From Thursday's Daily

Miss Louise Thorne arrived in the city recently to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Ed. Lawry was down from Sanborn yesterday watching the crowd of busy bargain seekers and visiting friends.

There will be a special meeting of the Court of Honor tonight at the home of Mrs. Carl Paff. All members are requested to be present.

The thrilling underwater scenes pictured in Annette Kellerman's latest cinema production "What Women Love" were taken at the risk of life and limb. At the Grand Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Carr, accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Peterson and Mrs. Chas. Otto, autoed to Fargo yesterday morning and spent several hours in the gateway city, returning home in the evening.

Mrs. J. J. Chamberlain and daughter, Florence, who have been spending a few days visiting relatives at Litchville, returned to the city yesterday Mrs. Chamberlain has two sisters there she went to visit.

A hundred and fifty foot dive from the mast of a yacht and then a fight under water with a lustful sea captain is one of the thrills in Annette Kellerman's Lates Photoplay "What Women Love." At the Grand Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erickson are the proud parents of a nine pound boy born to them Thursday morning June 23. Mother and child are said to be doing fine. Mrs. Erickson was formerly known as Miss Myrtle Jacobson of this city.

Cal Dargan, of the Annex Hotel of Fargo, has accepted a position as night clerk at the Hotel Kindred and will commence his duties right away. Mr. Dargan is an experienced hotel man and the traveling public will get the best he can give them.

Mrs. R. C. Henry and son Russell, Jr., of Duluth, Minn., arrived in the city Monday evening and will visit for a couple of weeks with A. J. Henry father of R. C. Henry and Mrs. T. S. Henry, a brother. Mr. Henry is connected with the Duluth Herald in Duluth.

She ran, boxed, punched the bag, dove, swam, etc., and incidentally scandalized the community by the brevity of her bathing suit. Annette Kellerman furnishes laugh after laugh in "What Women Love." At the Grand Friday and Saturday.

R. R. Blanch writes the Times-Record from Lavinia, Minn., where he and his family are spending some time at the lakes fishing, boating, etc. He says they like it fine with the exception that they must have the Times-Record to make their vacation complete. They will get it from this on.

There is going to be a real treat for young and old, next Friday evening at the Base ball diamond, when the wild west Montana Riders stampede the city to give us an exhibition of real fancy riding. The wild west riders ask that all the wild horses and steers in the county be brought in, and they will guarantee to ride 'em.

Frank Flora, past exalted ruler of the local lodge Elks, left last night on the Soo line for Portland for a visit of a few days after which he will go to Los Angeles, California, as a delegate to the Grand Lodge of Elks which will convene in that city early in July. Mr. Flora will be gone a month and will no doubt have a most enjoyable trip.

Train No. 4 on the N. P. going east for yesterday passed through the city a little after noon today. The break in the main line west occasioned by the cloudburst last week have not yet been repaired and it is reported that it will take at least another week to get the road in shape. Trains are detoured and that puts them back twelve hours or more at least.

The dollar day yesterday put on by the merchants of the city was a success in every particular. It was noticeable, however, that most of the shoppers were ladies, the men folks having to stick to the farms to keep up with the work of haying, cultivating corn, etc. There were some real bargains offered and those who got out early to shop made money in their purchases.

For some reason unexplained to us, Minot has cancelled its series of games with Valley City and instead of Minot playing here this evening as announced last night the fast Lisbon team has been secured for the occasion. The fans are assured in advance of a rattling good game of ball. Lisbon has one of the fastest teams in the state and have made a wonderful record up to this time.

Mrs. F. Filkins and two sons, of Mandan, N. D., were Valley City visitors yesterday. The travel by tourists through the city these days is very heavy. Every day load after load of people traveling over the country to the west and to the east pass through Valley City. Many of them striking this place in the evening avail themselves of the opportunity to enjoy the conveniences of the tourist camp which has been fitted up for them. The city is having signs made and put up calling attention to the tourist camp here, these signs will be placed on the east and west approaches to the city and will be the first sign of welcome to the weary traveler. Already our camp has been given a boost by those who have availed themselves of the conveniences and they go out and spread the news. Thus Valley City is getting some good advertising—which is another demonstration that it pays to advertise. Try it.

Governor J. O. A. Preus, of Minnesota, is billed to speak in Fluto's grove five miles east of Cooperstown, now owned by Lee Cowell, of this city, on July 2 on "Political Problems." Gov. Preus is said to be a very fine speaker and we feel sure will have a message to give the people well worth listening to.

W. H. Duwe, commonly called "Billy" by his intimate friends here was a Valley City visitor for a few hours yesterday afternoon and was kept busy shaking hands with his host of friends here. Mr. Duwe is trainmaster at Missoula, Mont., and had business at this end of the line. He left for Missoula on No. 3 last night. Mr. Duwe was for many years one of the N. P. staff in this city.

James Grady was here yesterday from Fargo looking over his banking interests here. Mr. Grady informs us that he has sold his Minneapolis residence and purchase a residence in Fargo and that the Grady family have just moved into their new home. Mr. Grady says that with his business here and at Fargo the gateway city is more handy to it and he can get here oftener and when he wants to.

The free matinees which have been given to the country people for the past few weeks, have been concluded and will not be put on again until after the county fair. Those who have been attending the matinees should bear this fact in mind. Mr. Piller will put on matinees on his own account at the Grand theater and will be open to all at any time during the afternoon at the usual prices.

Tomorrow evening the Rotary Club members each take a boy of the town to the Y. M. C. A. camp at the old Maresh mill south of town. The committee on arrangements is buying up a supply of weiners, and other good things and the boys who have been invited are looking tforward to this event with much anticipation of a good time. The procession will leave the Rudolf Hotel about six o'clock.

Judge Englert yesterday adjourned the June term of court until November 15 at which time the balance of the calendar will be taken up. So many of the jury men are short of help on the farm, haying and corn cultivating at hand, many jurors are sick making it almost imperative that the court adjourn for a time and Judge Englert took this view of the situation. The very warm weather, too, is trying to those who have to sit in a stuffy court room or jury box for any length of time.

It is reported that the farmers elevator at Hastings, this county, has been closed down and that the institution is in debt some thirty odd thousand dollars. There is no fraud or anything of that kind connected with the closing of this elevator, poor business management being the alleged cause of the closing up. It is owned by farmers of the community and an auditor is now at work auditing the books and finding out the true condition of the institution. After that it is possible the elevator will be opened up again.

Registration at the Normal school yesterday for the summer school was the largest in the history of the school. Secretary Lee informs the Times-Record this morning that 716 had registered up to last evening and more are coming in today. In regard to the housing situation a big improvement can be noted. All of those coming here to the summer term have been taken care of along these lines and everything points to one of the best summer terms ever held by the institution. The people of Valley City have opened up their houses for the strangers within our gates and all is peaceful and serene today.

The Minot ball team failed to show up again today which is the second day they have disappointed Valley City. Valley City has played a series of games with Minot and is entitled to the courtesy of the return games. This morning after the train came in over the Soo from Minot and no ball team stepped off, Manager Sampson called up the manager of the Minot team to find out why they did not come but could not get the Minot man to talk to tim and explain why he did not come down with his team as agreed. This is mighty poor sportsmanship on the part of Minot and in future years is not going to get that town anything along base ball lines.

Local folks who are planning Fourth of July celebrations may be interested in knowing what the chances are for rain on Independence day. Lee O. Yoder, observer at the United States weather bureau station in Moorhead, has looked up the records for both the third and fourth of July for the past 40 years, to see just what the chances are for a dry or a wet Fourth. These records show that rain has fallen on July 3, 16 times, and on July 4, 19 times; on both days, seven times, and on one day or the other 21 times. These figures include all amounts from enough to barely wet the grass to the heaviest thunder storm. But a rainfall of less than .25 inch does not matter much especially if it comes during the night. The records show that a rainfall of .25 inch or over has occurred three times between 7 p. m. on July 3 and 7 a. m. on the Fourth, four times between 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. on the Fourth, and once between 7 p. m. and midnight on the Fourth. It was also found that rain fell on June 27, just one week before the Fourth, 20 times, nine of which were followed by rain on the Fourth. Considering only amounts of .25 in. or more, there were nine such rains on June 27 and only once was this followed by heavy rain a week later.

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A Late Word About Suits

IN THE long story of spring and summer suits there are so many interesting chapters dealing with suits of unusual character, that the fashion reporter is apt to forget those that are plain and unpretentious. But these are most useful and most important. While anyone may manage to get along without an elaborate or formal suit—if she must—the plainer street suit is essential and merits study, especially as it contrives to be as smart as its dressier kindred, and by more subtle means. It has arrived, in the company of others more pretentious, for summer time and all of them entice the fashion writer to begin over again in writing the story of suits.

Among formal suits there are those that consist of a one-piece dress with coat to match, in which a bodice of foulard or crepe de chine or other material is joined to a cloth skirt. The colors in the silk body suggest those used in embellishing the coat with embroidery or otherwise. The French love this elaboration of the tailored suit and an imported model reveals red and blue foulard in the body of a dress joined to navy serge in the skirt by an embroidered girdle in blue at a low waistline.

For the business of living every day and fitting into whatever the day may bring such practical suits as those pictured are late acquisitions in the shops. It will be noticed that their skirts are longer and wider than skirts have been, that coats are open at the front and provided with either a narrow belt or wide girdle of the material. One of them is split at the sides and employs buttons as a decoration while the other relies upon triangles of the material as a finish.

Julia Bottomley

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American Legion Notes

"There is not the least doubt in my mind that if it had not been for the determined stand of the American Legion, Zimmer and I would still be in prison," writes Sergeant Neff, who with Sergeant Zimmer was arrested by the Germans following an attempt to capture Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, notorious slacker. "The American Legion came to my aid during one of my darkest hours, and it demonstrated by its unwavering loyalty toward a comrade that its sublime aspirations and lofty ideals concerning comradeship are a living truth."

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Men entitled to navy retainer pay and not receiving it should communicate with the navy allotment officer, navy retainer pay section, Navy department, Washington, D. C., according to the American Legion Weekly. Applicants should give the following data: Full name, date of enrollment, rating and class in which enrolled, present address, present rating, number of retainer pay checks received (if any) and amount of each, date of release from active duty, date of discharge from reserves.

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One of the largest single cash contributions for the benefit of disabled ex-service men has been received by the St. Louis city central executive committee of the American Legion. The amount was $5,000, "without a string to it," given by Mrs. Newton L. G. Wilson, wealthy philanthropist of the city. The fund will be used exclusively to assist disabled men in obtaining just compensation and for the relief of their dependents.

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American Legion posts in Minnesota are having a lively controversy as to which one has the oldest Legionnaire on its rolls. Redwood Falls presented Dr. Gibson, seventy-two years old, who served with the medical corps at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., and held the record until Kimball post introduced Adam Brower, seventy-six years old, and Joe Mason, who admits eighty-six years and a highly prized membership in the Legion.

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As a result of a fight waged on the floor of congress by Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York, a prominent American Legion worker, relatives of aliens who served in the American army, navy and marine corps during the World war are entitled to preferred right of entry into the United States in the three-per-cent immigration to be allowed during the next year under the immigration bill.

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Members of the American Legion in St. Paul, Minn., cast their bread upon the waters and it was returned—a hundredfold. Last spring they gave assistance to a needy man. When the Legion men were selling theater tickets for a benefit performance for unemployed veterans the ex-service man sold 500 tickets in two days. As a result, 150 men were sent out on jobs the following day.

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A vigorous campaign waged by the American Legion against disloyal activities of the Industrial Workers of the World is responsible for the stabbing of a Legion worker by an I. W. W. fanatic, according to reports received at Legion national headquarters from Pocatello, Idaho. True to form, the I. W. W. member attacked the Legion man in a dark alley, stabbing him in the back.

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For the prompt relief of disabled and unemployed ex-service men of Chicago, Theodore Roosevelt post of the American Legion staged a stag party, at which Judge K. M. Landis was a guest. Battling Nelson was in charge of the athletic program, the band of the Great Lakes naval training station provided music and stage stars contributed their services to a midnight frolic.

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Commuters and street car fans of New Orleans may have to walk when the American Legion meets. Employees of the New Orleans Railway and Light company have formed a post of the Legion. The street railway men are enthusiastic members of their post and have promised to attend meetings even if they have to bring along their private cars.

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An American Legion speaker has been asked to explain the aims and purposes of the organization at the annual labor picnic to be held June 18 in Kansas City, Kan. The action, which followed a conference with the mayor of the city, is intended to clear up any misunderstandings which radical elements may have fostered in the ranks of labor organizations.

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Only men who were in the service during the World war will be admitted to a hotel being erected by the Portland, Ore., post of the American Legion The post is enlarging and remodeling upper floors of its large clubhouse to accommodate 70 men.

From Friday's Daily

B. H. Critchfield, of Fargo, is here today organizing for the wheat pool.

Attorney C. T. Hovelson and wife arrived from Fargo last night and are spending the day in the city.

Mrs. P. E. Fairbanks left this morning for Wadena, Minn., where she will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives in that vicinity.

J. E. Erickson and party, of Minot, N. D., were guests at the Rudolf Hotel last night. They were passing through the city and remained here over night.

The Valley City Chautauqua opens its program tomorrow with several good numbers on the program. Our people should turn out and give the Chautauqua a big send off for the opening day.

Not fantastic or mythical, but a story full of humor, love interest and adventure is Annette Kellerman's latest feature production "What Women Love." At the Grand tonight and Saturday.

O. M. Olson, the insurance man of Coopertown, N. D., is in the city today. He is just returning from Winnipeg where he had been with Mrs. Olson, whose sister has just been thru a very serious operation.

Mr. Andrew Anderson arrived in the city last evening and is greeting friends here today. Mr. Anderson formerly attended the Valley City Normal, assisting Mr. Wunn in the manual training department.

W. R. Barnes, wife and daughter returned to their summer home near Perham this morning and were accompanied by Mrs. L. C. Campbell and son, Lorne, who will spend several days at the Barnes cottage at the lake.

Pete Anderson arrived in the city a few days ago to visit friends and relatives. Pete has been physical instructor in some institution in the east and is keeping in training by umpiring the last two ball games in the city.

Life would have been one long chaste day of beauty for Cotton if it had not been for Annabel, his lovely daughter. See Annette Kellerman as Annabel in "What Women Love." At the Grand Theater tonight and Saturday.

Henry Nelson of the American Exchange Bank, is driving a new Reo touring car. Mr. Nelson and family intend to leave on a trip with their new car, to parts of Iowa the later of this week. Henry has surely selected a dependable car for the extensive trip and will no doubt derive a great deal of pleasure from it.

The funeral of the late Hans Oppegard was held at Dazey yesterday and many friends of the pioneer citizen went up to attend the funeral. Rev. J. F. L. Bohnhoff was the officiating minister. Among the many who attended were Ole Knudson, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lee, John Halverson, M. E. Mason, Judge Irgens, C. A. Fisher, Chris Rein and wife, of Valley City.

Lee Cowell, Frank Heimes and Frank Pasmel autoed over to Carrington yesterday returning last evening. Mr. Cowell went up to see how his road contract was coming along and the boys went along for company and ballast. They report a dandy trip and the roads not bad considering the amount of rain the section they had to travel through has had the past few days.

The Times-Record has just learned of the marriage of Giles L. Personius and Miss Veronica Bigot. Miss Bigot was formerly employed by the Carpenter Lumber Co., of this city and up to recently has been working for the same company in the Minneapolis office. The groom is connected with the state highway commission with offices in this city.

It has been reported to this office that children are stripping the green apples of fruit trees in the city and otherwise running over people's gardens and making nuisances of themselves. This should not be permitted and parents should exercise a little more supervision over their children and see to it that they do not annoy other people.

B. K. Berg came mighty close to having a very serious accident yesterday that possibly might have resulted in some one being drowned. He was going out to the Chautauqua or coming from there and was driving along the new graveled road. He turned out of this road for some reason and got too near the river bank the car going down a fourteen foot embankment into four feet of water. Fortunately the car did not go into the water further or the result might have been serious. He had five girls in the car and the car was partly submerged and turned on its side, but all were rescued with safety. Pegg's Garage was called on to get the submerged car out of the river which was done without much trouble.

The following news dispatch may be of interest to Valley City people since Mr. N. C. Macdonald was a former resident of this city. The dispatch: "N. C. Macdonald, former superintendent of public instruction, yesterday received the degree of doctor of education at Harvard University. Mr. Macdonald's thesis, "Rural School and Rural School Consolidation in the United States," was accepted "with honor." It was the first of its kind to be prepared in the country and will be published by the university in two volumes. Dr. Macdonald attained the highly advanced degree of Ed. D. by completing in one year the two year's course laid out for other candidates for the advanced degrees. More than half the candidates of Dr. Macdonald's group were either conditioned or failed.

A rather bad mix-up occurred on the Soo line at Fingal yesterday afternoon. A freight train was derailed at that city about 5:30 which was caused from a crossing plank sticking up causing the derailment. In the mix-up four hobos were quite seriously injured, but not fatally it is thought, and some lumber cars were smashed, we are told. The injured men are now in Riverside Hospital, this city, and are said to be getting along as well as possible. Further particulars of this wreck we have been unable to gt at this time.

Melvin T. Lee and Waldo Simenson, who are canvassing the city in order to get the co-operation of the citizens and business men for the big fourth of July parade, are said to be meeting with g[illegible]at results, a few of the merchants have already drawn up plans for their float in the parade. The parade it is said, is going to be one of the biggest events of the day, from the spirit of '76 to the spirit of '17 and '18 will be represented. The committee in charge of the Fourth of July celebration this year is a real one and if they don't make it go all others may as well stop trying.

City Auditor M. J. Boyd, who has so efficiently held that office for the past twelve years, has resigned to take effect Augut first. Mr. Boyd is to become grand lodge auditor of the A. O. U. W. of North Dakota the jurisdiction of which comprises the states of North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Utah and California. Mr. Boyd will be auditor in name until November first in order to save a special election and the expense of the same. According to law the city can appoint an auditor at that time without a special election. Mayor Bonhus has offered the position to W. T. Craswell who has accepted the same. Mr. Craswell's appointment is a good one and he will fill that office with efficiency and credit. He will assume the duties August first. Mr. Boyd's new job is a big one and carries with it of course considerable more remuneration. His many friends here will regret his severance with the city but will wish him abundant success in his new field. For some time to come Mr. Boyd and family will remain at Valley City but eventually they will move possibly to Fargo although M. J. says Utah looks good to him.

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