

THE CITY

Miss Ella Ihde of Fingal was shopping and visiting here today.

J. W. Saunders, of Lakota, was a business caller here yesterday.

G. W. Christie of St. Paul was a visitor at the Rudolf hotel today.

Harry Horwitz, of Fargo, transacted business here Wednesday.

F. O. Brewster, of Harvey, was calling on his friends here on Wednesday.

John Strom, of Dazey, mingled in business circles on Wednesday.

A. F. Smith of Hope was registered at the Rudolf Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Martinson, of Dazey, was shopping and visiting here on Wednesday.

Clyde E. Cooper, of Hillsboro, was a business caller here on Tuesday.

P. C. Peterson, of Carrington, transacted business here Wednesday.

James Wahlt, of Enderlin, mingled in business circles here Wednesday.

G. H. Knox, of Calgary, was a visitor at the Kindred hotel Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur, of Leal, was a shopper in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Annie Croonquist of Kensal, who is attending the Normal school, spent Sunday with the home folks.

A. M. Langley, of Hope, was transacting business here today.

Semore Grange returned today from a business trip to Pillsbury and Laverne.

Miss Hattie J. Smith of Pillsbury, is visiting with friends and shopping here today.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Pegg died yesterday, its little life lasting but one day. The funeral was held this afternoon at the residence.

Mrs. Roy Berry and daughter of Page are spending the week with the former's mother, Mrs. Smith.

All members both sustaining and active, of the Civic Improvement League are invited to attend the reception given in Miss Nelson's honor tomorrow evening in Odd Fellows hall.

Monday, November 18th, will be North Dakota Day at the Northwest Products Exposition, held at Minneapolis, where Commissioner Gilbreath is busily engaged at the present time arranging the best show the state ever had.

The store building formerly occupied by Witters Candy company is being redecorated and fixed up for Ole Gunderson, of Little Falls, Minnesota, who will put in an electric shoe repairing establishment.

Don't forget to call at the Valley City Furniture company this afternoon and tomorrow and look at the beautiful exhibit of 1,500 Nutting pictures and listen to the sweet strains of a four piece orchestra. W. A. Ball of Boston, will be in charge of the exhibit.

Mrs. G. C. Mudgett entertained at a family dinner today at her home on Eighth avenue, in honor of her son, C. F. Mudgett's birthday anniversary. Fragrant carnations were used in the table decorations and covers were laid for twelve. The hostess was assisted by Miss Maud Schroeder.

Several have made complaint because of the boys of the high school playing football on the streets. On Wednesday an old man was hit with the ball and knocked down, and while he was not seriously injured it ought to serve as a warning that the practice should be stopped.

E. C. Hilborn, the Northwest Nursery company man, returned Thursday morning from Canada, where he has been for some time looking after the delivery of several cars of trees that were sent up there earlier in the fall. He reports a good outlook for future business and says that the local nursery will be in line to secure a large share of the northwest business in future.

Congressman Geo. M. Young is in receipt of a letter from Edward H. Wright of South Bend, Wash., which conveys the news that Mr. Wright has been elected district judge. Judge Wright was for a number of years a practicing attorney in Valley City and Fargo, and was at one time a candidate for judge of the supreme court, and was recognized as one of the best lawyers in the state, and won many cases before the supreme court. His many friends here will be pleased to learn of the success of a former resident of Valley City.

It will be interesting news to the many friends and acquaintances over the state of M. H. Kiff of Tower City, to learn that on Wednesday, Nov. 6, he was married at Chicago, Ill., to Mrs. D. E. Simpson of Los Angeles, Cal. For many years Mr. Kiff has been identified with various reforms in the state and especially with the prohibition cause. Mr. and Mrs. Kiff will make their home in Los Angeles Cal.

The young people of the Scandinavian M. E. church had their regular meeting and program Nov. 8. After which it was turned into a surprise party for Mrs. and Miss Seeborg in which five churches were represented to greet Mrs. and Miss Seeborg, who were going to leave for Fargo. Her son, Arthur, has been sick for eight months, of which the last two months he has been at the St. Luke hospital at Fargo. We had a very nice time at the party and Mrs. Seeborg and family were presented with a large sum of money and sympathy from her many friends, for which she thanks them very much. We hope that Arthur will soon be well and strong again, and that they may soon come back to Valley City as was their intention.

That the Music club is doing especially good work this year was illustrated last evening at its guest night meeting at the home of Mrs. James Grady. They departed from their regular line of work of the study of Wagner and gave a Strauss evening for the guests' enjoyment. Miss Vognild in her portrayal of Tennyson's Enoch Arden delighted her hearers and showed a wonderful conception of the poem. Mrs. W. A. Gordon in her exquisite Strauss accompaniment made a beautiful setting for the reading. Preceding the reading Mrs. Gordon also gave a short paper on Strauss, describing his music. Prof. Froyasa in his violin solos of Hungarian dances, Miss Fjelde in piano selections, Mrs. Craswell in her solos of Indian selections and Miss Amidon in Gounod's Serenade solo, were very well received. The program was enjoyed by about 100 guests and was concluded with a pleasant social hour and refreshments.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Ray Bassett transacted business in Tower City Saturday.

Lee Combs returned this morning from Minneapolis where he has been on legal business.

LaMoure had a Corn and Potato contest last week that is reported to have been a hummer.

Mrs. Harry Bjerknes returned Tuesday after a several days visit with friends at Binford.

Mrs. Andrew Bonhus after a number of days visit with her sister in Binford, returned home yesterday.

Chester Tufford, a son of the editor of the Kensal Journal, was in town Tuesday between trains.

Frank Uim was taken to the Platon hospital Tuesday morning suffering with an attack of neuritis.

Water has been shut off several afternoons recently on account of repairs being made on the mains.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson, who have been the guests of friends here for the past three weeks, left Tuesday morning for their home in St. Paul.

Merchant O. Christopherson and Banker Nichols of Kensal, were in town yesterday on their way to Jamestown to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Waakhus, of Minneapolis, who have been giving concerts at different points in the state, spent Tuesday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Stahum.

Burl Carr has gone to Hunter Hot Springs, Montana, while Mrs. Carr is making a several weeks visit with her parents at Mankato.

E. W. Crooks, of the banking firm of More & Crooks, of Boone, Iowa, was a business caller here on Tuesday.

The Modern Woodman will meet on Friday evening, November 15th. All members wishing to transfer to new plans, come early and bring your old policies with you.

Mrs. W. C. Lyon entertained a number of ladies and gentlemen at a prettily appointed dinner on Tuesday evening at her home on West Fifth street. Mrs. Vermilya, wife of the new pastor of the Methodist church, was an honored guest. Chrys themums were used in decorations and the place cards were Japanese hand painted conceits. Covers were laid for twelve.

The members of the Congregational choir under the direction of Professor Knute Froyasa, are busy preparing the oratoria "St. Paul" by Felix Mendelssohn, which they expect to give some time the first of December.

The new dance of the season at Minot is called the "horse trot" while the very latest at Valley City is designated as the "Aviation glide," consisting of a series of swings and whirls and withal is a most graceful figure.

The trenches for the gas mains are almost completed and will when finished, be over four miles long. The work has been pushed rapidly and the gas company are fully complying with the conditions of the franchise.

Dr. Cook, who delivered an address at the armory last evening, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Allie Jeffrey while here. The doctor is an old friend of Mrs. Jeffrey's brother, W. A. Stickley of Bismarck.

Mr. Messer of the Valley City Furniture store has gotten out very artistic invitations to his patrons to attend the art exhibit of Nutting pictures on Thursday and Friday. Everyone is welcome to come and see the pictures and to bring any production of their own work.

Mrs. Carl J. Olson entertained a group of her friends this afternoon at her home on Helena avenue. The time was pleasantly passed in sewing and was concluded with a delightful luncheon.

Wm. O'Neil, formerly a homesteader in Svea township, was in town on Tuesday looking after the interests of a company for which he is now traveling. Mr. O'Neil sold his splendid farm when it was worth only about \$20 per acre, and now regrets very much having disposed of it.

Hon. Lee Combs returned last evening from the Twin Cities accompanied by his two little sons, Mrs. Combs, who went with him, the latter part of last week, will remain in Minneapolis for a few days visiting with her mother. While in Minneapolis, Mr. Combs looked over a large tract of iron land in which he has recently become interested.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

Mrs. Aaron Denstedt of Wimbledon is a visitor here today.

Hand picked Montana apples and pears \$1.25 per box at the Farmers Mercantile Company Store. (11-11-6-td)

Ernest Tarson of Enderlin was the week end guest of friends here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ailke of Belleville, Mich., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Doolittle.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pickett left this morning for Wimbledon to attend the funeral of John T. Hilborn which will take place today.

The Rex orchestra of four pieces will play at the Art Exhibit at the Valley City Furniture store Thursday and Friday.

The Ladies Guild of the Norwegian Danish Lutheran church meets next Thursday, Nov. 14th, in the church parlors. Refreshments served by Mrs. Martin Peterson. All are cordially welcome.

J. O. Doolittle returned yesterday from a two weeks trip around the state in the interest of the North Dakota Sunday School Union of which he is superintendent.

Mr. Messer of the Valley City Furniture store has decided to have an exhibition of the artistic work of local artists together with the Wallace Nutting exhibit. All those who are talented along those lines may place their productions at the store on Thursday and Friday free of charge.

John T. Hilborn, one of the pioneers of this county, and an uncle of E. C. Hilborn, of this city, died at his home in Wimbledon on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hilborn and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pickett were among those who left for Wimbledon this morning to attend the funeral which will be held today.

The Mystery of the Bridge of Notre Dame at the Rex Friday and Saturday was very good and gave excellent satisfaction. Monday and Tuesday of this week Mildred Holland is to be seen in The Power Behind the Throne. Also an educational picture called A Day on a Buffalo Farm, and a comedy, All a Mistake.

Mrs. J. B. Meyer who has been a guest at the home of her parents in Indiana for the past two months, returned home on Saturday.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

E. L. Pearsons of Leal was in town Sunday.

C. B. Hanson of Carrington was in town yesterday.

J. W. Hanson of Wimbledon spent Sunday in town.

Fred Mason of Leal visited with relatives here Sunday.

George Wellner visited in the city Sunday evening en route to his home in Carrington.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will meet on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Nels Johnson.

Ed. Mason, who has been at his ranch at Ft. Berthold for the past several months has returned home.

Miss Laura Livingstone came up from Tower City on Friday and spent Saturday with friends.

Mrs. Minnie Logan and Mrs. R. Logan were shopping and visiting in the city on Friday.

Mrs. C. Pollock and Mrs. M. N. Olson were visitors here Saturday from Fingal.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson and son Fred, were visiting and shopping here Saturday.

Martin Somdahl, who has been ill at the Platon hospital for the past five weeks, was seen on the streets today for the first time.

Mrs. Julia Wheeler is expected here on Wednesday from Chicago to spend several weeks at the home of her brother, Hon. Frank White.

W. H. Pray and son who have been in Kansas City for the past five weeks the guests of Mrs. Pray's parents, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Maud Gamble, who has been the guest of Miss Francis Moran for the past few days, left this morning for her home in Fargo. She was accompanied by Miss Moran, who will be her guest for several days.

Dr. and Mrs. Zimmerman were delightful hosts at their home on Normal Euclid avenue Saturday evening, when they entertained at a duck dinner. Covers were laid for twelve guests.

P. S. Scheffstad, Alfred Naves, O. L. Boden, C. S. Baistad, Andrew Neumsguard, B. O. Tjaskenstad and August Koomsan of Fingal were members of an automobile party which came down from Leal Sunday.

Clerk of Court E. L. Beaty and States Atty. C. B. Craven were in town Sunday on their way home from Jamestown, where they had taken the two holdup artists who killed a companion at Carrington. The two pleaded guilty before Judge Coffey and received 25 years each at hard labor.

Banker M. T. Rye of Monango, N. D., spent Sunday in town visiting friends and looking around with a possible view to future investments. While here he drove in the country and expressed himself as greatly pleased with the beautifully improved farms and buildings.

The newly organized Brick and Tile company which are starting the erection of their mammoth plant here are handicapped at the start by being unable to procure brick with which to erect the ovens, and it seems likely that the brick may have to be shipped from Austin, Minn., which is a rather long haul.

Editor Wm. McKean of Sanborn, is taking a well earned holiday today and visiting with his many friends in Valley City and incidentally looking after some business matter. Editor McKean expresses himself as well satisfied with the result of election as he says the democrats were bound to get to the feed sooner or later and it might as well be now as at any other time.

The members of the Women's clubs of the city have extended a cordial invitation to the Commercial club and their wives to be present at the reception given to Miss Minnie Nielson, the new state president of the Federated clubs, on Friday evening, in Odd Fellow hall.

Miss Nan L. Milder arrived in the city yesterday from Philadelphia and spent a number of hours between the trains en route to McClusky where she is going to conduct institute work in Sheridan county. She will also have charge of institutes in Foster, Stutsman, Griggs and LaMoure counties. Miss Milder will be in the city the first of December and will conduct the Short Course of Teachers Institute in Barnes county. She has many friends and is well known, as she was here for six weeks last summer in charge of the primary work at the Normal school.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

P. J. Bleeker of Bismarck was here yesterday.

Correspondents wanted. Write this paper.

S. H. Wilson of Bottineau is in town today on a business mission.

J. H. Hittsman of Carrington spent the day in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Valle of Courtenay were in the city last night.

Miss Frances Moran is a visitor in Fargo this week.

Chief Swanson spent Thursday in Carrington on official business.

Hon. Geo. O. Goulet, of Oriska, is calling on his friends in the city today.

Oliver Knudson of Michigan, N. D., state bank examiner, is in town today on business.

Banker Paul Skjerseth of Courtenay is looking after some matters of business in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oglesby are in Leal this week completing threshing operations on their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Flohr of Wimbledon, are spending the day in town shopping and meeting friends.

W. J. Richie of Verdahl, N. D., is in town today greeting friends and attending to some matters of business.

J. R. Getchel returned today from Glendive, Mont., where he has been there last week on a land inspection trip.

Jack McDonald was hostess to a dinner to the Jolly Fellows Club at his home on Fourth avenue on Wednesday evening.

Postmaster M. N. Olson of Fingal was in town yesterday accompanied by his family. The trip was made in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Arleigh Miller are the proud parents of a fine ten pound baby girl born yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Platon hospital.

Hon. W. H. Mann, railroad commissioner, was a passenger on No. 7 this morning. He expressed himself as well pleased with the results of Tuesday's election.

H. W. Green of Leal, state committeeman from Barnes county, is spending the day in town visiting with his friends, and incidentally talking a little politics.

Dr. Van Houten, Joe Starke and Charles Lund returned on Friday from a week's hunt sixty miles south of here, with a good bag of gees and ducks.

Mrs. Geo. Grewcox has been the guest for the past week of Mrs. Paul T. Boleyn of First avenue north en route to her home at Brainerd, Minn., after spending the past few months at Valley City.—Fargo Forum.

The press gang is boosting Mrs. Alice Nelson Page, who has started an artistic job plant at Grand Forks under the name of the Page Printerie. Mrs. Page is an accomplished lady and thoroughly experienced along business lines. She will no doubt make a great success of the new venture.

Mrs. M. A. Nelson entertained at a very delightful party at her home on Fifth avenue yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Harry Bjerknes, of Minneapolis. Guests were bidden for four tables of "500" and Mrs. Ployhar carried off high honors, while Miss Henry was consoled with a drum with which she was told she could surely beat. At the conclusion of the games an elaborate course dinner was served. The guest of honor was also favored with a dainty gift.

W. T. Craswell, manager of the Independent Telephone company, states that he has had a number of inquiries in regard to a change in the residence telephone rates. There has apparently been some misunderstanding as the change of 50 cents in the business telephone rates will not be made until some time next summer, after the exchange is rebuilt; when the work of rebuilding is completed, the exchange will be modern and up-to-date in every particular. Some wires will be placed under ground, the balance in overhead cables, all poles will be put in their proper location, shaved and painted; the local lines will be made metallic, and selective ringing service installed in the city. The company will expend from \$15,000 to \$18,000 in improvements. Selective ringing service will mean that on the party lines, one party will not be disturbed by the rings for the other party on the line.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

C. A. Jones came in from Eckelson last night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Paulson of Fingal are in town today.

R. P. Sherman of Tower City is transacting business in town today.

Merchant N. J. Nelson and wife of Dazey are spending the day in town.

Mrs. Woodworth, mother of Mrs. W. A. Gordon, is visiting with relatives in St. Paul.

Carl Hagen of Nome was in town yesterday meeting friends.

Hon. W. A. Stutsman the state railroad commissioner is registered at the Hotel Rudolf.

George M. Young now has a plurality in Barnes county of 1,043 which is a pretty good showing.

Chester Smith, who broke his leg in an accident some time in the fore part of September, is now able to be around on crutches.

Capt. James M. Hanley, former speaker of the house, and senator-elect from Morion county, is renewing acquaintances in town today.

Twin girls were born at Riverside hospital yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Stillman, of Oriska. All concerned doing nicely.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. Witson has been quarantined on account of the illness of two of the younger members of the family with scarlet fever.

Miss Helen Yagge, the milliner who has been with Miss Sargent for some time, left the first of the week for her home in Canada.

Dan Greenen of Kensal, has purchased a home in Valley City and will undoubtedly move here with his family at an early date.

It is reported that Sam Clark, who is the publisher of Jim Jam News, a rather dirty publication, that is printed at Bismarck, is in Fargo before the federal grand jury.

J. A. Kampen of Cooperstown was a Griggs county citizen who was enjoying the beauties of Valley City on Thursday.

The many friends of Mrs. Gabriel Berg, who has been confined at the Platon hospital, will be pleased to learn that she is now able to sit up.

Martin Somdahl, who has been ill at the Platon hospital for the past five weeks is much better and will be able to return home very soon.

Lynn Foster is a caller here today. He says that they are now nicely located at Grand Forks for the winter, and Roland is a student at the University of N. D.

Dickey county split on the ticket and elected a democrat for county superintendent, who is a lady, and the tallest one in the state and the same that christened the battleship, North Dakota—Miss Mary Flemmington.

The Women's clubs of the city are making elaborate preparations for a reception to be given to Miss Minnie Nielson the newly elected president of the state federation, on Friday of next week in the Odd Fellows hall.

Al Hendrickson, the popular pharmacist at the Dakota Drug company, who has been ailing for some time, went to Fargo the first of the week to consult a prominent specialist, and since his return home has been confined to his bed.

Supt. Miss Mary Cain, of Carrington, Supt. I. A. Kampen of Cooperstown and Miss Mary McGinnis, of Jamestown, are here today in conference with Supt. Minnie J. Nielson in regard to a teachers' institute to be held some time later.

Pres. John H. Worst of Fargo, Hon. E. J. Taylor of Bismarck, Pres. Frank L. McVey of Grand Forks, Pres. A. G. Kingsford of Ellendale, and Pres. A. G. Crane of Minot were here last evening in connection with the meeting of the temporary educational commission.

Officers of the local lodge of Elks wish it stated that the semi-monthly dancing parties to be given during the winter are for Elks exclusively, or for prospects who have signified their intention of becoming candidates by making the usual application. These dances are strictly not for the general public.

The Times Record wants a correspondent in every neighborhood in the county. Write in for supplies or call at the office.