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SERMON TO GRADS SUNDAY

REV. SERVICE TO ADDRESS CLASS AT HIGH-COMMENCEMENT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Baccalaureate services at the high school next Sunday evening, will mark the beginning of high school commencement week here. Fifty-four students will at that time receive their diplomas. That number will not attend the exercises, however, as quite a number of the young men who graduate have joined the navy, marines, or some branch of the federal military service.

Expenses in connection with graduation have been reduced to a minimum this year. The costly gowns will not be in evidence as the girls have decided to wear white sailor suits with blue collars and red ties.

Rev. E. B. Service will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday night. Dr. J. C. Brown, president of the St. Cloud normal, has been secured to deliver the commencement address on Wednesday evening, May 30. The Class Day Exercises will be held on Friday evening, June 1.

Following are the programs for commencement week and the list of graduates:

- Baccalaureate Service—Sunday Evening, 8 O'clock**
- Invocation.....Rev. Philip E. Gregory
 - Chorus.....High School
 - Baccalaureate address.....Rev. E. B. Service
 - Star Spangled Banner.....Congregation
 - Benediction.....Rev. Philip E. Gregory
- Commencement Program—Wednesday Evening, 8 O'clock**
- Music.....Orchestra
 - Invocation.....Rev. T. J. Herrman
 - Music.....Glee Club
 - Commencement Address.....Dr. J. C. Brown, president of the St. Cloud normal
 - Music.....Glee Club
 - Presentation of Class.....F. W. Dobbyn
 - Presentation of Diplomas.....T. C. Gordon
 - Music.....Orchestra

Graduates
Mina Adams, Esther Anderson, Janet Chance, Mildred Dewey, Otto Domian, Norman Elvig, Nathaniel Gibson, Clara Gierok, Leo Grimes, Irene Hall, Agnes Heath, Warren Higby, Walter Holm, Marion Holst, Isabelle Hughes, Edith Johnson, Esther Johnson, Mardry Johnson, Lottie Kay, route 8, Johanna Kummert, Marion Lambert, Doris Larson, Oscar Levin, Phyllis Lippinski, Elma Longley, Donald Magee, Calise Palmer, Ludger Pratt, Charles Remus, Bertha Rothwell, Madeline Simonet, Chester Tanner, Ida Trygstad, Gertrude Zerwas, all of Little Falls and Dorothy Woodworth, Pequot.

Normal
Lillian Balsiger, Marguerite Blais, Esther Boyl, Nettie Bradley, Ruby Buskirk, Anna Classen, route 8, Ethel Hausman, Anna Knuth, route 8, Pauline Koziol, route 3, Mayme LeBlanc, Hilda Martinson, Frances McKnight, route 6, Florence Pierson, route 6, Agnes Roche, Esther Swanson, route 4, May Van Hereke, all of Little Falls and Edna Kimball, Fort Ripley; Nellie Russel, Randall and Lena Zarns, route 2, Swanville.

LID VIOLATORS ARE NABBED

ZIMMER, LOCAL WHOLESALER, AND A KIENOW HELD TO FEDERAL COURT

Brainerd Dispatch (18): Charged with carrying contraband liquor into dry territory, Officers E. G. Boyd, Leo Mayer and Charles E. Benson last night arrested Joseph C. Zimmer, Andrew Kienow, Elmer Johnson and Nis Mizouri as they were driving along the Girard road some distance south of Brainerd. Officer Boyd had one man posted at the end of the road, he took the center and another agent was to the westward.

Officer Boyd stated that when the truck driver saw the car along the road, a stop was made and one of the men jumped out and dropped a sack in the bushes. This sack was picked up by Mr. Boyd who claimed it contained 24 pints of whiskey.

The men were brought before Commissioner Fleming Friday morning and Johnson and Mizouri were released. Zimmer and Kienow were bound over to the federal court and a joint bond set at \$1,200.

D'ARCY, FIGHTER, DEAD

Les D'Arcy, well known fighter in the middleweight class, is dead at Memphis, Tenn. D'Arcy recently came to this country from Australia and sought a fight, but was turned down. He enlisted in the aviation corps, according to reports, and was taken ill not long after.

Mrs. George Olson underwent an operation at St. Gabriel's hospital last Wednesday.

Alfred Donek of Pierz was operated upon for appendicitis at St. Gabriel's hospital Tuesday.

The Knights of Columbus lodge have donated \$25 toward the pavilion to be built at Pine Grove park.

Mrs. John Schackman was operated upon at St. Gabriel's hospital Tuesday for the second time in six weeks.

G. F. Kirscher of this city has been appointed referee in the bankruptcy proceedings of Julius F. Kenkel, Jr., bankrupt.

A machine shed on the J. W. farm in Belle Prairie was destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon. The origin of the blaze was unknown.

PAROCHIAL COMMENCEMENT

CLASS OF FIFTEEN GRADUATES FROM PAROCHIAL SCHOOL THURSDAY

Fifteen students at the local parochial school will on next Thursday complete the work of the eighth grade. A commencement program will be given at the school Thursday evening.

Those who will graduate are Helen Adams, Jerome Bastien, Ignatius Bastek, Alfred Eich, Louise Fueger, Herbert Kerich, Helen Miller, Leo Miller, Elizabeth Mitchell, Margaret Mamer, Anna Nathe, Helen Neumann, Albina Reger, Bernardine Vertin and Wilfred Wetzel.

The class colors are silver and carnation and the class motto is "Character, Honesty, Loyalty."

Following is the program for the commencement:

- Music—The Burning of Rome.....Anna Nathe
-Chorus
- Greeting Glee.....Louise Fueger
- Class Will.....Bernardine Vertin
- Music.....Helen Miller
- Circumstances Alter Cases—
- Adelina.....Helen Neumann
- Susie.....Elizabeth Mitchell
- Mary.....Anna Nathe
- Ellen.....Helen Adams
- Music.....Bernardine Vertin
- Class Prophecy.....Margaret Mamer
- Duet.....Margaret Mamer, Anna Nathe
- Drill—"The Waitress".....Girls
- Valedictory.....Wilfred Wetzel
- Farewell song.....Chorus
- Star Spangled Banner.....Chorus
- Presentation of Diplomas.....
-Rev. J. P. Altendorf

HOW ABOUT YOUR REAL ESTATE TAX?

Next Thursday, May 31, is the last day on which the first half of real estate taxes can be paid. Beginning on June 1 all taxes on which the first half remains unpaid must be paid in full and a penalty of ten per cent is added. Treasurer Renick states that the taxpayers are paying up better this year than last. Next Wednesday, May 30, is Memorial Day, a legal holiday, so there are really only five days left in which to pay the first half including today.

MARRIED

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, Fourth avenue northeast, last Saturday morning at 10:30 a. m., the marriage of their daughter, Lottie M., to William O'Connor of Hibbing, took place. Rev. Philip E. Gregory of the Congregational church performed the ceremony.

Miss Lucretia O'Connor, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and Albert Bastien of Hibbing was best man.

The bride wore a pretty suit of apple green and a large going away picture hat to match. She wore a corsage bouquet of white roses and sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore a suit of olive green and a corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas and roses.

Miss Thelma Brown played Lohengrin's bridal chorus as the processional. Before the ceremony I. A. Johnson, a brother of the bride sang "O Promise Me."

The living room, in which the ceremony was performed, was beautifully decorated. The nuptial vows were taken before an altar of ferns and flowers. The dining room was decorated in yellow and white. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served after the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. O'Connor and daughter Lucretia of Stillwater and Albert Bastien of Hibbing were the only outside guests.

Both bride and groom are well known in Little Falls, as they were raised here. Mr. O'Connor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Connor of Stillwater. He has been employed with a mining company at Hibbing for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor left Saturday afternoon for Hibbing. Enroute they visited at Brainerd and Duluth.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses have been issued the past week to Matt Stueckmayer and Barbara Faust, William O'Connor and Lottie M. Johnson, Oscar Sandbeck and Mildred Wilmot, Henry Gosch and Marguerite Evans, Richard Bitner and Cecelia Sovola, Peter J. Gau, Jr., and Dominica Spanfeller, John J. Gross and Eleanor Wise.

BORN

MILLER—To Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Saturday, May 19, a son.

GOODMAN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodman of Flensburg, Thursday, May 17, a daughter.

The board of county commissioners will hold its regular meeting on June 12, instead of June 5, the regular meeting day, because that day is registration day and is a holiday.

Lieutenant H. R. Prescott, who is in charge of the guards stationed at St. Cloud, expects to come up here for the Red Cross dance tonight and incidentally he will accept enlistments for the Minnesota national guard.

Mrs. Maud Burg and little daughter of Minneapolis came up Tuesday for a short visit, enroute to Long Beach, California, where they will make their home. Mrs. E. Buckman, Mrs. Burg's mother, also goes to California to live.

Mrs. P. J. Berke and daughter Edna, formerly of Little Falls town, but now of Gresham, Ore., arrived Monday for a visit at the Chas. Stenberg home in Little Falls town and friends in the city. They left for the west about six years ago.

Work has been commenced putting in the new front in the building to be occupied by the Commercial State & Savings bank. Kasota rock, light in color, will be used for the trimmings. It will be some time yet before the building will be ready for occupancy.

BETTER ROAD TO FREEDHEM

IS NEEDED, COMMERCIAL CLUB DECIDES—MAY HAVE BANDSTAND NEAR HIGH SCHOOL

That it is important that Little Falls get a good road leading into the Freedheim territory, northeast of here, was the unanimous opinion of Commercial club members at a meeting at the city hall Monday evening. President Sylvester was instructed to appoint a committee to look into the matter and to see what money can be secured from the city and also to interview the county commissioner in the matter. J. Jetka, N. J. Peterson and G. W. Firnstahl were appointed on this committee.

Victor Beckman and Linus Strand of Freedheim were at the meeting and the former was the one who brought the matter of a road to Freedheim to the club's attention. He stated that it would mean the turning of a great deal of business to Little Falls which is now going elsewhere and he asked the club to lend its influence to boost for a good road out there. Mr. Beckman suggested three different routes that could be used to build up a fine road. One route goes one mile south from Freedheim, thence straight west to the state road in Belle Prairie. The second goes down a mile, thence a mile west, thence another mile south and thence straight west to the school house on the state road, about four miles north of here. The third route goes one mile south, one mile west, three miles south and then west to this city, entering the city near the Calvary cemetery northeast of town. The last named, he said would serve more people.

It was pointed out that the city cannot expend any money on roads that do not lead into the city and for this reason the third route was considered the best one, also because it taps the best territory and would serve most people.

M. M. Williams reported that the Northern Pacific has declined to construct a fence along the L. P. & D. right-of-way for the erral at the Pine Grove park, but he said that he believed that if the committee would wait on the council and ask them to go ahead and build the balance of the fence up to the right-of-way, and N. J. Kline, division superintendent, were notified that the city was waiting for the company to build the part along the tracks, it would be done, as it is a very small matter.

Val. E. Kasperek told the club that an effort was being made to get a bull moose and that the committee hoped to secure one soon. He also stated that a pair of deer would be purchased from Virginia and placed in the park. He said he was certain these deer would propagate.

J. W. Falk, a member of the committee on signs to direct tourists to the Pine Grove park, reported that one sign had been erected at the corner of Broadway and Second street northwest, near the Antlers hotel and that another had been made to be put up at the entrance to the park but that it had not been placed because the committee was uncertain as to where it should be put. The sign put up near the Antlers hotel is a large one, 6x8 ft., bearing inscription telling where the park is located and with pictures of a moose, an elk and a deer painted on it. The sign for the park entrance will be 16 feet long and 2 feet deep. There was considerable discussion by the members as to where the entrance sign should be located. Some favored putting it at the first entrance at the east end of the park and others wanted it put up where the main entrance west of the Dewey residence. The matter was finally left to the committee.

On motion by N. N. Bergheim the club voted to contribute the sum of \$75 toward the fund for the construction of the pavilion at the park.

P. J. Vasily, chairman of the committee on entertainment for the editors' tour in July, reported that the Biddinger informed the club that he had received a letter from Will Wilke of Grey Eagle advising him of this action. On motion by E. J. Richie the committee was discharged with thanks.

N. N. Bergheim brought up the bandstand matter, saying that the present system of playing in the streets is a nuisance and makes it very hard for the police to maintain order. None of the members of the committee on bandstand were present at the meeting and President Sylvester stated that he would ask them to get busy at once.

Val. E. Kasperek suggested that the lots adjoining the new postoffice be secured for a park, whereon a bandstand could be erected. He said that an option could perhaps be secured on them for a couple of years and the government could later be asked to purchase them for park purposes.

Mr. Bergheim suggested that these lots be leased. M. M. Williams stated that the land lying between the high school and the river would be an ideal place for a park, where band concerts could be held and he said that this is one of the real serious things for this city to do. W. H. Bastien stated in regard to the portable bandstand, that this system had been tried out in Staples and found to be an absolute failure.

Rev. Gregory, on the other hand, stated that in the town where he lived before coming to Little Falls, the portable bandstand was used with very much success.

F. W. Dobbyn, superintendent of schools, stated that he believed the school board would be favorable to permitting the construction of a bandstand on the northwest corner of the high school grounds. The committee on a bandstand will be asked to interview the school board in the matter.

M. M. Williams, who was recently appointed county director of the state board of safety, announced that he had appointed an advisory board to this county consisting of the heads of the various organizations here. Those ap-

PAVILION PLANS SELECTED

BUILDING TO BE LARGE ENOUGH TO ACCOMMODATE 600 PERSONS

Plans and specifications selected by a committee from the city council and representatives of organizations donating toward the construction of a pavilion at the Pine Grove park, call for a building 72 feet long and 48 feet wide, with 9-foot posts, which will accommodate 600 people. The plans are on file with the city clerk.

A concrete foundation will be used, but the kind of floor has not been decided upon, the bidders being asked to submit prices on the pavilion with either maple floor or concrete floor, this question to be settled when the bids are let. The building will be enclosed to a height of three feet from the floor, the outside to be covered with galvanized iron, and above this wall up to the roof the building will be screened. A eucolla will be put on the top of the building and this too will be of open work, screened. One row of benches will be fastened along the four walls of the pavilion.

The bandstand will be located about in the center of the pavilion and will be suspended from the roof. It will be provided with a ladder which can be hoisted up out of the way.

No electric wiring or painting is provided for in the plans and specifications. They call for one coat of oil on the floor, however.

Bids are now being advertised for and the contract will be let at the next regular meeting of the city council, on Monday evening, June 4.

pointed by Mr. Williams were N. N. Bergheim, mayor of this city, president of the Civic league; Charles Sylvester, president of the Commercial club; N. J. Peterson, chairman of the council committee of public health and safety; J. W. Stephenson, president of the Men's club; George Kiewel, chairman of the Red Cross; Rev. Philip E. Gregory, president of the Boy Scouts and Superintendent of Schools F. W. Dobbyn. On request by Mr. Williams the club voted to sanction these appointments.

Wm. A. Bastien, leader of the band, called the club's attention to the fact that the bandboys played on the day when the local guardsmen returned from the border and that they had only received \$10, leaving a balance due of \$5. Mr. Koslosky stated that there was evidently some misunderstanding in this matter as he did not know that they were to receive any money, but he said that there was still some money left over from the proceeds of the banquet given in connection with the homecoming and the matter would be straightened out by the committee which had charge of the arrangements.

F. G. Ruth, local passenger agent for the Northern Pacific, introduced a resolution favoring an increase of 15 per cent on interstate and intrastate freight rates and which he asked the club to take some action on. He said that the interstate commerce commission had already granted the railroad an increase of 15 per cent on interstate rates. "This statement is an error, as the Interstate Commerce Commission has not yet acted."

A circular from the railway company cited reasons for the request for an advance in freight rates, among which were the increased cost of material, fuel and labor, the last named especially because of the Adamson law. It gave the increase of the N. P. for the year as 12 million dollars and said that the 15 per cent increase would raise only 9 million dollars.

N. N. Bergheim stated that the club should have detailed facts and statistics from both sides before taking any action in this matter. P. J. Vasily said that as long as the railroads remain private property the owners should be fairly compensated, but he added that in many instances the dividends have been largely on watered stock, although he had been told this was not true of the N. P. If it is found that they are absolutely entitled to the increase they should receive due consideration, but it should be shown without question. M. M. Williams said that he did not believe much could be gained by delving into statistics and that an expression of the attitude of the club toward the railroads, showing how we feel toward them and how they are using us, is practically all that could be given.

President Sylvester spoke in favor of the increase, if the increase in interstate rates has been granted. He said he wanted the matter disposed of at this meeting.

A motion by Val. E. Kasperek to lay the resolution over to a special meeting, subject to call of the president, in order to give the people a little time to look into the matter, was defeated by the vote of President Sylvester, the vote on the motion being a tie and Sylvester voting "no."

E. J. Richie made a motion to adopt the resolution, including the provision that the increase be granted if it was found that the railroads were entitled to it, but this motion received no second.

F. W. Dobbyn spoke in favor of postponing the resolution indefinitely, saying that if the club voted for the increase they would be pulling for the railroad systems, whereas if they voted against it they would be pulling against them. He said that the members of the railroad and warehouse commission are elected by the people to take care of these matters and they are supposed to be able to act intelligently, and he added that he believed this was not a question for a Commercial club and one which the members were not competent to act upon. Mr. Bergheim then offered the same motion as had been offered by Mr. Kasperek and which was defeated, and it carried without a dissenting vote.

P. J. Vasily then said in connection

MORE ENLISTMENTS HERE

LIEUTENANT KETTERER SIGNS UP SEVERAL YOUNG MEN FOR NAVY—QUARTET HELPS

Lieutenant G. E. Ketterer of the U. S. navy was in Little Falls this week securing enlistments for the navy and he succeeded in signing up several young men. They are Alfred Trampe of Swanville, Arnold Gulbranson, Jake Leidenfrost and Henry Otto Peterson. The first three enlisted in the clerical branch. They have been listed and put on pay and will be sent to their homes for a few weeks' furlough and will then be sent either to the Great Lakes training station or the Newport, R. I., training station. Peterson enlisted as a steam fitter and he will be sent to Norfolk navy yards, Va., for training.

The U. S. Naval quartette appeared at the Milo theatre last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and made a hit with the theatre patrons. All have splendid voices and the songs were excellently rendered. A picture entitled "The Battle of Gettysburg" was shown, also an official reel showing "Life in the Navy."

Lieutenant Ketterer made a talk at a Knights of Columbus meeting here Tuesday evening and he addressed the high school students Wednesday morning. Wednesday afternoon he was at Randall for a meeting, returning here in the evening in time for the show at the Milo. Mr. Ketterer said that the country press and the young ladies of the different towns in Minnesota and North Dakota have assisted splendidly in getting recruits for the navy and these two states have led the entire country the past five weeks for the number of recruits obtained.

WILL GET BROOK TROUT FRY HERE

M. M. Buckman of this city, who is secretary of the Morrison County Game Protective association, has made application to the state game and fish commission for some brook trout and has been promised sixty gallons to distribute in this county.

Charles Sylvester has received application blanks from the state department and he may also apply for some pike fry. All that is necessary to get the fry is to apply for them and to get them at the train and distribute them.

DIED

Mrs. Mabel Berg, wife of Oliver J. Berg of this city, died Wednesday morning at about 11 o'clock from acute nephritis, after a very brief illness. She was 33 years old.

Mrs. Berg, who before her marriage was Miss Mabel Jones, was born in El Paso, Ill., September 2, 1884. She was married to Oliver J. Berg on October 25, 1911.

Surviving Mrs. Berg are her husband; mother, Mrs. Sarah Jones; one sister, Ethel, of Billings, Mont.; two brothers, Charles and Albert of Chicago. Her mother has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Berg. The two brothers and sister arrived here Wednesday evening for the funeral.

The funeral will be held from the home at 2:30 this afternoon and from the Congregational church at 3 o'clock. Rev. Philip E. Gregory will officiate. Interment will be in Oakland cemetery.

Mrs. Minnea Virsen, wife of Oscar Virsen of the West side, died Monday from pulmonary tuberculosis, after a long illness. She was 25 years of age. She is survived by her husband and four small children.

The funeral was held from the home on Eleventh street southwest yesterday afternoon, Rev. E. J. Peterson of the Swedish Lutheran church officiating. Interment was in Oakland cemetery.

Mrs. Magdalen Yohnen of Melrose died Saturday morning at St. Gabriel's hospital from cancer. She had been at the hospital for treatment for about eight months. She was 39 years old. The funeral was held from Simonet's undertaking parlors Monday morning and interment was in Sacred Heart cemetery.

Rodolph Richard, formerly with this paper, and now editor of the Golden Valley Progress of Beach, N. D., was in the city for a visit with friends on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Richard was recently injured though not seriously, in an automobile accident near Beach, the machine turning turtle, his mother was also injured, but has fully recovered.

with this that the club can easily take up and go on record for matters for which they may later be sorry with a consequent lessening of the club's influence. As an instance he cited the Duluth Commercial club, which went on record as favoring an increase in the fare on an extension of a streetcar line. The increase was made and a great deal of opposition resulted, and rightly so.

On motion by N. N. Bergheim the president was instructed to appoint a committee of three to sound the sentiment as to what kind of a celebration Little Falls should have this year, and report at a special meeting to be called soon.

Mr. Sylvester has appointed G. C. Raymond, H. W. Venners and C. Rosencrue as the committee in the Fourth of July matter.

A. F. Koslosky of the committee on increased food production reported that the people were responding readily and that an unusually large number of gardens have been planted in this city and surrounding territory. He said that the schools have been doing good work to help the farmers and that A. H. Larson, agricultural instructor at the high school, has given very valuable assistance. The committee helped some farmers find seed and the financial institutions assisted in a financial way.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

PARADE AND PROGRAM AT OAKLAND CEMETERY—ADDRESS BY DR. SERVICE

Memorial Day, which falls on next Wednesday, will be fittingly observed in Little Falls with a parade and program. More than ever the importance of this day should be considered this year, and all who can possibly do so should turn out and pay their tribute to the old soldiers.

The parade will form at the city hall and will start out from there at 10 o'clock a. m. Louis W. Vasily, who has charge of arrangements, will see that conveyances are provided for all G. A. R. veterans and for members of the W. R. C. The parade will follow the usual route and wend its way to Oakland cemetery, where the program will be carried out. Music will be furnished by the band, a quartette composed of Miss Laura Brannen, Miss Thelma Brown, Petrus Liljedahl and Ernest Carlson, and Miss Brannen will sing a solo. Miss Bessie Brannen will act as accompanist. Miss Elaine Ruth arranged the musical program.

Following is the program for the services at the cemetery: Invocation.....Rev. George A. Ray

"America".....Quartette

G. A. R. Ritual.....Quartette

Tenting on the Old Camp Grounds.....Quartette

Gettysburg Address.....Quartette

"America, My Native Land".....Quartette

Memorial Address.....Dr. E. B. Service

Solo—"Come Unto Him".....Quartette

"Star Spangled Banner".....Quartette and Assembly

Benediction.....Rev. George A. Ray

LIBERTY LOAN CAMPAIGN BEGUN

MORRISON COUNTY BANKERS TO SOLICIT EVERY MAN IN THE COUNTY FOR SUBSCRIPTION

A thorough canvass of Morrison county, in which every man will be solicited, will be begun at once by the bankers of this county, in the interest of the sale of Liberty Loan bonds, which will be issued by the government soon to carry on the war. A meeting of the bankers was held in this city Wednesday evening at which all banks in the county except the Pierz and Genola banks were represented, and plans formulated for the campaign. The meeting was held at the Elks hall. After the meeting the bankers enjoyed a banquet at the Buckman hotel, the local financiers entertaining.

The bankers first organized an association to be known as the Morrison County Bankers' association, which will be a permanent organization. J. K. Martin of this city was elected president, C. R. Rhoda of Royalton vice president, Frank Kiewel of this city secretary and Joseph Moeglein of this city treasurer.

The county was divided into districts the several banks being given different townships in which to look after subscriptions for Liberty Loan bonds. The districts were apportioned as follows: Motley and Pillager banks—Motley, Rosing, Scandia Valley and Rail Prairie.

Randall banks—Cushing, Clough, Parker and Darling.

Swanville and Flensburg banks—Swanville, Culdrum and Swanville and Flensburg villages.

Royalton banks—Bellevue, south half of Buckman, letters to Morrill and Lakin.

Buckman bank—North half of Buckman, south half of Pierz town.

Pierz and Genola banks—Buh, Agram, north half of Pierz town, Granite.

Bowls banks—Two Rivers and east three tiers of sections in Elm Dale town.

Upsala bank—Elm Dale except part given to Bowls banks.

Little Falls banks—Pike Creek, Green Prairie, Ripley, Belle Prairie, Little Falls, Swan River, city of Little Falls. Letters to Richardson, Leigh, Hillman, Mount Morris, Platte and Palaska.

All the banks in the county will report to E. J. Richie of this city daily on subscriptions received. Mr. Richie was appointed by Mr. Rich, federal reserve agent at Minneapolis, to act as chairman of the campaign in this county.

Thus far Mr. Richie has sent in subscriptions for Liberty bonds from Little Falls totaling \$23,100.

It is not necessary for persons buying Liberty Loan bonds to pay the entire sum upon application. Provision has been made so that the applicant can pay 2 per cent on application, 18 per cent on June 28, 20 per cent on July 30, 30 per cent on August 15 and 30 per cent on August 30. Particulars in regard to the bonds may be found in another column.

MUNICIPAL COURT

E. J. Finley of Aitkin was fined \$2 and costs by Judge Lyon Tuesday evening for automobile speeding. The arrest was made by Chief Proper. Mr. Finley was seen speeding the same evening, after being fined, and a warrant is out for his arrest. He is at Fargo at present and cannot be arrested until he returns to this state.

Leo Bastien was fined \$10 and costs by Judge Lyon Tuesday morning on a charge of auto speeding. The complaint was made by Chief Proper.

K. R. Willen, a traveling salesman, was fined \$2 and costs, by Judge Lyon, Monday morning, for speeding with an automobile.

T. M. Savage, assistant state factory inspector, is in this city this week making an inspection of the manufacturing establishments. He is well pleased with conditions here.