

The City in Brief

For Houses for Rent—See the want ad page.—Adv.
Dreamland—Dance hall open Wednesday and Saturday.—Adv.
For Sale—A nice litter of English setter puppies. Right age for this fall's shooting. Males, \$15; females, \$10. J. C. Sheppard.—Adv.
Murphy Likes South—M. F. Murphy of this city is having the time of his life at Hot Springs, Ark., according to a letter received from him by local friends.

Umbrellas at Half Price may now be had at Mrs. A. T. Stinson's, Third street and Bruce.—Adv.
Woodmen Dance—A dance will be held at Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening under the auspices of the drill team of the local camp of the Modern Woodmen of America.
Party at Bathgate—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hodgson of Bathgate, N. D., entertained a large party of young people at their home last Friday evening.

Coln Collection—A collection of colns and paper money, owned by H. E. Payne, South Fifth street is now on exhibition at the Farmers' and Mechanics' bank.
Reaches Frisco—Dean Babcock, who is in charge of the North Dakota mineral exhibit at the San Francisco exposition has reached San Francisco according to word received here.
Celebrate Birthday—A celebration in honor of the fifty-fifth birthday of Rev. A. J. Hulteng was held at the regular meeting of the Scandinavian Factors' association held Tuesday afternoon.

Bicycle Repairing—Let us put your bicycle in shape for the riding season. All work guaranteed. New and second hand bicycles, \$8.00 to \$40.00. Lyons & Co.—Adv.
At Hot Springs—F. L. Goodman of the Northwestern Trust company has written from Hot Springs, Ark., declaring that he is "feeling much better" than when he left Grand Forks.
Northwood Shoppers—Misses Josie and Clara Knudson and Teckla Ender, all of Northwood, were city shoppers for a couple of days this week. They also visited friends.

Go to Marvel—Mrs. E. Sarden and daughter Regina, Mrs. Belle Bye have gone to Marvel, N. D., where they will visit relatives for a short time.
Improving Offices—The offices of the Geo. E. Duis company, located on South Fifth street, are undergoing repairs. The offices are being redecorated and otherwise improved.
Cooley to Minot—Judge C. M. Cooley of this city will be in Minot tonight to hear a number of cases for Judge C. W. Leighton. Judge Leighton will take Judge Cooley's place at the regular Nelson county term of court at Lakota.

House Cleaning Time is very near. Come in and take a look at what you may need this spring. It may remind you that we have just what you have been thinking of using in the way of colors, schemes of wall papers, wall finishes, mouldings, flat paints, shells, glass and picture frames. J. H. Lamb, "The House Cleaner."—Adv.
Lowe Warns Cyclists—Bicycle riders must keep off the sidewalks in sections of the city where the streets are paved, according to Chief J. W. Lowe. This practice is forbidden by city ordinance and is punishable by a fine of not less than \$1. The chief intends to enforce the ordinance.
Adding Machine Contest Postponed—The public adding machine contest scheduled for this evening at the Commercial club rooms has been postponed on account of conflicting dates and will be held Thursday, March 18, instead. The contestants are making good use of the extra time to speed up on their listing, and some fast time is sure to be made.

Real Estate Deals—Transfers recorded by the register of deeds, A. M. Lodmell, yesterday, were: E. E. Drinnin and wife to W. L. Forbes, 220 acres in Wheatfield township, consideration private; Arie Samson and wife to W. L. Forbes, 320 acres in Wheatfield township, consideration private; H. Swagstad and wife to Walter E. Swagstad, lots 16 and 17, block 1, in the village of Thompson, consideration private; Mitchell M. Lockery and wife to Alice C. Lockery, the south half of lot 3, block 31, in the original township of the city of Grand Forks, consideration private.

When You Move to Your New House see to it that you hire an experienced and careful transfer man. You'll find them listed on the want ad page.—Adv.
Squires to Speak—Dean V. P. Squires of the state university will speak at Emerado this evening. Next Friday evening he will speak at LaMoure.
We Have Just Received our No-Vary coupons and will give coupons with cash packages and accounts paid before the 10th of the following month. Model Steam Laundry.—Adv.
Marriage Licenses—Marriage licenses were issued Tuesday by County Judge L. K. Hassell to Wallace Stearns of Grand Forks and Miss Laura Carl of Devils Lake, and to Ole Benson and Miss Susie Healy, both of Gilby.

Dinner at Club—A regular bi-weekly dinner will be given at the Commercial club Tuesday night. The speaker has not been announced.
One Drunk Today—One drunk was picked up by the police Monday night. He paid a fine of \$5 when arraigned in police court this morning.
Bishop Returns—H. W. Bishop, traffic expert for the General Brokerage company, returned Monday night from a brief visit to St. Paul.
Park River Visitor—James Bruce spent the latter part of last week visiting friends in the city, returning home this morning.
Inkster Man in the City—Jim McManus of Inkster has returned home after transacting business here.
Returned Home—J. V. Birder and C. P. O'Brien returned to their homes in Park River this morning.
Visiting Friends in Winnipeg—Hermon Hanson of this city spent Sunday in Winnipeg visiting friends. He returned to Grand Forks last evening.

New Baby Boy—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Levin Minto, at the home of H. Solow, a baby boy last evening.
Duluth Attorney Here—C. W. Sulton, attorney of Duluth, Minn., is here today in connection with a bankruptcy case in Hibbing, Minn., regarding which depositions are to be taken before Federal Referee T. B. Eiton.
"IRISH OPAL" TO APPEAR AT GRAND St. Patrick's Day Matinee Promises to be Artistic Performance.

Everything is in readiness for the production of "The Irish Opal" to be given at the Grand theater at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of the ladies of St. Mary's Catholic parish, and under the direction of Miss Geraldine Jacob.
The dress rehearsal of the musical sketch was held at the Grand this afternoon and went off with a spirit and dash that promises well for Wednesday afternoon.
Although the seat sale for the production has been large there are still a large number of tickets left which may be obtained from the ladies of the parish.
Manager Kavanaugh has donated the use of the theater free of charge for the occasion.
The production promises to be one of the most delicate and artistic ever seen in Grand Forks. The songs and dances arranged for the thirty young women who are to be in the chorus are especially adapted to their talents and should prove highly successful.
Miss Jacob herself will appear in the leading role. Her ability is well known in this city. Her two interpretive dances with Warren Maunsel promise to be especially delightful.

ROBERT STANLEY IS NOT GUILTY
Devils Lake, N. D., March 16.—Not guilty was the verdict returned this afternoon in the case against Robert Stanley, charged with selling mortgaged property, following the hardest legal battle of this term of court.

WILSON ASSURED OF BETTER DAYS
Anticipates Little More Trouble for Foreigners in Old Mexico.

Washington, March 16.—Official assurance that General Carranza abandoned his blockade, were received from American Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz from Carranza's minister of foreign affairs.
Conditions in Mexico generally are regarded by President Wilson as much less in ferment than a few days ago. It is held here that American representations had been effective and he felt now more security for foreigners.

RE-HEARING ASKED ON EXPRESS RATES
Companies Insist Commerce Commission's Ruling is Too Low.

Washington, March 16.—Representatives of the American, Adams, Southern, and Wells-Fargo Express companies asked today of the interstate commerce commission to file a petition for rehearing in the express rate case. They declared the low rate in force, prescribed by the commission, has been "disastrous."
Commissioner Clark announced the petition will be received and the commission will consider the application for rehearing.
The petition sets forth that the first ten months' operation under the new rates brought four companies deficit orders and three quarter millions of dollars.

CITY PERSONALS
H. Van Dusen was in Gilby over Sunday, visiting relatives.
John Moses spent Sunday in Fargo, returning to Grand Forks Sunday evening.
Ole Axiom is spending a week in Grafton on business.
Father Koelman and Father H. Von Heer of Reynolds were visitors in Grand Forks Monday.
C. C. Fair returned to Grand Forks Monday from a business trip to Aberdeen, S. D.

East Grand Forks COUNTY DIVISION HAS SLIM CHANCE
This is Indicated in Reports from Twin Cities—Factor in Another Fight.

Judging from reports from the twin cities, the Polk county division bill, introduced by Representative John T. Boyd of Crookston, will not pass. This bill has become an important factor in the St. Louis county division proposition, which has been before the legislature for some time, and, according to the following story from the St. Paul Dispatch, has killed the chances of all measures. The story follows:
"The St. Louis county division bill will be a special order in the house March 23, and the rival factions now are counting noses to determine their chances for success when the final vote is taken. The contest promises to be one of the most spectacular of the remaining days of the legislative session."
"The bill provides that the northern end of St. Louis county, including the iron range territory, may secede from the southern section, which includes Duluth, by the simple process of holding an election at which 60 per cent of the electors voting on the proposition in the district desiring separation may bring about the formation of a new county. This is considered a novel procedure, and in addition the bill is so encumbered with territorial and population restrictions that it applies only to St. Louis county."

Boyd Has Bill.
"Another factor has been injected into the fight by Representative J. H. Boyd of Crookston, who has introduced a similar bill applying only to Polk, his home county, and Otter Tail county. The northern end of Polk is dry and the Crookston district desires separation in order that it may maintain its saloons under county option. The western section of Otter Tail is dry. As to the northeastern section, including Perham, there is a controversy as to whether the provisions of the treaty of 1855 apply."
"Mr. Boyd points out that if a bill for division is all right for St. Louis county it certainly cannot be objected to as to Polk and Otter Tail. His bill has stirred the dry in the house and they are fearful of the ultimate result should they sanction the St. Louis county proposition."

May Be No Legislation.
"Another result it looks now as though all county division legislation is dead for this session. In fact the supporters of the original St. Louis county bill are not happy over the new turn affairs have taken, but they will press their measure to a vote."
"The situation in the senate is much the same, although the divisionists are counting on a hardy and sure vote and have until recently been hoping of getting ten more, which would give them one more than a majority."

FUNERAL SERVICES TOMORROW
Remains to be Buried in Marais Cemetery, North Mallory—Services



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GROCERY AND MARKET BARGAIN PAGE
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PENNSYLVANIA, THE WORLD'S GREATEST BATTLESHIP
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almost the limit in size for the Panama canal and present navy dry docks. There are only few docks in the world which can receive her and she could not be sent to any harbor except under most favorable conditions of tide and wind.
Cost of Over \$13,000,000.
When completed the Pennsylvania will have cost the government more than \$13,000,000. She will be ready for commission, under contract, by October 28, 1916. Her keel was laid October 28, 1912.
The enormous size of the new ship and the startling rapidity with which battleship construction had developed, and before the great war is indicated by comparison of the Pennsylvania with the British battleship Dreadnought, first of the all-big-gun ships in any navy. The Dreadnought was estimated for in 1907. She was designed to displace 17,900 tons but actually is considerably larger. In the main battery are ten 12-inch guns with a broadside fire of six guns and her trial speed was 21.2 knots.
The Engine Question.
The Pennsylvania will be equipped with turbine engines as is the Oklahoma, the Queen Elizabeth and all of these battle craft. The Nevada will be equipped with reciprocating engines while the California of the 22,000 class will be driven by electricity. One of the other two American battleships of the California class will have turbine engines and the other reciprocating in line with the navy department's policy of not entirely abandoning the reciprocating type until a thoroughly satisfactory marine turbine is found. If the experiment on the California with electric drive, current to be generated by steam turbines running at high speed, is successful, the engine problem may be solved. It already has proved satisfactory in a main battery and when there is a war on between foreign nations, occasionally he holds out the olive branch.

A Menu Shift.
(Youth's Companion.)
The teacher had been plying the geography class with questions about Mexico. Then, suddenly, without the slightest warning she asked: "What are the Dry Tortugas?"
Johnny was so sure of himself that he not only raised his hand, but fairly yelled at her in his eagerness. When the teacher finally smiled at him and nodded, he answered, proudly: "They're griddle cakes without any butter or maple sirup on them."

POLITICAL FORESTRY.
(Pittsburgh Post.)
"Well, a statesman uses a good deal of forestry in his business."
"How so?"
"The cherry tree provides him with anecdotes, the plum tree with jobs for his constituents, and when there is a war on between foreign nations, occasionally he holds out the olive branch."

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PLAN CLEANUP WEEK.
Washington, March 16.—This city's going to be a spotless town soon. Its "most prominent citizens" gathered today in a big meeting to organize a "cleanup and beautify" week campaign to start April 5.
FRISCO SPECIAL ELECTION.
San Francisco, March 16.—Whether the taxpayers of this city shall submit to a special tax to provide a fund for advertising San Francisco more extensively was the issue at a special election today.
STRICTLY BUSINESS.
(London Opinion.)
New Recruit to General—Excuse me, sir, I'm rather fed up with this job. I should like to give a week's notice.

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