

News of North Dakota

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Y. W. C. A. of Minot Holding Services Today—Fiftieth Birthday.

Minot, N. D., March 3.—The national service for the fiftieth birthday of the Young Women's Christian association will take place this evening at the Y. W. C. A. rooms starting at 8 o'clock. On March 3, 1866, the organization was first opened in Boston. At first it had merely rest rooms with a library, employment bureau, boarding house directory, and classes—educational, including the Bible. During the next year, the demand compelled the opening of a home large enough to accommodate at least eighty young women. They were provided with accommodations at cost. This proved to be such an advance for the interests of young women that there are now over 200 well equipped homes in the United States owned by the Y. W. C. A. Every city where there are employed young women has the right to a home. If circumstances do not allow her to live with her own family and be employed, provision should be made for such where she does find employment. Needs only have brought the Young Women's Christian association to its place of high standing among national organizations. It will be a welcome privilege for the 575 associations to meet in their various homes tonight to celebrate such a growth. Rev. P. W. Erickson of the Presbyterian church will deliver the address of the evening for the Minot association and special music has been arranged for. Mrs. Dr. L. H. Kernott is chairman of the committee. In charge of the evening. Men and women are invited to meet with the city association at this impressive half century birthday service.

MURDER RESULTS FROM QUARREL

Deadwood, S. D., March 3.—William N. Berry, rancher near here, sat in his ranch house and fired a bullet through the door, killing Waite Anderson, a neighbor who was approaching the Berry home. The killing was the result of a quarrel some weeks ago, it is said. Berry walked to Deadwood and gave himself up. Anderson's body was found in the snow.

ITCHING BLISTERS ON BOY'S HEAD

Got Worse. Affected Ears, Neck and Face. Scratched Day and Night. Terribly Disfigured.

HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"When four months old my boy suffered with blisters and a kind of scaly skin on his head. I got some salve and he didn't seem to improve but got worse and his ears, neck, and face were affected. He scratched day and night the itching was so intense, and we had to keep his hands pinned the whole time. The skin was sore and inflamed, and he didn't have a hair on his head. It was just a cap of sore eruptions, and his face was terribly disfigured. "He got so bad we had to keep a mask on his face. The trouble lasted for months, when a lady told my husband about Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and we got them. The third day I noticed a big improvement and in two weeks my boy was healed." (Signed) Mrs. H. A. Thiele, 348 6th St., Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 26, 1914. Sample Each Free by Mail. With 32-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

HOGS LOST FOR 70 DAYS ARE FOUND ALIVE UNDER STRAW STACK BY FARMER

Center, N. D., March 3.—Hearing sounds from beneath a strawstack, Henry Leech, a farmer near Rosebud, investigated and found three hogs which had been missing 70 days. The animals had no water and nothing to eat but straw, but were still able to walk.

GRAND HARBOR SCHOOL BURNS

Devils Lake, N. D., March 3.—Fire which is believed started from a defective chimney, destroyed the school building at Grand Harbor. Thirty students, in the two rooms of the structure that were used, escaped without injury. Without any fire fighting apparatus, Grand Harbor was at the mercy of the flames. Outside of protecting other structures, the residents of the first station were helpless. Announcement is made that school work will be resumed next week, it being the present plan to rent a public hall for a school room. It is not known whether one or two teachers will be retained on account of the lack of room. The school house which was destroyed was a large commodious structure, which cost about \$3,000. A reasonable amount of insurance was carried, it is reported.

RETAIL MERCHANTS ARE TO ORGANIZE

Langdon, N. D., March 3.—At a dinner given at the U. C. T. hotel, twenty-four of the retail merchants of Langdon, representing every line of business in the city, decided to form an organization looking to better trade conditions in the city. The need of such an organization has been felt for some time, and consequently the retailers have felt that they were behind the times. It is not an organization that has for its object a raise in prices, but the one ultimate objective is the giving of better service to the patrons of the several institutions. All things in connection with the organization will work to this end. The dinner was put on by the committee that had been considering the advisability of forming an organization here, namely: R. O. Miller, M. O. Strom and Arthur Sparling. They had everything well in hand, and after the matter had been fully discussed by those present, it was decided to have Commissioner of Agriculture Flint and Dairy Commissioner Miller here to speak, although this is not yet assured.

INSTITUTE TO BE HELD MARCH 7-8

Dickinson, N. D., March 3.—Dickinson will have a farmers' institute for two days, March 7 and 8, and every farmer in Stark and adjoining counties should plan to attend if it is in any way possible. The above dates were arranged, as it was believed that at this time the farmers would be better enabled to leave their work than at any other time. An expert land speaker will also be present so that it is an important factor to bring the wives and daughters to the institute. This course is given absolutely free by the department of agriculture and every farmer or those interested in farming should take advantage of it. It is also planned to have Commissioner of Agriculture Flint and Dairy Commissioner Miller here to speak, although this is not yet assured.

FINGERS TORN BY DYNAMITE CAPS

Dogden, March 3.—Mike Strahar, a Russian farmer near here, is out of the hospital today. He recently found some dynamite caps and didn't know what they were. Prying them open caused an explosion that tore to shreds all his fingers.

WOULD PROTECT PRAIRIE HENS

Audubon Society of Manitoba and North Dakota Issue Resolutions.

Winnipeg, Man., March 3.—Three important resolutions were issued by the Audubon society to present to the government to assist in game reservation. In a letter to the secretary of the North Dakota. The society claims that owing to the almost complete destruction of the eggs of prairie chickens by frost during the spring of 1915, and that this bird is of great value to the farmer in destroying his insect enemies, nothing short of a closed season for a long of years will save the species from extinction. Speaking in the interest of 97 per cent of the population who do not shoot, the society urged that legislation should be passed that will prevent their extermination. The second measure deals with the protection of prairie birds on single state or nation, and in view of recent action in the United States, should be followed by similar steps in Manitoba.

WASHBURN WANTS BIG STATE SCHOOL

Washburn, N. D., March 3.—Washburn wants the North Dakota agricultural college, and is so deadly in earnest about it that the citizens have organized the Agricultural College Removal association. This organization was perfected at Washburn when a mass meeting of citizens was held. A number of resolutions were announced, has already been subscribed, and the organization wants \$15,000 more. Kar was elected president. John Satterlund presided at the mass meeting. August Johnson was elected treasurer. Initiative petitions to move the school to Washburn and his picture circulated over the state at once. Large contributions to the campaign were made by the Washburn estate. Ben-ton Fickett and other business men and farmers.

STILL DANGER FROM FLOODS

Bismarck, N. D., March 3.—While the height of the water in the Missouri river is practically stationary for the past 48 hours, danger from floods is by no means past, according to Orvis W. Roberts of the United States bureau station here. He said there is no immediate danger as long as the present weather conditions exist, but Observer Roberts looks for a decided rise in temperature before Saturday. Conditions at Mandan are about the same. The gorge in the Heart river is still frozen solid, and there is little chance to break it while the cold spell lasts. The Missouri has remained practically stationary here for the past 48 hours, as it has at Ree and Washburn. The fact that the water level at Williston in the same period of time. The river, however, is within 1 1/2 feet of reaching the high banks south of this city.

The Missouri is open from Elk Point, S. D., 30 miles north of Sioux City, Iowa, to the mouth, but from that point north the stream is frozen solid to its source. With the warm weather predicted there is still considerable danger from floods along the river.

Frank Ingalls of Jamestown, one of the Northern Pacific officials who has watched the river for 30 years, says that it has reached the highest stage on record without taking out the ice. Mr. Ingalls believes that the crest of the high water is here now, but does not look for the ice to go out before the middle of this month.

MANY FARMERS HEAVY LOSERS

Mandan, N. D., March 3.—That juggling of the wheat markets by speculators cost farmers of this section of the state hundreds of thousands of dollars in charges preferred today. One local farmer, having a 4,000 bushels of wheat until he could secure \$1.25 on the local market. Touching \$1.24 the wheat tumbled to 92 cents today and he a thousand dollars loser. It is the story of many.

Some farmers were lucky. Anton Kathrein of Bismarck couldn't secure a threshing outfit early in the season, and was forced to wait until Christmas week before his grain was threshed. His threshing was completed at the time the grain was at its highest mark, and he marketed 6,000 bushels of wheat and several hundred bushels of flax. As he would have marketed to his own threshing outfit if threshing had been done in the season he made \$2,000 by being late. Flax he raised on one quarter of land yielded enough to pay cash for eighty acres he had contracted for.

SCHOOL ORCHESTRA MAKES BIG HIT

Langdon, N. D., March 3.—The orchestra of the Langdon high school made its first public appearance at the Thursday evening concert at the community institute, when Dr. Boyle of the state university delivered his very entertaining lecture on "Home Economics." The orchestra only had an opportunity to play two selections of its repertoire, but showed enough skill and energy to have put on an evening's program all its own. The orchestra is of recent organization and has been holding practices under the leadership of Miss Nugent, the school's teacher of music and drawing for the past three months. The following are included in the instrumentation of the orchestra: Leader and First Violin—Miss Nugent; Violins—Leo Koehmstedt, Charlie Fox, Richard Burke; Clarinet—Clifford Wold, Eugene Ribbard; Cornets—Miles Wold, L. Schoenbecker, Jr.; Trombones—Austin Hamilton, John Schwinghamer; Snare Drum—Harold Mausten; Alto—William Schwinghamer; Pianist—Miss Anna Stevensen. Avoid war excitement—but better still avoid needless and needless.

GETS MODEST PAY OF \$670,000 A YEAR



Charles Chaplin.

Without his famous mustache, "canal boots" and bamboo rod, to say nothing of the "lid," you would never recognize in this clean-cut young Englishman the celebrated pantomime artist who has made millions roar at his antics in the films. Charlie Chaplin spent the first years of his life in a poorhouse, but the chances are he will not go there again. He has just signed a contract with a big film corporation, granting him a salary of \$670,000 for his next year's work.

BAND DAY WILL FEATURE MEET

Mandan, N. D., March 3.—From information received from leaders and officers of many bands in this section of the state it is predicted that at least 300 musicians will gather here for band day, which is to be a feature of the Mandan fifth annual chautauque assembly, July 2-18. A program of ten selections will be sent to each of the bands to enter the big contest, and all will combine in one great program, the largest band ever gathered in North Dakota. Sousa's Stars and Stripes Forever" will be a feature of the contest.

SCHOOL BOARD TO HOLD ELECTION

Mandan, N. D., March 3.—The city board of education today called a special school election for Saturday, March 18, when the tax payers will vote on the proposition of bonding the city for \$20,000. The money will be used in building an addition to the high school.

ISAACS MAY BE U. S. MIDSHIPMAN

Jamestown, N. D., March 3.—Stutsman county is again in the front, with a boy who stands physically, mentally and morally well up toward the top of the list. It is Willard Isaacs of Buchanan, who recently took the examination in Jamestown against a field of four others, for nomination for midshipman at Annapolis. The following dispatch from Washington says: "Senator Gronna has submitted nominations to Secretary J. Daniels for midshipmen at the Annapolis naval academy. The principal candidate for the first place is Eugene W. Hurley of Mandan, and the alternates are Harold A. Hill of Dickinson, Arnold B. Flow of Bismarck and Charles H. Francis of Williston. The principal candidate for the second place is Adolph Hege of Hutton, and the alternates are Willard L. Isaacs of Buchanan and Abraham Langowski of Minot."

WILL ADVERTISE FOR PAVING BIDS

Mandan, N. D., March 3.—At a meeting of the board of city commissioners Thursday night, an advertisement for bids was authorized on the paving of 35 blocks on seven streets in the residence districts. Engineer Rundlett, formerly of St. Paul, addressed the commissioners and endorsed the plans as provided by City Engineers Black & Griffin. Mandan is the only city in southern North Dakota west of Fargo with paved streets, and when the present work is completed will rank third in North Dakota in the number of miles of improvement.

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made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies all the nutriment of the grains, including their vital mineral salts—phosphate of potash, etc. These mineral elements, lacking in the usual diet of many persons, are imperative for keeping body and brain healthy and vigorous.

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"There's a Reason"

ENDORSED FOR POSTMASTER

William Belford is Named at Meeting of County Central Committee.

Devils Lake, N. D., March 3.—At the court house in this city there was a meeting of the democratic central committee, the same having been called to take up the matter of endorsing a candidate for the position of postmaster in this city. At present Mr. Bloom is holding the position, but has asked to be relieved, and the name of H. S. Davies was sent up to the senate, but this was not satisfactory to the democrats of the county, and they decided to call a meeting to take some action and the call was made to convene. There was a good representative meeting, and after the matter was talked over the name of W. H. Belford was presented and unanimously selected as the man for the place. Mr. Belford is an old democrat and has done much for his party and there is no doubt but the choice gives general satisfaction to the democrats of the county and to the patrons of the office.

Normal School Notes

Mayville, N. D., March 3.—President Hillier returned from his eastern trip on Wednesday, March 1, having enjoyed the two meetings at Chicago and Detroit respectively. Practice on Mrs. Temple's Telegram" is progressing rapidly and the interest in the play is increasing constantly. The cast of characters is announced and includes such persons as assure an enterprising evening. The Department of Expression is very busy just now preparing to give play recitals. Further notice of this will be made later. Mrs. and Miss Olson and Miss Nelson pleasantly entertained the married ladies of the faculty and a few other friends last Friday evening. Dr. Stoltz who supplied the pulpit of the Congregational church on Sunday during the absence of the pastor, took dinner on Sunday with Mr. Wilkinson at Palmer hall.

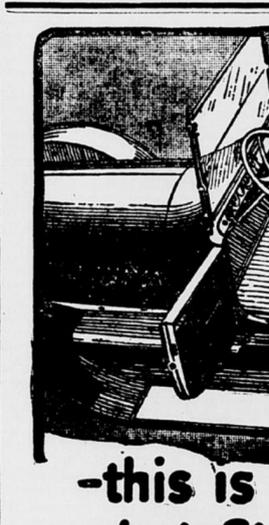
Colonel Shields, the Bird and Animal Man, gave an illustrated lecture of wild birds and animals. His address is a timely message for the preservation of wild game and his pictures were excellent in every respect. Some of these pictures are most remarkable. Colonel Shields is intensely interested in his work and is an interesting man with whom to talk.

The ninth number of the normal school lecture course was an entertainment by the Robley quartette. The entertainment was varied and planned to please a mixed audience. Judging from the response by the audience, the gentlemen were successful in their efforts and were generous in their response to enticement. Their program should not be considered a concert and should not be expected to compare with the programs of musicians whose sole interest is music and who render only the classical.

Those boarding at Palmer hall this winter have been constantly reminded that the normal school has a greenhouse. Since the beginning of the blooming season for forcing bulbs, each table in the boarding department has been graced by a pot of such flowers. Mr. Tharadon has been exceptionally successful in caring for these plants and the blooms have been beautiful.

TO TOUR YELLOWSTONE PARK

Mandan, N. D., March 3.—Following the announcement that nearly a dozen cars will tour from Center, Oliver county to Yellowstone park next summer, in one party, Mandan automobile club members are discussing the possibility of a club tour at the same time. It is proposed to secure at least 75 cars from Center, Mandan, Bismarck and other towns to make the trip at the same time.



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WHITE SLAVERY TRAFFIC ENDED

Jamestown, N. D., March 3.—White slave traffic in Jamestown got a jolt when Harry Lancaster, at least that is the name he gave Judge Murphy, was bound over to the district court in \$1,000 bonds to await the next term of district court. In lieu of the bond he is now in the county jail.

A woman from Valley City was also held under \$500 bonds and as she was unable to find this much change upon her person she, too, now abides with the sheriff temporarily. A young woman, taken with the trio, was sent to her parents in the country.

A local hotel has been the scene of operations of the couple, it is said, but the activity of the local officer was responsible for the arrest and the party being broken up.

GRAIN COMES

Max, N. D., March 3.—It is remarkable the amount of grain in this locality which still remains unmarketed. It was estimated in the early part of the winter that about 1,000,000 bushels of grain would be marketed here this year but it is a certainty now that the figures will far exceed that amount. The car shortage is just as bad now as it was last fall and the grain is coming in just as fast.

TO MANAGE TEAM

Killdeer, N. D., March 3.—V. A. Tiltonson, manager of the Tiltonson Valley State bank, J. J. Englehardt was elected assistant cashier. The surplus of the bank was increased by \$3,000.

TERRIBLY SCALDED

Center, N. D., March 3.—When C. A. McCormack, janitor in the Central school building, tried to tighten a loose valve on the steam heating apparatus, he broke it off and was terribly scalded. He will recover.

ASSISTANT CASHIER

Beach, N. D., March 3.—At the annual meeting of the Golden Valley State bank, J. J. Englehardt was elected assistant cashier. The surplus of the bank was increased by \$3,000.

A SAD ACCIDENT

Minot, N. D., March 3.—A sad accident occurred at the home of Brit Douglas, at Elk Landing, McKenzie county. Mr. Douglas and wife had gone to the general store conducted by Douglas and his father-in-law, Captain Senechal, and looking back saw that the house was on fire. They rushed back and found their 7-year-old son fighting the flames. Douglas rushed in and carried the lad out, apparently not badly burned, but he died later. He was a game little man and told his father that had there been more water in the pail, he would have saved everything. The boy told his parents that he had poured gasoline on the fire to make it burn better, mistaking it for kerosene.

OLD CRAFTS ARE PUT TO USE NOW

London, March 3.—An ancient storm battered trawler with leaking sides and a worn out engine is worth more to the owner these days than a new spick and span craft with equipment a dry hold and fast engines. Similarly the one eyed skipper, who had a hard time getting a job before the war, is in more demand than one without physical defect. The reason for this is that all serviceable trawlers and able-bodied skippers are snapped up by the admiralty. Meantime, owing to the shortage of craft, the old hold and fast engines, masters are making a fortune in fishing. It is true they engage in a risky business and run the chance of both mines and submarines, but the reward for a good catch is several times that of the old days.

SOLILOQUY

The little sploch of powder That lingers on your sleeve When Mame has drawn her head away

And you have "took" your leave Will bring the pleasant memories— Until you stop to think That maybe Mame has her arms Around another girl!

Pennsylvania Punch Bowl— Railroad business in Mexico is reported to be picking up now. If the report is true it is one distinctly favorable condition.

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