

Octogenarian Arrives On 3,000 Mile Tramp

AGED MAN GOES THROUGH CITY ENROUTE FROM WASHINGTON TO WEST VIRGINIA.

Thomas Davis, almost an octogenarian, passed through Valley City last night on his long walk from Roslyn, Wash., to Fairmount, W. Va. He is 78 years old and well preserved, but has not been making very good time since he left his far western home.

He left Roslyn the latter part of June and has been making his way slowly over the mountains and plains, walking most of the time, as he is too old to catch freight trains. The only boost he got were short rides offered by farmers. Going at this rate he will reach West Virginia some time next summer.

As soon as he arrived in the city yesterday evening he applied for permission to sleep in the police station and was accommodated. He said he worked in the coal mines in Roslyn, but it was too hard and he decided to go to his old home in the east. He left Roslyn without a cent in his pocket, and had no money when he came here.

Prepare for The N. Dak. Educators

STATE CONVENTION WILL BE HELD AT GRAND FORKS THIS MONTH.

Grand Forks, N. D., Oct. 2.—With the annual meeting of the North Dakota Educational association just a few weeks away, the members of the local committee are making preparations for entertaining the visitors. The Grand Forks committee on arrangements consists of J. Nelson Kelley, chairman; Mayor M. F. Murphy, President; F. L. Goodman of the Commercial club, President F. L. McVey of the university, President E. P. Robertson of Wesley college and County Superintendent Helen Prindle.

The convention will be in session in this city three days, beginning Wednesday, Oct. 23, and at least 1,500 visitors are expected in Grand Forks for the three days of the gathering.

The Wednesday evening session will be given over almost entirely to some form of special entertainment for the visitors. It will undoubtedly consist of a musical program, and will be given by either a university organization or by faculty members of Wesley college. The program will in all probability be followed by a general reception.

Odds Favor the Red Sox

WAGERS PUT THE GIANTS ON THE SHORT END OF TEN TO EIGHT MONEY

New York, Sept. 30.—Betting today on the world's series is at 10 to 8 with the odds offered by supporters of the Red Sox. A party of public brokers sent a purse of \$10,000 to the stock exchange today, offering to wager it against \$8,000 on the Red Sox against the Giants. It is thought probable that the odds on the series will remain at the present figure until the opening game, Oct. 8.

A compilation of the averages of the two teams from all games up to have a slight edge. They lead in hitting and scoring and are close up in fielding.

ENJOYED CONVENTION.

The Valley City W. C. T. U. delegates who returned last evening from Devils Lake where they attended the state convention have only words of the highest praise for the people of that city. All were entertained at private homes and the citizens of Devils Lake did their utmost to make the four days extremely enjoyable. Committees with touring cars escorted the delegates to their destinations. The convention was a success in every way. Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson was re-elected president, with Mrs. Best of Fargo, vice president. Mrs. Heidel was re-elected treasurer, Mrs. Buck, of Starkweather, recording secretary, and Mrs. Barbara Wylie, corresponding secretary. Some excellent addresses were given, by Dr. Creegan, of Fargo, A. T. Mac, of Chicago, and F. L. Watkins of the Enforcement League. Those attending from the local union was Mrs. F. E. Heidel, Mrs. S. A. Zimmerman and Mrs. N. C. Macdonald.

Page Record: The men who have been most active and influential in the progressive republican cause in this state, are not being led astray by the third party movement. While many of them will doubtless support Roosevelt, a large majority of them seem disposed to support the men nominated at the primary election for state offices, as they are morally bound to do so.

Fine Audience Greeted Mme. Schumann-Heink

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Schumann-Heink granted was the ever popular "Rosary," which has become so identified with her as to be practically her song, much in the same manner that Melba has related herself to Tosti's Good-bye, and David Bispham to Danny Deever.

It was a splendid recital of songs and was as sincerely appreciated as it was sincerely given.

The accompaniments were excellently played by Mrs. Katherine Hoffman, who, in every instance, proved herself technically proficient and keenly sympathetic in contrasts and moods.

Mr. Edward Collins, pianist, was the assisting artist, and with the exception of Harold Bauer, Grand Forks has never been visited by a more satisfying player. He has a splendidly developed mechanism and controlled tone, and his interpretations are very straightforward, convincing and free from mannerisms. In spite of the length of the program, his performance of the difficult Campanella by Liszt was such a triumph that he was forced to respond to an encore. We would be fortunate to hear him again, and he should receive more advertising in the advance notices.

STATE NEWS NOTES

The Fargo Commercial club will make a trip to Minot to inspect the new Surrey cut-off on Oct. 9.

Katherine Keye of Fargo was severely injured Saturday when a buggy in which she was driving collided with an automobile.

The Democratic campaign speeches indicate that the Democrats fear Roosevelt above any other candidate—in this state, at least.

Visitors to the state from the east are astounded at the enormous crops in North Dakota this year.

The Big Show opened yesterday at Bismarck.

The Bismarck Exposition would have a much larger attendance were it not for the splendid weather which will permit the farmers to continue their threshing.

Glenn Martin gave the crowd a sensation at the Richland county fair when he glided 1,000 feet to the ground with his aeroplane.

The Congregational pastors of the state took no chances. They condemned all three parties at their recent state meeting.

The annual meeting of the state Librarians opens tomorrow at Mayville.

A. G. Crane of Jamestown has moved to Minot to handle the affairs of the new State Normal school.

Three employees of the state insane hospital were fined for bringing liquor onto the grounds.

The new government building at Bismarck is rapidly approaching completion.

Registration at the State "U" is breaking all records for so early in the season. Some records are being broken at Valley City, also.

A course in domestic science will be given at the Bismarck Expo.

The Grand Forks Herald has gone to plunging. It is a subscription contest.

Ideal threshing weather is reported from every section of the state.

Stock raising is becoming a big feature of North Dakota farming if shipments made already this fall are any indication.

A Commercial club has been revived at Lankin.

The Wahpeton fair was a hummer, if it did rain.

Too much booze ended in a stabbing affray in an Argusville hotel.

W. R. Kellogg, of Jamestown, has just completed a trip around the world.

Belfield has appointed a new marshal and a clean-up of the town is promised.

Ove Johnson, of Buchanan, has ten acres in trees that makes the land worth \$10,000.

The International Harvester company may locate a demonstration plant at Carrington.

The accidental discharge of a shot gun tore off one of the hands of Peter Thiesen, Jr., of Langdon.

Schools in Mount Carmel township, Cavalier county, are closed because teachers can not get boarding places.

Hens are showing an inclination to quit the job a little earlier than usual this year, and the price of eggs is advancing.

The Fargo Commercial club is doing a lot of traveling these days, visiting various communities, getting acquainted and boosting Fargo.

The United States Reclamation service has entered into a contract with Williston for furnishing power for its municipal lighting plant.

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Socialist Will Have A State Ticket

CONFIDENT OF MAKING BIG GAIN IN VOTING STRENGTH IN NORTH DAKOTA

Bismarck, N. D., Sept. 30.—Socialists of North Dakota will today file petitions with the secretary of state nominating their list of state and congressional candidates. Saturday the last of the 300 signatures necessary to nominate a ticket was secured, a committee of the state convention, held last June in Devils Lake, being in charge of the matter of nominating.

Under the North Dakota law the names of the socialist candidates will appear in the "Independent" column as no party designation is permissible under the primary unless a party polls at least a five per cent vote cast for governor in the last preceding election. This the socialists failed to do in 1910. In that year they also made an effort to have the law carrying this provision declared unconstitutional, but it failed, the supreme court holding the law sound.

The socialists are confident they will be able to show a big gain in their vote. They say that in the western sections they will make particularly heavy inroads on the strength of the old parties, while in some sections of the south central portion of the state, notably in Stutsman county, they expect to show marked advances. Here is the complete state and congressional ticket placed in nomination today:

Presidential Electors—W. G. Johnson, Fargo; G. G. Mowers, Bowbells; Max Evenholm, Omemee; S. A. Smith, Beach; O. E. Johnson, Delemere.

Governor—A. E. Bowen, Jr., Grand Forks.

Lieutenant Governor—A. G. Brastrap, Jamestown.

Secretary of State—C. A. Berg, Minot.

State Auditor—Howard Elliot, Minot.

State Treasurer—Arthur Bassett, Plaza.

Attorney General—R. Goer, Devils Lake.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—Miss Marie Baxter, Osnaprock.

Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor—H. E. Thompson, Minot.

Commissioner of Insurance—J. E. Kulstad.

Railroad Commissioners—W. J. Bailey, Inkster; E. A. Meyer, Lidgerwood; Z. R. Davidson, Wolford.

THE FULL DINNER PAIL

This was the famous phrase that represented the spirit of the campaigns of 1896 and 1900. It was derided as merely material and fleshly.

At the same time every sensible worker in philanthropic societies and churches, knows that it is of no use trying to convert anyone until he is decently fed and clothed and warmed. Similarly in politics. The fundamental question, the one that takes precedence of every other, is that of the full dinner pail. A party may propose all kinds of alluring reforms, and some of them may be good ideas. At the same time, if the party leaders lack a certain practical business or common sense, they may make a mess of the business of the country that will leave no hope or energy left for the trying of experiments. When a workman finds the notice "Closed for lack of orders" posted up on his workshop door, the only thing that comes into his mind is how he can open up that factory.

In the four years from 1893 to 1897, the traveller about the country was confronted everywhere by the gloomy sight of silent factories, no smoke coming out of the chimneys, no sign of human habitation except the watchman.

What was the trouble? Simply that the Democratic party had got into power and was trying out a lot of theories.

Although stump orators are everywhere citing these four years as an example of Democratic methods, it has not been our fortune so far to hear any Democratic orator or newspaper taking up this point and attempting to refute it.

The Democratic party cannot escape responsibility for the black period of depression that then existed. It was a panic three or four times as lasting and crushing as the financial difficulties that occurred in 1907. What reason has the Democratic party to show that it has changed its essential nature in fifteen years?

Candidates Can't Aid in Campaign

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES ON PROVISION OF CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT

Special to the Times-Record.

Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 2.—No man who is a candidate for office or elected to office can contribute to his campaign fund and if he does he is subject to fine and imprisonment and expulsion from office.

Such is the substance of an opinion handed down by Attorney General Miller late this afternoon regarding that part of the corrupt practice act touching campaign contributions.

Candidates Seek Opinion.

Just what will be done by the general committee to obtain funds remains to be seen. The question had been put to the attorney general by a number of candidates who had been asked to contribute the usual amount to the expenses for carrying on a general campaign in the state. In closing his answer to the inquiry of the candidates, Mr. Miller says:

"In my opinion, the provision of the section so clearly and unqualifiedly prohibits any candidate or elected person from making any such payment, that there is no room for any other view. Section 13 makes anyone violating this section guilty of corrupt practices and section 19 provides that if any person is guilty of corrupt practices he should be punished and deprived of the office to which he is elected and under section 21 the punishment for violating this act is imprisonment for not more than six months or fine of \$1,000, or both.

Act is Radical.

"The entire act is most radical and sweeping and you are advised that a contribution such as you contemplate is in direct violation of that law and if prosecuted therefor you would be subject to the penalties above mentioned.

Minot Independent: L. B. Hanna will be North Dakotas next governor. Paste this statement up where you can read it the day after election. Mr. Hanna has the strongest personal following of any of the candidates and they will stick to him through thick and thin. No matter how many opponents take the field, it will be hard to divide his political friends.

Mandan merchants have started a "Patronize Home Industry" campaign, and are carrying interesting reading matter on the subject in big page advertisements in their local papers.

Interesting Report Of Board Meeting

LOCAL MEMBER RETURNS FROM MEETING OF WOMEN'S CLUBS EXECUTIVE BOARD.

Mrs. Frank White, who returned on Saturday evening from French Lick Springs, Ind., has the following interesting account to say about the executive meeting of the General Federation.

"Fifteen women from as many different states met at French Lick Springs hotel, in Indiana, to outline and organize the work of the Federation for the new administration elected at San Francisco.

"The first consideration was the location of the biennial, and Chicago was the victor. Next the council was secured by Washington, D. C. After this, the judicious selection of members to work in the various departments was no small task. A just distribution for most effective work was uppermost in the minds of all.

"North Dakota was fortunate in having representation in two departments, Miss Neilson in the Educational department, and Mrs. Hildreth, of Fargo in the Industrial and Social Conditions department.

"For the first time in the history of the Federation the Northwest has three members on the board of the General Federation of Women's Clubs: Mrs. W. P. Harper, of Seattle, who has been very active in club work in her state, and Mrs. Christie, of Butte, Mont., who came west in the early days from Scotland, and understands western problems, and Mrs. White of North Dakota.

"Partly on account of this representation and partly because the Northwest has not been in close touch with federation work, an effort was made to bring the 1913 Council to Valley City. While the efforts were not rewarded, it is hoped that by the time of the biennial, which meets in Chicago, federation spirit will have grown to such an extent in this part of the country that our invitation may be accepted for 1915.

"The council is an advisory body composed of officers, directors and department members, as well as the state presidents and secretaries. Such a meeting in our little city would have been a wonderful inspiration to the entire state. North Dakota has very few clubs belonging to the General Federation, and with Mrs. White as chairman of the membership committee for the ensuing two years, it is hoped the number may be increased.

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LOCAL MARKETS. (Prices paid to producers)

Poultry	
Spring chickens, per lb.	10c
Hens, per lb.	8c
Roosters, per lb.	8c
Ducks, per lb.	8c
Geese, per lb.	8c

Produce	
Butter, per lb.	30c
Eggs, per doz.	25c

Live Stock	
Veal, per lb.	4c to 6c
Steers, per lb.	3½c to 5½c
Cows, per lb.	3c to 5c
Hogs, per lb.	4c to 7c
Sheep, per lb.	1½c to 4c

Vegetables	
Potatoes, per bu.	30c
Cabbage, per lb.	1c
Turnips, per bu.	60c
Carrots, per bu.	90c
Beets, per bu.	60c
Onions, per bu.	\$1.00

COMMENT OF STATE PRESS

Mandan Republican: During the next two years North Dakota will have a splendid representation in the lower house of the national law making body. Norton, Young and Heigsen are all live wires. No state will have a more able and hard working delegation, and it is safe to say that North Dakota will get its full share of all the good things around during the next congress.

Mandan Pioneer: Nothing could better demonstrate the popularity of Hon. L. B. Hanna in western North Dakota than the reception he was given in Mandan. It took Mr. Hanna just an hour and a half to walk down two blocks of Main street Wednesday; everybody wanted to assure him of their loyal support in his candidacy for the governorship.

North Dakota Eagle: The candidacy of L. B. Hanna for governor is gaining strength every day, and especially since the state convention of the "progressives" when they made it so plain that Hanna is the man they are after. The nomination of Creegan, and later, when they found him disqualified, of Sweet to oppose him has been branded as "dirty politics" by all fair minded progressives in the state.

The St. Louis woman who found her missing husband and thereby lost \$2,000 insurance money, must have thought lots of things she deemed improper to say.



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