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To close out our extensive line of Fur Coats and also Fur Lined Coats, we will give after December 1st a

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We carry a complete line of men's, women's, boys', girls' children's and infants' Underwear, all of the best qualities and also the least prices. We are closing out about 200 pieces of Men's Underwear, fleeced and wool garments, values 50c to \$1.00, at

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We carry the most complete line in the city. Ladies' Astrakhan Jackets and Capes, also Electric Seal Jackets with Beaver Trimmings are kept in stock. A large variety of Muffs, Boas and Scarfs are also in stock.



We have the Exclusive sale of **QUEEN QUALITY Shoes** The best shoe in America for ladies, only

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THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

Stockholders of the Black Bay Mining Company. Meet in Bonde Hall and Elect Officers.

The third annual meeting of the stockholders of the Black Bay Mining Company was held in the Bonde Hall last Monday evening and the following directors were elected to guide the affairs of the company for the ensuing year: G. P. Karward, J. H. Olson, A. C. Crawford, F. G. Handy, N. B. Carlson, O. J. Paulson, J. Oso, Lewis Johnson, A. J. Ekander, W. DeLahun and Peter Freeberg.

At the directors' meeting which followed the board organized by choosing the following officers: G. P. Karward and A. C. Crawford were re-elected president and vice-president; N. B. Carlson, secretary, and F. G. Handy, treasurer.

CUT FLOWERS

for Weddings, Receptions, etc. Funeral Designs filled to order.

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Greenhouses north of railroad in First Ward. Phone 274.

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279 acres of land, heavily timbered. Operations at the mines have been suspended until next spring, when it is the intention of the company to put in a practical man to take charge. A diamond drill, leased from the Canadian government, will be installed to facilitate the work of drilling.

Secretary Riggs' annual report showed total disbursements to the amount of \$23,387.23, with cash on hand amounting to \$2,161.97. The total receipts from the sale of stock were \$24,156.19. The total volume of business transacted during the year is \$25,455.05.

Judge Downs Unites Chicagoites. Two marriage licenses were issued the past week by Clerk of Court Ramset, which closed the records of marriages in "Book G" and opened the new record book of "H." On Wednesday the necessary papers were issued to Nels Wm. Larson and Anna Birke land, both of Willmar, but it remained for a Chicago couple to have the honor of seeing their names entered on the first page of the new book. They were Thomas R. Vail and Maud Ebel Wilson, and came to this city with the "Plaster of Paris" Co., with which they were connected. The license was issued on Monday and the marriage ceremony was performed in the parlors of the Merchants Hotel the same day. Judge Downs tied the knot that binds and at least two people were happy members of the company that played there in the evening. Mrs. Madeline Minton and Fred C. Guy were the attendants.

Norwegian Lecturer Coming. Hans Seland, the famous Norwegian lecturer, reader and story teller, will give one of his interesting lectures at the Seminary hall, Dec. 18. Wherever Mr. Seland has been he has been highly commended by the press and it is to be hoped that a large audience will greet him upon his first appearance in this city. We are sure that all will enjoy his fairy tales and stories from the "Land of the Midnight Sun."

The Metropolitan barber shop, Bank of Willmar Building, B. T. Oke, proprietor. In the shop get a shave, hair cut or bath. 38c.

Abstracts of title to Kandyohi county lands and city property promptly furnished by J. T. Oso, the bonded abstractor. 16c.

Now Held for Jail Breaking.

Anders Hanson, alias Peter Nelson, who has been an inmate of the county jail for a period covering about six months, serving time for various offenses, is now held on the charge of jail breaking. He served out his last sentence on Friday and was given a hearing in Judge Otterness' court on the last charge the same afternoon. The prisoner pleaded guilty and being unable to furnish recognizance in the sum of \$500 he was again placed in custody. The case will be disposed of at the January term of district court.

Hanson, whose true name is now given as Peter Nelson, will be remembered as making his escape from the jail some months ago and was found after a persistent search by Sheriff Lundquist on a farm near Russell. His last act was an attempt at counterfeiting silver dollars, in which he was detected by the sheriff a few days ago.

Their Annual Sale.

The Ladies' Parish Guild of St. Luke's church will hold their annual sale of Christmas articles at the Bonde Hall on Friday evening of this week. Supper will be served from 5:30 and throughout the evening. The following is the menu:

Cold Meats Escalloped Oysters Celery Pickles Cranberry Sauce Apple Salad Coffee

Price for adults, 25 cents; for children, 15 cents. All are cordially invited.

The "Little Helpers" of the Swedish Baptist church will have a sale of fancy articles which are suitable for Christmas presents, on Friday evening, Dec. 18 at 7:30, at the Baptist church. Coffee and cake will be served after the sale. Everybody is cordially invited.

The date of the Degree of Honor card social has been changed from Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, to the following evening. The ladies extend a cordial invitation to everybody to be present at the social. Refreshments will be served for 10 cents. H. T. Olson, Monument Dealer

Local and Personal.

Judge Nordin attended to legal matters at Raymond on Monday.

W. J. Pinney attended to business matters in Minneapolis this week.

Wm. Peterson spent a couple of days this week at Benson, with his brother.

Mr. John A. Norman, of Mamre, came to town yesterday for a couple of days' visit with friends.

Cashier Chas. Newcomb of the Great Northern, was called to Fair' last Monday on account of the serious illness of his mother.

E. J. Hedlof, of Roseland, was in town yesterday and dropped into the Tribune office to enroll himself on our list of subscribers.

Mrs. J. L. Lindner and Miss Cora Lindner returned last Thursday from Minneapolis, where they had been to attend the funeral of an aunt of Mr. Lindner.

Hon. A. E. Rice left on Monday for the cities. Among other matters which he expected would occupy his time was a meeting in the interest of the State Agricultural College.

Miss Lundstrom, of the Lincoln school received a telephone message Monday announcing a change for the worse in her mother's condition, who was taken quite ill some time ago at her home in Roseland, Meeker county. Miss Lundstrom left yesterday morning in response to the message.

Willmar Ladies Entertain. The C. E. Neuberger home on west Litchfield avenue was the scene the past week of two delightful parties.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Neuberger and Mrs. Chas. E. MacLaughlin entertained some over thirty lady friends, the main feature of amusement being a guessing contest of a drawing representing a song. The successful prize winners were Mrs. G. W. Tyler and Mrs. Andrew Larson. Delicious refreshments were served and the hostesses were assisted in serving by Mrs. Deverell and Misses Marie and Anne Hallson.

PENNOCK PENICILS

By C. F. JOHNSON.

Dec. 8. P. C. Greenfield laid a new roof on Freeman's barn on Monday.

Mr. Magnuson took Mrs. Knutson to her home at Svea on Saturday.

Marshall Doble paid a pleasant visit at P. C. Greenfield's Sunday evening.

David Ostlund and George Hanson drove down to Willmar to see "Mr. Plaster of Paris" Monday night.

Oscar Frykman is visiting with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Frykman, of Salem. He leaves on Tuesday for Southern Iowa, where he will accept a position with a telephone company.

Jim Jarret is making his regular trips southwest-wardly. He carries a smile every Monday morning. Farmers along his route have complained of restless nights. Jim returns amidst merry shouts and thrilling songs every Sunday night over his howling success.

Around the County. Axel E. Olson of New London caught a flying squirrel in a trap set for him. The animal is a very rare one in this locality.

Mr. Ole Krabel of Sandlay, N. D., and Miss Lava Lettie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Lettie of Burbank, were united in marriage at the Crow River parsonage on Saturday, Nov. 28.

T. K. Haabrouck has sold the Great Northern Hotel at New London to Mr. M. S. Cone of Watso, Minn. The consideration was \$10,000. Mr. Cone traded in a farm near Watso, and Mr. Haabrouck and family have gone there to make it their future home.

The ladies of the Swedish Lutheran church realized the sum of \$52.50 from their supper given on Thursday evening last. Their receipts included a small sum realized from the lunch served on the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter O. Sketton, of Kennel, N. D., have been guests the past week at the home of Mrs. Sketton's parents, Alderman and Mrs. S. P. Johnsons.

Mamre.

Dec. 7. Erick Mikkelson returned last week from a business trip to Graceville. Gilbert Anderson returned last week from his trip to S'at'n, Minnesota. Mr. and Mrs. Gust Lind, lately residing near Graceville, are making their home with E. Mikkelson.

Miss Thilda Carlberg came home Saturday, after spending the fall months with relatives at D. uglas, Minnesota. A good many Mamre people were at Willmar last Sunday, to attend the closing of the Mission meeting, held at the Swedish Mission church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Holmgren were at Minneapolis last week with their daughter, Ruth, who had an operation performed by physicians of that city for deafness. Jonas Johnson went to St. Paul Friday, to see his wife, who is a patient at the Bethesda hospital. It will be good news to Mrs. Johnson's friends to know that she has so far recovered from her severe illness, that she will be able to accompany Mr. Johnson back home some time this week.

Our old friend, Oscar N. Frykman, arrived here last Saturday, for a visit at the home of his parents. It is now two years since Oscar saw the soil of Mamre, and naturally it is very pleasant to renew the acquaintance with his many friends around here. He has a trusted position with the Twin City telephone company.

We are sorry that we will not receive the TRIBUNE more than once a week after this, but all can rely upon that the publishers know best what is good for the success of the paper. No doubt many would have liked to receive the TRIBUNE twice a week, while others prefer to get it once a week. Nevertheless, we all agree that in what form the paper comes out the subscribers get full value for their money.

Mrs. A. C. Holmgren was the victim of an agreeable "surprise party" last Wednesday evening, planned and carried out by her friends. The surprises took possession of the Holmgren home at about seven o'clock p. m., enjoyed a social chat during the evening, coffee and cake being of course served, after which all went home well satisfied. Mrs. Holmgren was given a sum of money amounting to \$25, as a slight help for the expense incurred last summer during a severe illness.

Arrolander.

Dec. 8. O. Ellingboe was around buying hog yesterday.

School closed last Friday at the Ramstad schoolhouse.

Miss Bertha Stevie, of Colfax, visited at A. P. Nygaard's last week.

O. A. Kloppe put in a "phone" at the residence of Edward Husby Sunday.

Mrs. G. O. Kambeast went to Minneapolis last week to seek medical aid.

A. S. Nelson will close another successful term of school in Dist. 54 Friday.

Miss Hanson came down from DeGraff last week for a visit with the A. O. Benjum family.

August Rytveit, who has worked near Watertown, S. D., for several months, has returned and is at present staying with G. J. Yrboen.

Mrs. C. T. Skindellen was in Kerkhoven a few days last week, with a child who was not well, and it was found necessary to seek medical aid.

Syvret Njos and Olaus Gjerdet arrived here last Thursday from Laugenborg, Assiniboia, Canada, and will remain for some time. The boys say it rained in Canada, when they left.

Peder Yuerbe has been troubled with toothache for several days and it is dangerous to go near him when he has one of his sp'ills, as it is a known fact that when a person has toothache he is not in the best of humors.

Restaurants Change Hands.

The Delmonico and the Minneapolis Restaurants have both undergone changes in proprietorship during the past week.

Mr. Swenson & Rusted, of the Delmonico, are succeeded by Messrs. H. C. Rusted and John Moe. The gentlemen who have been conducting this popular place retire as proprietors, but will remain in charge of the restaurant for their successor this winter. The new proprietors will assume active management later. They are both gentlemen who will no doubt succeed in catering to the wants of the eating public. Mr. Rusted is a brother of one of the retiring members of the old firm and comes here from the farm home in the town of Norway Lake. Mr. Moe is a graduate of the Hague Seminary at Red Wing.

At the Minneapolis Restaurant Elmer Swenson disposes of his interest to his partner, O. E. Midtved. The business was formerly conducted under the firm name of Swenson & Midtved. Mr. Swenson expects to go to Minneapolis, where he may decide to locate.

Colfax.

Dec. 8. Martin Nelson is sick with the small-pox.

Claus Naas is attending school in Brocton.

Stephen Olson and family visited with Larson's Sunday.

Knut Olson returned from Iowa, where he has been visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Gudron Bergeson left for Mayville, N. D., where she will visit with her brothers.

H. R. Johnson left last Thursday for Echo, where he will take charge of the creamery.

Elmer Erickson, 12 years old, received a premium of \$7.50 for shooting a wolf last week.

The ladies' sewing society will meet at Mrs. Hans Hanson's the first Wednesday in January.

Miss Christina Mikkelson is clerking at the Mikkelson Bros. & Gleese store in Belgrade during the busy time before Christmas.

Business Brevitias.

For fine residence lots see A. H. Sperry. 31f

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GREAT NORTHERN

Time Card—Willmar Station. DAILY TRAINS. Ar. "Pugot Sound Express" Dep 9:30 p. m. No. 3 To Pacific Coast. 9:35 a. m. 11:20 a. m. No. 4 To St. Paul. 11:25 a. m. Night Passenger, main line. 11:20 p. m. No. 9 To Winnipeg. 11:30 p. m. 3:35 a. m. No. 10. To St. Paul. 3:40 a. m. Night Passenger, Sioux City line. 3:30 a. m. No. 24 Arrives at Willmar. No. 41. To Sioux City. 11:40 p. m. DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY. Day Passenger, St. Paul-Sioux City. 1:40 p. m. No. 11 To Sioux City. 1:50 p. m. 1:45 p. m. No. 12. To St. Paul. 2:05 p. m. Day Passenger, St. Cloud-Fargo. 1:50 p. m. No. 29. To Fargo. 1:50 p. m. 1:50 p. m. No. 30. To St. Cloud. 2:20 p. m. ACCOMMODATION—Daily except Sunday. Dep. No. 242 Going East to St. Paul. 7:00 a. m. No. 255 Going West to Breckenridge. 5:30 a. m. No. 245 Going South to Garden. 12:15 p. m. No. 222 Going East to St. Cloud. 2:45 p. m.

For any information concerning the service rates, schedules, etc., apply to L. A. MAY, Local Agent at the Willmar Station, Willmar, Minn.

Or write to F. I. WHITNEY, Gen'l T. & Agt. at the Willmar Station, Willmar, Minn.

Had a Good Time.

The sociable which was given at the Seminary hall last Saturday night was fairly well patronized. Besides the students, several of their friends showed their interest in the doings of the Seminary by being present.

A musical program, consisting of a fine saxophone solo by Prof. Onlie and a lute solo, by Prof. Hegstrom was rendered, after which Prof. Hanson in his genial way spoke a few words about a hetic. The speaker paid his compliments to the principal, Rev. Solum, for the way in which he carried into his daily life the principles which he stood for. In closing he introduced the principal part of the entertainment or rather, introduced the people to it, namely, the refreshments.

It is needless to say that everybody enjoyed the things served by the ladies of the practical knowledge and ample justice both to themselves and the refreshments.

After this number on the program everybody repaired to the Seminary business room where the latter part of the program was acted out to everybody's satisfaction. Different games, the Grand March to "Putting the Fall on the Hog," were indulged in, and the skill with which some of the partakers in the latter game succeeded in putting the tail, or tails, on the right place or places, left no doubt as to the practical knowledge possessed about the "bristle family." About 11:30 all left for home conscious of having had a good time.

Goals to New Field of Labor.

John Ekander left yesterday for Marion, Ohio, where he goes to enter the employ of the Huber Threshing Machine Co., which has its main office at that point. He expects to be located in that city for at least two years, and learn the details of the business that will fit him out for a machine expert. Before leaving for his final destination he will stop off at Minneapolis for a visit with old friends which he met while employed in that city. On the way to Ohio he will also spend a few days with Chicago relatives.

The young man was the host at a birthday and farewell party given at his home last Wednesday evening.

About twenty gentlemen friends were entertained who kind remembered him with several gifts as mementoes of the occasion. Among them were two elegant meerschaum pipes, which, as a smoker, he will prize very highly.

The best wishes for a successful career in his new employment will accompany John to his new location.

Mr. Wood-Allen, who lectured here on Social Purity Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of last week, was unable to fill his Atwater engagement. The lecture was billed to appear there on Thursday evening, but was unavoidably detained here. He left on Friday to fill an engagement that evening at Hancock.

Mr. Wood-Allen's lecture at the Seminary hall on Wednesday evening drew a large audience, which included many of the students. The topic was "Wooling, Winning and Wedding." How to be Happy Though Married.

Real Estate Transfers. ROSELAND. Nov. 30—Olof Bangstrom to Charles G. Engvall, s.w. sec. 2, s.w. sec. 3; and n.w. sec. 1, sec. 10, 180 a., \$5,000.

LAKE ELIZABETH. Dec. 4—Jens P. Hanson to Hans Peter Larson, n.e. sec. 1, s.w. sec. 1, Meeker county, sec. 13, 40 a.—\$1,350.

WHITEFIELD. Dec. 3—Ole Erickson to Nels Christofferson, n.w. s.w. 1, sec. 27; s.e. 2, sec. 28; and n.w. 1, n.e. 1 w. sec. 33, 239 a., \$1,525.

GREEN LAKE. Dec. 2—Charles D. Mattson to Security Trust Co., s.e. sec. 35, 80 a., \$1.

Dec. 2—John H. Davenny to Security Trust Co., n.e. sec. 35, 80 a., \$1.

MAMRE. Dec. 1—E. G. Freeman to A. C. Holmgren, unsurveyed island in the n.e. sec. 25, 20 a., \$400.

IRVING. Dec. 3—St. P. M. & M. Ry Co. to Hendrick S. Stromme, n.w. of s.w. 1, sec. 17, 40 a.—\$320.

NEW LONDON. Dec. 2—Anna K. Monson to Wm. Olson, s.e. s.w. 2, sec. 2, 40 a., \$225.

Dec. 1—Lars J. Broberg to Lewis P. Egerstrom, lot 1 of n.w. of n.e. 2, 7 a., \$150.

ARTLANDER. Nov. 28—Geo. H. Otterness to Thomas E. Rood, lot 7 of lots 3 & 4, sec. 10; and lots 6 & 9 of s.w. sec. 29, Town of Norway Lake, in all 31.09 a., \$1.

Dec. 7—Geo. H. Otterness to Peder P. Lien, lot 6 of lots 2 and 3, sec. 10, 50.40 a. and lot 8 of s.w. sec. 29, town of Norway Lake, 3 a., \$1.

VILLAGE OF RAYMOND. Dec. 7—Frank G. Handy to Emil Meyer, lot 1 and 12, bl. 3, Leighton's 2nd Add., \$1,000.

CITY OF WILLMAR. Dec. 1—H. T. Olson to Andrew O. Ellid, lots 9 and 10, bl. 4, Paulson & Sunde's add., \$1,100.

Twenty acres of timber land for sale in Town of New London, Sec. 13 Willmar lot 164.00 cash and \$135.00 on time at 4 per cent if taken before Dec. 20. May sell only timber. Address, C. Adolph Swanson, box 62, Kandyohi, Minn. 84-2

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