

### Barnes County Mutual Makes Good Showing

MANY NEW MEMBERS JOIN AND LARGE AMOUNT OF NEW INSURANCE IS IN FORCE.

On Tuesday the 7th of January, 1913, the board of directors of The Barnes County Farmers Mutual Insurance Company of Valley City, N. D., held its regular stated meeting at the home office of the company at which time Secretary W. W. Smith submitted his annual report for the year 1912 showing the condition of the affairs of the company as follows:

By cash on hand December 31st, 1911.....\$ 6,702.28  
By cash from all sources in 1912..... 12,041.24

Total receipts for 1912 \$ 18,743.52  
Less losses and other disbursements in 1912.....\$ 12,308.80

By cash on hand December 31st, 1912.....\$ 6,439.72  
Policy Exhibit:

Insurance in force December 31st, 1911.....\$2,495,930.00  
Insurance written in 1912 670,810.00

\$3,166,740.00  
Less insurance expired and renewed in 1912.. 529,185.00

Net total insurance in force December 31, 1912.....\$2,637,555.00

During the year 1912 the company had 29 loss claims filed, all of which have been adjusted and settled and the net increase in insurance written during 1912 was \$141,625.00, making a total of over two and one-half million dollars in force December 31st, 1912. 56 new members joined and took out insurance in the company in 1912, and nearly \$10,000.00 was paid out in loss claims.

Since the company was organized in 1895 there has been but eight assessments levied, and during the past six years it has paid losses amounting to over \$27,000.00.

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### BERG NAMED BY HANNA AS ADJUTANT GENERAL

Bismarck, Jan. 11. Governor Hanna yesterday appointed I. A. Berg, of Grand Forks to the rank of Adjutant General of the North Dakota National Guard, succeeding W. C. Truemann, of Lisbon, who was retired with the rank of major general.

Major Steadman of Bismarck was reappointed by the governor as military secretary.

Mr. Berg has been affiliated with the state militia almost continuously since 1888, when he became a member of Company F of Grand Forks and he is one of its best known officers. Five years after he enlisted he was promoted to captain and quartermaster of the regiment and went to the Philippines as lieutenant in regular army service. While in service in the islands he was made captain commanding Company G of Valley City and in 1900 he was made major, serving in that position ten years, two years ago he advanced to the office of lieutenant colonel.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the third annual meeting of the stockholders of the Right Price Mercantile Co., will be held at the office of the Company in Valley City, North Dakota, in Robt. Anderson's store building on the third Tuesday in January, being Jan. 21, 1913, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of selecting directors for the ensuing year and for doing of any business that may be properly transacted by the stockholders.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1912. CHAS. L. PETERSON, Sec.  
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### ...Public School Notes...

#### High School.

Cuyler Anderson of class '12, gave a splendid talk on "The University," Monday morning.

William Clark entered school Monday.

Edwin Bjerke entered school on Tuesday.

County Superintendent Minnie Nielson gave a splendid talk to the High school students Wednesday morning on "The Tuskegee Institute."

Mertice Aldahl, a former student of our High school who is attending school in Long Beach, Cal., won a prize of a school pin for writing the best school song. She will return in the spring and take up her studies here.

Two basketball games will take place Saturday, January 11, in the Armory, Valley City High school vs. Courtenay High school and the Oriska Congregational Brotherhood vs. the High school faculty. Fine games are anticipated.

The buildings were all cleaned and fumigated during vacation.

The teachers and students are all back and working hard after their pleasant vacation.

The total High school enrollment has reached 180. The last seat in the Assembly room is full.

Mr. Ebersold's drawing class has grown so large that new quarters have to be sought outside of the building.

The High school manual training classes are crowded to their utmost capacity.

#### Lincoln School.

Mabel Bartholomew, Rhea and Lewis Stephenson entered the fifth grade on Monday.

Helen Benson entered the fourth grade on Monday.

Robert and Louis Nell entered the sixth grade on Monday.

The first grade pupils have the flag for best attendance and punctuality and are very proud of the fact that they can begin the new year with that honor.

In spite of the cold weather every one of the first grade pupils are back in their places this week.

Work has begun since the holidays with a vim and it is either good resolutions or cold weather which spurs them on.

Carl Olsby has been unable to return to school as yet, on account of a broken leg, which occurred shortly before Christmas while skiing.

Little Manly Olsby who was shot during vacation is still quite ill, but we hope he will soon be able to return to school.

Delbert McKay, Violet Taylor and Singe Trostad have been unable to return to school since vacation on account of chicken pox.

#### Ritchie School.

Clara Nearing, Gladys Pratte, Anna Walsh and Roy Yule entered the B first grade on Monday.

Jeanette Westergaard and Matilda Hovelson were promoted from the second to the third grade.

James Galloway is detained at home by quarantine.

#### nishees. Court case.

Charlie Jearn vs. Sam Blank. Jury case.

Ida M. Mitchell vs. S. H. Root. Jury case.

Mons Hanson vs. Sam Blank. Jury case.

F. B. Mason vs. Morris Wilson. Court case.

S. C. Satre vs. Frank Flora. Jury case.

Henry H. Jack vs. George McCarthy and Tom Gale. Jury case.

Melvina Lee vs. Anton Lee. Court case.

Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co. vs. W. R. Hampson. Settled.

Mabel Lampman vs. H. C. Stenshoel, sheriff. Jury case.

State of North Dakota vs. A. R. Smith. Did not appear in court, bail forfeited.

State of North Dakota vs. A. H. Kuhry. Jury trial.

State of North Dakota vs. Al. Siverston. Settled in court.

State of North Dakota vs. Lava Stevens. Passed at present.

State of North Dakota vs. J. J. Scoular. Settled in court.

State of North Dakota vs. Fred Hudson. Dismissed.

State of North Dakota vs. A. A. Morrison. Plead guilty, sentenced to 90 days and \$200 fine.

State of North Dakota vs. Frank Fisher. Jury case for trial.

State of North Dakota vs. William Ray Johnson. To have trial in Fargo.

### District Court Grind Continues

MANY CASES SETTLED OUT OF COURT—JURY TRIAL ON TODAY—E. S. DELANCEY DEFENDANT.

(From Friday's Daily)

Court is occupied today with the case of W. E. Pritchard and Martin C. Dodgson vs. E. S. DeLancey. The other cases have been disposed of as follows:

J. S. Shinner vs. The Northern Pacific Ry. Co. Continued.

The J. R. Watkins Medical Co. vs. Dan Wilson et al. Continued.

Henry W. Guck vs. C. J. Lee. Continued.

Goran Johnson vs. Chas. Brandenburg and Harry McCoy. Continued.

Anton Mott vs. Frank Towne. Settled.

Frank Flora vs. Axel Nelson. Jury case No. 1 to be tried.

Otilde Mortenson vs. John Mortenson. Continued.

G. D. Montgomery vs. J. E. Solomon, et al. For jury trial.

Fred A. Stearns vs. Carl Morndi. Continued.

State of North Dakota ex-rel A. P. Paulson, vs. Rudolf Geselius and George Russell. Continued.

State of North Dakota ex-rel A. P. Paulson vs. Anna E. Hervey and A. R. Smith. Continued.

State of North Dakota ex-rel A. P. Paulson vs. Roderick Loverin and Curley Barton. Dismissed.

C. F. Klaus vs. C. F. Luessen. Continued.

Paul Reck vs. Tillie Reck. Court case passed at present.

Trimble-Winton Lumber Co. vs. John Nelson, et al. Court case.

Farmers Co-operative Elevator Co. vs. William H. Flory. Jury case.

Louis Grommish vs. Lesa Grommish. Court case, passed at present.

Sam Blank vs. Harris Aronson. Jury case.

Mark Paine Lumber Co., vs. Sam Blank. Settled.

W. J. Curren vs. A. P. Peake et al. Settled.

P. O. Peterson vs. Nome Grain Co. Jury case.

Harris Aronson vs. E. H. Briggs. Court case.

Anethe Elsie Lokken, as administratrix of the estate of Andrew J. Lokken, deceased vs. The First National Bank of Nome. Jury case on demurrer.

W. E. Pritchard and Martin C. Hodgson vs. E. S. DeLancey. For trial.

Dora M. Divine vs. Helen C. Kelly. Continued over term.

Andrew Zacharias vs. Hannah Zacharias. Court case.

Frank Schmidt vs. Will Nelson. Jury case.

Fosston Manufacturing Co. vs. Sanborn Elevator Co. Jury case.

Conrad Haupt vs. George Dotting as administrator of the estate of Jacob Haupt deceased. Jury case.

Oswal O. Wagley vs. Dakota Mutual Life Insurance Co. Case settled by stipulation.

Anderson Clothing Co. vs. Sophia Lampman and Clifford Lampman defendants and Stroud Hollinshead, et al. garnishees. Jury case.

Frank Flora vs. John Minnaugh, defendant and W. R. Barnes et al, gar-

# Real Estate Bargains

## BARNES COUNTY FARMS FOR SALE

Cheaper Western Land on Crop Payment

### FARMS FOR SALE

#### Farm for Sale.

No. 16—The E. 1-2 of Sec. 24-139-61, Barnes county. This is a good farm 280 acres under cultivation and in crop this year. 33 acres pasture, good six room house, good well, wind mill, some smaller buildings and a barn 26x52 with 12 ft. posts. This farm will be sold if taken soon for \$40 per acre on reasonable terms. Inquire of the E. D. Lum Land Co., of Valley City or write the owner T. B. Swartout, Sanborn, N. D.

#### Bargain in Adams County.

No. 1—Three unimproved quarters in Adams county at \$20 and one highly improved quarter at \$30. It will be worth while to look this up if interested and owner might take quarter near Valley City as part payment.

#### A Dickey County Section.

No. 2—320 acres highly improved Dickey county farm only one mile from two roads. This is a splendid farm and is under a high state of cultivation and only a half mile from town. Owner might take income property as part payment.

#### Half Section in Dickey County.

No. 3—This is a beautiful well improved half section with ten acres of beautiful grove. Large barn and will make a splendid farm. One-half summer fallowed. This land is only three miles from Monango and can be bought for \$50 per acre and owner might take a stock of merchandise as part payment.

#### Kensal Farms for Sale.

No. 4—Two splendid highly improved farms adjoining the village of Kensal will be sold at a bargain and owners will take in Valley City residences as part payment.

#### Barnes County Bargain.

No. 5—Fine highly improved farm at \$40 and owner will take Valley City residence property as first payment.

#### Big Snap in Dickey.

No. 6—For a few days only we have three quarters of improved land in Dickey county at \$15,000. This is a money maker. Easily handled.

#### Western Land.

No. 7—We have about 15,000 acres of land along the Soo line west of Bismarck that we can sell at ridiculously low prices. The land is 90 per cent tillable and will be good stock and grain farm.

#### Fine Barnes County Quarter.

No. 8—This is a beautiful piece of land mostly fenced, partly under plow and with a good grove of natural timber. River cuts in so that there is always water. Barn but no house. This is a splendid farm on which to make a permanent home only five miles from Valley City. Price \$6,700.

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#### Barnes County Half Section.

No. 9—This fine improved farm is only two miles from market and is the best of land. Only \$8,200. Small payment.

#### 160 Acres for City Property.

No. 14—Good quarter section of South Dakota land to exchange for a good home in Valley City. Farm with some improvements and all clear.

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No. 10—Splendid improved farm with good building and grove only two miles from market and in a splendid neighborhood. This will be sold on very easy terms. This is an ideal farm. Terms made known on application. Small cash payment will handle.

### EXCHANGES

#### Land to Exchange.

No. 13—Fine quarter in Mountrail county to exchange, all clear, for city property. This is wild land but good quality.

### RENTALS

We also have several bargains in town and city property as well as a few good houses to rent. If you wish to rent a house or wish to secure a tenant for a house it will be worth while to see us.

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#### Four Room Cottage.

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### MISCELLANEOUS

#### Real Estate Mortgage.

No. 68—Mortgage of \$350 to exchange for Automobile. Eight per cent interest and perfectly good paper. Don't bother to mention junk. Can put in some cash.

#### Farm Wanted.

No. 69—Iowa party will exchange real estate, splendid clothing stock and stock in a brick and tile plant to the amount of \$40,000 for land and will put in cash if needed to swing big deal. This stock is first class in an established and paying business and the other property is first class and has been held by present owner for years.

#### Hardware and Farm Implements

No. 42—For Sale: \$13,000 hardware and implement stock in Bowman county. This is a well established paying business and will make money for the buyer. Ask for full particulars.

#### Machine Shop and Implements.

No. 43—This is a good machine shop in a good town in Dickey county. Good chance for machinist who is a live wire.

#### General Store.

No. 46—A well established General Store in good town will be sold or will exchange for farm. This is a well kept stock and will bear the strictest investigation. Exceptionally good chance for man to engage in good business.

#### Some Bargains.

No. 15—Fifteen lots in Riverside Park Addition and eight lots in Normal Park Addition. Prices and terms upon application. Some Excellent opportunities.

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