody to have some of those fine photos made at Nelson's photo studio.

Girl wanted for general housework. Good wages paid. Mrs. Henning Landahl. 45 1t

FOR SALE—Work horses, guaranteed as represented. Can be seen back Farrow's livery barn.—M. S. Jacobson. 39

"OPPORTUNITY"—Is knocking at your door?—A nice cottage close to business centre, suitable for newly married man or man with small family. Only \$800. Houses for sale at all prices. Apply at once.—G. W. Massy, Room 5, Buckman blk. 43 3

FOR SALE—The north west quarter of the north east quarter and the east one-half of the north east quarter of north west quarter of section thirty-one in township one hundred and twenty-nine, north of range thirty, west containing sixty acres more or less, according to the United States government survey. W. H. Mains, 901-904, Unity building, 79 Dearborn street, Chicago. 26

Bids Wanted

Bids will be received by District 123 to build a school house No. 20, 13 feet high, stone foundations, on January 21st, 1908, at the home of Frank Novack, district clerk, Pulaski, Minn. Job to be let to the lowest bidder. 44 3t

ANNIE ROGERS DIES

Attempt at Suicide Proves Successful and Death Ensnared Sunday Morning

Mrs. Annie Rogers, who swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid at the county jail Thursday morning of last week, died at about 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning from the effects of the poison. At first, as was reported in last week's issue, it was thought that the woman's life was out of danger, but Friday afternoon she began to get worse, and after suffering great pain, she succumbed to the poison she had taken to end her life, which to her had been anything but pleasant.

When it became apparent that her death was not far distant she was asked if she had any friends she wanted communicated with, and whether she wanted to have a minister see her. But she would have none of it, religious consolation she abhorred, and friends she had none, but she told the sheriff that she had written a letter, which she had placed in a handbag among her effects, and which she said he could open after she died. She also wrote the name, "Kate Burke Jordan," on a piece of paper and stated that that was her real name, after which with shaking hand she wrote again on the paper, this time the name and address, "Morgan Griffith Earle, Americus, Ga., or 2738, Little Rock, Ark., which she gave on the one condition that if she lived it would not be revealed. In answer to a question in regard to her relatives, she had nothing good to say about them but held them to blame for a large part of her miseries through life.

After her death the sheriff searched for the letter in question and a paper of information was found in her effects. The paper of information, with the exception of a few lines, is as follows:

Dec. 5, Little Falls, Minn., 1907. Associated Press Association: "I wish this to be published in Minnesota and St. Paul papers, copied by Cincinnati Inquirer and Richmond Dispatch. I also give the local papers the same privilege. See that Judge (ex-gov.) Thos. Goode Jones of Montgomery, Ala., Mrs. Annie Jones Ricks of Washington, D. C., and Yazoo City, Miss. (Cape). Thos. Goode, cashier of Bank of Mechenburg county, and Edward Y. Goode, commonwealth attorney of said county and owner of Bakka Lithia Springs of Va., and of Brydton, Va., (all mine and my husband's first consins), Mr. Phillip Brisco of Knoxville, Tenn., of Daniel Erico Co., wholesale dry goods, (also consins), Thos. E. Goode, Gulfport, Miss. (uncle), Mrs. Luther P. Wade, (sister-in-law and sister) Annex ave., Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Wade being Peter Cartridge company's manager and O. A. Coleman, my brother-in-law (see Bradstreet and Dun's reports.)"

The letter among other things, asked the sheriff to see that no other than her heirs should receive any of her property, a list of which she gave there.

The remains of the deceased were taken to Simonet's morgue Sunday morning where an inquest was held by Coroner J. P. Chance of Royalton and Dr. W. W. Chance of this city. It was decided that the woman died from carbolic acid poisoning.

The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the morgue, burial taking place in Oakland cemetery.

G. B. Callahan has moved his family back to Grey Eagle.

Rev. F. J. Oehlert will conduct services at Ausland Monday, Jan. 20th.

Dr. W. A. L. Walman was a business visitor in Minneapolis Saturday.

Arthur Hall of this city has been quite busy this week with engagements in Brainerd and Staples. He has grown quite proficient in the playing of the trap drum and is commencing to be in great demand.

All of the rural routes out of this city are now carrying more parcels than is required for the continuance of the routes. At the end of previous quarters two or three of the routes did not carry the required number of parcels. The rural route reports for the quarter ending December 31 are as follows: No. 1—18,419; No. 2—14,767; No. 3—10,860; No. 4—13,453; No. 5—13,518; No. 6—13,376; No. 7—10,453; No. 8—10,878; No. 9—9,839.

THE BIJOU THEATRE

James Gay, Gen. Mgr.

PROMOTING ADVANCED VAUDEVILLE

Motion Pictures, Illustrated Songs
In Connection With
HIGH CLASS SPECIALTIES

Two performances nightly, 7:45 and 9.

Matinees Saturday and Sunday and Special Holidays at 4 p. m.

General Admission 10c. Reserved seats at night 20c. Children half price. All children must have tickets

Entire change of program Monday and Thursdays.

No Sunday night performances Usual Sunday matinee at 4 p. m.

CITY COUNCIL

The city fathers met in regular session Monday evening. All aldermen were present at this meeting, and President Kiewel called the meeting to order.

The first matter to come up was that which was presented by Lineman A. W. Costetter of the Northwestern Telephone company. He explained to the council that since January 1, this year, the Antitrust law which had been passed, forced his company to cut out all phones in residences of the city officials, which in the past were in use free of charge, unless they were paid for, the same as other citizens'. There are two such phones in use, one at the residence of the chief of the fire department, which is a two party line, costing \$1.50 per month, and another, used by the chief of police, which is a four party line, costing \$1.25 per month, that the council decided were a necessity, and ordered that an order for \$2.75 be drawn to pay for them. Mr. Hostetter also stated that there were three other phones which were in the office of city officials used free of charge.

The application of Frank Kozan to have the city place his three children in St. Otto's Orphanage at its expense, after due consideration, was rejected by the city council, it being the opinion that the board and lodging at that institution was so reasonable that the father could afford to pay for his children himself.

The application of John Stewart, who has been furnished board and lodging by the city, also received medical treatment by city physician, for special help, was rejected, it being the council's opinion that the city was already doing as much as it could for him.

The following bills were allowed:

FIRE	
Dell Batters, reeling hose.....	\$ 1 00
Maurice Coleman, repairing fire apparatus.....	1 75
Hook and ladder services.....	4 50
Hook No. 1 services.....	6 75
D. Brown, hauling apparatus.....	2 00
Arthur LeBlanc, hauling apparatus.....	2 00
Chemical No. 2, services.....	6 00
Geo. W. Emdor, mds.....	12 85
Hose No. 2, services.....	7 50
M. Janson, hauling apparatus.....	3 25
Chemical No. 1, services.....	6 75
M. J. Coleman, washing towels.....	5 40
MISCELLANEOUS	
Little Falls Cycle and Plumbing Co., mds.....	29 45
Marshall Oil Co., mds.....	3 50
Water Power Co., water rent.....	345 25
Water Power Co., street lighting.....	258 48
Mary A. Zerwas, services.....	3 00
D. G. Main, guard.....	33 00
F. P. Farrow, moving Jerry Gross from Hall block.....	2 30
Ebert, Bros. Mds.....	5 45
Spirit J. Vasaly, mds.....	1 00
T. W. Gannon, tickets to St. Cloud and Staples.....	1 79
G. R. Anderson, mds.....	45
W. H. Ryan, mds.....	19 75
Chas. Latham, oak plant.....	12 50
Little Falls Hardware Co., sewer pipe.....	8 75
Julius Jetka, mds.....	4 04
J. W. Berg, mds.....	22 30
Peter Lauerman, filling saws.....	1 00
POOR	
Ebert Bros, mds.....	2 50
A. K. Hall, rent.....	5 00
Richard Bro, mds.....	24 95
Andrew Johnson, mds.....	5 00
St. Gabriel's Hospital, board and care for sick.....	120 00
Joseph Genoux, rent.....	5 00
C. H. Brown, mds.....	28 70
Union Provision Co., meats.....	10 00
Herman Ulich, rent.....	10 00
O. Sylvester, rent.....	8 47
Joseph Genoux, mds.....	11 85
M. V. Wetzel, drugs.....	8 87
Roy Wallbridge, rent.....	8 00

The bond of the Democrat with S. Trebby and N. Richardson sureties, for printing of charter, was approved. The street commissioner's report for month of December in sum of \$49.75 was approved. The commissioner also reported \$63.85 collected for filling and cleaning.

The report of Justice Gaudet for fees received during previous month in sum of \$35 was approved.

A communication from the city clerk of St. Cloud was read in regard to Ellen Swanson, who has been ill in that city for the past three months, which infers, that as she was a resident here, the city should be responsible for the expense. The matter was referred to a committee. The person in question was a resident of the West side, where she lived with her mother.

Long Prairie Argus: The Bank Cashier—"You see, Mr. Schmidt, it's this way. There is plenty of money here in the bank, but we, and the other city banks, have agreed, in order to prevent a panic, that we will pay out only a part of the actual currency demanded by our depositors. Your money is here all right and you can have it just as soon as it is safe to let you have it. In the meantime we will give you instead of actual cash, clearing house certificates which will serve the same purpose. This is the third time I have explained this matter to you. I have gone into it thoroughly, because I want you to explain the conditions to the rest of your fellow-countrymen who are depositors here. Do you think you understand it now?"

Mr. Schmidt—"Yes."

The Cashier—"Well, then how are you going to explain it to your friends?"

Mr. Schmidt—"Well, it is like this, Mr. Cashier, Madia and I've had a little baby. De little baby she cry for milk in the middle of the night. Ve get up and ve say to dot little baby, yess baby der is plenty of milk in der kitchen, but ve cannot give it to you now. But ve will give you some-dinas just as good. Here is a milk-ticket. Now go ter sleep."

Frank Ellenbecker leaves today for Rucby, N. D., where he will visit with his son, William, who is employed in the Citizens Bank of that city. Mr. Ellenbecker has been a resident in this city since 1877, and has been in business for many years. He has not enjoyed a vacation for many years and decided that one was just about due him. His present visit to North Dakota will be a stroke in that direction.

Dr. J. B. Holst, H. O. Snow and W. H. K. Moyer of this city, accompanied by T. W. Clark of St. Cloud and E. R. Kuggles of Osakis, left Tuesday for International Falls, from which point they go to look over the country. They were joined at that point by Lyman Ayer of Helle Prairie, who is acting as guide for them.

The Minnesota Retail Implement Dealers' association, of which T. F. Murphy of this city is secretary, have been holding their annual meeting in Minneapolis during the past three days, Jan. 7, 8 and 9. It is now three years since the association was organized in Minneapolis since which time it is stated that fully \$1,000,000 worth of business has been done, and a dividend of 15 per cent declared last October. The association has grown wonderfully under the able management of the secretary during the past year.

FIRE AT MOTLEY.

Monday morning at about 6 o'clock the B. F. Cals block in Motley and the entire stock of Wolf & Torgeson was destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown, but enveloped the whole building, which is a brick-veneered one, in a very few minutes. The loss is heavy as Wolf & Torgeson carried a large stock of merchandise. There is some insurance on the building and the stock of merchandise, but how much has not been ascertained. The Modern Woodmen lodge also lost all its paraphernalia in the fire.

CREAMERY AT MOTLEY.

A co-operative creamery is to be established at Motley. Stock to the amount of \$4,500 is to be issued. Two thousand dollars has already been taken. The company will be composed of farmers and business men.

From now on to April 1st the barber shops will be closed after 8 o'clock Wednesday evenings.

Rev. W. H. Farrell is in Aitkin assisting Rev. M. O. Stockland in the conducting of revival meetings. He will return home tomorrow.

Geo. Gerritz, recorder for the local lodge of Maccabees, received a check in the sum of \$1,000 the first of the week in payment of the policy of the late John F. Johnson.

The work of fixing a flat and a suite of offices in the second story of the Muske building, which is being done by Contractor John Anderson, is progressing rapidly and will be completed within a few weeks.

Phil Germain has purchased of L. Gaudet the small wooden structure across the street from Richard Bros. store, and will have a small confectionery store opened in it by his sons after it is moved to its new site on Third avenue southeast.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year by the local lodge of Yeomen Tuesday evening at a banquet and dancing followed: Foreman, E. A. King, Master of ceremonies, Don M. Cameron; Secretary and treasurer, Julius Jetka.

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NOTICE

We are located in the offices of N. N. Bergheim, where all accounts due the firm can be paid.

—Ellenbecker & Goulet, 46 2

NORWEGIAN-LUTHERAN.

Norwegian services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Jan. 12th. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.—O. M. Hallanger, pastor.

Saturday Specials

Saturday is bargain day with us. Do you believe it? Well, then see here.

Fancy marshmallows, for cooking or eating, per lb. 15c, 5 lbs. for 25c. Generally sold at 25c a lb.

Hoar hound stick, a lb. 10c

Florida Oranges

per doz. 10c

Lemonade drops.....12c
Regular price 20c a lb.

SYLVESTER & NICHOLS

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION TO SELL, MORTGAGE OR LEASE LAND.

Estate of Charles Leldenroost.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Morrison)

In the matter of the estate of Charles Leldenroost, Decedent.

The state of Minnesota to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of John Eidsenink as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein and to pay the debts of said decedent that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to John Eidsenink granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Little Falls, County of Morrison, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. why the said prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 9th day of January, 1908.

(Court Seal.)
E. F. SHAW,
Judge of Probate.

JUGGERNAUT IN GENOA

Murderers Executed Under Wheels of a Trolley Car.

HAD SLAIN A WHOLE FAMILY.

Itate Italians Seize Two Culprits, Place Them on Trolley Tracks and Motorman Joyfully Runs His Car Over Them, Crushing Them to Pulp.

With the blood of their six victims streaming from their hands and clothes, Giuseppe Quattrocchi and his wife were seized by an angry mob in Genoa, held by the heels on the rails in front of a trolley car and crushed to death. Quattrocchi when seized threw the responsibility of the murder of the entire family of Anthony Bianchi on the woman, and he probably died from fright when he saw the trolley car rushing upon him at full



THE MOTORMAN WAS DELIGHTED.

speed. The woman looked on calmly as Quattrocchi went under the car and waited for the death that came to her in another instant.

The father of the slain family was a street car conductor. He lived in a cottage in the suburb of Sampierdarena. Part of the cottage was sublet by Bianchi to Quattrocchi and his wife. There was a quarrel about the rent. Bianchi went to the rooms of Quattrocchi before he started for work to ask for the rent. He supposed the trouble was all over. As he knocked the door was flung open and the woman sprang upon him with a knife. Quattrocchi followed behind his wife, and the pair drove Bianchi to the kitchen of his apartment. By that time he had been cut many times and was on the floor unconscious. Mrs. Bianchi, with her infant in her arms, ran to help her husband. She threw herself on Bianchi's body to receive the knife thrusts of the infuriated pair. The Quattrocchi woman turned, dragged Mrs. Bianchi aside and drove the knife into her and the infant many times. Mother and child fell dead on the floor.

The Quattrocchis hacked at the bodies until they had cut them to pieces. Then they remembered there were three other children, all of them under nine years. It was deemed necessary to kill the children and still their tongues. The three little ones were found huddled under one of the beds. They shrieked when they saw the murderers of their parents peering under the bed, and one by one they were dragged out and butchered. The knives of the Quattrocchis were driven into the children's bodies time and again. The sight of blood seemed to madden the pair all the more until they had killed the whole Bianchi family. Then the pair ran into the street with blood on their hands and clothing. Neighbors saw them and ran into the Bianchi cottage. Discovering the six bodies, the people became infuriated and started in pursuit of Quattrocchi and his wife. The crowd increased as the leaders cried the warning that the fleeing pair were murderers.

They were overtaken, and the woman had a carving knife in her pocket covered with blood. She admitted she had killed the family with her husband's help. He blamed it all on her. The railroad men on hearing one of their number had been murdered suggested death under a trolley car for the Quattrocchis. It was carried out almost as soon as suggested. The motorman selected to run his car over the murderers was delighted and laughed merrily as the lives went out, one after the other, and only mangled bodies lay in the street. The crowd cheered mightily as they kicked the bodies and laughed. The authorities sent the bodies to the morgue and made no arrests.

A Frog's Rescue.

A correspondent of the Madras Mail writes: "My son, aged ten and one-half years, was working in the garden when a viper about two feet long glided past him. A good shot with a stone about the size of a cricket ball broke the reptile's spine, while a sharp edge of the granite cut open the belly, thereby restoring to freedom a frog, which hopped out of its prison unhurt."