

LOCAL HUNTERS DEMONSTRATE PHASE OF AUTO'S USEFULNESS.

As an illustration and proof that light automobiles have already demonstrated that they are practical and of invaluable service to the hunters of big game in the northern part of the state, an article containing detailed figures and accompanied by a reproduction of a photograph of the Dr. W. H. K. Moyer and George Schroeder cars loaded with camping outfit and the seven deer shot by these two and Max A. Corbin and M. M. Buckman, appeared in last Sunday's issue of the Minneapolis Tribune. The picture was taken in front of the L. F. Plumbing & Cycle company garage of this city on the return of the hunting party.

INVENTS NEW DEVICE.

A new belt loop and supporter device, which has a great deal of merit, has been perfected and patented by M. J. Bracke, a local tailor. It will do away with the tedious work necessitated at present when fastening a loop to ready-made garments, and besides this can be used for different purposes. It is simple, though very useful, and ought to meet with a ready demand.

RED MEN ELECT OFFICERS.

At its annual meeting last Friday evening the local lodge of Red Men elected the following officers for the ensuing year:
Sachem—E. A. LaFond.
Sr. Sagamore—Bly Murphy.
Jr. Sagamore—Louis LaFond.
Prophet—Ed. Keenan.
Chief of Records—S. R. Fortier.
Keeper of Wampum—S. C. Vasily.
Medicine Man—Dr. G. M. A. Fortier.
Collector of Wampum—Thos. W. Gannon.
Trustee for three years—F. D. LeBlanc.

REBEKAHS ELECT OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year by the local Rebekah lodge at its annual meeting last week:
Noble grand—Violet Peterson.
Vice grand—Lucretia Buskirk.
Secretary—Mrs. Ida Bell.
Treasurer—Mrs. Izzie Harting.
The biggest and best watch in the city at the Diamond Sign.

John Bergstrom of Upsala has purchased the general store of Andrew Super at Flensburg.

One of the grinders at the local paper mill was shut down for several hours Sunday on account of ice-breakers which blocked and diminished the water force from the canal. The obstructions were cleared, and the grinder again set in motion.

INSANE ARE TRANSFERRED.

Four inmates of the state hospital at Fergus Falls, sent from this county have been transferred to two others of the state institutions, according to notice received last week by Judge of Probate E. F. Shaw. They are Albert Marquadt and Peter Tusinski to Anoka, and Abe Sibley and Peter Narvesen to Hastings. John Stewart is discharged from the Fergus Falls hospital, January 1 being the date set for return limit.

SKATES AT AGE OF 71.

Though it had been a period of thirty years since last he had used a pair of skates, and despite of his advanced age, he being 71, Martin Christianson, a well-known resident of this city, was to be seen skating on the river for a short time last Sunday. He had not forgotten how to use them.

Fountain pens—Try the Diamond Sign Special at \$1.

Howard Price of this city, who is employed in Minneapolis, was held up at the point of a revolver and robbed of his watch and some loose change in Minneapolis recently.

The Elks' at their meeting last week, decided to keep the ball open New Years afternoon and evening, at which time and place the Elk's may extend each other the compliments of the season.

The work of checking up the books of the county auditor and the treasurer was completed Monday noon by Public Examiner C. E. Johnson, who had been at work on them since Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Ann Sylvester, who has for some time been a resident of Miles City, Mont., was last week married to E. Carlisle of Miles City at Dickinson, N. D., only immediate friends and relatives being present. The couple will make their home in Miles City.

The funeral of the late Joseph Selleck of Brainerd, who for years was a resident of this city, was held Saturday afternoon from the St. Francis Xavier church, Rev. A. Lamotte officiating, and interment taking place in Calvary cemetery. Mr. Selleck passed away last week at his home in Brainerd, and his remains were shipped to this city Saturday.

A pioneer of Darling town was laid to rest last Sunday afternoon, when the funeral of the late John Martin Anderson of Cudrum, who was for the past twenty years a resident of Darling, was held from the Cudrum church. Mr. Anderson passed away at his home last week, death being due to chronic Bright's disease. He leaves his wife and seven grownup children, four boys and three girls.

DUNPHY ELECTED CAPTAIN OF FOOTBALL TEAM.

The members of the 1910 football squad were entertained at the home of Joseph Diehrich, captain of the team during the past successful season, last Friday evening, card playing and music being the pastime. Delicious refreshments were served. The electing of a captain for the 1911 foot ball team was taken up at this time. Erwin Dunphy being tendered the honor. Erwin played an excellent game in the back field during the last season, and will no doubt make a good captain.

HAS EXPERIENCE WITH COAL GAS.

Detecting the fumes of coal gas, Mrs. J. A. Peterson early Saturday morning went to the big coal heater and found that fire had worked up to the coal in the magazine of the stove. She burned her hands in touching the stove. After some time the live coals were finally shaken down, and the gas let out through the open doors and windows.

A number of the friends of Mrs. Jenny Lind Blanchard were entertained by her last Friday evening at her home on Highland avenue.

The West side roller rink was leased by the students of the local business college last Friday evening, a roller skating party being held by them on this occasion.

The Elks gave a dance at their hall in the Tanager block last Friday evening, at the close of which refreshments were served. The music was good and the refreshments delicious.

Mrs. Anna Westfall of the West side, aged 58 years, was taken to the state hospital at Fergus Falls last Friday by Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Frank Heroux, having been recommended for the fourth time in seven years. She was first taken to the asylum when she threatened to kill her twin babes, driven on by the hallucination that they were not her own. Of the fifteen children she was mother to, ten are living.

THE MOTOR IN THE WHEELS.

By a singular invention, a Colorado firm has succeeded in making an auto truck whose wheels are not, as formerly, separated from the motor, but contain the engine itself. The well-known food values of golden grain belt beer makes it a favorite in home circles, and is especially recommended as a tonic and an aid to digestion. Have it on the family table and enjoy its benefits. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by E. S. Tanner, Little Falls.

A large selection of diamonds at Diamond Sign. Prices right.

L. D. Brown attended a caucus of the Sixth district state representatives in St. Cloud last Friday afternoon.

Miss Fay Schafer substituted for Miss Martha Swift, teacher of the Hawthorne Fourth grade, the first of the week.

Some of George W. Harting's drawings reproduced in miniature paintings, and large lithographic reproductions of Leo Mero's work can be seen and is on sale at a local store.

Miss Anna Denis substituted for Miss Ethel Duryee, teacher of the Hawthorne Fifth, this week, the latter having been called to McIntyre last Sunday evening by the serious illness of her sister-in-law.

The most successful story hour ever held in this city was that of the Christmas story hour held last Saturday afternoon at the Congregational church, nearly four hundred being in attendance. A fine program was put on, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Clare McPherson, who with his brother-in-law has opened up a confectionery at Estavan, Sask., Canada, is visiting relatives here for a short time, pending the arrival of the supplies for the candy kitchen of the store, which he will have charge of. The store itself has already been opened for business.

The engagement of Miss Lillian Lindbergh, daughter of Congressman C. A. Lindbergh, to Loren Britton Roberts, son of Dr. L. M. Roberts of this city, has been announced, the wedding to take place during the holidays. The social columns of the Minneapolis Journal contained notice of same in its Sunday issue.

Mrs. Mary Carter of Royalton and Conrad Thoma of Seattle, Washington were united in marriage Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Sacred Heart Catholic church of this city. After a short stay in the city they departed on a wedding trip Wednesday which will end in Seattle, near which place the couple will reside.

COME AND GONE

Rev. W. H. North returned Monday from Lake City, where he preached Sunday.

Mrs. C. O. Burt and daughter, Grace, of Royalton, who were visiting friends here, returned home the first of the week.

Henry Dufort returned to Crookston Tuesday to resume his duties as cook in the camps near that place, after a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beattie and children visited here this week as guests of relatives.

Mrs. James Lambert and daughter of Royalton, who were visiting relatives here, returned home Sunday.

Rev. K. J. Montgomery of Detroit returned home Monday, after preaching in the local Congregational church Sunday, in the absence of Rev. W. H. North.

Miss Jessie Burrall returned to St. Cloud the first of the week, after a visit with her parents here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McKeen returned to Big Lake Monday, after a visit with friends here.

J. H. Deutch arrived here from Minneapolis the first of the week for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Barney Burton.

Mrs. E. J. Beattie made a business trip to Minneapolis the first part of the week.

Ross Dunphy, who was visiting in the Twin cities, returned last Friday.

Mrs. J. V. Barstow was up from Royalton on a visit last Friday.

Earl McClune was in Royalton the latter part of last week, sent there by the W. H. Ryan hardware to do some repairing.

Isaac and Stephen LeBeau have gone to Chicago and other points in Illinois for a visit with relatives.

Clarence Smith, who last week had his leg broken while passing through here with some stock, was taken from the hospital and returned to his home in Sauk Centre last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McManus and children arrived from Frazee last Saturday for a visit with Mrs. J. S. Murphy.

Sheriff Armstrong made a business trip to Motley last Saturday.

Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. F. J. Heroux returned Saturday from Fergus Falls, to which place they had taken a patient to the hospital.

Mrs. Allen Holmer arrived Saturday from Paonia, Col. and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. C. Davis.

Mrs. Jos. Fiman went to Cloquet last Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Penfield, who had gone to Grinnell, Iowa to attend the golden wedding anniversary of her parents, returned the latter part of last week.

Charles Gravel returned to Ohamia last Friday, after a short visit in the city.

Deputy U. S. Marshal C. B. Buckman, who was to Detroit on official business, returned last Friday.

A. H. Vernon made a business trip to St. Cloud last Friday.

Mrs. A. H. Vernon, who was visiting in St. Paul, returned the latter part of last week.

G. R. Anderson was a business visitor in Minneapolis last Saturday.

Fremont Graham made a business trip to Royalton last Friday.

Harold Hanna passed through here last Friday enroute to St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Withiam, who were visiting at Elk River returned the latter part of last week.

Aug. C. Brant came down from Keliher Saturday for a visit with his family.

Miss Carroll Quickstad returned Sunday night from an over Sunday visit with relatives in St. Cloud.

Mrs. Barney, who was visiting in the Twin cities, returned Saturday.

M. A. Jasperson visited over Sunday in Motley.

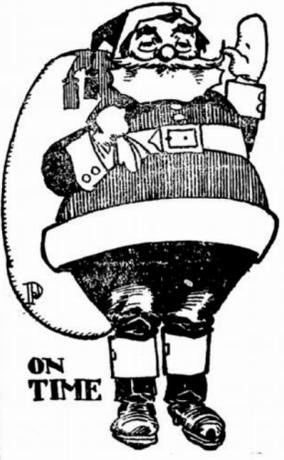
Mrs. F. K. Gravel of St. Paul arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with Mrs. M. E. Butler.

Wm. Cornwell from Ellsworth, Wis., arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with George Cornwell.

Mrs. H. E. White attended the fair given by the Episcopalians at Royalton last Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Meining, who was visiting in the Twin cities, returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiewel have returned from a visit in the Twin cities.



Jolly Old Santa

ON TIME

25c on His Way



Xmas is Candy Time as you all know, and at no time in our history were we better able to give you "Quality" goods at quantity prices than we are this year. **CANDY** is our leader. **CANDY** is our trade. We should be able to serve you better than others who make candy a side line.

These are a few of the **HOME MADE** good things that you can buy here:

Old fashioned mixed, lb.	12c	Pure old fashioned mixed candy	12c
Pure Grain mixed, lb.	12c	Butter scotch wafers	
Extra fancy crimp, all shapes	15c	Coconut kisses	
Special mixed	15c	Klondyke	
Anise and Sass squares	15c	Pure sugar stick	} 25c
Filbert Fudge	20c	Bon bons	
Taffies, three flavors	20c	Fresh Marshmallows	
Peanut squares	20c	Salted peanuts	
3 lbs for	50c	Candy canes	
		5 pounds for	\$1.00

Fancy candy boxes, baskets, satchels, etc., filled with the best chocolates.
 1/2 to 5 lbs 35c to \$3.50
 Work baskets, 1 lb to 3, \$1.50 to 3.50
 Photo boxes 75c to \$3
 Holly boxes 45c to \$1.10
 Jewell cases, burnt leather boxes and silk lined boxes \$3.50 to 8.00

Empty telephones, satchels, water coolers, flower boxes 5c to 50c

Xmas tree candies, all designs at each 1c
 Pop corn balls, dozen 10c
 Candy chain, 4 yards for 5c
 Candy canes, each 2c to 50c
 Candies, bx 8c Candle holders, doz, 10c

All Xmas tree decorations, bells, garlands, etc., at cost.
 Xmas POSTALS will be almost given away. 2 for 5c postals, 1c each; 5c postals, 3 for 5c; 10c postals, 5c each. Xmas cards at ONE-HALF price.
 We will discontinue handling this line in the future and every thing we have must be sold. Price is no object.

See our line of **SMOKERS' ARTICLES**
 Pipes 25c to 8.00, smoking sets 1.50 to 2.00, cigar and tobacco jars 60c to 2.25, cigar humidors 1.85 to 2.75, cigars in boxes 55c to 4.00.

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Holiday Specials

<p>List of Useful Holiday Gifts</p> <p>Rockers A large selection of rockers of all kinds ranging in price up to \$1.25</p> <p>Library Tables Early English library tables, pure mission in design, of solid oak, up from ... \$5.75</p> <p>Clocks Large mission clocks, only ... \$2.75</p> <p>Ladles' Desks Desks in birdseye maple, weathered oak, early English, golden quarter-sawed oak, prices up from \$4.95</p> <p>Leather Rockers Large overstuffed genuine leather rockers, exceptionally comfortable and well constructed, at prices ranging up from \$14.00</p> <p>Music Cabinets Music cabinets made of selected quarter-sawed oak, or mahogany, up from \$4.95</p> <p>Pictures A very desirable present and can be bought at prices to suit any pocket-book. A large variety of styles at prices up from 50c</p> <p>Pedestals A large variety of beautiful pedestals, any finish, exceptional bargains at prices up to \$1.50</p>	 <p>Morris Chair Specials This Morris chair is made of solid oak. It is finished in golden oak or early English, choice of upholstery; prices \$5.25 to \$14.00</p>  <p>Simonet's Library Table Special This library table is extra large and massive; is made of quarter-sawed oak. Early English or golden oak finish, price .. \$5.75</p>  <p>Rug Sale A good assortment of up-to-date rugs, all sizes, at 25 per cent discount.</p>	<p>List of Useful Holiday Gifts</p> <p>Buffets The useful article for the house in which the whole family will find enjoyment. We have buffets of all styles at prices from \$12.50</p> <p>Combination Book Cases Good styles to select from, prices up to \$8.50</p> <p>Center Tables In all woods and finishes, many styles to select from, at prices up from \$1.50</p> <p>Morris Chairs A large line of Morris chairs, different grades of upholstery and fancy choice woods to select from, prices up to \$5.25</p> <p>Universal Ranges Have mother throw out the old worn out stove and buy her a new steel range, guaranteed in every respect, prices up from \$22.50</p> <p>Rugs Handsome rugs of all descriptions. An ideal gift. We have all sizes. Prices up to \$2.00</p> <p>China Closets Made of selected quarter sawed oak, finished in early English or golden oak, fine glass ends and doors. Our Christmas sale, prices up from \$14.00</p>
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