

# ATTORNEY GENERAL ASKS RECEIVER FOR FARMERS' EQUITY EXCHANGE

Fargo, April 24.—Charging fraudulent transactions and insolvency, that capital stock has been wiped out, that earnings have been misused and false reports of sales made to shippers in North Dakota, Attorney General Linde appeared before Judge Pollock Friday afternoon asking for an order to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed for the Equity Co-operative Exchange, its charter annulled, and that the officers be enjoined from soliciting stock subscriptions and consignments of grain in North Dakota pending this suit. May 18 was the date set for the hearing before Judge Pollock in the third judicial district court.

Charges and allegations in the complaint are supported by upwards of one hundred affidavits filed in connection with the suit at the office of the clerk of court of Cass county. Among the allegations are that the corporation is insolvent and that the Equity Co-operative Exchange has sold more than a major portion of the grain it handled at less than market quotations; that employees of the Equity Co-operative Exchange sold for export and turned the grain over to their own companies at an advance making large profits, several making \$100 a month. Flax in one case was bought at \$1.50 and sold at \$1.54, paying less than the market and getting regular market price.

When interviewed Friday afternoon Attorney General Linde stated that proceedings are likely to be instituted in the federal court and that the grand jury will have its attention called with the possibility of indictment. The attorney general stated that he has in his possession sundry information relative to transactions and practices of defendants and intends to produce affidavits to cover them just as soon as practicable.

The attorney general arrived in Fargo Friday morning from St. Paul, after spending the fore part of the week getting affidavits which would substantiate his asking the court for a receiver.

The officers of the Equity Co-operative Exchange, who are asked to be removed for misconduct of affairs of the corporation, are: J. M. Anderson, president; Magnus Johnson, vice president; G. A. Thiel, secretary and treasurer, and G. S. Loftus, sales manager. Most of the men are located in St. Paul.

### SANBORN UP AND COMING

The following, from the Sanborn Enterprise, in indicative of the kind of civic pride that puts a town on the map:

The Enterprise mentioned last week something about a uniform for the Boys' band. This band is one of Sanborn's assets and is beginning to attract attention outside of our own town. Rev. Alex Karr, secretary and manager of the Valley City Chautauqua, has already expressed a desire to have this organization play at the Chautauqua grounds some time during the summer. Recently he wrote to Mr. Jackson, the leader, as follows: "Tell the band boys that we shall have a moving picture film made on the last day of the band tournament, and that we are anxious to have them look 'spic and span,' as we intend to show the pictures in their town sometime during the coming fall or winter, and not in their town only, but in many others."

A uniform adds greatly to the appearance of a band and we think every one in Sanborn wants their Boy's band to look as well as the other bands taking part in the tournament. It need not necessarily be a very expensive uniform, but something neat and tidy will answer the purpose.

In furtherance of this object a dance and supper will be given in city hall to which all are invited to contribute whether they attend or not.

## Farmers Attention

The Valley City Gas Co., has a lot of Tar for sale. It can be used for all sorts of purposes—such as dipping fence posts, painting roofs and inside of chicken coops, etc. Bring in your cans or barrels and have them filled at 10c per gallon.

**Valley City Gas Co.**  
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### Told That There Was No Cure For HIM.

"After suffering for over twenty years with indigestion and having some of the best doctors here tell me there was no cure for me, I think it only right to tell you for the sake of other sufferers as well as your own satisfaction that a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets not only relieve me but cured me within two months although I am a man of 65 years," writes Jul. Groben, Houston, Texas. For sale by Siegfried Pharmacy

### POTATO DAY AT FAIR WILL DRAW A CROWD

North Dakota will be in the limelight here at the exposition on Tuesday, April 27th, when Larimore's Big Baked Potato Day will be pulled off at the North Dakota building. Two ovens capable of holding five hundred potatoes at a time will be installed, and the Great Northern railway will furnish one of its chefs to personally superintend the baking of the spuds. The band will play and the Glacier Park Indians will give their dances, and the afternoon promises to add greatly to the big events of the exposition.

The officials of the exposition company are enthusiastic over the affair, and it is safe to say that all of the potatoes that Larimore has shipped here by express will be eagerly sought by the large crowd that is sure to attend. Larimore also furnishes the butter for the occasion, two large boxes of butter having been shipped.

The secretary of the North Dakota Commission, is open for suggestions from cities and counties of North Dakota in reference to holding special days at the North Dakota building at the exposition. It would be a mighty good thing for the state if one of these special days could be pulled off each month. Write your suggestion to the secretary, care N. D. Building, Exposition Grounds, Frisco.

The architect of the N. D. building, Mr. Joseph Bell DeRemer, a former Grand Forks man, in receiving a great deal of praise these days about the appearance of the building. A noted architect of N. D. asked the Secretary the other day for Mr. DeRemer's address, so that he could write him, telling him how well he took advantage of the triangular piece of ground that the building sets on.

Among the noted visitors that called at the building last week were Ex-Congressman Marshall and wife of Oakes, N. D., and Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock, of Fargo, and J. J. D. Feckler of Fargo. They were all greatly impressed with the exhibits in the North Dakota building.

A number of new pennants of the cities of N. D. have arrived at the building, but there are yet hundreds of towns and cities that are not represented in this way out here.

Why not send the Secretary one of your pennants. He will appreciate it and your town will get a lot of cheap advertising.

If the chronic kickers of N. D. could stand at the front door of the North Dakota building at the exposition for one hour they would be turned into raving boosters. Just to listen to the exclamation of wonder that come from the visitors is worth the trip out to the exposition. Such corn, such grain, such grasses, such coal and pottery products. They linger long in the building for there is really something to see there. The corn tower built by John Freyberger of LaMoure, gets full measure of praise every day of the week. Dean Babcock's exhibit of pottery in a revelation to all visitors, even those from North Dakota.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy**  
From a small beginning the sale and use of this remedy has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. When you have need of such a medicine give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and you will understand why it has become so popular for coughs, colds and croup. For sale by Siegfried Pharmacy.

Mrs. Henry Beal has as her guest at her home on West Fifth street her cousin, Mrs. R. H. Hennron, of Orange, N. J., who arrived in Valley City Friday morning from the east. Mrs. Hennron will remain here for about a week's stay before going on to North Yakima, Wash., for a further visit. From there she will go on to California to take in the fair at San Francisco

### SVEA

Sanborn Enterprise: The Vasa school closes April 23. A baby girl arrived at the John Harstad home Saturday.

Hilda Nelson spent the week end visiting her sister, Cora.

Misses Laura and Myrtle Harstad were Eckelson callers Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Sauer was a caller at Mrs. Kate Sauer's in Heman township Saturday.

Nick Kiser went to Valley City Saturday evening, returning Sunday morning. He reported Mrs. Kiser, who is a patient there, as getting along nicely and she is expected home soon.

O. A. Barton visited the schools in Svea township last Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Sauer, of Heman township, spent Saturday and Sunday at the A. E. Sauer home.

The following were visitors at A. E. Sauer's Sunday: Frank Roberts, Henry Miller, Helen, Abbie, Frank and Willie Sauer, Annie Reidman, Cora Nelson, Jennie, Alma, Arthur and Michael Harstad.

### BRIMER.

Sanborn Enterprise: Mike Klein visited with Harold Kane Sunday afternoon.

Andrew and David Brimer visited with Lou Swartout Sunday.

Rutledge Kane called at the James Davis home Saturday evening.

Fred Greek was a caller at the James Brimer home Sunday afternoon.

Rutledge Kane called at the John Henderson home Sunday evening.

Herman Klein and daughter, Ida, were guests at the Harrison home on Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Henderson called at the John Henderson home on Wednesday afternoon.

Dan Henderson and family visited at the John Henderson home on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dan Henderson and daughter, Alice, called at the Halverson home on Saturday evening.

James Reed, of Courtenay, was a guest at the Thomas Kane home during the past few days.

James Reed and Walter Kane were making an excursion throughout the country Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pross, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Klein and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stroh visited at the John Weber home Sunday.

Mrs. Azora Halverson and niece, Bessie, and Mrs. August Nelson and baby were callers at the John Henderson home Sunday afternoon.

Report claims that the Brimer districts are planning on retaining their former teacher. It looks very much as though it was a new neighbor plus a teacher they were retaining.

### PARTICULARS OF DEATH OF A SANBORN GIRL.

Sanborn Enterprise: Our community was inexpressibly shocked Saturday night when the report was received of the sudden and unexpected death of Miss Ethel Potter, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Potter, of this place, at St. John's hospital in Fargo, where she had been enrolled as a student nurse for the past several weeks. Reports as to the cause of her death are meager. It appears she had complained of a sore throat a few hours before her death, and while an examination did not indicate anything very serious, as a precautionary measure she was treated with antitoxin. It was shortly after this, in the presence of a nurse, that she suddenly seized her throat as if strangling and before a physician could reach her expired.

The body arrived here Monday morning on No. 7, and services were held at the depot by Father Kleidon, who had been her pastor here ever since he took charge of Sacred Heart church and later at the grave, where, in eloquent terms, Father Kleidon paid a glowing tribute to his departed parishioner. Ethel was educated in the local schools and took a special course

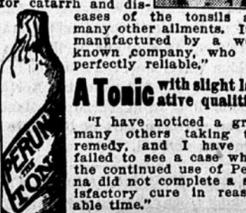
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### HEMAN

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Gottfried Mork made a business trip to Valley City Monday.

Rudolph Kruska spent Sunday evening with Chas. Munz and family.

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Jake Smith is the possessor of a new motorcycle which he purchased Monday.

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The Andrew Sauer young folks were callers at the Sam Sparger home Sunday.

Alfred Lettenmaier was a pleasant caller at the Wm. Schriever home Sunday evening.

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Miss Viola Christ who has been visiting with her sister Carrie at the J. A. Stoll home, returned to her home at Wimbledon Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. I. Personius left Friday morning for Dazey. She expects to be absent from the city for about two weeks.

Darby O'Malley returned Friday morning from Fargo where he has spent some time on business.

### SEALED BIDS FOR HAULING GRADER.

Sealed bids will be received and opened on Wednesday, June 2, 1915, at two p. m., for hauling Elevating Grader, bids to state price per mile. Work to begin on or before June 10th, 1915.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Successful bidder to give suitable contract.

By order of Board of Supervisors of Minnie Lake Township.

H. L. TAYLOR, Clerk.

First publication April 22.  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Niels Nielson, also known as Nels Nielson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned F. B. Smith, Administrator of the Estate of Niels Nielson, also known as Nels Nielson, late of the village of Leal, in the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to said Administrator at his home in the Village of Leal in said Barnes County.

Dated March 31st A. D. 1915.

F. B. SMITH, Administrator.

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Dated March 31st A. D. 1915.

F. B. SMITH, Administrator.

M. J. ENGLERT, Attorney for Administrator, Valley City, N. D.

First publication on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1915.  
(Last Publication April 29.)

### SUMMONS.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Barnes. In District Court, Fifth Judicial District.

Francis Logan, Plaintiff,

vs.

Lotta M. Cory, I. W. Solomon and William J. Lecor, and all other persons unknown claiming any estate or interest in, or lien or incumbrance upon the property described in the complaint, defendants.

The State of North Dakota to the above named defendants:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court at Valley City in the County of Barnes in the Fifth Judicial District of the State of North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear or

answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated March 18th, A. D. 1915.

WILLIAM J. CLAPP, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and post office address: First National Bank Building, Fargo North Dakota.

To the above named defendants, and each of them. Take Notice: That this action relates to and is brought for the purpose of determining adverse claims and quieting title in the plaintiff to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota, to-wit:

The North West quarter (NW. 1-4) of Section number Twenty-five (25) in Township number One hundred forty-two (142) North of Range number Fifty-nine (59) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

WILLIAM J. CLAPP, Plaintiff's Attorney.  
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Elihue J. Mosher, Plaintiff,

Against

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F. W. AMES, Plaintiff's Attorney, Residence and Post Office Address, Mayville, N. D.

To the Above Named Defendants:

Take notice, that the complaint in the above entitled action was filed, with the Clerk of the District Court of Barnes county, North Dakota, on March 22nd A. D. 1915. That the action entitled in the foregoing summons relates to and is to quiet the title to the following real estate to-wit: The South East Quarter of Section One, in Township No. One Hundred and Forty Three, north of Range Numbered Fifty Three, (SE.) west of the 5th P. M.

F. W. AMES, Plaintiff's Attorney.  
First Pub. Mar. 25, Last Pub. April 29.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Julia Nelson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Elmer Nelson, Administrator of the Estate of Julia Nelson, late of the city of Valley City, in the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said Administrator at the store of Anderson Clothing Co. in the city of Valley City in said Barnes County.

Dated April 5th A. D. 1915.

ELMER NELSON, Administrator.

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