

BOY DROWNED BELOW DAM

CLARENCE THOMPSON, AGED 17, LOSES LIFE IN MISSISSIPPI WHILE OUT ROWING

Clarence Thompson, aged 17 years, son of O. S. Thompson of the West side, was drowned Saturday afternoon at about 3:30 in the Mississippi river here, just below the west wing of the dam, when he fell from a boat in which he and several other boys were crossing the channel. The body was recovered about an hour and a half later.

Several different versions of how the accident happened have been given. Harold Simmons, who was with young Thompson in the boat, states that the boat was caught in an eddy in midstream and was swung about, with the result that Thompson fell out. Others say that the two were trying to change places in the boat when the accident happened. They had been on Mill Island and were returning to the west shore. At this place the current is very swift. They had no oars and were using boards to paddle with and when the Thompson boy fell out the boat became unmanageable. He swam

for a distance in an effort to get back to the boat and several other boys set out from shore in another boat to help him, but before they reached him he sank and did not appear at the surface again.

Grapping hooks were secured and a number of parties began dragging the river bottom in search of the body. It was found at about 5 o'clock by Stanislaus Artonowski and Nels Thompson, a brother of the victim. Efforts were made to resuscitate the boy but they were in vain.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. Mortenson officiating. Interment was in Oakland cemetery.

Fred Peeck, J. M. Dorman and Charles Blanchard of Edgewood, Ia., and Jo. A. Davidson of Muscatine, Ia., have taken out non-resident fishing licenses at the county auditor's office. They are at Birch lake.

George E. Spears, the famous billiard player, gave an exhibition at the Smith billiard parlors Friday evening. He entertained more than a hundred lovers of this game for more than an hour with fancy shots and straight rail billiards.

BECKMAN STORE BURGLARIZED

THIEVES GET CLOTHING, SUIT CASES, ETC., AND MAKE THEIR ESCAPE

Sunday night burglars entered the Chas. Beckman clothing store on Broadway east and secured a quantity of clothing, furnishings, suit cases and shoes. They made good their escape, no trace of them yet having been found.

The thieves gained entrance to the store by breaking a pane in a window in the back of the building and by crawling through the bars. They took two blue serge suits, three suits of underwear, four suit cases, one pair of button shoes and one pair of tan lace shoes, and three shirts. The rear door was unbolted and it is believed that this door was opened as a means of exit or to let in accomplices. Mr. Beckman stated that he was in the store Sunday afternoon and was certain it was locked. The theft was discovered the next morning, when he opened the store.

Mr. Beckman suspects three Syrians, who were in the store Saturday looking at wearing apparel, but who went out without buying. The police of the neighboring towns have been notified to be on the lookout for the thieves.

BASTIEN'S CONCERT GOOD BUT ATTENDANCE POOR

Bastien's big orchestra gave the last concert of the season at the Victor theatre Friday evening. The numbers were excellent and those who heard the concert were well pleased. From the attendance standpoint, however, the concert was a decided failure. The orchestra had been requested to repeat the program of the previous concert as many had failed to attend that one and they were promised a capacity house Friday evening. The promises were not fulfilled, however, and the attendance was less than 100 people.

CITY CARRIERS GET AID IN DELIVERING PARCEL POST

City mail carriers have had their work made easier recently by the placing of parcel post boxes at various points in the city. The rural carriers take the parcels from the postoffice and drop them into these boxes and they are then delivered by the city carrier. It relieves the city carriers of the work of carrying them so great distances while delivering other mail. Eight of these boxes have been set up. They are put up only for the convenience of the carriers and should not be used by the public for the mailing of outgoing parcel post.

ALL STARS LOSE TO BRAINERD

Little Falls All Stars met defeat on Sunday afternoon at the hands of the Brainerd aggregation, at that place, by a score of 6 to 4. They scored three of their runs on a three-bagger by Templeton and got one score on some bad errors.

Lagerbauer for the locals pitched a good game, allowing but a few hits. "Cannonball" Kannenberg, the Brainerd pitcher, was pounded out of the game after three innings and was replaced by Victor, who pitched a better game.

SWANVILLE

June 16.—A. Mielke returned home Wednesday from the cities.

Perry Stith was a Little Falls visitor on Friday.

Rev. Kretschmar came home Tuesday from a visit with friends at Frazer.

Paul Krousey visited here on Friday.

Miss Donnie Williams, who has been visiting at the Kaliher home, left last Wednesday for her home in St. Cloud. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Lynch, Wednesday.

Martha Mielke came home Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mielke.

Mae Cox was a caller at Little Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Stith, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roff spent Sunday at Pillsbury lake.

The McRae family autoed to Little Falls Sunday.

The Swanville ball team defeated the Grey Eagle ball team by the score of 9 to 1.

Albert McRae left for Royalton on Monday.

Miss Alta left for Long Prairie Saturday. She will be employed in the Reichert hotel.

Mrs. Greeting of Detroit and Mrs. Fred Meyer of St. Paul arrived here Tuesday for a visit at the Albert Hass home and with other relatives.

Fred Kuhl moved into his own home Tuesday which was formerly occupied by Mr. Kemp.

Myrtle Maloney returned home Saturday from the Little Falls hospital.

John Mantey has received a new auto.

Luzie and Nick Truog left for normal and summer school at St. Cloud Saturday.

Inez Edwards left Saturday for normal.

Work was begun Wednesday on Hulda Muske's cottage at Pillsbury lake.

Mrs. G. Schendall is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pipen and family and Hulda Schendall visited at Flensburg Sunday.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. A. Kind at the Lutheran school house on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Mielke of St. Paul, who has been visiting at the Herman Mielke home, has returned to the city.

Braatz' left by car for Hankinson, N. D.

Mr. Rhines visited at Little Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. Truog was taken to the Ethel hospital at Minneapolis where she will undergo an operation.

UPSALA

June 15.—L. G. Johnson was a caller at Royalton last Friday.

O. P. Johnson has now commenced the erection of his residence. P. Erickson is employed there as carpenter.

Miss Esther Schultz and Mr. Benolken were united in matrimonial bonds at the home of the bride last Thursday evening. A large number of relatives

and friends of the couple were attendants at the wedding. They will make their home on a farm in this locality. All happiness and prosperity for them are the wishes of their many friends.

Wedding bells will be ringing in our community next week.

Miss Anna Bring, who has been employed in Minneapolis for a short while, arrived home last week for a lengthy visit.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Eckstrom.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church was entertained last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Anderson.

Emil Okerson arrived from Minneapolis last week, where he has been employed for some time.

H. York was a business visitor at Minneapolis last week.

Henry Carlson, who has been in the twin cities for a short while, arrived home the past week.

O. Carlson was a visitor at Swanville the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Sundquist, who have spent a week visiting with relatives in New Folden, returned to their home last week.

Miss Lillie Frisk, who spent a week at her home here, left last week for Minneapolis to resume work.

Miss Ellen Johnson left for Sauk Rapids last Friday, where she will remain for a length of time.

Road work is progressing quite slowly on account of the abundance of rain which we are having.

Miss Alva Bring arrived from Minneapolis for a short visit at the Andrew home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Berg returned last Wednesday from their pleasant visit with relatives at several points in the southern part of our state.

Picnics seem to be all the go in this locality, and are well attended.

Willie Carlson, who took up an engineer's course at Minneapolis, arrived home last week.

Miss Judith Peterson left for Minneapolis last Wednesday, where she expects to remain for a length of time.

Victor Johnson was a caller at Minneapolis last week, where he went to get a Maxwell car.

Mrs. Chas. Griffith with her children, left for their home at Minneapolis recently, after enjoying a short visit with her parents here.

Rev. Anderson, who conducted services at the Baptist church here, left for his home at Alexandria Wednesday.

Mrs. A. M. Borgstrom spent a short while in Minneapolis the past week.

Miss Martha Magnuson, who renewed friends and acquaintances here for a week, left recently for her home at Vern.

The Y. P. S. will meet at the Lutheran church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swanson and sons, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, left on Monday for their home at Milwaukee, Wis.

Misses Hilma and Sabina and Messrs. John, Arthur and Swan Noren came up by auto from St. Paul Sunday, for a short visit at the homes of John and Alfred Anderson.

Burton's

Saturday Specials

Dresses Reduced

All This Season's Styles

- \$25.00 Lace Dresses now \$13.95
- \$20.00 Silk Dresses now \$12.95
- \$15.00 Silk Dresses now \$9.95
- \$12.50 Silk Dresses now \$7.50
- \$10.00 Wool Dresses now \$6.95
- \$20.00 Spring Coats now \$7.50

Special Prices on Embroideries and White Goods

- Up to \$3 50 Embroidered Flouncings now - \$1.50
- Up to \$1.50 Embroidered Flouncings now - 98c
- Up to \$1.25 Fancy White Goods now - 50c
- Up to 35c White Goods now - 19c

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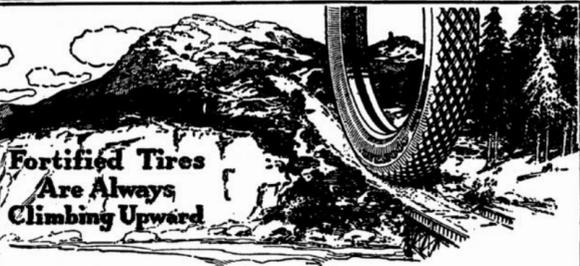
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Men's Sox 5c, 8c, 10c and 15c

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We are overloaded on boys' knee pant suits and are placing on sale about 200 plain coat style knickerbocker suits at

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The patterns are beautiful and the fabrics are guaranteed to give splendid wear. We are giving this discount simply to reduce our stock in this department. Bring in your boys and get them fitted before the sizes are broken.

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