

ROBINS PLEASURES
LARGE AUDIENCE

Telling Address Delivered at
the Auditorium Sunday
Evening.

SENATE SCORED
IN RESOLUTION

Pembina Editor Takes Ex-
ception to Methods Used
in Obtaining Vote.

One of the largest audiences of the
season gathered at the auditorium
Sunday evening to hear the address
of Raymond Robins who has been
conducting a religious campaign here
under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and
Y. W. C. A. of the state university.

Mr. Robins' address was devoted
chiefly to practical part which should
be taken by Christianity in the present
social, industrial and economic
movements now in progress in this
country.

Resolution Passed.
At the close of the address a motion
was passed on the motion of Rev.
W. H. Matthews, protesting against
the action of the state senate in refusing
to send the bill providing for
woman's suffrage back to the house of
representatives.

The text on which Mr. Robins based
his address was: "Inasmuch as ye
have done it unto the one of these
the least of my brethren ye have done it
unto me."

Believes in People.
He declared that he believed in the
eventual good judgment of the masses
of the people and in the power of religion
to solve the present questions
before the American people.

"Christ didn't wait for the next
generation to start his great work,"
declared the speaker. "He took men
just as they were."

Christ's Disciples.
"Look at his disciples for example,
two of them were fishermen and probably
smelt strongly of the fish. One
was a doctor, and let me tell you the
doctor often knows more of human
nature than does the preacher. One
was a lawyer, one would never expect
a lawyer to help in saving the world,
and yet the aid of consecrated
lawyers is necessary if the world is to
be saved."

"There was one disciple who was
just an ordinary politician of the
lowest kind. There were two fellows
who didn't want to get far from the
pie counter, and wanted to pre-empt
for themselves the best places in the
next world. There was a weak fellow,
who denied his master three times,
but who was made the rock on which
the church was founded and there was
a liar, a thief, and a traitor."

"This was a promising aggregation
with which to save the world, wasn't
it?" and yet it was done.

Other telling points in Mr. Robins'
talk were his analysis of the Lord's
prayer, and his picture of the last
judgment.

At the conclusion of the address
the following resolution introduced by
Rev. W. L. Matthews was passed by a
standing vote:

Senate Condemned.
"Resolved, that we protest against
the action of the state senate in
smothering the suffrage question, and
that we call upon our representatives

in the house to see that this bill receives
fair treatment."
In connection with the passage of
this resolution, F. A. Wardwell, editor
of the Pembina Pioneer-Express, who
attended the meeting last night
sent in the following communication:
Wardwell's Letter.

To the Herald:
As a transient visitor in the city, I
attended the Union Services at the
auditorium last evening.
The regular program was very in-
teresting and inspiring. The music
was fine and the discourse of Mr. Robins
was one that should have been
heard by thousands instead of hun-
dreds. As the speaker closed everyone
in the audience was filled with love for
his brother and realized perhaps as
never before that all men are
brethren.

Five minutes later a "postscript"
speaker changed that brotherly feel-
ing to disgust and hatred and enmity
in the hearts of a great part of that
large audience.
This "postscript" speaker produced
certain "excitations" from some people
in Bismarck, who by their own
statements are the defeated and disap-
pointed supporters of the woman's
suffrage bill, under discussion for leg-
islative action in this session.

These people said in substance, that
a majority of the senate, under the
leadership of Tom Poole and Wishek,
working for the resubmission, had un-
fairly and in defiance of all parliament-
ary rules smothered the woman's
suffrage bill by refusing to send the
same back to the house.

Lieutenant Governor Fraine was
mentioned by name as one who by his
arbitrary rulings was aiding and abet-
ting the majority of the senate which
seemed to include "Tom Poole and
Wishek."

Now, I submit, that while the mat-
ter of woman suffrage is a legitimate
and proper question for the voters of
this state and their representatives in
the legislature, that it had no place in
the union services of last evening.
That the question as presented for a
vote was self-contradictory. The vote
was on a resolution asking for "fair
play" for the bill.

That vote implied according to the
preliminary explanation,
1. That any one who opposed the
North Dakota Woman Suffrage bill
was in favor of resubmission.
2. That the bill had been side-
tracked by an infamous lobby headed
by two notorious resubmissionists,
"Tom Poole and Wishek."
3. That every one in the congrega-
tion who chose to remain in his seat
instead of joining the rising vote, was
there stigmatized in a most
auspicious manner—as a follower and
supporter of the two "notorious" re-
submitters named.

The writer sat—hence he asks to
say, in the same public manner, that
while he "sat"—he is not in favor of
resubmission, is perfectly willing to let
the women settle their own differences
of opinion as to suffrage, as they will—
that he is well acquainted with Mr.
Fraine and believes him to be honest
and that he understands parliament-
ary law as well as all his critics.

In the opinion of this writer who in
a political experience of more than
forty years in this territory, no more
specious arbitrary, unequal, and
unreasonable request for "fair play"
was ever offered in any convention he
ever attended in this state.

It was a vote to condemn that splen-
did lot of North Dakota women who
did not vote to condemn that splen-
did lot of North Dakota women who
have been at Bismarck this winter,
who have opposed woman suffrage,
it was a vote to condemn the majority
of the representatives of the people. It
was a vote to discredit Lieutenant
Governor Fraine on a strict parliament-
ary question, and to expose ex parte
on the accusation of political enemies
—without defense—but as deftly and
specially by the speaker.

"We only ask for fair play."
(Signed) F. A. Wardwell.

A Chicago man who couldn't say
"no" got a divorce, and
alleges among other things that the
lady whom he married proposed to
him, and he married her against his
will. He just couldn't say "no."

ST. PATRICK DAY
MUSICAL NOVELTY

Planned by the Ladies of St.
Mary's Parish—Miss Ja-
cobi in Charge.

Plans have been completed for the
production of a musical novelty, "The
Irish Quail" at the Grand theater on
the afternoon of March 17, under the
auspices of the ladies of St. Mary's
Catholic parish.

Miss Gertrude Jacobi will be in
charge of the production, and will ap-
pear in the chief role.
Included in the playlet will be a
number of new features which have
made a decided hit in the eastern cit-
ies, and are now being shown in this
city for the first time by Miss Jacobi.

"Assisting in the production will be a
number of the younger girls of the
city, and Warren M. Mouswell, who
will appear with Miss Jacobi in a nov-
elty dance.

Rehearsals will begin at once under
the direction of Miss Jacobi and will
continue until the time of the sketch.
Miss Jacobi has been in charge of
a number of amateur productions in
Grand Forks during the last two years
and her association with the present
enterprise is a guarantee that it will
be of unusual merit, and full of
breezy novelties.

WEEK'S CURLING SCHEDULE

List of Games to be Played at the
Caledonian Club During Next
Six Days Announced.

The schedule for this week's curling
at the Caledonian rink follows:
Monday—7:30—Gray v Black, Will-
iamson v Fletcher.
Tuesday—7:30—Points.
Wednesday—7:30—Hirschberger v
Porte, Garvin v Hirschberger.
Thursday—7:30—Common v Good-
man; Shepherd v Murphy.
Friday—7:30—Points.
Saturday—7:30—Common v Rex;
Lovejoy v Black.

ATTEMPT BEING MADE TO
REVIVE SUFFRAGE BILL

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ponement of the Trageton and Harris
corporation insurance bills, pinning
faith to the house bill No. 449, which
has passed the house and remains in
the senate for further consideration.
There will be a hot fight against that
measure.

The Bond-Grunvold-Young bill, re-
garding the pay of legislative employes,
was considered this morning and recom-
mended for indefinite postponement.
Bills for Passage.
The house committee on state affairs
has recommended for passage the
following bills:
No. 180, which makes some changes
in the salary of county officials and
allows county officers to keep fees from
marriage ceremonies.
No. 17 by Thoreson, provides for a
compulsory hall insurance department
under the supervision of the insur-
ance commission. This is in the shape
of a constitutional amendment.
No. 217, allows county officers to
furnish personal bond instead of a
surety bond, except where the county
commissioner may demand a surety
bond from the county treasurer.

No. 182, which places the manage-
ment of the capitol and grounds in
the hands of the board of trustees of
public property. The bill has been
amended so that it turns over all the
work of the board of trustees to the
board of control.
No. 308, carries a number of amend-
ments to the penitentiary laws regard-
ing the management of the institu-
tion and the care of prisoners and
compensation to them for extra work.
Indefinitely postponed.
Senate bill 81, which provides for
a cut in the number of legislative em-
ployes and also in their pay was re-
commended for indefinite postponement
by the house committee on state af-
fairs.

Senator McFadden's bill, providing
that township clerks or election offi-
cers who post notice of election, shall
receive ten cents for each notice for
the distance traveled was recommen-
ded for indefinite postponement in the
house committee this morning.
Senator Sike's bill, which provides
that counties may turn back land to donors
where it has been given to the county
for specific purposes and not used for
such purpose was recommended for
passage.

GRAND FORKS HIGHS
LOSE IN TOURNAMENT

The Grand Forks high school basket-
ball team Saturday afternoon lost
chance to compete in the tourna-
ment for the state title by defeat-
ing the locals 19 to 15. Park
River won the district championship,
and the right to play for the state
honor.

The game was exceptionally inter-
esting. It was hard fought from be-
ginning to end, each team putting
up a fine contest. The score:
The Lincolns: Park River,
Grand Forks, 19
Duggan, f. 1
Gullikson
Finch, g. 1
Overy, g. 1
Loughlin, g. 1
Jacobi, c. 1
Skidmore
Substitute—Graves.
The summary—Park River, Sinner
7 points; Overy 4, Skidmore 4, Gul-
likson 2, Mullenaux 2, Grand Forks,
Raines 2 points; Graves 4, Jacobi 7,
Loughlin 2, Referee, Gill.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To Citizens of Grand Forks and Vi-
cinity:
As manager of the Independent Ice
company, I wish to announce that I
have about completed, filling the
newly erected buildings with un-
limited supply of the finest quality of
Red river ice that was ever offered in
the city. It is taken from the
river below the McDougal farm, 1-1/4
miles above all sewers.

Aside from the excellent quality of
river ice, I have for drinking purposes
an excellent quality of spring water
from the running water of the Mississippi
at Lake Bemidji. This is a quality
superior to any ever offered before.
As manager of the company, I wish
to have it understood that I am one
of the pioneers coming to Grand
Forks in '82, and have been associ-
ated with the ice business for 22
years and am thoroughly familiar
with the wants of ice consumers.

With experienced men on the wag-
ons, I solicit your trade and guarantee
the best of service.
Telephone, 427 Tri-State, 795-J,
N. W.
Respectfully,
INDEPENDENT ICE CO.
Lawrence Lynch, Mgr.
Office at 119 No. Third St.

A fool shows his folly, and knows it
not, but a wise guy knows his folly
and shows it not.

See Our Third Street
Window



Mail Orders Carefully Filled If
Color and Size Are Given
Postage 5c Extra.

The Ontario Store
The Wonder
Dress

600 wonderful values at the
"cost of material" price.

Another timely Ontario special—400 gingham
dresses in styles suitable for house or street wear.
The material is of fine gingham and percales in
neat stripes and figures in blues, pinks, lavenders,
greys and white with stripes. In style these dresses
are right up to date with full skirt; neat, attrac-
tive good fitting lines; and trimmed with embroi-
dery or self embroidered in washable cottons. They
are well made, all seams being carefully sewed.
Our price hardly covers the cost of the material
we use to make the dress yourself, to say nothing
of the time and bother. Remember the days and
the price for this is a sale that you should not miss.

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On sale Wednesday and Thursday
in our Ladies' Dept. (second floor)
and in our Bargain Basement.

R. B. Griffith Co.

See Our Third Street
Window



Mail Orders Carefully Filled If
Color and Size Are Given
Postage 5c Extra.

BUILDING ACTIVE
DURING THE YEAR

Annual Report of City Engi-
neer Shows Excellent
Record for City.

Permits for the erection of 50 struc-
tures, amounting in value to \$336,034,
were issued in Grand Forks from
March 1, 1914, to March 1, 1915, ac-
cording to the annual report of J. J.
Smith, city engineer, submitted today
to City Auditor William Alexander.

Most of these structures were small
buildings, the only large building for
which a permit was issued, being the
new Scandinavian bank building.
There were 52 inspections of new
buildings made during the year by the
city engineer's department and 20
special inspections. There were also
170 inspections of water and sewer
connections, 88 inspections of plum-
bing and one inspection of building for
which a permit was issued, being the
new Scandinavian bank building.

The number of permits for water
and sewer connections issued during
the year was 165.
The general financial depression in
most parts of the country as a result
of the European war, conditions in
Grand Forks have been such that a
large amount of building has been
possible.

There are also a number of build-
ings now under construction for which
permits have not as yet been secured.

TWO FAST GAMES
PLAYED SATURDAY

Individual Scores in the In-
termediate and Junior
Leagues at the "Y."

Saturday morning following the 9
o'clock classes at the Y. M. C. A., two
fast basketball games were played.
The Mandans won 5 to 4 and the
Dakotas won 4 to 2. The Dakotas ad-
ded 30 points to their score while the
Mandans added only 21 points.

Team Standings.
Mandans 371
Dakotas 312
Individual Standings.
Halphe Rhode 46
Henry Schultheis 32
Fritz Forsyth 32
Junior League 20

The Packard team defeated the
Hups 4 to 0, Saturday, while the
Hudsons and Franklins failed to score.

Team Standings.
Hups 248
Packards 223
Hudsons 166
Franklins 130
Individual Scores.
Orvin Rhode 49
Nathan Fishman 33
Harry Turner 33

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.
The world is too partisan along the
line of selfishness, and not partisan
enough in the principles of brother-
hood.

Formerly the farmers needed some
of the optimism of the cities, but now
the cities need some of the optimism
of the farmers.

Amidst the intense interest of the
current war now the most of us make
little effort to know who is the latest
president of Mexico.
KNEW HIS WORK.
Joke Writer—Doctor, I feel aw-
fully funny.
Doctor—Ah! Hallucinations, com-
bined with deficiency of judgment!
You need cerebral surroundings, ab-
sence from business cares and a liver
tonic. Two dollars, please!

NORTH AND SOUTH END
ICE ATHLETES FAIL TO
REACH ANY AGREEMENT

The meeting of the committees
in charge of the north and south
end contests took place Saturday
afternoon.
It resulted in lengthy argu-
ments and few results.
The south end still maintained
their position. Bert Latimer
is a professional courier and
consequently was disqualified to partic-
ipate in the contests.

The north end refused to change
their position. Bert Latimer
is a professional courier and
consequently was disqualified to partic-
ipate in the contests.
"Doc" Hershberger maintains
his original position that they are
a bunch of "crabwashers" and will
now challenge them to a hockey
game to be played by curlers.

He wants to place seven men
on a side, put on skates, and play
with brooms and a football. He
claims that the north end is profi-
cient in this branch of sport.
The south end professes their
ignorance of this game and wishes
to confine themselves to skating
activities and relay races.
It is hoped that a curling match
can be arranged, even though it
becomes necessary for Latimer to
sue his medals in order to qual-
ify as an amateur.

COUNTY RECEIVES AUTO
LICENSE FEES; WILL BE
USED IN MAKING ROADS

The total number of auto-
mobiles registered in Grand Forks
county for the year of 1914 was
89 according to the report received
from Secretary of State Hall to-
day.
There were also 99 motorcycles
registered in the county.

The total revenue from licenses
received by this county was
\$2,865.77. This money goes into
fund to be used on the county
roads.
The total amount which was
collected from motor vehicles in
the year of 1914 by the state was
\$3,864.
The expense, which included
cost of registration, tags, postage,
printing, etc., amounted to \$8,-
838.85, leaving \$30,426.77 to be
divided among the counties of the
state in proportion to the number
of automobiles and motorcycles
registered from each county.

FILIBUSTER IN
THE HOUSE TODAY

The Republicans Succeed in
Blocking the Ship Pur-
chase Bill.

Washington, March 1.—The house
republicans filibustered the adminis-
tration ship bill off the program for
today at least and probably for the re-
turning three day of the session.
When the bill appeared in the form
of a conference report, the republic-
cans blocked it successfully and the
administration leaders abandoned
plans for putting it through today.
Rural credits legislation, as part
of the agricultural appropriation bill,
came up in the house today. The com-
mittee substituted the Hollis bill for
the McCumber plan.
The Hollis bill provides for a na-
tional chartered private land banks,
which has the approval of the admin-
istration.

MATTHEWS SPEAKS TO BOYS

"What is a Christian Life?" Discussed
at Y. M. C. A. Meeting Held
Sunday Afternoon.
A large number attended the Boys'
meeting held at the Y. M. C. A. yes-
terday.
An address was given by Rev. W. H.
Matthews on the subject of "What is
the Christian Life." He divided his
speech into five parts and treated each
conclusively and elaborately. The
parts into which he divided his speech
were creed, confession, conduct, com-
munion and conquest.
Mr. Matthews speech was interest-
ing to the boys and enjoyed by all.
The scripture lesson was in charge
of Claybourne Angle. Richard
Forsyth played a piano solo and the
orchestra helped to make the meeting
a success.

The Boston Transcript says that
"when the Kaiser looks at a map of
the United States all he can see is
Milwaukee." But possibly it is differ-
ent since Milwaukee got busy on those
big contracts to make war equipment
for the allies.

MONTHLY REPORT
OF WATER WORKS

Shows That 99 Per Cent of
Bacteria Are Removed
by Filtration.

There were 25,116,000 gallons of
water pumped by the city water works
during the month of January, accord-
ing to the report turned in today by
J. J. Smith, city engineer.
Of this 2,536,000 gallons were used
by the Russell-Miller Milling com-
pany, 6,537,750 gallons by the Great
Northern railway and 10,748,596 gal-
lons passed through the city mains.
The remainder is charged up to leak-
age, unexplained loss, fires, etc.
The amount collected for water dur-
ing the month was \$4,532.54, accord-
ing to the report.

The report of the city filter plant
for the month of February showed
that no B. coli bacteria were found
in the city water during the entire
month.
It is also shown that 99 per cent
of the bacteria found in the raw wa-
ter were removed by filtration.

A GENTLE HINT.



Mr. Oldbatch—Mr. Willing was your
last husband, was he not?
The Widow Willing—My latest hus-
band. I'd hate to think of him as my
last husband.

OUR INTEREST

in you is not determined by the amount of your
business. We are interested in your success be-
cause without the success of the individuals of
this community we cannot succeed.

4% ON SAVINGS
Figured From March 1st, Compounded

Farmers and Mechanics Savings Bank
Grand Forks, N. D.
Open Saturday Evenings

"Pay a Little at a Time"

That is the motto of the instalment houses
which help thousands to furnish their homes on
easy payments. It is likewise the principle upon
which many real estate and insurance companies
operate.

Apply this idea to your savings account at the
First National Bank. Consider that you owe that
account so much a year and pay your debt in week-
ly or monthly instalments. Almost before you
know it, you will have accomplished some substan-
tial results.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
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SIX PER CENT.
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For the safe investment of large and
small sums our Six Per Cent FIRST
FARM MORTGAGES meet every re-
quirement of a sound interest bearing
security.

Your money invested in our First Mort-
gages earns Six Per Cent collected and
remitted free. You are assured of ab-
solute security and relieved of any an-
noyance in connection with the invest-
ment as we look after all details.

Local parties having funds to place
safely are invited to avail themselves of
our services in furnishing First Farm
Mortgages of the highest character in
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Current list of offerings and detailed in-
formation furnished on request.

INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT.
E. J. LANDER & CO.
Grand Forks, N. D.



SAVINGS DEPOSITED
AT THIS BANK

on or before the 5th will be en-
titled to interest from the 1st
This makes it an object for you
to bring in your deposit not later
than Friday the 5th in order
that you may get interest for
March.

Interest on Savings is allowed
by the calendar month and com-
pounded quarterly.
Open Saturday Evenings

6% INVESTMENTS 6%

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STATE
BANK
GRAND FORKS