



LOCAL BREVITIES.

Knutsen, the piano tuner, is in the city last Saturday. Ex-Sheriff May of Litchfield was in the city last Saturday. H. T. Olson sells marble and granite monuments at reasonable prices.

Mrs. D. N. Tallman went to the cities yesterday for a visit with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Crosby left yesterday for a brief visit in the cities.

H. W. Jones and wife, of Atwater, were registered at the Merchants Monday.

Mrs. R. R. Johnson, of Benson, was a guest at the home of B. F. Jenness last week.

FOR SALE—A good horse 6 years old, weight 1500. P. ANDERSON, 1st ward, Willmar.

Miss Mary Pollock, of Litchfield, was a guest over Sunday at the home of Rev. C. H. Johnson.

Miss Florence Porter, of Carlton college, has been enjoying a week's vacation at her home here.

George Tyler, Jr., came home last week from Carlton college to spend the spring vacation with his folks.

John Swenson, Jr., came down from Stockholm, S. D., yesterday for a visit with his parents in town of Doyre.

Solomon Porter was in Chicago county last week, where he had been called on account of the death of his mother.

Mr. Frank Dvorak came down from Beroun, Pine county, last Saturday, to bring his household goods up to his new home.

Messrs. Arthur Erickson and Emil Johnson, of Whitefield, went to Grove City last Friday for a visit with relatives and friends.

C. A. Nelson, of Willmar, will serve as one of the petit jurors at the term of U. S. Circuit court, which convenes in Fergus Falls, April 2.

A devotional meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Ward on Thursday afternoon of this week. All are cordially invited.

O. R. Berkus left yesterday on a business trip to Chicago. He will look up the markets and buy goods for his firm, Berkus, Peterson & Co.

Mrs. Maria Arneson returned to her home near Kerkhoven Monday, after a week's visit with the family of M. C. Tollefson, of the town of Willmar.

A marriage license was granted the 19th inst. to Charley G. Akerson and Miss Ida Carlberg. They were united in marriage the next day by Rev. A. F. Nelson.

Misses Porter and Pay, of Mankato, had an exhibition of art needlework at the Merchants hotel last week which was greatly admired by the ladies of the city.

Mr. John Grieff, traveling agent for Svenska Amerikanska Posten, was in town last Saturday in the interests of that paper, and made a pleasant call at the TRIBUNE office.

Miss Esther Sorenson has resumed her position at the Model Bakery. She has been attending the Seminary during the winter term, taking up the study of bookkeeping.

Genuine Rocky Mountain Tea is never sold in bulk by peddlers or less than 35c. Don't be fooled, get the tea made famous by the Madison Medicine Co. A. E. Mosberg.

We are informed that Yardmaster Carter, who has resigned his position here with the Great Northern, will be succeeded by a Mr. Williams, late of the St. Paul & Duluth road.

Misses Emma Anderson and Esther Johnson came up from Atwater last Friday and remained until Monday visiting Willmar friends. They were the guests of Miss Lillie Johnson.

The Spicer Dramatic Club is billed to present "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at Atwater on Saturday evening next. It is probable that the play will be put on here at a later date.

Rev. W. J. Johnson, of Macalester College, St. Paul, occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church last Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who was called to Chicago on account of the illness of his father.

The hearing of Albert Anton, who was held on the charge of grand larceny in the second degree, resulted in his being bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$400. He was unable to furnish bonds, and will remain in jail.

P. H. Parsons, Jr., and family are again residents of Willmar. They have removed here from Harrison and are located in their residence in the First ward. Mr. Parsons will do additional building and make other improvements on his property.

A large audience witnessed the comedy, "Prince Romiro," as presented by the Redmond company last Monday evening at the opera house. Ed. Redmond as "Jonathan Bradbury" sustained his reputation as a clever actor. The comedy was full of laughable situations and kept the audience in a constant roar of laughter.

Gone to Her Rest.

Death has removed from our midst the beloved wife of Erick Sundfors, who passed peacefully away at her home in the village last Sunday morning at 8:40. Deceased had been in feeble health for about a year and a half, being a victim to that dread disease, consumption. She had been under treatment in Minneapolis for about eight weeks, and sought relief in magnetic healing, but to no avail. She gradually grew weaker until it became necessary to bring her back and she spent her remaining days surrounded by her family.

Deceased was 26 years, 7 months and 14 days of age. She was born in the town of Doyre August 10, 1874, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. John Neegaard, former residents of that town but now living at Willmar. On June 12, 1895, Laura Mathilde Neegaard was united in marriage to Erick Sundfors, and they have ever since resided in Willmar.

Besides the husband are two children, Willard, aged 4, and Lilla, aged 2, who will greatly miss a loving wife and mother. Other relatives who will mourn her loss are the aged parents and four brothers, J. B. Tom, John and Chris. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved in their hour of affliction.

The funeral takes place today at one o'clock p. m. from the Lutheran Free church. Rev. E. E. Gynild will preach the funeral sermon, after which the remains will be taken to Eagle Lake for interment near the old home.

To-night's Concert.

The Citizens' Band has completed all arrangements for the third concert, to be given this (Wednesday) evening at the opera house. The program includes the following numbers, part one consisting entirely of selections by the band.

PART I. "Post and Peasant" overture, Tr. Suppe. "Jolly Fellows" waltz, Strauss. "A. Gloria from the 12th Mass." Mozart. "La Paloma Cuban Serenade." Yradier. "A Hunting Scene" descriptive, Buczalose. Synopsis: "The morning breaks calm and peaceful. The huntsman prepares for the pleasure of the chase. We jump into our saddles and our hounds sound a merry blast. The parties join. The road is alive with hounds. On the scent. Tally-ho. The death. The return home."

PART II. Piano Solo—Miss Ethel Raines. Vocal Solo—Miss Eleanor G. Nelson. Tanned Overture—Rossini. Willmar Orchestra. Shepherd's Sunday Song—Kreutzer. Vocal Solo—Mrs. C. H. Johnson. "Mr. Thomas-Cat" March Comique—Hall. Citizens Band.

Reserved seats on sale at Elfrustum & Co.'s drug store at 35c each. Patrons having season tickets can have them reserved at above place. The concert will commence at 8:15 p. m. sharp.

Assaulted the Marshal.

John, Dennis and Frank O'Brien, were arrested in Atwater last week for assaulting Marshal Frelander of that place. They were brought to Willmar and given a preliminary hearing; the charge against them being assault in the third degree. The case was continued until Monday of this week, when John O'Brien was brought before Judge Ottersness. He was convicted and given a fine of \$75 and costs or 70 days in jail. He appealed to the district court. Johnson & Olson appeared for the state and F. M. Olney for the defendant.

The case of Dennis and Frank O'Brien was tried on Tuesday. A change of venue was taken to the court of Justice Roise. Sam Porter appeared for the defense. They were both convicted and sentence passed as follows: Dennis O'Brien, \$50 and costs or 60 days in jail; Frank O'Brien, \$10 and costs or 30 days in jail. The former appealed to the district court and the latter settled by paying fine and costs.

The "Iowa Cyclone."

Rev. Chas. S. Dean, known as the "Iowa Cyclone," will visit Willmar and make several addresses in the cause of temperance. The dates which have been selected for his appearance here are March 28, 30, 31, and April 1. On Thursday, Saturday and Monday evenings, at 8 o'clock, he will speak at the Bonde hall, and on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock he will deliver a lecture at the opera house. The subjects of Rev. Dean's addresses are as follows: "Breaking the Wedlock," "Christian Citizenship," "What is Man?" "Does it Pay?" "Gone to Seed." Admission is free.

Rev. Dean has the reputation of being one of the most eloquent speakers of the day in the cause of temperance, and puts his subjects forth in a most interesting manner. Do not fail to hear him.

"Ready Wit and Humor."

"Those who came expecting to hear a dry harangue on a worn out theme were pleasantly disappointed. Rev. Dean is a little man, but he is terribly in earnest and knows what he is talking about. He has an abundant store of ready wit and humor and presents the drier facts in a way that is particularly effective."—Waterloo Courier.

De La Hunt's Parcel Delivery.

Trunks, parcels, packages, letters, etc., called for and delivered to any part of the city. Prompt service. Charges moderate. Office Great Northern Express. Telephone No. 92.

Met in Annual Meeting.

The eighth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary societies of the Presbytery of St. Cloud was held in the Willmar Presbyterian church last Thursday and Friday. There was a good representation of the women of the Presbytery, and interesting sessions were held. The first session was that of the Home Missionary Society. It opened Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the following being the program: Bible Reading, led by Mrs. Thos. Scotton. Music—Vocal solo by Miss Gerda Wenerlund. Minutes of last meeting; report of treasurer; reports of secretaries—Freedmen, Literature, Y. P. S. C. E.; reports from auxiliary societies; new business.

"A Bird's Eye View of State Work," paper by Mrs. T. M. Findley, Spicer. Music—Vocal duet by Misses Zylpha Williams and Gerda Wenerlund. "Golden Rule of Missions," paper prepared by Mrs. Charles Cairns, and read by Mrs. E. F. Pomeroy, Minneapolis.

Reports of committees; election of officers; offering; prayer.

The following program was given at Friday morning's session, which was occupied by the Foreign Missionary Society:

Devotional Hour. Mrs. M. E. Baum. Music—Vocal solo by Miss Eleanor Neilson.

Business; reports of secretary, treasurer, secretary of literature, secretary of Y. P. S. C. E., auxiliary societies; committees; new business; conference.

"The Crisis in China," paper by Mrs. E. V. Lewis.

Address by Rev. T. M. Findley, Pastor at Large of Presbytery.

New Ideas, New Plans, New Work for the New Century. General Discussion.

Reports of committees; election; collection.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Home Missionary Society—President, Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, St. Cloud; vice president, Mrs. M. E. Baum, Litchfield; treasurer, Mrs. O. H. Campbell, Litchfield; corresponding and recording secretary, Mrs. Thos. Scotton, Willmar; secretary of literature, Mrs. Geo. Pollock, Litchfield; secretary of Y. P. S. C. E., Mrs. S. E. P. White, Atwater; secretary of freedmen, Mrs. C. H. Sherwood, Willmar.

Foreign Missionary Society—President, Mrs. T. M. Findley, Spicer; vice president, Mrs. C. H. Johnson, Willmar; treasurer, Mrs. Agnes Beldler, St. Cloud; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. C. Ervin, St. Cloud; secretary of literature, Mrs. M. E. Baum, Litchfield; secretary of Y. P. S. C. E., Miss Grace Andrus, Willmar.

On Thursday evening a reception to delegates and friends was given at the home of Mrs. J. H. Brown and Mrs. G. W. Tyler. It was a pleasant gathering and gave the ladies a better opportunity to become acquainted with each other. A musical and literary program was given as follows: Recitation, Miss Bauer; cornet solo, J. T. Oos; piano duet, Mrs. Handy and Miss Andrus; vocal solo, Miss Neilson; recitation, Miss Hart; address, Mrs. Pomeroy. Remarks were made during the evening by Rev. T. M. Findley. A fine luncheon was served.

The following delegates and visitors were in attendance at the sessions: Litchfield—Messdames O. H. Campbell, C. A. Greenleaf, M. E. Baum, J. N. Wheeler, Penney, Geo. C. Pollock, Miss Mary Pollock. Greenleaf—Mrs. D. H. Duckering, Mrs. Rev. Boyd. Atwater—Mrs. S. E. P. White. Kerkhoven—Mrs. John H. Handyside. St. Cloud—Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Bingham. Spicer—Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Findley. Minneapolis—Mrs. E. F. Pomeroy.

Rev. Dean's Lectures.

The following are a few extracts from press notices, regarding the addresses of Rev. Chas. S. Dean, who is to give his series of talks in Willmar, commencing on Thursday evening of this week: "Was the best and most sensible we ever heard."

"His argument is both logical and illustrative, humorous and sublime."

"He is a remarkably good speaker and held the large audience spell-bound."

"The address was hot shot. Some of his illustrations were very fine."

"Mr. Dean presented his subject in a convincing and masterly manner."

"The people universally say he is the most entertaining speaker ever heard in Bricelyn."

M. E. Church Services.

Rev. F. E. Green of Fairmont, N. D., will hold services in the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Green comes well recommended and should have a large audience. All are cordially invited. COMMITTEE.

COUNTY NEWS.

Doyre.

March 18.—It is rumored that in the near future an entertainment will be given in school house, Dist. No. 62. Mr. F. Alvig is well again from his recent attack of smallpox. Oscar Anderson has hired out for seven months to J. H. Olson. Charley Hedman has hired out to Mr. A. Rydin for the summer.

Marmø.

March 25.—The farmers are busy fanning seed wheat and preparing for seeding. Nels Olson returned from the woods last Friday. He has been working near Duluth and has earned \$116. Rev. O. H. Myhren conducted services in the East Salem church Sunday forenoon. He had in company one Mr. Olson who played a big harp. Quite a few were present although it was raining. The funeral of Otto Tingvall's infant child was held Tuesday instead of Monday, as was mentioned in last week's issue. Now we people of Willmar all that want to do what is right, vote out the saloons.

Grue.

March 23.—Mrs. Erickson, and daughter, Alma, visited at O. Hendrickson's last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Stillwater, visited at Ole Erickson's. Ole Erickson's auction was a success. Arne Embertson is at Minneapolis. Sen Grue was at home last Sunday. School will close in district No. 60 next Friday. A large number of our people will attend the Arctander lecture at Willmar next Friday. Rev. E. E. Gynild visited at Waller's yesterday. The Eagle Lake Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Peter Erickson's next Thursday. Supp. E. F. Fink visited our school yesterday. Miss Minnie Nelson will depart for Chicago next Monday.

Roseland.

March 18.—T. Stob and his mother are visiting friends and relatives in Chicago. S. Dykema's family are afflicted with the smallpox. Ludwig Anderson, of Holland was visiting with Aug. Carlson's a few days the past week. Falk and Strolin's young folks visited with Anderson's Sunday. W. Olson visited his home in Atwater over Sunday. Telander Johnson's home moved to their new place in Whitefield. We are all very sorry to see them leave us, but our best wishes go with them. Gerhard Damhof is visiting friends in Iowa. The prayer meeting at Aug. Carlson's last Thursday, was well attended. Mr. Geeseck, of Raymond, had his magic lantern show in Dist. No. 90, Saturday before last. A large crowd attended. NEWS BIRDS.

Priam.

March 22.—Farmers are seen working in the fields. John Tygeson delegates and friends was given at the home of his regular visits to Willmar last Saturday. Parties from Holland township were here looking for wheat which was stolen out of their granary last week. Messrs. Ed. and Aug. Barbkuech were in the county seat Friday. We understand Barbkuech Bros. have ordered a 22-horse power traction engine of S. E. Stansberry. Priam is to have another elevator. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tygeson a bouncing baby girl, last Friday. Herman Walleen sold a horse to Geo. King, who has bought the Lind farm. Chas. Dittes was at Willmar on business one evening last week. Our wheat buyers were busy shipping outgrain last week. Misses Wright and Hart of the Willmar High school, were in our little burg last Sunday.

Sunburgh.

Moen & Gandrud are busy hauling lumber for their new store. Max Haskel, the peddler, is around selling his goods. An auction will be held at Ole Ligaarden's March 26. Ole R. Olson says that his father will be back from Norway some time in June. Mari Hei died last Wednesday after a short illness. The deceased was 85 years of age, and leaves a daughter, Mrs. O. A. Hellerud, to mourn the loss of a loving mother. O. R. Olson and Sivert Siverson made a trip to Willmar Friday. Ole Siverson is home from the pines in Wisconsin. Alfred Berg is home with his mother again. Nubben Ligaarden is in the employ of Martin Quame. Ollana Hellerud left for Moorhead last Friday, on a short visit. Rev. B. Sund from Belgrade, conducted services in the Sunburgh church Sunday. Knut Thompson, our attorney at law, was here Thursday. Thomas Quie is home from the Willmar Seminary. John Hamre is in the employ of Mrs. Ingeborg Hellerud.

(Additional county news on other pages.)

Card of Thanks.

We wish in this manner to extend our sincere thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who gave us timely assistance during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and father. Mrs. J. BREM AND CHILDREN.

Facts and Figures for Willmar Voters.

WHY HAS THE TAX RATE INCREASED?

While the population of Willmar has increased one-third in five years, requiring more schools, more streets, new crossings, etc., the taxable valuation has increased little more than one-ninth.

Population in 1895, 2,511; in 1900, 3,409; increase, 898. Taxable valuation in 1895, \$577,102; in 1900, \$644,200; increase, \$67,098.

During 1898 and previous years enough taxes were not levied to meet expenses, so that the village was running into debt at the rate of \$2,000 to \$3,000 a year. In 1899 and 1900 enough taxes were levied to pay expenses and \$1,500 a year on the old debt contracted during the period of licensed saloons.

In 1898 the village taxes levied were \$3,348.88, hardly sufficient to pay the interest on the debt. With saloon revenue added, the receipts fell below expenditures quite seriously. In 1900 \$11,559.93 were levied, \$1,416.30 of which is for sinking fund to pay debt.

During a period in which the population of Willmar more than doubled little or no addition was made to school buildings, and no provision was made to pay old debt. Two years ago three new school houses were built, requiring more money for interest charges and for more teachers, and a sinking fund was provided of \$1,000 a year for the purpose of paying debt.

School taxes inside of village for the past four years have been as follows: 1897, \$7,000.40; 1898, \$7,172.39; 1899, \$11,362.91; 1900, \$16,228.26—an increase in 1900 over 1898 of \$9,125.87.

The Village of Willmar's share of the increased cost of county administration in 1900 over 1898 is twelve hundred dollars.

In 1898 the rate for the county revenue fund was 3.18 mills, amounting to \$1,961.78 in the Village of Willmar; in 1900, the rate was 4.08 mills, amounting to \$2,481.36. The increase in county taxes was not due to any increase in costs of court and jail. On the contrary we have shown that these items have decreased during the no-license period.

SALOON REVENUE WOULD NOT PAY ONE-THIRD OF THE INCREASE OF TAXES.

Total taxes levied in 1898, \$7,172.39; in 1900, \$83,001.34; increase, \$16,407.33.

TABLE SHOWING CERTAIN COURT AND JAIL EXPENSES OF KANDIYOHI COUNTY SINCE 1894.

Table with columns: Year, Justice Court Expenses, Grand Jury, Petit Jury, Witness Fees, County Expenses, Total, Jail, Justice and G'd Jury. Rows for years 1894-1900.

Average cost of grand jury during license period at Willmar, per term, no-license \$184.74, license \$156.75.

Average annual cost of justice courts paid by county during license, no-license \$571.28, license \$382.22.

Average county jail expense during period of license, per court term, no-license \$849.88, license \$360.23.

Only one term of court was held owing to change of time of fall term from Dec. to Jan. License period ended May 15. No-license period began with first warrant drawn after June 15. Includes cost of first term of court and all bills payable before May 25.

What is Your Vote Worth?

Table showing tax savings for different property values: On \$75 it would save \$14.83, On \$50 it would save \$9.88, etc.

If you are opposed to saloons on general principles but vote to legalize them for the sake of reducing your taxes, use the above table in ascertaining the price of your vote.

NOTES & COMMENT.

Next Tuesday an annual charter village election for the village of Willmar takes place. The issue of "license" or "no license" will be voted upon directly. Two tickets will be in the field. One is a "No-License" ticket, consisting of men selected regardless of political affiliations who are known to be openly and actively opposed to the liquor evil and who will conduct the business affairs of the village to conform to the no-license policy if they are elected. They will cut off all useless expenditures and endeavor to reduce the tax rate. The other ticket will be the usual "republican" ticket. Three years ago this partisan move was inaugurated by politicians and liquor men who could no longer trust their interests to a citizens caucus. They use the party name to advance their interests. True, their newspapers have claimed that affairs would be managed better if some party was made responsible for the administration. But has that been true? In the matter of the enforcement of the law for instance? Two years the "republican" party has been pledged to rigidly enforce the law in Willmar. Has it been rigidly enforced? What difference will party responsibility make if people are to vote that ticket, right or wrong? True, some prosecutions have been attempted when the evil became notoriously flagrant or just before village elections. Have the affairs of the village been managed with the end in view of making the expressed policy of the people a success? Will taxes be reduced even if license should win? A representative of the present administration is reported as saying that we must have saloon licenses "so the village will have some money to

pend." Are they not satisfied after having levied \$12,000 to spend? It seems not. If you are a temperance man and are in doubt what ticket you ought to vote, just find out what ticket the would-be saloon-keepers, the present joint-keepers and the brewery agents will vote, and then vote the other way.

Do Your Full Duty.

The success of the temperance issue depends upon getting out every vote. The saloon men are doing their work quietly and will have every vote of their's mustered out. They even give out the opinion that "no-license" is sure to win in order to put the temperance people off their guard. Do not be deceived. The cause needs every vote. Every vote in case of a majority will give weight to the decision. When you vote against license vote also for the "no-license" ticket and you will have done your full duty.

Fahlan.

March 25.—Haldor Hegstrom arrived from his trip to the twin cities last Wednesday. J. Wahlgren has recovered from his recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dahline left Monday before last for Kenmare, N. Dak., where they will make their future home. We wish the young couple much happiness in their new home. The Ladies' Sewing Society of the M. E. church meets at Z. Jones next Thursday afternoon. Gottfrid Carlson has returned from Willmar slightly improved in health. Martin Bloomquist departed Saturday a week ago for Duluth. If he obtains a suitable job he will remain there the coming summer. Miss Mabel Johnson will commence her spring term of school in Dist. No. 79, next Monday, after a three weeks' vacation.

WANTED—A girl for laundry work at the Merchants Hotel. 71c

ST. PAUL LETTER.

ST. PAUL, March 26, 1901.

The legislature will adjourn on April 12th, and both branches are correspondingly busy.

Today's proceedings were of special interest to Kandiyohi county. The bill introduced some time ago by Representative Pope of Mora, and providing for the validation of certain debts contracted by the counties of Pine and Kandiyohi, under a special law, afterward declared unconstitutional by the Supreme court, was lost by a small majority. Senator Young, however, moved a reconsideration and the bill was immediately resurrected and a committee of Senators Sivright Mellick and McGovern, to look into its merits, the Senate to act upon the report of the committee.

When the bill came up on General Orders some days ago, Senator Baldwin, of Duluth asked Senator Young, who was advocating its recommendation, some pointed questions with regard to the history of the roads built, the beneficiaries, whether county or specially favored persons, and for such data as might guide the Senate in acting justly to those people, and asked the Swift county man for valid reason in the matter. The bill was recommended, Senator Grue having offered the following amendment: "Provided that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to require any board of county commissioners to maintain any such highway as a county road."

The bill came up today for passage. A lively tilt during which personalities were not entirely absent, was a feature of the discussion. Both Senators Grue and McKusick, of Pine county, opposed passage of the bill in its present form. Senator Young advocated its passage. Senator Baldwin renewed his opposition, with the result that the bill was killed, and resurrected, as above stated, upon motion of Senator Young.

The Primary election law is a special order for Thursday in the Senate. The Hurd bill to put the oil inspector on a salary has passed both houses and is now in conference, and it will now become a law to take effect after Fred. Schiffman, who is the power behind the present administration, retires from office in 1903. He will receive the princely fees and the republican campaign fund will not be depleted for the next campaign. A text book bill, introduced some time ago by Senator Reeves was the subject of heated discussion in the Senate committee on education yesterday. Educators present were unanimously against the measure.

The Board of Control bill, which passed the House and the Senate with radical amendments, is still in the hands of the joint conference committee.

The sensational charges of bribery and corruption made by J. F. Jacobson, of Lac qui Parle county, and supplemented by Representative Washburn, son of the ex-United States Senator, are being investigated, and it is hinted that a whitewash of dazzling finish is being prepared. These charges were made upon the floor of the House, when the question of referring the gross earnings bill to the tax commission was being discussed. The bill was not so referred. Could not be legally, a copy might be sent to commission, which might suggest amendments and changes to the bill. The measure was laid upon the table and has excellent prospects of being revived and, ghostlike, rising to plague its enemies.

The Chilton marriage bill was killed and resurrected and passed in the Senate. The Halvorson anti-cigarette bill passed both houses, the House added a slight amendment, which was concurred in by the Senate. The Senate immediately afterward killed the bill, much to the chagrin of its author.

The sale of the State capital lands in Kandiyohi county has been recommended by the Senate. The House has passed and the Senate recommended for passage the bill calling for a constitutional convention. The "Younger" parole bill is recommended for passage in the Senate. It has already passed the House.

Scandinavians of the twin cities yesterday presented former Governor John Lind a beautiful loving cup, in token of the love and respect in which he is held by his brethren of the blood. Prominent Scandinavians of all political beliefs, those, even, who voted and worked against his election as governor were present. The editor of the Svenska Amerikanska Posten delivered in Swedish a complimentary speech. Consul Hobe presided. The hall was beautifully decorated, flags, ferns, palms, and flowers carrying out the color scheme. J. F.

SEEDS.

We have warranted and clean seed flax for sale, also the best seed corn, timothy, clover, rye and seed oats at best prices. Feed store opposite post-office.

SUNDBERG & STROMBERG.

Notice.

All seed oats ordered from us must be taken away before April 5th. Oats remaining after that date will be sold to other parties.

SLETTEN & ERICKSON.