

NINE CANDIDATES FOR SPEAKERSHIP ALREADY

NO DEARTH OF MATERIAL IN LOWER BRANCH

State Assembly Will Have Spectacular Fight for the Honor of Presiding.

The speakership of the house of representatives of North Dakota, judging from the number of candidates seeking it, is about as popular an honor as there is in North Dakota. At the present time the candidates in the field number nine, and there are a few precincts that haven't been heard from even now. Here is the list of aspirants:

H. A. Harolson, Bottineau county.
H. J. Hjort, Adams county.
A. M. Thompson, Ward county.
Treadwell Twichell, Cass county.
F. E. Ployhar, Barnes county.
A. G. Dyett, Richland county.
W. J. Burnett, Traill county.
S. Hendrickson, Burke county.
A. F. Hanson, Barnes county.

All of these candidates are former members of the house, and the fight between them for the state honor is bound to be keen. Of the number now in the field, four have been candidates previously, and one has previously been speaker of the house.

A. M. Thompson of Minot, S. Hendrickson of Coteau, A. F. Hanson of Itchville and F. E. Ployhar of Valley City are the house members-elect who have had previous experience as runners-up. Treadwell Twichell has once occupied the chair, being successful in gaining the speakership in the 1907 assembly, the first time the progressive faction of the republican party controlled the lower branch of the assembly.

Barnes Situation Peculiar.

The aspirations of Messrs. Hanson and Ployhar of Barnes county brings to mind an interesting situation prevailing two years ago, when Ployhar was an avowed candidate from the start. In the process of nomination, in the republican committee, Hanson employed unusual strength, although he has originally been, to all intents and purposes, a supporter of Ployhar. Hanson had consented to be-

come a candidate at the eleventh hour, a group of progressives asking him to make the race. As a result, Hanson was the last man to be eliminated from the field, and was in the final competition with J. H. Fraire for the speakership, the latter winning.

Thompson's strength two years ago went to Fraire, while it also is believed that some of Ployhar's strength also went to Fraire in the final vote.

Messrs. Hjort, Haroldson and Dyett were members of the assembly two years ago, and are well known among the house members. Mr. Burnett has been in the last three sessions.

With this big field of entrants at this stage of the game, the speakership gives evidence of providing spectacular things at the opening of the legislative assembly this winter.

CONSTITUTION OF NEW FARM SOCIETY

First Draft to be in Hands of Committee Wednesday—Many More Interested.

The first draft of the constitution and by-laws of the Grand Forks County Better Farming association will be in the hands of the committee members Wednesday.

Another meeting of the farmers will be held, at which time the association will be formally launched and definite plans for conducting it will be outlined.

A plan of operating also will be included in the constitutional draft.

The members of the constitution committee are: E. K. Spoonheim, Northwood; T. J. Roman, Manvel; W. W. Wilcox, Kempton; O. Albin Olson, Niagara; Geo. W. Spangler, Inkster; O. K. Larson, Reynolds; Hans Geogerson, Niagara; C. W. Graves, Grand Forks; Dou V. Moore, Grand Forks.

Since the meeting in Grand Forks, other farmers of the county have become interested in the plan. A number have expressed themselves as very much in favor of the scheme and there is going to be practically no change for the better."

BREAKS ARM CRANKING AUTO

Northwood Young Man Attending Business College in Grand Forks Victim of "Back-Firing."

Northwood, Wis., Nov. 15.—Tollef O. Mandt and his son, Otto, were about to start via auto for Grand Forks, Mr. Mandt owning a Ford machine, and his son attending a business college. The young man, who is 14 years of age, volunteered to crank the machine, but did so before his father had properly adjusted the levers, and as a consequence the engine "back-fired," the crank handle fracturing the son's arm just above the wrist. He will not be able to attend school for some days now.

EASTGATE ON LECTURE TOUR

Larimore Man Given Recognition as Agricultural Expert—Travels Through the South.

J. E. Eastgate of Larimore is in Chicago where he will join a force of agricultural experts who will make a tour of the south, under the auspices of the International Harvester company.

Mr. Eastgate is one of North Dakota's successful farmers who has had considerable success in the institute work here, and in the broader field opened to him through this tour, he no doubt will be equally successful.

Numerous prominent agricultural experts will make the tour.

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MIXED SERVICE ON THREE LINES

Great Northern Has Asked Permission to Reduce the Trains on Branches.

RAIL BOARD TO HOLD HEARINGS

Sarles, Sherwood and Maxbass Lines Affected—Also Change on Surrey Line.

The Great Northern Railway company has requested the state railway commission to grant it permission to change its passenger service to mixed service on the Sherwood-Minot line, the Maxbass-Towner line and the Sarles-Lakota branch, and to make changes in the service on the Surrey cut-off.

The railroad commission has decided to hold a hearing at Minot, December 1, on the Sherwood, Maxbass and Surrey propositions and a hearing at Devils Lake, December 2 on the Sarles branch matter.

At the Devils Lake hearing, the matter of change in train service on the Mayville branch will also be given consideration.

Last spring, the Great Northern company made application to the railway commission on a similar proposition but embodying the changes on additional branches and a hearing was set for Devils Lake at that time, to give the people of the territory affected an opportunity to be heard. But before the date of the hearing, the railway company withdrew its application, giving notice at the same time that it would renew it later.

The Great Northern makes this application for change in service, "on account of the great falling off of business and the absolute certainty there is going to be practically no change for the better."

MURPHY MAY BE ASSISTANT

Reported That Minot Man Will be Appointed by Attorney General—Elected H. J. Linde.

Francis J. Murphy of Minot, according to reports which have been received in Grand Forks, will be appointed assistant attorney general by Henry J. Linde of Stanley, who was elected to that position in the recent election.

Mr. Murphy is one of the best known attorneys of the western part of the state.

DEERING ESTATE TO "DIG"

Over \$300,000 in North Dakota Mortgages Basis for Inheritance Payment to State.

Rather an interesting and unusual thing has been unearthed by Tax Commissioner Wallace. Mr. Wallace has charge of the administration of the inheritance tax law, discovered \$203,000 of credits belonging to the William Deering estate, William Deering died in Chicago Dec. 9, 1913. He personally owned real estate mortgages to this amount in North Dakota. These have been located and under the inheritance tax law will have to pay a tax into the treasury of North Dakota of approximately \$5,000.

DEATH BREAKS UP MARRIAGE

Carl G. Barragy, Formerly of Grand Forks, Who Recently Died at Rugby, Was Engaged to Wed.

Carl G. Barragy, formerly of Grand Forks, who died recently at Rugby, this state, was about to be married, his fiancée, Miss Anna McCarty, formerly a teacher in the Rugby schools, being at his bedside when death came.

Mr. Barragy was well known in Grand Forks, being a member of the local lodge of Elks. During his residence here he was employed at the Dacotah pharmacy, being a pharmacist.

The deceased was ill two weeks, heart trouble being responsible for his death at the age of 32 years.

The remains were taken to Rockwell, Iowa, where the funeral took place.

FACES FEDERAL CHARGE

Port Yates, N. D., Nov. 16.—That Louis Lowdog, Sioux Indian, may be brought to trial before the federal court on charges of violation of the Mann act is the assertion of the state's attorney of Sioux county. Lowdog ran away with an Indian squaw, mother of six children, about two months ago, taking her to South Dakota.

J. H. Smith, Larimore Pioneer, Drops Dead While Carrying Grain; Helper Finds Dead Body Lying On Barn Floor

J. H. Smith, a prominent resident of Larimore, dropped dead at 11:30 o'clock this morning, while working about the barn at his home.

Engaged with an employe in carrying grain into the barn, Mr. Smith dropped dead just inside the barn door, where his helper found him within two or three minutes.

Mr. Smith had been in his usual good health during the day, making no complaint whatsoever.

The deceased was a resident of Larimore township, and of the city of Larimore, since 1884, coming to this state from Schroon Lake, N. Y., where he was born Dec. 23, sixty-four years ago next month. He engaged in active farming operations till 1907, when he removed to Larimore, erecting a modern residence there and making his home there since.

Only his wife survives him, there being no children.

Funeral arrangements had not been concluded this afternoon.

WINTER WEATHER ARRIVES IN CITY

Mercury now Lingers Cooly Around the Zero Mark—B. V. D.'s Discarded.

The forecast for tonight and tomorrow doesn't promise any relief from the season's first cold snap. The forecast indicates "little change in temperature," which means a continuance of the present condition for at least 24 hours.

Saturday night's sudden drop in the temperature bore out the weather prediction of the day, which was for "much colder."

Zero weather arrived in Grand Forks Sunday night.

After having shown a steady downward tendency for two days past, the mercury accordingly bore out the, and real winter temperatures prevailed in the city.

At 7 o'clock this morning the "H" still lingered cooly in the bottom of the tube, and it was not until the rays of the sun had been playing upon it for several hours that it emerged from its chaste retirement.

The cold weather arrived accompanied by an 18 mile wind, which came straight from the tundras of northwestern Canada, and proved strongly discouraging to any upward tendencies on the part of the mercury.

Residents of Grand Forks, who had hitherto clung to their B. V. D.'s, discarded them today, and hastily donned the long variety, and fur coats were hastily called into service.

THIRTEEN GIVEN SCHOOL INSIGNIA

Letter Men of the Football Squad Are Announced This Morning.

Thirteen members of the Grand Forks high school football squad will receive the right to wear the coveted "G. F. H." this year according to an announcement made this morning by Coach "Hurry-Up" Heinie O'Keefe, and Faculty Manager C. K. Barman.

The men receiving the insignia will be eligible to vote in the election of the captain of next year's team, which will be held sometime during the latter part of the week.

Those who will receive letters are Laughlin, center; Collins, Henry and Campbell, guards; Blair and Eridston, tackles; Dryden and Elton ends; Carter and Dow, quarter backs; Duggan and Lodmell, half backs, and Jacobi full back.

Werstein and Raines, who have acted as substitutes for the regulars during the season, have played good football, but have not participated in enough match games to receive insignia.

The football team boys are planning to hold a dance the evening of Wednesday, Nov. 25. Details of the plans for the entertainment will be announced later.

TO BE IN FIRST NEW BUILDING

North Dakota Press Association will be Entertained in the Fargo Auditorium.

At a cabinet meeting of the North Dakota Press association, held at Minot Saturday, the invitation of the Fargo Commercial club to meet there Jan. 8 and 9 was accepted.

The first convention to be held in the new Fargo auditorium, which is almost completed, and which will be opened in January.

WOULD DISBAR WM. MALONEY

Former Grand Forks and Ray, N. D., Man, Now a Defendant in Proceedings.

William Maloney, formerly of Grand Forks and Ray, N. D., now of Poplar, has been made the defendant in disbarment proceedings which are being investigated by a committee composed of R. A. Nestor, Minot; A. M. Christmann, Towner; and John A. Layne, Essenden.

Mr. Maloney has engaged in the practice of law in Ray for some time, and was also engaged in the practice here in a small way.

The charges against Mr. Maloney as the basis for the disbarment have not been made public.

TRANSIENT IS GIVEN \$2,500

Verdict Against Great Northern for Ejection from Train on Which He Was Stealing a Ride.

Peter Kinnonen, a transient, obtained a verdict of \$2,500 against the Great Northern railroad, in a suit tried at Lakota before Judge C. M. Cooley of this city.

Kinnonen was attempting to steal a ride on a Great Northern train at Petersburg, being discovered by the train crew. It was charged that the trainmen used undue force in ejecting him, beating him up in the affair. A brakeman and special officer were arrested at the station, but the charges against them were dismissed.

The railroad company will appeal.

HURT IN RUNAWAY

Adams Farmer Hurlled From Wagon by Horses.

Adams, N. D., Nov. 16.—Ole E. Elton met with a rather serious accident when he was about to leave the elevator where he had sold a load of grain. After getting into his wagon he noticed one of his reins had dropped upon the tongue and while leaning over it he was unable to get the team became frightened, making a sudden plunge which precipitated Mr. Elton out of the wagon, the wheels passing over his chest. Outside of being considerably bruised, he was unharmed. The team was later caught by Carl Fern, and Mr. Elton proceeded on his way home.

AUTOS COLLIDE

Machines Crash Near Casselton—No One Injured.

Tower City, N. D., Nov. 16.—Mrs. G. W. Kelly, Mrs. George Frederick, Miss Veleda Hood and Geo. Kelly, Jr., had a very narrow escape when the Kelly auto, in which they were riding near Casselton, was run into by another car. This car was driven by a Mr. Stanley of that city, who, from reports, was running at a pretty high rate of speed and was unable to check his car. The Kelly car was very badly damaged, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt. Being unable to run the car home, A. Voorhees went after them and they returned, none the worse for the excitement. The car is still in Casselton.

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SUPERVISORS TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Annual Meeting of Township Officers at Larimore Monday, Nov. 23.

Township supervisors of Grand Forks county will hold their annual meeting at Larimore Monday, November 23, according to a notice sent out by O. K. Lagesson, president, and J. T. Freeman, secretary of the county association.

The meeting will open at 10 o'clock in the morning. All supervisors and others interested in township affairs are urged to be present.

Among the matters to be discussed are the election laws of the township and the state at large, bonds for township officers, road laws, road taxes, etc.

There will also be reports from the committees on organization and by-laws, road building and maintenance, and on the legislature.

Every township supervisor in the county is a member of the association, and all are strongly urged to attend the meeting.

SHIPMENTS ARE NOT BARRED

Cattle From One State to Another Can Pass Through North Dakota Unmolested.

Under the order of the state live stock sanitary board, regulating the handling of cattle shipments in North Dakota during the present campaign against the foot and mouth disease, shipments of cattle through the state are permitted and such cattle also may be unloaded for watering and feeding purposes. They cannot, however, be permitted outside the stock yards.

The federal officials in North Dakota are prosecuting a vigorous campaign against the use of stock cars used for cattle shipments.

NEW COUNTY WINS

Another Slice Cut Off Billings Marmarth County Seat.

Marmarth, N. D., Nov. 16.—Slope county, with Marmarth as the county seat is finally assured. Two years ago two proposals were made one to establish Golden Valley county, and one to cut off Slope county from Billings county. Both lost, but the former was carried to the supreme court and won.

Slope county was segregated from Billings at the present election by a two to one majority. As a result Marmarth is making the strong bid for the county seat and local men are now exerting all of their influence with Governor L. B. Hanna to secure the naming of the temporary county seat and officers.

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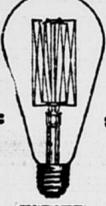
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