

# THE CITY

## MONDAY'S DAILY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1915.

E. D. Lum is spending the day in Minnesota. He will return tonight.

Mrs. E. A. Pray has issued invitations for a Valentine party to be given at her home on Fifth Avenue this evening. The party is given in honor of the "Doctor" who once a year, through his wife, entertains his friends in this manner.

C. W. Athey of the North Dakota Mutual Insurance Co., of Grand Forks is in the city today on business connected with his company.

E. C. Hilborn of the Northwest Nursery Company left last night for Aberdeen, S. D., where he will give an address before a farmers meeting. He expects to be gone for several days.

The University Glee Club of Grand Forks will pass through the city tomorrow morning on No. 7 on their way to Bismarck, Dickinson and other points west, where they will give a series of concerts. With them are two Valley City boys, Bryan Clark and Lloyd Witter. Bryan Clark is the comedian of the Glee Club and it is needless to tell Valley City people any more as they all know Bryan.

Mrs. P. H. Healy was a passenger to Jamestown yesterday morning where she spent the day visiting friends, returning to Valley City today.

Miss Jeanette House, a student at the State Normal school is spending today, and enjoying the Monday vacation with friends at Spiritwood.

Miss Grace Ellis, who is a student at the State University at Grand Forks has been spending the past few days here and visiting over Sunday at her home in the city, and enjoying a short vacation period.

Mrs. A. R. Miller was hostess to the

members of the Bridge Club on Thursday evening, at the apartments in the Sheyenne Flats. Two tables of Bridge Whist were played during the evening and refreshments were served following the card games.

The members of the H. S. Birthday Club will meet on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence Isaacson, and will entertain in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Isaacson. A dinner will be served at 6:30, and the remainder of the evening will be spent at cards.

Col. A. P. Peake left last evening for the Twin Cities, where he will attend to matters of business.

Miss Mabel Winkler entertained a few friends yesterday afternoon, who were invited in for six o'clock supper. Covers were laid for eight and music was enjoyed during the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Mary Yule, of Rogers, who has been visiting her son and family at Tappen, N. D., returned to Valley City Saturday, and visited over Sunday here at the Herbert Weston home. Mrs. Yule was a passenger to her home at Rogers this morning.

The Parent-Teachers meeting at the Ritchie school, which was to have been held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, will be postponed until Thursday afternoon at the same hour, in the Eighth grade room of the Ritchie building. Miss Foote will talk at the meeting, Thursday, and a group of children from the Fifth Grade will sing. Nancy Featherstone and Virginia Bailey will also sing a duet.

Miss Clara Aldahl was hostess to a group of friends Saturday evening at her home 1103 West Front street. Fifteen guests were bidden, and sewing and music passed the evening in a most pleasant way. A group of piano selections were rendered by Miss Phyllis Baker, and Miss Mertice Aldahl assisted in the entertaining by giving two readings. The evening closed with the serving of dainty refreshments.

Miss Mayme Brady, the nurse, who has been spending the past few months in Fargo, has decided to return to make Valley City her home again, and is expected to return to the city this evening. Miss Brady will make her home with Mrs. Carl Myhre on Fourth Avenue North.

Arleigh Miller of the First National bank force returned home this morning from Minneapolis. Mr. Miller went down to the Twin Cities on Friday evening and spent Saturday and Sunday, returning home last night.

Schools will close on Friday of this week for Lincoln's Birthday.

The well known quartet composed of F. V. Steele, now of Minneapolis, Mrs. Ernest R. Wright and Miss Jennie Champine of this city, and Henry Hougum of Moorhead, has been engaged to sing at the Valley City chautauqua, next July 4 and 5. The quartet falls on Sunday this year, and the quartet will probably give three programs that day, and two the following day. Mrs. F. M. Cleveland, of this city will be their accompanist.—Fargo Forum.

## TUESDAY'S DAILY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1915.

Editor Leo Ratcliff of Dazey is spending a few days in the city, helping at the Patriot office.

Mrs. Marguerite Van Praag was an arrival in the city last evening from Bemidji, Minnesota, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Clark.

Mrs. Edwin Mayland will entertain the members of the Episcopal Guild tomorrow afternoon, Wednesday, at her residence, 615 Tenth Avenue.

C. M. Bristol, one of the field representatives for the North Dakota Mutual Insurance Company is in the city today from Vevla and is looking after business matters in connection with that company.

Rev. L. G. Moultrie was a passenger to Lisbon last evening where he went

Wear one of the best Kid Gloves made "The Virginia"

# CHAFFEE'S

Valley City's Foremost Ready-to-Wear Store

Just Received a few advance patterns of Spring Hats

## New Spring Goods Are Arriving

ENTHUSIASM could move mountains, and that is just the way we feel about the New Spring Goods that are arriving.

"Better than ever before," would be a very appropriate label for every garment. Price is a second thought, quality comes first, and we think you will agree with us that the "Best is the Cheapest."



**Suits** We are showing exceptional numbers in Suits with neat, stylish short coats and wide circular effects and pleated skirts, which we believe will be welcomed by one and all. Pretty shades in Labrador Blue, Reseda and Peacock Green, Putty, Navy, Black and black and white checks. Sum it all **\$15 to \$30** up, and they are beautiful. Values . . . **\$15 to \$30**

**Dresses** The dresses that have arrived come in French Serges and Wool Challies, in colors as Labrador blue, putty, reseda, copenhagen blue and navy. These styles are so different, and show individuality and distinction compared with styles of the last few years. These dresses must be seen to be appreciated. Values **\$12.50 to \$27.50**

**Waists** Never before have we shown such a complete line of waists in silk, crepe de chene, habutai or tub silks, lawns, organdie and voiles. A visit to our waist department means a temptation to buy two or three. We have a good assortment of colors and all sizes values . . . **\$1.00 to \$5.75**

**Skirts** The most welcome feature about the Skirts is the width at the bottom, which is a marked improvement over last year's narrow skirt. The materials shown are French serges, poplins and the chuddah cloths. The yolk top is very popular. The colors are mostly navy and black, with a few lighter colors. Values . . . **\$7.50 to \$12**

**Corsets** Here are corsets for everyone. Gossard Front Lace Corsets. Values . . . **\$2.00 to \$12.50**  
Kabo Corsets . . . **\$1 to \$3.50**

**Hosiery** In the line of hosiery we are showing a more complete assortment and better values. Ladies' Hose . . . **15c to \$2**  
Children's Hose . . . **10c, 15c and 25c**

**Underwear** Musing Wear, beyond compare, tells its own tale. Summer stock is all here. We have a ladies' union suit, four styles, and we say there is none better for the money. At per suit . . . **50c**

**Shoes** We have received a few spring styles of "Queen Quality" Shoes and Pumps.

## For The Purpose of Convincing The Consumer

that we have accomplished a saving to the public. We quote prices that must show that we have saved you 10 per cent on all articles in our line with the exception of Sugar and Flour because our regular prices are equal to all special prices offered by other dealers.

- Standard Sweet Corn, per can . . . . . **8c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **96c**
- Extra Standard Sweet Corn, per can . . . . . **10c**
- One dozen Cans . . . . . **\$1.20**
- Standard Tomatoes, per can . . . . . **12c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **\$1.32**
- Extra Standard Corn, per can . . . . . **13c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **\$1.86**
- Early June Peas, per can . . . . . **10c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **\$1.20**
- Yellow Wax String Beans, per can . . . . . **12c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **\$1.44**
- California Peaches, sliced or quartered, per can . . . . . **23c**
- One dozen cans . . . . . **\$2.76**
- Kerosine Oil, per gallon . . . . . **12 1/2c**

All the above prices are not special, they are our regular prices besides a 10 per cent discount. All using our Coupon Books get the full advantage of the discount, and those paying cash at our counter get the 10 per cent discount in cash. So you see we are saving you 10 per cent on all special prices offered by other dealers. If this is not reducing the cost of living as we have promised to do, then we leave it to you to decide. Our Coupon Books are very convenient besides a great saving. Remember, the discount we offer is on all goods with the exception of Flour and Sugar. We have a large number of customers that use our Coupon Books and they all claim they not only save them money but they are the greatest convenience. All carefull buyers will be convinced that we lead on prices.

# A. H. GRAY & SON

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to give his illustrated lecture on "A Summer in England." The lecture is to be given this evening at Casselton.

Mrs. C. E. Moore has had as her guest for the past week at her home on Woodland Avenue, Mrs. H. Rushfeldt of Hawley, Minnesota, who concluded her visit in the city yesterday.

Rev. Naeseth, the pastor of the Synod Lutheran church is at Kenyon, Minnesota, where he is visiting with relatives. Rev. Naeseth will also visit Minneapolis, and expects to absent from the city for about two weeks.

Friday the 12th will be Lincoln's birthday and a legal holiday. The day will be fittingly observed by the schools and various societies in town.

Miss Marguerite Bonhus leaves this afternoon for Grand Forks to resume her studies at the State University, after an over Sunday visit in the city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bonhus.

Thos. Collins was a passenger to Bismarck yesterday, where he went to attend a meeting of county treasurers held at Bismarck. Mr. Collins expects to return to the city about Thursday, and will spend a couple of days in the Capital City.

Mrs. Andrew Bonhus entertained a group of friends on Saturday afternoon, at her home on Woodland Ave., complimentary to Mrs. Harry Bjerkness of Minneapolis who has been visiting friends in the city for some time. The afternoon was pleasantly spent at sewing and conversation, and the hours were from three until six. At six o'clock the party concluded with the serving of an elaborate lunch.

A. F. Pierce was a passenger to Wimbledon last evening where he will spend a couple of days this week attending to matters of business importance.

The members of the Rebekah Lodge will give a dancing party on Thursday evening in the Odd Fellows Hall. The

Rex Orchestra will furnish the music for the dancing, and supper will also be served. These parties given by the Rebekahs are always very enjoyable affairs.

The members of the Sorosis Club are invited to spend Friday at Sanborn, to be the guests for the day of the Mysotis Club of Sanborn. The ladies will go up on Friday morning on the 10 o'clock train, and will return to the city on the evening train.

The members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Synod Lutheran church will meet on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock, in the parlors of the Synod church, Mrs. Andrew Bonhus, Mrs. Alfred Bonhus and Mrs. K. A. Bonhus will serve.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore entertained a group of friends at six o'clock dinner on Saturday evening, in honor of Mrs. H. Rushfeldt of Hawley, Minnesota. Pink carnations were profusely used in decorating and covers were placed for eight guests.

The University Glee Club passed through the city this morning en route west, and with them were Bryan Clark a Valley City boy, and Cuyler Anderson of Jamestown, and formerly of this city. An error was made in the statement of Lloyd Witter being with them. They first go to Mandan, New Salem, and Dickinson and then back to Bismarck on their tour.

A. R. Butler, optometrist, left last evening for Fargo to attend the North Dakota Optometric Association, of which Mr. Butler has been secretary for the past year.

Mrs. George Kelsey entertained a number of friends on Saturday afternoon at a birthday party, in honor of her mother Mrs. A. A. Booth and Miss McFadden, whose birthdays were celebrated. It was a thimble bee, and the afternoon was enjoyably passed at sewing. The decorations were in red and white the St. Valentine Day col-

ors, and at six o'clock an elaborate supper was served in the dining room. Covers were laid for ten, and red and white predominated in the dining room, red cardations, red and white place cards and there was also a birthday cake in red and white, with red candles. The menu was also carried out in the same colors, and those who were invited to be present reported a most delightful time.

Miss Marian Coyle, of 215 Elizabeth street, received the first prize of \$1.50 at the Child Welfare entertainment last evening for the largest number of words made from the words "Child Welfare Entertainment." Miss Coyle had a total of 2,616 words. Lillian Ford won the second prize of \$1.00 for the second largest group of words, she having 2,400.

W. W. Harper, one of Barnes county's most progressive farmers, was in town today. Mr. Harper is holding several thousand bushels of wheat and as a result is feeling rather encouraged over the outlook. Mr. Harper is a good booster for the state and stated that winters like those of recent years are preferable to those of Virginia, his former home.

## THURSDAY'S DAILY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1915.

Fred B. Smith, of Leal, is a caller in Valley City today, and is attending to matters of business. Mr. Smith is registered at the Hotel Rudolf while here.

Ed Briggs, who has been a patient at Riverside hospital for a few days past, was operated on yesterday morning for appendicitis. Mr. Briggs came out of the operation nicely, and is reported as doing very well.

John Kretschmer, of Oriska, was among the out of town callers in Valley City yesterday. While here Mr. Kretschmer was stopping at the Hotel Rudolf.