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NORTH DAKOTA MILITIA ARE GOING TO INTERNATIONAL RIFLE MATCH

National Match To Be Held September 1st---Forty Nations Are To Be Represented ---In World Meet.

Range Officer T. S. Henry is in receipt of an order from Gen. Headquarters National Guards, Bismarck and left Saturday for Fargo where he will meet the other men who are to take part in the National matches at Camp Perry, Ohio.

September 1st the International Rifle Match will be held at the same place and the National team will then shoot with the teams of forty other nations. The men from this state will be absent about a month.

The following named officers and enlisted men of the First Infantry, North Dakota National Guard will constitute the North Dakota Rifle team and will represent the state in the National matches and other matches to be held at Camp Perry, Ohio, for the current year.

Major Dana Wright, 1st Infantry.
Captain Jas. D. Gray, Co. H.
Lieutenant C. N. Barker, Co. K.
Lieutenant A. E. Whitney, Co. D.
Sergeant R. B. Lee, Co. K.
Sergeant J. J. Engbrecht, Co. K.
Sergeant Walter C. Constant, Co. H.
Sergeant Andrew Erdahl, Co. K.
Sergeant W. K. Trueman, Co. C.
Sergeant John Brien, Co. C.
Sergeant Ray Nowlin, Co. H.
Sergeant Clay Anderson, Co. C.
Sergeant Wilfred Stiles, Co. F.
Private Frank Davis, Co. C.

Private P. E. Glass, Co. E.
The following team officers are here by designated and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Captain—E. C. Gearey, Jr., captain, inspector small arms practice.
Coach—L. R. Baird, 1st Lieut.
Range Officers—T. S. Henry, 1st Lieut.; G. A. Fraser, captain.

Spotter—B. C. Boyd, captain.
All officers and enlisted men will assemble at Fargo, N. D., Saturday, August 9th; leave Fargo, N. D., via the Great Northern Railway Saturday at 11:20 p. m.; arrive at St. Paul, Minn., Sunday, August 10th, at 7:20 a. m.; leave St. Paul Sunday, August 10th, at 8:40 a. m., via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway; arrive at Chicago, Ill., Sunday evening, August 10 at 9:10; leave Chicago, Ill., via Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway at 11:30 p. m. Sunday, arriving at La-Carne, Ohio, Monday, August 11th at 5:20 a. m.

First class transportation will be furnished from Fargo N. D. to Camp Perry, Ohio. The team will be dismissed at the conclusion of the national match and each member will be paid in cash, per diem, commutation of rations, railroad fare and pullman accommodations from Camp Perry to home station by most direct route of travel.

Border Cities Fight For Equal Rates

GRAND FORKS AND OTHER TOWNS WOULD CORRECT DIFFERENCES ARISING FROM MINNESOTA DECISION.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 8.—Application for the equalization of freight rates to Grand Forks, based on the rate into East Grand Forks as fixed by the recent Minnesota rate decision has been made by Grand Forks shippers, who, in the meantime, will take advantage of the lower rates effective to Minnesota by having all shipments directed there. In East Grand Forks, as a result of the rate decision, heavy increases in freight receipts, at the expense of Grand Forks, are anticipated. Under the readjusted rate, wide differences in the shipping cost to the two cities will prevail. On first-class shipments the present rate is 67 cents into Grand Forks and 61 cents into East Grand Forks. A new rate will be effective to Grand Forks Aug. 20, being 3 cents under the present rate, but it still leaves a spread of 4 cents.

On second-class freight, the old rate to both cities was 57 cents. To east Grand Forks the new rate is 50 cents, while the third-class rate into East Grand Forks has been reduced from 44 to 40 cents.

The spread in coal rates is especially great, being 43 cents a ton on soft coal, and it would total \$17.80 on the average carload of coal.

Prior to the Minnesota rate decision the rates of the two cities were identical, but under the new rates, East Grand Forks has far the best of it. Grand Forks wholesalers are putting on extra teams to haul their shipments across the river and thus save the rate.

The Grand Forks Commercial Club is also investigating the situation, and Secretary C. W. Graves is now on an eastern trip, the purpose of which is to make arrangements for a study of local traffic conditions. He probably will engage a traffic expert and a transportation department for the Commercial club will be created.

Wahpeton and Fargo are in the same position as Grand Forks, shipments into Breckenridge and Moorhead being lower than to the Dakota cities. Those cities also will work with Grand Forks in an effort to place the North Dakota cities on an equal basis with the Minnesota border cities.

Announcement has been made that the Dawson Press would move to Pettibone at once. From which it would seem that Dawson is not able to properly support the press.

I. M. Lee, of Nome was here yesterday.

Fight Waged Over Fargo Post Office

NORTH DAKOTA SENATORS OPPOSE REMOVAL OF H. C. PLUMLEY FROM POSITION

Washington, Aug. 11.—Most of the North Dakota congressional delegation have started another fight against the postoffice department in the case of H. C. Plumley, postmaster at Fargo. About ten days ago the department requested Plumley to resign, but he would not do so until he had information whether any charges were made against him. The North Dakota senators took the matter up with the department and went over the record on the case and discovered nothing against Plumley's efficiency as a postmaster.

They assert, however, that the resignation of Plumley was requested because of some articles printed in the Fargo Forum in the campaigns of 1908 and 1910 attacking Governor John Burke, and that the attempt to get Plumley out of office may be laid at Governor Burke's door.

Plumley was manager of the Forum in the years named, although he stated to the postoffice inspectors, who made an inspection of his office, that he was not in active charge of the paper. The North Dakota senators have advised Plumley not to resign and have served notice on the postoffice department that, if a democrat is named as postmaster at Fargo, the nomination will be held up indefinitely.

Young Boy Killed Unloading Hay

Maddock, N. D., Aug. 12.—Joseph Kirkeby, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Kirkeby, was killed while hauling hay to the farm. When going down a small hill the ring in one end of the neck yoke broke and the weight of holding the load was placed on one horse. The boy pluckily managed to drive the team to the foot of the hill in safety and when in view of his parents and while stopping to unhitch the team the boy was kicked in the abdomen, dying almost instantly. The boy was one of the best liked fellows in the community, having an unusual physique for one of his age.

Pollock, S. D.—Alice Louise, the 4-year-old daughter of Clarence Slater, living near here, was burned to death in a barn which was accidentally set on fire by an elder brother while the two children were playing with matches.

Miss Merritt of Grand Forks is spending the week here visiting friends.

Railroads Offer Liberal Prizes for Agricultural Exhibits

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 11.—It is a pleasure to announce that the railroads are co-operating with us in our efforts to make the Third North Dakota Industrial Exposition a decided success. These respective railroads have advised the management that they will each give \$300 for the best and most artistically arranged exhibit consisting of grains, grasses, seeds and other farm products made by any county in the state, through which their line of road passes in North Dakota. These prizes will be divided as follows:

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. (\$300 in Gold)—First prize \$150; second prize \$100; third prize \$50.

Northern Pacific. (\$300)—First prize \$150; second prize \$100; third prize \$50.

Soo Railroad. (\$300)—First prize, \$150; second prize \$100; third prize \$50.

Each county will be permitted to select the railroad prize for which it desires to compete, when two or more railroads enter the same county.

Trusting that you will see the value and importance of your county making an exhibit and competing for one of these prizes, I am

Yours truly,
W. C. Gilbreath,
Commissioner.

Safe Blown and Store Robbed at Fingal

GENERAL STORE OF K. S. RAMSETT BURGLARIZED—ROBBERS SECURE \$130.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Chief of Police Swanson was called about 1 o'clock this morning and notified to be on the lookout for four men who were suspected of having broken into the general store of Hon. K. S. Ramsett of Fingal, blown the safe and secured \$130 in cash.

Four men who had been noticed loafing around the streets were suspected of the crime, and a fairly good description of them given to the officers who have since been watching all trains and the roads for the suspected men.

Fargo, N. D.—Pete Wysz and John Charles were arrested last night by Officers Overby and Maloney on the charge of robbery. Joe Miller said he went down to the river yesterday afternoon with these two men and while there he went to sleep. When he awakened his watch and about \$15 were gone, also the two men. His pockets had been cut and all of his possessions taken. He spent the rest of the afternoon looking for the men and succeeded in locating them on the Moorhead side of the river late in the evening. He watched for some time and followed them back to Fargo, where he had them arrested.

LITTLE CHANGE IN SITUATION AT MINOT; I. W. W. MEN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED ROBBERY

A Few Additional Arrests Made---Reinforcements Reported To Be On Way From Chicago.

Fargo police had their first clash with I. W. W. workers last night when J. Phyllips and Frank West were arrested on a charge of robbery. The men were caught near the stockyards in the act of attempting to rob Paul Brasher, a harness maker, according to witnesses. One of the men held the victim down, while the other "went through him," it is said. The two men arrested carried I. W. W. union cards.

MINNEAPOLIS SENDS MEMBERS TO MINOT.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 12.—Seventy-five members of the I. W. W. left Minneapolis for Minot, N. D., last night to help defend the members engaged in warfare against the authorities. According to Charles E. Berg, in charge of the headquarters of the Workers.

More left late last night he says.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 12.—Only five more men were arrested last night in minor I. W. W. disturbances about the city. Jack Allen, one of the I. W. W. leaders, was arrested last night at the Soo railroad depot. The police and deputies have the situation in control tonight and no serious rioting has occurred.

Found Few More.
Three hundred more I. W. W. members were reported to be at the stock

yards today, but when the chief of police and sheriff went there with a posse only a few men were found. It is believed that if others were there they were frightened away.

The city is quiet tonight, although crowds of men are roaming the streets looking for excitement. Many I. W. W. members are reported coming but the authorities are skeptical and doubt if many will come.

Secure Counsel

Prisoners in the county jail were before Judge Murray of the county court. They were granted a continuance until Monday to give them time to secure counsel from Chicago. Each one demanded a jury trial. City jail prisoners will be given a hearing before Justice of the Peace John Lynch tomorrow morning.

Official in Jail

Jack Law, I. W. W. speaker, who was egged Saturday night, was let out on bond tonight. Commissioner Dewey Dorman and Art Leueur, former mayor of Minot, both socialists are still in jail, having turned down the opportunity to bail themselves out.

The city looks as though a carnival were in progress with crowds on the streets. Many I. W. W. speakers are standing quietly about the corners. Over 100 men are in the jails now and they continue singing and shouting.

POLICE LABOR RIOT AT MINOT; STATE MILITIA MAY BE CALLED OUT

Jails Full---145 Under Arrest Including a Former Mayor---City Official Under Arrest---Men Refuse to Work in Harvest Fields.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 11.—One hundred and forty-five men, including a former mayor of the city, are under arrest as the result of riots this afternoon and evening instigated by speakers for the Industrial Workers of the World.

At a late hour tonight the disturbances of the day had quieted but the opposing factions in the labor war which is in progress are preparing to renew the struggle tomorrow.

Unable to cope with the rioters alone the police have sworn in many additional officers and were forced to call upon the sheriff of the county and the city fire department for additional help. At a conference of the city officials tonight it was decided to send out an appeal for the state militia if the disturbance continues unchecked.

The I. W. W. leaders here have wired St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and other cities for reinforcements and declare that the present agitation will be continued. More leaders of the I. W. W. army are being rushed here and will arrive tomorrow.

Citizens are incensed as the result of insults which have been heaped upon the American flag and prominent citizens.

The authorities are taking every precaution to prevent bloodshed. It is declared that many of the citizens as well as the agitators are armed and serious trouble is feared.

Dewey Dorman, city street commissioner and a prominent socialist, and Arthur Leseur, former mayor of the city, and a socialist prominent in state politics, were arrested by the police tonight when they attempted to address a mob which gathered upon the streets. Both men are being held in the city jail without bonds.

Jack Law, a speaker for the I. W. W., was arrested with a large number of his followers last night after they had clashed with a crowd of citizens. Law and his followers were pelted with rotten eggs from the top of the Hotel Leland.

A. C. Olander, cigar manufacturer, and Dank Greenleaf, lawyer, were mobbed Friday night. They attempted to interfere with a meeting of the agitators which was being held on the streets.

A woman whose name could not be learned attempted to make a speech on the streets here tonight and was howled down by a mob of socialists and Industrial Workers. The police interfered in the disturbance and took many of the crowd into custody.

The agitators have also influenced many of the men engaged in the paving work and sewer building to quit work and to sell the ranks of the unemployed.

Farmers are offering \$3 a day for work in the fields but the I. W. W. agitators demand from \$3.50 to \$4 and are trying to hold their forces together to compel the farmers to assent to their terms.

The city has a great problem on hand in the attempt to take care of the prisoners. The jails are filled to overflowing while the trouble is growing more acute. Tonight a crowd of

of angry citizens made a raid upon the fire station in an attempt to secure the city hose and turn streams of water upon the I. W. W. workers. They were prevented from carrying out their purpose.

Local socialists are very bitter over the arrest of Street Commissioner Dorman, ex-Mayor Leseur and other prominent socialists. There is also a great deal of feeling against the men and it is rumored that a petition will be circulated for the recall from the commission of Dorman.

Although more I. W. W. workers are arriving on every train the police with the assistance of the county officers and special deputies, are making arrests whenever a pretext warrants.

Robbery Reported Last Night at Late Hour

CHIEF SWANSON AND OFFICER KING WORKING ON CASE.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

About 11 o'clock last evening Chief of Police Swanson was notified that two men giving the name of Robert Buypuy and Clifford Hipse both transient harvest hands hailing from Chicago, had been held up and relieved of \$32 by two armed men at a point on the Soo right of way about a mile and a half west of North Valley City.

The chief accompanied by Deputy Sheriff King left at once in an automobile for the scene of the holdup but arrived too late to catch the men, who sheltered by the darkness had made good their escape. The officers are still working on the case, but the chances of getting the robbers are not good as there are so many strange men about at this time.

Old Man Found Dead On Prairie

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 12.—The dead body of Leon Steffler, aged 70, who had been making his home with a daughter, Mrs. M. J. Tapley of this city and who had wandered away from home during a temporary absence of the latter, was found about two miles south of here by a searching party composed of 22 men from Company K.

E. G. WANNER, SECRETARY BOARD OF CONTROL IN CITY.

E. G. Wanner arrived in town this morning from Bismarck and will be here a couple of days looking after private business matters. Mr. Wanner states that the family are well and that they like Bismarck very much and that he is well pleased with the work that he is doing.

Miss Florence Lavery left last night for Jamestown where she will spend a few days visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Fritz Kulewatz.

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