

COMPEL FARMERS TO INSURE CROPS

Saskatchewan Plan Given Approval of Squires Farmers Clubs in Williams.

Williston, N. D., Dec. 23.—The creation of a form of compulsory hail insurance is proposed by the Squires Farmers' club of this county, which has launched the movement by circulating petitions within this county, and which has issued a circular to all farmers' clubs in the entire state.

DROWNED AT MEDFORD.

Medford, N. D., Dec. 23.—A letter received from George Lang at Medford, Wis., states that his little seven-year-old boy, George, was drowned in a mill pond. The boy was born on their farm at Hiddenwood.

LAYING FOR THE PRESS GANG.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 23.—The Capital City Press club is arranging for its biennial "press" party. The affair will probably not be held till after the opening of the legislative session, when there will be a large representation of the press in the city.

MOTHER A CENTENARIAN.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 23.—Joseph Hare of Bismarck will leave for the west next month to be present at the 100th birthday of his mother, who resides in Astoria, Ore. Her anniversary will take place February 5. With her are two of Mr. Hare's sisters, one 80 years old.

CONSTIPATION.

The causes of constipation are universally considered to be the following: Constitutional peculiarities, anemia, neurasthenia, chronic affections of the liver, stomach, and intestines, acute fevers, drug taking, mechanical conditions, such as tumors, obesity, strictures, etc., which are made worse by improper food and habits.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTES IN NORTH DAKOTA

- Jan. 4 and 5—Hope.
- Jan. 5—Robinson.
- Jan. 5—Tuttle.
- Jan. 6 and 7—Alce.
- Jan. 8 and 9—Cooperstown.
- Jan. 8 and 9—Steele.
- Jan. 12—McCluskey.
- Jan. 12—Cogswell.
- Jan. 15—Ashley.
- Jan. 15 and 16—Marion.
- Jan. 16—Hrill, dock, arrangements not completed.
- Jan. 18 and 19—Binford.
- Jan. 19 and 20—Washburn.
- Jan. 20 and 21—Garrison.
- Jan. 23—Plaza.
- Jan. 23 and 24—Lakota.
- Jan. 25 and 26—McGregor.
- Jan. 27 and 28—Toga.
- Jan. 28 and 29—Drake.
- Jan. 29 and 30—Ray.

MAYVILLE YOUTHS BEGIN SENTENCES

Hillsboro, N. D., Dec. 23.—The four Mayville youths, John Coleman, Peter Strom, Lawrence Larson and Carl Nordvedt, who were arrested for breaking in the depot at Mayville and exacting a shipment of liquor, were brought here and lodged in the county jail. They decided the best way out of their scrape was to plead guilty and were taken to Fargo, where they entered pleas of guilty before Judge Pollock for unlawfully entering a building and were sentenced to three months each in the county jail.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR EDITOR'S WIFE

Glen Ullin, N. D., Dec. 23.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. W. R. Hall of Glen Ullin will be held from the Catholic church at Glen Ullin.

SKULL CRACKED BY FALL FROM HORSE

Madock, N. D., Dec. 23.—A very sad accident occurred near Flora. A fourteen-year-old son of Mr. Champlin was thrown from a horse and had his skull fractured, the lad dying at 2:30 Saturday morning. It seems he had been sent after the cows, and mounting an unruly and fractious horse, dashed headlong for the barnyard gate, which usually stood open. The gate, however, was closed, and in the darkness this was not noticed. The boy rode at the closed gate at top speed and the horse stumbled, throwing the boy and horse some thirty feet distant, fracturing the boy's skull. Physicians were summoned, but there was no question but that the poor lad was fatally hurt, and he passed away next morning. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Miller at Oberon.

FENCE IS PLANNED ON RESERVATION

Fort Totten, N. D., Dec. 23.—Dr. T. S. Palmer of the Federal biological survey will soon advertise for the fence around the Sully Hill National park, near here, set aside by the government. An appropriation of \$5,000 has been made for the construction of the fence, which will be of the heaviest wire and will have steel posts. After it is fenced an effort will be made to secure another appropriation for fence and shade and after that the park will be stocked with elk, deer, antelope, buffalo and moose, which will be secured from other reservations and will cost nothing except the transportation. The park will be one of the most attractive in the northwest as it is on a prominent height and on the shores of Devils Lake, the largest body of water west of the Great Lakes.

CONDUCTOR'S HAND CRUSHED BY WHEELS

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 23.—Conductor Humphrey Sportsman of the Dakota division is in the St. Alexis hospital at Bismarck suffering from an injury sustained at Wilton, that cost him his left hand.

FUMES FROM STOVE OVERCOME COUPLE

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Kille, residing in the rear of 1st First avenue south, had a narrow escape from asphyxiation when they were overcome by fumes from a hard coal stove which was in a half adjoining their sleeping room. The door into the hall was open allowing the fumes free entrance to their apartment. In the early morning Mr. Kille was awakened by the fumes and quickly aroused his wife.

CONVICTED OF LIQUOR SELLING.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 23.—The jury in the case of State vs. Derrick White, who was charged with bootlegging, brought in a verdict finding the defendant guilty of the lesser charge of illegally selling liquor and recommended leniency to the court. White will be sentenced on Thursday morning.

EARLY TRIAL OF CASE IS WANTED

Prosecution in Benson County Will Move to Have Trial Transferred.

Devils Lake, N. D., Dec. 23.—That every effort will be made to work out speedy justice in the murder case in which Mrs. Hans Sogge and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones are defendants, was the statement issued from the office of State's Attorney Thos. M. Burke of Minnewaukan, today. Rather than wait for the regular term of district court which opens in June in Minnewaukan, the state prosecutor will move the action to another county.

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MOORHEAD JURY ACQUITTED NOVAK

Moorhead, Minn., Dec. 23.—The case of the state against James Novak was completed and the jury returned a verdict acquitting the accused. County Attorney Dosland appeared for the state. Novak was defended by Curtis Pomroy.

WILLISTON FARMERS HELD BIG MEETING

Williston, N. D., Dec. 23.—One of the largest and most interesting farm club meetings held so far this season occurred at the splendid farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gromatka when the Williston Township, the Muddy Valley, Missouri Ridge and Grand Valley farmers' clubs held a joint meeting. About 75 members of the four clubs were present, enjoying the sumptuous dinner served by the ladies and also the varied and interesting program held during the afternoon.

SCHOOL OFFICERS CAUSED ARRESTS

Williston, N. D., Dec. 23.—Joseph Seeb and John Quamme, farmers near Bonetrail, were arrested on warrants from the state's attorney's office and brought before Justice H. V. Smith on charges of neglect to send their children to school. Seeb was found

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ALLEGED PIGGER WINS ACQUITTAL

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 23.—The jury in the case of the state vs. Arthur Owens, charged with maintaining a common nuisance, returned a verdict of not guilty.

MINOT SISTERS DIE FROM APPENDICITIS

Minot, N. D., Dec. 23.—Death stalked through the house of John Kolberg, 69 North Second street, taking two little daughters, Sophia and Myrtle.

TWO MANDAN MEN INJURED BY FALLS

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 23.—J. M. Holcomb, the well known engineer in the service of the Northern Pacific railroad, slipped and fell from the water car of his train at Golden Valley, sustaining painful bruises and a bad shaking up. The accident was caused by the slippery condition of the steps caused by frost and snow. He was given first aid by a physician at Stanton and later brought to Mandan. At present he is confined to his home on Third avenue northwest, and while his condition is not reported serious it may be some time before he is able to again take up his duties.

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- Fancy Booklets; 15c, 19c and 25c values. Wednesday and Thursday..... 10c
- One big lot fancy glassware; 15c, 19c and 25c values. Wednesday and Thursday..... 10c
- Ladies' Messaline Silk Petticoats; \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Wednesday and Thursday..... 98c
- Ladies' Leather Hand Bags; values up to \$4.00. Wednesday and Thursday..... 98c
- Lot Fancy Dresser and Table Scarfs. For Wednesday and Thursday at 19c, 25c, 30c and 35c..... 98c
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