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MORRISON COUNTY BIDS YOU WELCOME

This week there are but few of the over six hundred papers in Minnesota, that have not made some extra effort to put before their readers and especially before thousands of others residing in other states to which copies will be sent, a story of the rich bounties and unlimited resources which Minnesota and their home county offers to those seeking homes where they can better their conditions. The Herald, in keeping with the spirit of the occasion, publishes in this issue among its pages, matter in relation to the state and Morrison county, which we trust will to some degree at least draw to them the consideration which they well merit. Although from one locating anywhere in the state, we would profit, it is to our own county, that we especially direct the attention of those, who wish to dwell where opportunity abounds. Not only is Morrison county proud of her position in agriculture, dairying, stock raising, manufacturing and commercial enterprises, but in her numerous churches of all denominations, hospitals, excellent charitable and educational institutions, her civic, musical and social organizations and her splendid cosmopolitan citizenship. In the matter that is put before the reader there is no attempt to overdraw the conditions that exist, but a statement of facts that should appeal to those interested in home-building, whether it be in Little Falls, in one of the many country towns, or on the rich farm lands of the county. While Morrison county with her city and villages have been, and are prosperous, there is still a wide field for investment and greater development of her resources. Thousands of her fertile acres are still awaiting the touch of the scientific husbandman, that they may bloom and produce as bounteous as those which now stand out as the backbone and stability of the prosperity of Morrison county. We bid you, who are in less favored sections than Morrison county, welcome, feeling that success for you is here in a large measure if you but grasp the opportunity which awaits you. Come.

Little Falls—the magnet.

Morrison county—rich in opportunities.

Minnesota—state of unlimited resources.

President Vincent of the State university states that the largely increased enrollment this year is proving embarrassing. The increase is from 3,840 in 1914 to 4,556 this year, or 18 per cent.

The friends of Editor and Mrs. C. F. McDonald of St. Cloud will be pained to learn that Mrs. McDonald was seriously injured recently in a fall in the Union station at St. Paul, from which injury she will not likely recover for many months.

The Grey Eagle Gazette is strutting around in a brand new dress of the latest style. Messrs Wilke and Walburn are getting out a paper that many larger places than Grey Eagle would be proud of, and we trust that the merchants and other citizens of Grey Eagle and vicinity will appreciate their efforts.

In commenting on his candidacy for the republican nomination for governor a number of the papers refer to our congressman as "The Man of Mystery." Whether some of the other aspirants think Lindbergh has a chance to win the nomination or not, they will surely be doing some "mysterious" stunts as well as some tall figuring as to how Lindbergh's entrance into the game will affect their own little candidacy.

With Lindbergh seeking the nomination for governor, quite a number are being mentioned for congress. Mr. Buckman is as yet the only pronounced candidate, but it looks as though there are more to follow. Among the material available is said to be Alvah Eastman of St. Cloud, Frank Eddy of Sauk Centre, Wm. E. Lee of Long Prairie and C. H. Warner of Aitkin, with every evidence that the latter will surely enter the race. Dr. Dubois of Sauk Centre, who valiantly carried the banner in this district twice, is named as a probable democratic candidate.

The Minneapolis Tribune comments on the recent county option contest in Hennepin county, as follows: While the people have decided by an impressive majority that under present conditions it is best to continue the license system in Minneapolis, no one who can read the signs of the times should deceive himself as to the future of the saloon and the traffic in intoxicants. State-wide prohibition is a not very remote date is not at all improbable. Such a movement would be free from many of the most serious considerations against no license urged with apparent effect in the referendum, while national prohibition, which the Tribune looks upon with favor as the only effective method of suppressing the evils of the liquor traffic, is a probability at no very distant day.

THE SEVERITY OF THE "UNCO GUID"

The "Holier-than-thou" attitude and lack of sympathy on the part of many worthy folks may be attributed to provincialism. They hold themselves superior to others not as good as they are, because they have had no experience. They have never suffered. Therefore they cannot resist throwing in a lecture with their alms. They simply are not human.

A writer in the Western Christian Advocate scores this tendency when he says: "One of the most remarkable things about certain good people is their severity in dealing with their fellow men." Particularly is this true with a certain class of men and women who lead what might be called protected lives. They have never known from actual experience what poverty, sickness, disaster, or disgrace mean, but they are almost devoid of sympathy in dealing with their neighbors who had one or more of these things to deal with.

"To give a garment and a lecture together, to pry into the last detail of family life before giving charity, to insinuate openly or covertly that every applicant for aid is an imposter, to make the helpless poor feel like criminals—these are the crimes of which many good people are guilty.

"Some day, it may be, we will all be old, and it may be that many of us will be poor; so let us cast a little bread and sympathy on the water so that it can come back to us in case we need it."

After all, as some epigrammatist has reminded us, "there is so much bad in the best of us, and so much good in the worst of us, that it becomes the best of us to speak ill of the worst of us." A little more charity all around; a little more milk of human kindness; a little more understanding and sympathy, and the world will wag more easily along its orbit.—Ex.

LITTLE FALLS NEVER FALLS DOWN

St. Cloud Journal-Press: Little Falls wants a fitting slogan, and the Water Power company of that city offers a prize of \$10 for the best one submitted. The slogan must begin with "Little Falls." The Journal-Press has referred the matter to Carl Thiele, the slogan maker of the Busey, Gritty, Granite City. How is this for a sample: "Little Falls Never Falls Down?"

LET ALL THE PEOPLE SING

Community singing was tried with success in Cloquet this last summer. The people of Cloquet gathered in Pinehurst Park, and, under proper direction, sang old and familiar songs. According to reports in the Pine Knot everybody liked the plan.

If community singing is a good thing in summer, why not in winter? The school house, town hall, or some church suggests itself as a suitable place.

CATTLE SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM

Rheumatism among Minnesota cattle has caused farmers to appeal to the Minnesota College of Agriculture for suggestions as to treatment. "About the best the farmer can do for these cases," says Dr. M. H. Reynolds, chief of the veterinary division, "is to rub the affected parts with stimulating liniments or to apply a hot steam pack. A suitable cloth, woolen preferred, should be saturated with hot water or mild liniment. This should be wrapped around the affected joint, and, to prevent cooling, should be covered with a dry cloth over which should be placed a rubber cloth."

COWS NEED MORE THAN PASTURE NOW

The dairy farmer who keeps his cows too long on pasture in the fall suffers a loss. Pasturing too long causes a decrease in milk production, and recovery is not secured by supplemental feeding later. Supplemental feeding with silage, if available, should begin at once. This will keep cows up to their best in milk yield not only for the immediate future but through the winter.

PROGRESS OF GOOD ROADS.

New Jersey first provided state aid for public highways twenty-four years ago. Her action was imitated by Massachusetts and Connecticut, and the policy of state aid toward good roads was firmly established. Since then \$200,000,000 has been expended from state treasuries in aid of improved highways and about 31,000 miles of surfaced roads constructed under state supervision. The statistically minded may be interested to know that this is equivalent to an annual expenditure of more than \$3,300,000, with an annual construction of 1,292 miles. By far the most active period of state aided road construction, however, has been that since 1905. The last two years have actually been responsible for the building of 11,000 out of the total of 31,000 miles. With 40,000 square miles of territory less than the single state of Texas, France lacks but 6,000 miles of having as extensive a national highway system as the United States has, counting the state roads as national. To get rid of graft and politics in both state and local boards and to establish energetic and competent engineering supervision are the steps still to be taken in many states before the social and economic arguments in favor of better highways will prevail.

Poured. "I have poured every day this week at some function or other," remarked the vivacious girl. "Well, well!" murmured the old gentleman who overheard her. "Now I know what is meant by the term 'a knowing belle.'"—St. Louis Republic.

WILSON ESTIMATES NATIONAL DEFENSE COST \$400,000,000

INCREASE OF \$140,000,000 OVER LAST YEAR, FOR ARMY AND NAVY, TO BE ASKED OF CONGRESS.

NAVAL PROGRAM WILL BE STRONGEST IN HISTORY

Army of 120,000 Men and Creation of a Reserve of 400,000 Men Through Short-term Enlistment of Citizens Are Parts of Plan.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Four hundred million dollars for national defense—an increase of approximately \$140,000,000 over last year—constitutes the amount which President Wilson and his advisers at present estimate should be appropriated by the next Congress for the army and navy.

As the date for completion of the annual estimates draws near, the President is giving preliminary consideration to the national defense budget out of which it is hoped to lay down a stronger naval program than the United States ever has authorized in its history, and similarly a larger provision for the military establishment than has been customary in times of peace.

The President has had before him for several weeks the outline of a military policy of a continuing character framed by Secretary Garrison after more than a year's study with officers of the general staff. With it the President is in hearty accord. While the details have not been revealed, a substantial increase in the regular army, probably from 87,000 to at least 120,000 men, and the creation of a reserve of perhaps 400,000 men through short-term enlistment service of citizens interested in military training are said to be parts of the plan.

The President's determination to urge upon Congress in his next message a defense program to cost about \$400,000,000 has been emphasized in high official quarters in the last few days, following Mr. Wilson's recent speech saying the American people were convinced that the United States should be very adequately prepared, not for war, but for defense.

Chairman Hay of the House military affairs committee will confer with the President concerning the plans for the army, and Monday Secretary Garrison is expected to return to Washington and begin a series of talks with the President on the defense program.

Secretary Daniels already has had an opportunity to get the President's ideas on naval appropriations. Approve Naval Program. Mr. Daniels said that both the President and Chairman Padgett of the House naval affairs committee seemed to approve of the idea of a five-year naval building program.

REVOLUTION IN GUATEMALA

Fighting in Progress in Three States, Says "Revolutionary Committee."

New Orleans, Oct. 14.—Revolution has broken out in Guatemala and fighting is in progress in the states of San Marcos, Huehuetenango and Peten, according to advices received here by the Guatemalan junta of the "revolutionary committee."

Swiss to Aid Peace Move. Chicago, Oct. 14.—Swissland stands ready to join the United States and other neutral nations in any movement which may be made to end the European war, according to Paul Ritter, minister plenipotentiary from Switzerland to the United States, who stopped off here. Mr. Ritter asserted that Switzerland, with the roar of cannonading on her borders and her army on a war footing to repel invasion, was hard pressed by war.

New Appeal for World Peace. Chicago, Oct. 14.—A new appeal for peace, signed by the five women who visited the capitals of Europe after attending the Woman's Peace congress at The Hague in June, will be issued at once. The manifesto will be issued simultaneously in Europe and the United States. It was prepared by the executive committee of the International Woman's Peace party. The signers will be Miss Adams, Dr. Alice Jacobs, Mrs. Rosina Schuyler, Mrs. Cora Macdonald and Miss...

"MAKE NATION LOOK SILLY"

BYRAN, CARNEGIE AND FORD DENOUNCED BY BREWSTER.

Muffled Voice of Patriotism Where Strong Action is Needed, Says Security League Secretary.

Minneapolis, Oct. 14.—Calling national unpreparedness criminal negligence, William B. Brewster of New York, secretary of the National Security league, speaking before the league branch of the university, declared that Bryan, Carnegie and Henry Ford are doing more to undermine the moral fiber of American citizens than any other single force.

"They are doing more to make the nation look silly and to weaken our national defense than any other agency," said Mr. Brewster. "They have a half-million dollars a year to spend creating the sentiment of pacifism, which muffles the voice of patriotism, using soft speech where strong action is needed.

Want Nation Invulnerable. "The United States has 8,000 officers, twice the number of policemen in New York city, and since the war has started, England alone has lost 25,000 officers. We have a national reserve of 15 men, one of them having died a few days ago.

TO CONVERT MIDDLE WEST

Conference at Davenport to Show That Section the Wisdom of Military Preparedness.

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 14.—Delegates from nine states—Iowa, Illinois, Missouri, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Kansas and North and South Dakota—gathered here today for the Mid-West Conference on Preparedness, financed by Davenport, Rock Island and Moline.

The special object of the two-day convention is to bring before the people of the Middle West, who are far from the danger of foreign invasion, the need of an adequate army and navy. The promoters of the conference believe they can show the citizens of this section, which has had a record of producing opponents of military measures, that the cause of national preparedness for defense is their cause as well as the cause of New England, the Middle Atlantic states, and the Pacific coast.

Pioneer Lumberman Dies.

Davenport, Iowa, Oct. 14.—James E. Lindsay, one of the best known lumbermen in the Mississippi valley, is dead, aged 89. He was senior member of the Lindsay & Phelps company and numerous other corporations.

Fugitive Leper Returns.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 14.—George Grable, a leper, who escaped from quarantine here two years ago, returned to St. Louis and reported to the health commissioner. He was sent back to the quarantine station south of the city.

Hustis Re-elected B. & M. Head.

Boston, Oct. 14.—James H. Hustis was re-elected president of the Boston and Maine railroad.

THE WEATHER.

Minnesota—Fair today; tomorrow probably unsettled; not much change in temperature.

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

Minneapolis Grain. Minneapolis, Oct. 14.—Wheat, December, \$1.02 1/2; May, \$1.05 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.05 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.03 1/2; No. 3 northern, \$1.01 1/2; No. 4 northern, \$1.00 1/2; No. 5 northern, \$0.98 1/2; No. 6 northern, \$0.96 1/2; No. 7 northern, \$0.94 1/2; No. 8 northern, \$0.92 1/2; No. 9 northern, \$0.90 1/2; No. 10 northern, \$0.88 1/2; No. 11 northern, \$0.86 1/2; No. 12 northern, \$0.84 1/2; No. 13 northern, \$0.82 1/2; No. 14 northern, \$0.80 1/2; No. 15 northern, \$0.78 1/2; No. 16 northern, \$0.76 1/2; No. 17 northern, \$0.74 1/2; No. 18 northern, \$0.72 1/2; No. 19 northern, \$0.70 1/2; No. 20 northern, \$0.68 1/2; No. 21 northern, \$0.66 1/2; No. 22 northern, \$0.64 1/2; No. 23 northern, \$0.62 1/2; No. 24 northern, \$0.60 1/2; No. 25 northern, \$0.58 1/2; No. 26 northern, \$0.56 1/2; No. 27 northern, \$0.54 1/2; No. 28 northern, \$0.52 1/2; No. 29 northern, \$0.50 1/2; No. 30 northern, \$0.48 1/2; No. 31 northern, \$0.46 1/2; No. 32 northern, \$0.44 1/2; No. 33 northern, \$0.42 1/2; No. 34 northern, \$0.40 1/2; No. 35 northern, \$0.38 1/2; No. 36 northern, \$0.36 1/2; No. 37 northern, \$0.34 1/2; No. 38 northern, \$0.32 1/2; No. 39 northern, \$0.30 1/2; No. 40 northern, \$0.28 1/2; No. 41 northern, \$0.26 1/2; No. 42 northern, \$0.24 1/2; No. 43 northern, \$0.22 1/2; No. 44 northern, \$0.20 1/2; No. 45 northern, \$0.18 1/2; No. 46 northern, \$0.16 1/2; No. 47 northern, \$0.14 1/2; No. 48 northern, \$0.12 1/2; No. 49 northern, \$0.10 1/2; No. 50 northern, \$0.08 1/2; No. 51 northern, \$0.06 1/2; No. 52 northern, \$0.04 1/2; No. 53 northern, \$0.02 1/2; No. 54 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 55 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 56 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 57 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 58 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 59 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 60 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 61 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 62 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 63 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 64 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 65 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 66 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 67 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 68 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 69 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 70 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 71 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 72 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 73 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 74 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 75 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 76 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 77 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 78 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 79 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 80 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 81 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 82 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 83 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 84 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 85 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 86 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 87 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 88 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 89 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 90 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 91 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 92 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 93 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 94 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 95 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 96 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 97 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 98 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 99 northern, \$0.00 1/2; No. 100 northern, \$0.00 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Hog receipts, 18,000; slow, generally steady at yesterday's average; bulk, \$9.10-\$9.70; light, \$7.90-\$8.75; mixed, \$7.35-\$8.50; heavy, \$7.50-\$8.75; rough, \$7.00-\$8.00; pigs, \$6.50-\$7.50. Cattle receipts, 18,000; weak; native beef steers, \$9.10-\$10.40; western steers, \$8.80-\$9.75; cows and heifers, \$8.25-\$9.00; calves, \$7.75-\$11.75. Sheep receipts, 18,000; steady; wethers, \$9.00-\$9.50; lambs, \$7.00-\$8.50.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Minneapolis, Oct. 14.—Butter, Creamery, extras, 34c; extra firsts 25c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 22c; dairies, extra firsts, 23c; packing stock, 19c. Eggs—Candler, free from rots, small grades and checks out, 28c; current receipts, rots out, Case, \$7.50; checks and rots out, 15c; dirties, 16c. Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 14c; thin, small 9c; crippled and culls, unscarred; roosters, 9c; hens 4 pounds and over, 13c; 3 1/2 pounds and under, \$9.00; geese, fat, 18c; ducks, 11c; springs, pound, 12c.

Double Wedding at White House?

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Miss Margaret Wilson, oldest daughter of the president, is engaged to be married to Frank Elbert Compton, president of the Compton Publishing company of Chicago, according to a story printed in a newspaper. The story says the wedding is to take place on the day that President Wilson weds Mrs. Norman Galt and a double White House wedding is declared to be a possibility. Mr. Compton declined to discuss the report. He is a widower, 40 years old and has one child.

RUSSIANS FORCE AUSTRIAN TROOPS IN GALICIA TO FLEE

WIN DECISIVE VICTORY ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT—PIERCE LAST LINE OF DEFENSES ON RIVER STRIPA.

ARRANGEMENT BELIEVED MADE WITH BUCHAREST

Would Permit Passage of Czar's Troops Through Roumanian Territory—Slav Gains in North Less Extensive—Furious Fighting Continues.

A striking victory has been won by the Russians on the southern front in Eastern Galicia. They have pierced the last line of Austrian defenses on the Stripa river and stormed one of the strongest points on the Austro-German right flank.

London, Oct. 14.—The Russian forces sprang at the Austrians in Galicia, forcing them to flee in disorder with the loss of more than 2,000 men and 60 officers and huge quantities of cannon and ammunition along the Stripa river. The Slav activity indicates the first move to draw a curtain of cannon and machine guns behind which a giant force may be hurled against Bulgaria through Roumania, a maneuver hinted at by the French Premier Viviani in an address before the chamber. An amicable arrangement with Bucharest is believed to have been consummated to permit the passage of the czar's troops across Roumania.

Slavs Press Advantage.

The likelihood of Russian aid in the Balkans also is seen in the Paris announcement that the reported use of Japanese troops by the Allies is unfounded. Pressing their initial advantage the Russians have crossed the river Stripa. Their gains in the north are not so great and furious fighting continues about Drvnsak.

The Serbian temporary capital's transfer from Nish to Monastir is expected within 48 hours. The former's capture by the Bulgarians is looked for before the Germans, who have the same objective, can reach it. The Serbians have repulsed a Bulgarian attempt to take their positions south of Zaitchar on the railroad between Nish and Prochovo.

BOSTON WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Captures Fourth Straight Game from Philadelphia Team—Only Fair Sized Crowd On Hand.

Boston won the fifth game in the world's baseball series from Philadelphia by the score of 5 to 4. Batteries: Boston—Foster and Thomas; Philadelphia—Mayer and Burns. National League Park, Philadelphia, Oct. 14.—A threat of serious delay or possible postponement of the fifth game of the world's series served only to whet the appetite of more than 20,000 faithful Phillies fans who crowded into the little park to encourage the home team in its last stand against the Red Sox.

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BRAND WHITLOCK



Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, is confined to his bed, his illness being due in large part to the strain to which he has been subjected as mediator between Belgians and Germans.

LONDON RAIDED; 42 STRUCK

EIGHT PERSONS ARE KILLED BY BOMBS FROM ZEPPELINS.

Few Fires Result, But These are Quickly Put Out—Material Damage Small.

London, Oct. 14.—Zeppelin airships have made another raid over London, dropping bombs. Eight persons are declared to have been killed and about 24 injured. The material damage done is said to have been small.

Two Women Are Killed.

"A Zeppelin raid was made in the evening over a portion of the London area, when a certain number of incendiary and explosive bombs were dropped. The material damage done was small. A few fires resulted, but they were quickly put out by the fire brigade. The admiralty will issue a statement shortly when particulars are available.

"At present it is only possible to say that no public buildings were damaged and that the casualties so far reported number two women and six men killed and about 24 injured. With the exception of a soldier killed, all these were civilians."

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City Resort to Replace Saloons.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 14.—To provide a place of resort after the state prohibition law goes into effect Jan. 1 next, for laboring men who now gather in saloons, the city has leased a four-story building and will fit it up at once. The ordinance providing for the innovation was passed unanimously. Under the plan outlined there will be reading rooms, musical instruments, a gymnasium, baths and a limited number of beds for unemployed men. All of the conveniences will be free to laborers except the beds.