

WILLMAR TRIBUNE

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The New Terminal Elevator. Yesterday a TRIBUNE reporter made a tour of inspection through the new elevator lately erected for the Minnesota & Western Grain Co. The building has a capacity of 80,000 bushels, and is intended to be used for cleaning and mixing grain in transit. On the lower floor are three large cleaning machines, one for wheat, one for flax and one for cleaning and cutting the small ends of grains of oats. The cars are backed into the building and unloaded by means of an automatic steam shovel in from fifteen to twenty minutes. After being cleaned and freed of the chaff, the grain is put on the car with a double automatic spout. Large pipes run from each cleaner and carry the dust and refuse into the firebox under the boiler, where it serves as fuel. The machinery is driven by a 100-horse engine of the Sioux City Company type. The plant is running at its full capacity 20,000 bushels of grain can be unloaded, cleaned, mixed and re-loaded in a day. The company operates 176 elevators in Minnesota, both the Dakota and Iowa, and the grain from all these elevators is expected to pass through the Willmar elevator. The elevator is lighted with about 80 electric lights connected with the municipal plant. Speaking tubes, electric signal system, water connections and other appliances for safety and convenience complete the furnishing of this model plant. It is an enterprise to which the citizens of Willmar may point with pride.

Local and Personal. Herman Halvorson went to Clara City Monday. O. H. Westberg went to New London yesterday. E. H. Erickson of Raymond was in the city Monday. Banker Pulver of Kerkhoven was in the city Tuesday. Charley Walleen made a trip to Roseville yesterday. Fred W. Segerstrom did business at New London yesterday. Rev. D. T. Booth departed for California Tuesday morning. The Sw. Luth. ladies will meet at Mrs. Mary J. Berg's next Friday. E. H. P. Geer of Sleepy Hollow did business in the county seat Tuesday. Don't forget the liquid air entertainment at the Opera House Friday night. Cashier Estrem of the State Bank at New London was in the city yesterday. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Olof Lindgren of Roseland yesterday. Ole Karlson came down from New London today and will work on the section. Miss Belle Lien has taken a position as saleslady in Anderson Bros.' jewelry store. Mrs. L. M. Landing and children of Glenwood are visiting with her parents here. Olof Lindgren of Svea conducts services at the Swedish Lutheran church next Sunday morning. Henry Beaman of Lake Elizabeth visited in town last week, returning to his home last Saturday. Rasmus Arneson of Carlson is visiting with M. C. Tollefson. He is the father of Mrs. Tollefson. Almond C. Uffaa came over from Effington, S. D., last Monday for a visit with his friends in the north part of the county. Miss Lillie Johnson returned to her school at Princeton last Monday after spending her Thanksgiving vacation at home. Messrs. Alf. Holmgren, Martin Sandberg and Fred Skoglund, of Mame, returned from a trip to Minneapolis last Friday. A report of the recent festivities at the dedication of the new M. E. church in town of Woods came in too late for publication this week. John T. Otes spent Sunday at Kerkhoven and Murdoch attending the farewell services of Rev. John S. Handyside who moves to Oskosh. Mrs. Emil Evenson of Morris on Thanksgiving day. Mrs. Evenson was formerly Miss Alice Peterson of this place. A regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Rothwell on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All ladies are earnestly requested to be present. J. H. Olson went to Clara City last Tuesday to submit plans and estimates for the business block to be erected by Mr. Eukema, the merchant at that place. The Rodlin Shoe & Clothing Co. will give special sales on fur coats at the city store on Monday, Dec. 9, and Monday Dec. 16, in order to clear out this line. R. Mantor, a resident of and founder of the village of Mantorville, Dodge county, is visiting with his son, Dr. A. F. Mantor, of this city. He arrived Friday night. Mrs. Josephine Jenness, who is teaching in the schools at Bellingham, spent Thanksgiving at her home at Willmar. She returned to her school last Sunday night. Mrs. L. Reiquam and her sister, Mrs. Geo. Madland of Brainerd, departed today for a visit with their parents at Bertride. She took the Cushing children with her. LOST—A package containing about three dollars' worth of goods for children, on the Willmar and Svea road. Finder please leave at this office or at Otto Granberg's, Whitefield. The marriage of Rev. Larsgaard to Miss Hanna Estrem takes place Dec. 19th at the Synod church. A receipt will be given to the parishioners at the Bonde Hall after the ceremony. Frank Overacker, who had his left hand lacerated in a corn shredder on Mrs. Haley's farm south of town, on Nov. 19, is getting along finely. He lost the end of the thumb and forefinger. Otto Mankel and Harry Gordhamer visited at Norway Lake last Sunday. A professional nurse was sent for and arrived from the cities last Monday to take care of Mr. O. B. Glarum, who is severely ill. Erick P. Erickson of Sisseton was in town yesterday. He had been on a trip to sixteen county and neighboring country and was well pleased with the land there. Mr. Erickson is a constant reader of the TRIBUNE. Capt. C. A. Rice went to St. Paul Monday. The Captain is making preparations to return to the Philippines, where he will engage in business. His trip to St. Paul was for the purpose of securing necessary equipment. Don't forget to go to the auction at Elias Johnson's, Town of Fahuln, next Monday, Dec. 9. Interest will be six per cent instead of eight per cent as previously advertised. F. W. SEGERSTROM. Freight receipts for Willmar at the Great Northern depot have averaged about \$1,000 a day for some time past. There can be no better indication of the business done in a town than the average amount paid for freight charges. Elmer Broberg returned from G. A. College at St. Peter to his home at New London last Monday. He has just recovered from a severe illness and goes home to recuperate. He expects to return to the school at the beginning of the spring term. T. K. Hasbuck, the landlord of the Great Northern Hotel at New London, has begun the erection of the hotel barn 43x72 feet inside in place of the one burned last week. The location was chosen to access the street from former location, directly west of the hotel. Buy your Xmas cigars at OLOF T. SANDBO'S.

Lake Andrew. Dec. 2.—The Lake Andrewites were well represented at the N. Hendrickson auction at Nest Lake last Monday and they did their share of the business. A lot of the light-footed sports of Lake Andrew took in the Thanksgiving ball at New London. Another basket party took place at Nels Olson's last Saturday night which netted some over \$16. There are no fires on the Lake Andrew boys, especially in the winter time. Martin Sverson bought a brand new sleigh at E. Rallison's auction and the first thing he looks for in the morning is if the ground is not covered with snow. S. G. Swenson and Ole Stene have reopened their blacksmith shop at Jericho. Hans Christenson is busy hauling his winter supply of wood to New London, where he has bought a home and is nicely settled, after renting the farm to Ole Ihlang. The town line across the lake has not been stretched very tight, the inhabitants of the towns of Lake Andrew and Arctander sometimes get tangled up in the worst mixture of half and half from several years ago. A basket social was had at J. E. Leslie's last Monday evening. Mr. Robbins the bustling lumber man, has built a feed mill and is now ready to let it go. Rip-it-top for anybody who ventures to reach it. Services were held in the school house last Monday evening. Pete, our butcher, has been busy for some time trying to move part of Kerkhoven to Penneck. He says it is just as taxing and difficult to reach the north pole and yet with perseverance and energy a person can accomplish wonderful things. Mr. Doble spent Thanksgiving with Willmar and the Mrs. Petersons. He is being made for the erection of a church in Penneck. This is indeed a noble step and should be encouraged by each and all. Thanksgiving came and passed without any great historical events, not even the gobbling turkey found life worth fighting for. VAN TWILLER.

Married at Mitchell. Robert F. Burns, formerly of Kandiyohi but now located at Mitchell, S. D., was united in marriage last Wednesday to Miss Dell Wedehase of that place. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wedehase, at 8 o'clock p. m., in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Very Reverend Dean Shea performed the impressive ceremony. The bride was handsomely costumed in a dress of white silk henrietta trimmed with lace, and carried brides' roses. The groom wore the regular wedding suit in black. The room where the ceremony was performed was handsomely decorated with ferns, carnations, chrysanthemums and amylax. The groom is well and favorably known here, having grown up in this county. He was a teacher for some years, and afterwards was for several years employed in a store at Kandiyohi station. At present he is in the lumber business at Mitchell. The TRIBUNE joins his many friends in wishing him and his bride a happy and prosperous married life. Penneck Nuggets. Skating has been the sport of the day for some time. Some of our boys are taking a course in the Interstate school of correspondence this winter. A basket social was had at J. E. Leslie's last Monday evening. Mr. Robbins the bustling lumber man, has built a feed mill and is now ready to let it go. Rip-it-top for anybody who ventures to reach it. Services were held in the school house last Monday evening. Pete, our butcher, has been busy for some time trying to move part of Kerkhoven to Penneck. He says it is just as taxing and difficult to reach the north pole and yet with perseverance and energy a person can accomplish wonderful things. Mr. Doble spent Thanksgiving with Willmar and the Mrs. Petersons. He is being made for the erection of a church in Penneck. This is indeed a noble step and should be encouraged by each and all. Thanksgiving came and passed without any great historical events, not even the gobbling turkey found life worth fighting for. VAN TWILLER.

Will Connect The Lines. The Union Telephone company held an important meeting at the Harmon creamery yesterday, being in session from ten o'clock throughout the day. The proposition to divide the territory of the county with the Kandiyohi Co. company with the main line of the railroad as a dividing line was rejected. A good deal of company business was transacted relating to finances of the main and branch lines of the company. The most important business transaction was the acceptance of the following proposition from P. J. Haley, president of the Kandiyohi Co. company: "That the lines of the Union Telephone company's affect the Kandiyohi Co. company be connected, and that the shareholders and owners in each company shall have free access over the lines of the other company. The Union company shall connect with the Northwestern ten cent messenger and shall have ten cents for each message received and also twenty per cent of all business on Northwestern originating at Atwater, also that the lines of the Union company shall be charged a five cents switching fee for each message over the lines of the other company." From the standpoint of immediate advantage to the shareholders of the co-operative lines the results of the combination will probably be satisfactory, but it remains to be seen how it will affect the future development of the co-operative telephone lines of Kandiyohi County company managers to make an agreement with the co-operative lines, we have been told, was mainly because it would release them from an obligation to build lines through the same territory, which would have to be operated at a loss. Had the co-operative company refused connections with the stock company lines, it is likely that the Union company would have ultimately re-organized on co-operative lines. Such a result would be to the advantage of the people who are paying for the service, even if not pleasing to those working for salaries or dividends. Lake Elizabeth. Mr. Smith and family from Cambridge are visiting at Swan Hoglund's. Daniel Swedlund of Minneapolis is visiting his cousin, E. L. Swedlund of this place. E. L. Paulson and family of Irving are guests at J. Pearson's. Emil, Edmund and Ernest Stenberg were in Atwater Monday. Victor Peterson of East Lake Lillian was around here Monday. Fred Peterson and brother left for Sweden, recently. A nephew of our butter maker arrived here from Sweden Friday last week. He says that many young men leave the old country on account of the military law. Frank Van Vorst of Harrison was around here the first of the week selling seed oats. One of our creamery patrons hauled his milk to the Danison creamery while our butter maker repaired, and at that place he received 14 cent more for butter fat but 10 cent less for 100 pounds of milk. Peter Westling has returned from Minneapolis after over a week's stay. He is again behind the counter waiting on his regular customers. S. Stenberg and family Sunday at Elias Johnson's. There was a social gathering at J. Pearson's Sunday. Much wheat is being hauled to Atwater now for export. The Union Sunday school will commence next Sunday after a couple of months' vacation. It will be held at John Olson's next Sunday. All cordially invited. Roseland. Dec. 2.—Mrs. J. Damhof returned home the first part of last week after a brief visit in Iowa. Miss Mable Anderson spent Thanksgiving at her home in Kandiyohi. Sigurd Bu is in North Dakota visiting relatives and looking for land. Miss Dykema was around one day last week delivering books, "Life of McKinley." Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Anderson visited with Herman Wallen of Priam last Saturday. The Johnsons about threshing. John Johnson has been doing some corn threshing around here. John and Engval Beck have returned from North Dakota. W. Olson and Miss Sarah Dykema made a business trip to Willmar last Saturday. Arvid Eastun visited at Wahlstrand's in Fahuln last Sunday. Nick Svoboda will go to Washington in the near future to look up a suitable place to settle down. DEXTER.

Death of Mrs. Sonderson. Mrs. Enger Sonderson, the widow of Halvor Sonderson, passed away at her home on the north shore of Swan Lake on Tuesday, Dec. 3, at an age of nearly 67 years. Mrs. Sonderson was taken seriously ill last Wednesday evening with a stomach complaint that has troubled her occasionally before. Her death coming after so brief an illness was a shock to the many friends of the family. The deceased was born at Vinje, Telemarken, Norway, Jan. 6, 1835. She came to this country in 1847. She was married to Halvor Sonderson in 1862. In 1865 they became residents in the town of Dovre. Seven children were born to them, of which one girl died at an early age. Those living are: Marcus, Hermina, Sondre and Alex who reside at the home in Dovre, Osmund Sonderson of Spicer, and Mrs. John Dale of Willmar. The husband and father died July 23, 1899. The bereaved ones who are mourning the irreparable loss have been receiving mother, have the profound sympathy of all their friends in their affliction. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon. Services will be held at the residence at ten o'clock. Then the remains will be taken to the Norwegian Synod church at Willmar. After appropriate services, the remains will be laid away to rest in the adjoining cemetery. Rev. O. Estrem will officiate. Svea. Dec. 2.—Quite a number of farmers have taken to 'phones lately and more intend to do so. Some of our young people will be taken to the fair to see "Uncle Tom's Cabin," all speak well of it. Miss Cora Peterson visited with her folks in Kandiyohi over Thanksgiving. Miss Selvig of Willmar has returned from Minneapolis, where she has been receiving medical treatment for an injured hand. She is now alright again. Several from this vicinity spent Thanksgiving in Willmar. They report having enjoyed a great feast. The reporter gathered equally well. The report of a festival and auction in their church Thanksgiving day. A. P. Johnson was "surprised" by a large crowd of friends last Saturday evening, and was made the recipient of a song book of legal tender. "Tripping the light fantastic toe" was the principal order of the evening, and everybody reports a good time. Sjoberg's, Hoglund's and Peterson's young folks from Tripoli visited in this vicinity Sunday. Miss Hild Swenson of Willmar is visiting in this community. Otto Trulsson went to Litchfield Saturday to receive medical treatment for his eyes. A certain farmer in this vicinity happened to take too much liquor on Friday night and the next day, and went into a trance on the way home. The horses being left without a guide cut across lots and became tangled up in a wire fence. One of the horses was badly injured. C. D. McCONNIE.

The Sewing Machine Contest. The fifth week of the contest proved one of the most interesting so far. A new leader has appeared. Miss Olson reelected third place during the week and now leads with a very small margin after having been in the contest but two weeks. Miss Emberton is a very close second. Miss Abrahamson is third. The friends of Misses Clara Peterson and Hilda C. Swenson. The vote as it stood this morning showed as follows: Lydia Olson, Dovre..... 2333 Tillie Emberton, Willmar..... 2627 Fena Abrahamson, Priam..... 2205 Clara Norman, Mame..... 1625 Esther Sorenson, Willmar..... 1531 Josephine Anderson, Spicer..... 1002 Hilda C. Swenson, Willmar..... 525 Clara Peterson, Willmar..... 500 Nannie Owe, East Lake Lillian..... 500 Alma Matson, Lake Elizabeth..... 455 Mary A. Vig, Dovre..... 451 Ida Asen, Belgrade..... 425 Annie Osberg, Hawick..... 400 Helma Erickson, Irving..... 351 Matie Selin, Willmar..... 302 Edith Nelson, Willmar..... 302 Della Amundson, Norway Lake..... 201 Mary Sbyouts, Roseland..... 200 Berina Hagen, Irving..... 101 Ella Thore, New London..... 101 Annie Johnson, Svea..... 100 Mary Hanson, Willmar..... 100 Hilda Erickson, Willmar..... 100 Anna Osberg, Willmar..... 100 Esther Erickson, New London..... 100 E. M. N. Simmonson, Willmar..... 3 Gertie Carlson, Fahuln..... 2 Tillie Danielson, Lake Florida..... 1 Anna Thompson, Irving..... 1 Carrie Matson, Genesee..... 1 Alma Anderson, Mame..... 1 Lydia Swenson, Lake Elizabeth..... 1 John G. Norin Passes Away. The many friends of John Norin were shocked to hear that he had passed the portals of death last Friday. Deceased had been ill for some time, but seemed to be regaining his health and went to work again. His last illness was short. John was born in Sweden March 6, 1858. In 1896 he came with his parents to America. The family settled in Goodhue county, where they remained for two years. In 1888 they came to this county and settled on a farm in town of Colfax. Here John grew up to manhood. For the last 21 years he has been a resident of Willmar, being most of the time employed in the machinery business. He was a genial, good-natured man who made friends everywhere. He leaves to mourn his death a wife and two children; two children, Mrs. L. Norin of Willmar and A. E. Norin of Grand Forks, N. D.; one sister, Mrs. Henchen of Lake Andrew; and his aged parents, who reside on the old homestead in Colfax. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at two o'clock, from the home, Rev. C. H. Johnson officiating. The remains were interred in Fairview cemetery. Auction Sale. Having sold my farm I will sell at public auction at John Olson's old place sec. 10, town of Green Lake, on Thursday, Dec. 12, 1901, being at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property: Four stocking horses, 1 two-year-old colt, 2 spring colts, 11 two-year-old, 1 two-year-old heifer, 3 milch cows, 2 yearling calves, 1 bull, 4 calves, 1 four-horse drag, 2 wagons, 1 pair bullocks, 2 binders, 1 mower, 1 sixteen-horse hay rack, 1 hay rake, 4 pigs, 200 bushels of oats, 150 bushels of corn, 14 ton hay, 75 chickens, 1 scale, 1 fanning mill, 1 buggy, 2 pair harnesses and other things too numerous to mention. Terms: All sums under \$5.00 cash; over that amount time will be given to Jan. 1, 1902, on bankable notes bearing 6 per cent interest. ERICK ANDERSON. JONAS G. MONSON, Auctioneer. Genesee. Dec. 2.—T. O. Anderson and R. A. Peterson are busy shredding corn for the farmers around here. The former is using his new gasoline engine, which is giving good satisfaction. And Nelson, accompanied by some of his Atwater friends, called at his home Sunday. The P. L. S. held one of the most successful meetings of the season last Wednesday evening. A number of young folks from this locality attended the meeting at the school house last Saturday evening. A success. Albert Halvorson has erected a windmill on his farm. Mr. J. Skonnord delivered an address at the schoolhouse in Dist. No. 60 last Saturday. August Emberton and family spent Thursday with relatives at this place. A Thanksgiving supper was given at Nils Olson's last Wednesday. A good time is reported. Miss Tillie Emberton spent Thanksgiving at home. Skating is the order of the day. The Ladies' Aid Society met at Mrs. Charley Nelson's last Wednesday. For Sale Cheap and on favorable terms our home farm adjoining New London village, consisting of 156 acres, with or without horses, cattle and farm machinery, one hundred and twenty acres in Sec. 1, town of Lake Andrew and house and lot in Village of New London. For prices, terms, etc., call on, or address T. THOMPSON & SON, 41-4 New London, Minn. DeLaHunt'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.

Priam. Dec. 3.—Albert Rozian went fox-hunting last Tuesday. Miss Hanna Larson is visiting with her brother here. She intends to leave for Minneapolis next Friday. A splendid dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dites to some of their friends last Sunday. Mrs. J. A. Leinold and John Dobson took a carload of household goods and horses to Aitkin county last Wednesday. Geo. Dobson of Atwater, the man who accidentally shot himself in the arm a while ago, called on his brother John last Tuesday. Glad to see him around again. G. J. Lyne and A. C. Hoogen from Clarkfield were around here lately looking for land. We believe they found some that suited them, and they may be back here hunting for deals. Ed Crosscut of Montevideo stopped at Larson's place Wednesday night on his way up north, where he has a nice farm. The Gazette states that a carload of corn was shipped from Priam. That is a mistake. No corn has been shipped from here so far, but we hope that many carloads will go out before spring. Minnesota is O. K. for corn, and the vicinity of Priam is especially adapted for it. EAGLE EYE.

Ringville. Nov. 24.—Truly this is excellent weather for a winter. Julius Stenbakken, who has been working in Montana the past summer and fall, returned home last Tuesday. Julius speaks in high terms of that country for making money. Ringville is well represented at Montevideo having seven young men working there. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jacobsen of Montevideo, Chippewa county is visiting at Amund Christophersons, formerly the home of Mrs. Jacobsen. John Peterson visited at the John Petersons Saturday and Sunday. Edw. Newgard Sunday at home. Halvorson and Iverson hauled cord wood for the Georgieville creamery the last part of the week. A mission society from Montevideo in Gausdahl church last Thursday. A meeting of the Crow River congregation was held Monday. August Sostegaard had the misfortune of losing two of his Poland-China pigs Sunday night. Fred Peterson and John Moe went to Irving Tuesday, where John intends to rent a farm. A meeting of the directors of Georgieville creamery association was held Saturday. John Moe went to Burbank last Monday. Fred Peterson and Mrs. C. Green's farm with the intention of renting same. Martin Iverson visited at George Johnson's Sunday. John Halvorson came home from New London to spend Thanksgiving with his parents. He came from Mille Lacs county some time ago, where he has been hunting. One deer had to give its life for his rifle. Gunder Engen returned from Kandiyohi last week where he has been working the past winter. Iverson visited at John Swenson's Sunday. West Lake. Nov. 25.—J. Henderson had charge of the cemetery Wednesday, in the absence of J. Hanson, who was in Grove City. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swenson and Mr. and Mrs. Hagman of Mame visited at N. B. Johnson's on Sunday. Miss Anna Swenson visited at Jacob Chelen, assistant butter-maker at Star Lake creamery, of Greenleaf, Meeker county, called on old friends around here a few days last week. J. P. Anderson has purchased a house in New London and expects to move into it soon. It is rumored that his son Oscar Anderson of Mame will have charge of his farm here. Walle and Bennie Hendrickson gave a farewell party last Saturday evening to a large crowd, and a good time was had till the wee hours of the morning. The auction sale at N. Hendrickson's today was largely attended. Wedding Anniversary. Supt. A. C. Johnson and wife, Mrs. Gustie Johnson, celebrate the tenth anniversary of their wedding at their new home in Fourth ward last Monday evening. About sixty invited guests were present. Dinner was served at 5:30 o'clock, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Short speeches were made by members of the guests, including Revs. Gnyld, Larsgaard and Jordahl, Prof. Solum, Omie and Hanson, Hon. L. O. Thorpe and Mr. L. T. Cramer. A fine art square and other valuable tokens of esteem from the assembled guests were left with the host and hostess. Annual Christmas Fair. The Parish Aid Society of the Episcopal church will hold their annual fair and supper at Bonde Hall on Friday evening, December 20, commencing at 6 o'clock. Sale of useful and fancy articles after supper. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. Card of Thanks. I wish in this manner to thank the friends for the kind assistance and sympathy given us during the sickness and after the death of my beloved daughter Christine. MRS. L. REIQUAM. August and John Lundgren of Colfax came down Monday to attend the Norin funeral, returning today.

New London. Nov. 21.—Gust Green has sold his farm to A. D. Ruten of Benson who will convert the same into a stock farm. Consideration, \$3,600. There is talk of establishing a county road north of Norway Lake, Lake Andrew and down through Sections 5 and 6 to town of New London. The infant son of Ole Johnson of Nest Lake died last Monday. Rev. Midtved brought home three deer as the result of a hunting expedition in Carlton county last week. The New London Tannery has been taken charge of by the Peterson Brothers. The Confirmation Covenant of the Swedish Lutheran church swelled their altar-piece fund to \$108 by their social last night. Dogs have taken to destroying hogs at Ringville. August Sostegaard lost two Poland-China pigs Sunday. A meeting of the Crow River congregation was held Monday. August Sostegaard had the misfortune of losing two of his Poland-China pigs Sunday night. Fred Peterson and John Moe went to Irving Tuesday, where John intends to rent a farm. A meeting of the directors of Georgieville creamery association was held Saturday. John Moe went to Burbank last Monday. Fred Peterson and Mrs. C. Green's farm with the intention of renting same. Martin Iverson visited at George Johnson's Sunday. John Halvorson came home from New London to spend Thanksgiving with his parents. He came from Mille Lacs county some time ago, where he has been hunting. One deer had to give its life for his rifle. Gunder Engen returned from Kandiyohi last week where he has been working the past winter. Iverson visited at John Swenson's Sunday. West Lake. Nov. 25.—J. Henderson had charge of the cemetery Wednesday, in the absence of J. Hanson, who was in Grove City. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swenson and Mr. and Mrs. Hagman of Mame visited at N. B. Johnson's on Sunday. Miss Anna Swenson visited at Jacob Chelen, assistant butter-maker at Star Lake creamery, of Greenleaf, Meeker county, called on old friends around here a few days last week. J. P. Anderson has purchased a house in New London and expects to move into it soon. It is rumored that his son Oscar Anderson of Mame will have charge of his farm here. Walle and Bennie Hendrickson gave a farewell party last Saturday evening to a large crowd, and a good time was had till the wee hours of the morning. The auction sale at N. Hendrickson's today was largely attended. Wedding Anniversary. Supt. A. C. Johnson and wife, Mrs. Gustie Johnson, celebrate the tenth anniversary of their wedding at their new home in Fourth ward last Monday evening. About sixty invited guests were present. Dinner was served at 5:30 o'clock, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Short speeches were made by members of the guests, including Revs. Gnyld, Larsgaard and Jordahl, Prof. Solum, Omie and Hanson, Hon. L. O. Thorpe and Mr. L. T. Cramer. A fine art square and other valuable tokens of esteem from the assembled guests were left with the host and hostess. Annual Christmas Fair. The Parish Aid Society of the Episcopal church will hold their annual fair and supper at Bonde Hall on Friday evening, December 20, commencing at 6 o'clock. Sale of useful and fancy articles after supper. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. Card of Thanks. I wish in this manner to thank the friends for the kind assistance and sympathy given us during the sickness and after the death of my beloved daughter Christine. MRS. L. REIQUAM. August and John Lundgren of Colfax came down Monday to attend the Norin funeral, returning today.

Save Money. By placing your order for nursery stock with M. Peterson, 702 Third St. So. Willmar, Minn., general agent for Victor Nursery and Fruit Farm, located three miles southwest of Howard Lake, Minn., you will get the best of our nursery stock, and you will get it at a low price. We grow trees, shrubs and bulbs adapted to our northwestern climate. With our careful selection and packing we can furnish our customers value received for money invested. Largest nursery west of the twin cities. 43-47 W. Howard Lake, Minn. Weather Observations. The following data regarding conditions of the weather for each day during the past week is furnished for the benefit of TRIBUNE readers by Axel F. Eitstrum, voluntary government observer at this place. Temperature. Wind. Rainfall. Wed. High. Low. Dr. In. Thurs. High. Low. Dr. In. Fri. High. Low. Dr. In. Sat. High. Low. Dr. In. Sun. High. Low. Dr. In. Mon. High. Low. Dr. In. Tues. High. Low. Dr. In. Snow fall Monday one inch.

Have You Seen the Here Fanning Mill in Operation? If you have, please tell your neighbors about it. If you have not, we invite you to examine a strictly superior article. Notice how oats and wheat are separated to the perfection of hand picking by a new and superior method; how the chaff is brought to the efficiency of a mill cleaner, and how the extra long screens are worked by a double motion. Take notice of all the other points, and try the machine for yourself and with your own sample grain, and you will see why it is everywhere highly appreciated by all who use it, and why it was sold in ten states within four months after the first machine left the factory. Sold by GUST A. ERICKSON, Willmar, Minn. 304t When you want a good, long, satisfying smoke don't take any chance by getting an unknown brand; buy a Great Northern Club cigar, manufactured by F. W. Ferguson of Willmar. It is made from good tobacco by skilled union workmen, and has an established reputation. Ferguson believes in keeping up the standard of his brands, so that each cigar smoked will be an advertisement that will draw a future trade. You can bet on getting a good cigar when you buy a Great Northern. I will put on the market about twenty-five choice residence lots in 1st ward and secure bargains. Call on me before you buy. E. H. PARSONS JR.

Atwater. Nov. 29.—Cards are out announcing the marriage of Samuel M. Dahl and Miss Maud Masters of Harrison, to occur Dec. 11. Rev. O. T. Nelson and wife were surprised Monday afternoon on their silver wedding day, and received the congratulations and gifts of their friends. A Woodman lodge will be organized at Grove, in East Lake Lillian. The Grove, in East Lake Lillian, has purchased an elevator at Smith Lake. Martin Jorgenson and daughters of Willmar were guests at the home of Martin Olson Thursday. Hon. G. A. Glad expected to leave for the State of Washington the first of next week and may remain for some time. From the Republican-Press. "Normanlaget" gave an excellent entertainment at the Seminary Saturday evening. The program included vocal and instrumental music, recitations and dialogues. The scene from "Per Gynns" deserves especial mention. Louis Dahl's impersonation of the old lady was the best thing we have seen on the amateur stage. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mandus G. Vikse to Miss Ella Johnson, daughter of G. R. Peterson. Mrs. Andrew Johnson, residing north of town. The ceremony will take place in the Free Lutheran church on Saturday, Dec. 7, at 3 o'clock p. m. followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents. A. H. Sperry has had an inquiry from the Grandin farm at Mayville, N. Dak., in regard to furnishing a quantity of seed corn for use on that farm next season. Mr. Sperry says that his corn meets the conditions required by the manager for the Grandin, and he expects to secure the order. Dr. C. E. Gerretson, dentist, Office 224, in Mikkelson block, Willmar.

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