Glad Tidings to All Men

AND ALSO TO THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN!

TO THE MEN it will be glad tidings to hear that at my store first-class goods for Christmas presents can be bought at prices that will not make the purchaser's pocketbook look like a punctured tire.

TO THE WOMEN it will be glad tidings that they can obtain strictly up-to-date goods at prices that defy competition. No prehistoric relics carried over from former holiday seasons. Every article in my store has been bought this summer.

TO THE CHILDREN it will be glad tidings that I am selling NEW toys in endless varieties and at prices that will enable all to buy presents for the little ones.

Appropriate presents for every member of the family, from the baby to grandma and grandpa.

"Talk is cheap," but I have the goods to back up my talk. If you will drop in and inspect my stock I shall not need to talk; the goods will speak for themselves.

In CHINAWARE I have the most complete assortment of high-class goods in the city—elegant **Dinner Sets, Fancy Center Sets,** beautiful **Cups and Saucers,** etc., all in the latest patterns and colors.

In TOYS I have **Sleds, Rocking Horses, Chairs, Go-carts, Cradles,** elegantly dressed **Dolls** and an immense variety of small toys.

In TOILET GOODS you will find **Toilet Cases** from 50c up to $15.00—beautiful creations of art that will delight the recipient; **Perfumery** in bulk or packages; **Looking Glasses** from small Hand Mirrors up to the largest Parlor Mirrors, etc.

Silverware, Gold Rings with elegant settings, **Fine Stationery, Swedish Postal Cards,** a large selection of **Pictures** that will be sold at a sacrifice, **Mantel Clocks** usually sold at $7.00 but now going for **$4.48, Photo Frames** from 15c up to $1.75, **Rochester Hanging Lamps, The No. 16 Welsbach Gas Lamp, Cut Glass Water Sets, Stereoscopic Views at 2 cents a piece, etc., etc.**

F. F. NELSON.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Library Building,
Willmar, Minn., Oct. 23, '05.

Regular meeting of the city council. Present, Mayor Qvale, Aldermen Severinson, Olson, Nelson, Holt, Bergeson, Holmberg, Selvig, 8; absent, Alderman Christianson, 1.

The minutes of the previous regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved as read.

The following bills were on motion referred to the Finace committee:

WATER AND LIGHT FUND.

Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., meters	$ 40.50
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	54.33
Northern Electrical Co., supplies	95.00
J. S. Robbins, coal	132.76
Willmar Hardware Co., supplies	3.03
J. T. Otos, paid freight and express	11.18

GENERAL FUND.

Louis F. Dow Co., municipal court docket and index	10.00
Ole Lundquist, board for prisoners	5.70
Willmar Hardware Co., scraper, etc.	5.65

POOR FUND.

Dr. J. R. Peterson, professional service	2.00
Dr. H. E. Frost, professional service	4.00
Oscar Nelson, house rent for Mrs. Halck	5.00
Berkness, Peterson & Co., Mdse. for poor	6.58

The Finance committee reported the foregoing bills back approved and on motion the report was accepted.

Alderman Holt offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 7; noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to issue warrants against the respective funds in payment of the foregoing approved bills.

Approved October 23, 1905.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

On motion the council adjourned.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. OTOS, City Clerk.

Library Building,
Willmar, Minn., Nov. 20, '05.

Special meeting of the city council. In the absence of the mayor the city clerk called the meeting to order. Present, Aldermen Severinson, Christianson, Olson, Nelson, Holt, Bergeson, Holmberg, Selvig, 8; absent, Mayor Qvale, 1. On motion Alderman Holt was appointed acting mayor.

The following bills were on motion referred to the Finance committee:

WATER AND LIGHT FUND.

Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., transformer	$ 48.60
Standard Electrical Mfg. Co.	60.00
R. Williamson & Co.	41.16
General Electric Co., repairing meter	10.27
Bryan-Marsh Co., lamps	53.00
J. S. Robbins, coal	369.37
Lewis Hardware Co., supplies	17.26
J. T. Otos, paid freight	6.76
Edmund Engelson, bricking furnace	2.50

POOR FUND.

Sletten & Strand, Mdse. for poor	6.08
Mrs. John Johnson, milk for poor	2.80

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND.

Peter Anderson, labor on stone crossings	.75
Dave Crowley, labor on stone crossings	16.45
Great Northern R'y Co., freight on crossing stones	43.60
Lars Rasmussen, labor on stone crossings	10.50
Dave Crowley, labor on stone crossings	1.40
Peter Anderson, labor on stone crossing	8.75

GENERAL FUND.

F. G. Handy, insurance premium	6.00
Lewis Hardware Co., supplies	6.13
K. T. Otos, service as special police	6.00
Peter Anderson, labor on park	1.20
Lars Rasmussen, labor on park	1.50
August Sundling, labor on park	1.20
Lars Rasmussen, labor on park	1.20

STREET FUND.

August Sundling, labor on streets	24.45
J. J. Downs, " " "	7.70
Peter Anderson, " " "	30.60
Dave Crowley, " " "	62.85
Israel O. Pederson, " " "	2.10
Karl Nystrom, " " "	3.75
Lars Rasmussen " " "	39.15
Dave Crowley, " " "	34.20
J. J. Downs, " " "	51.95
Peter Anderson, " " "	14.25
Carl Nystrom, " " "	1.50
J. J. Downs, " " "	68.25
Lars Rasmusson " " "	24.00
L. J. Vikse, " " "	13.30

The Finance committee reported the foregoing bills back approved and on motion the report was accepted.

Alderman Selvig offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 8; noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to issue warrants against the respective funds in payment of the foregoing approved bills.

Approved November 20, 1905.

E. HOLT, Acting Mayor.

On motion the council adjourned.

E. HOLT, Acting Mayor.

Attest: J. T. OTOS, City Clerk.

Library Building,
Willmar, Minn., Nov. 27, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council. Present, Mayor Qvale, Aldermen Christianson, Nelson, Holt, Holmberg, 5; absent, Aldermen Severinson, Olson, Bergeson, Selvig, 4.

On motion the council adjourned to Monday evening, December 4, 1905, at 7:30 o'clock.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. OTOS, City Clerk.

Library Building,
Willmar, Minn., Dec. 4, '05.

Adjourned meeting of the City Council. Present, Mayor Qvale, Alder Severinson, Christianson, Olson, Nelson, Holt, Bergeson, Holmberg, Selvig, 9; absent, none.

The following bills were on motion referred to the Finance committee:

WATER AND LIGHT FUND.

Northern Electrical Co., supplies	$ 20.29
Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., meters	30.45
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	87.90
Jallmer Pearson, labor at power house	42.00
J. T. Otos, paid freight	7.17
A. P. Bergeson, sand	1.00

GENERAL FUND.

Borden & Selleck Co., weigher's book	.85
A. C. Crawford, service as special police	8.00
S. A. Rasmussen, repairs	2.50

STREET FUND.

Peter Anderson, labor on streets	$ 15.30
J. E. Murray, " " "	7.00
J. J. Downes, " " "	28.00
Dave Crowley " " "	23.97
Lars Rasmussen, " " "	13.80

POOR FUND.

Willmar Fuel Co., wood for poor	30.85
Ralph Telstad, Mdse. for poor	6.91

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND.

Great Northern R'y Co., freight on crossing stones	48.40
A. P. Bergeson, cement crossings	32.00
Dave Crowley, labor on stone crossings	7.70
Peter Anderson, labor on stone crossings	4.25
Lars Rasmussen, labor on stone crossings	4.38

The Finance committee reported the foregoing bills back approved and on motion the report was accepted

Alderman Holt offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 8, noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to issue warrants against their respective funds in payment of the foregoing approved bills.

Approved December 4, 1905.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

The quarterly report of the treasurer and city clerk, properly audited and approved by the city auditor, were read and on motion approved and placed on file.

Alderman Olson offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 8; noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Resolved, that the plat and survey made by J. S. Day of the proposed sewer petitioned for by Charles B. Carlson and others be and the same is hereby adopted, and

Resolved, further, that the sewer asked for by the said Charles B. Carlson and others be and the same is hereby ordered laid and constructed in accordance with the said plat and survey, and

Resolved further, that all property abutting upon and along the route of the said sewer that shall be benefited by the construction of the said sewer be and the same hereby is assessed for the cost and construction of the said sewer, such benefits to be assessed as by the charter of the city of Willmar provided.

Approved Dec. 4, 1905.

S. B QVALE, Mayor.

Alderman Holt offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 8; noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant against the Water and Light fund for $1756.00 in favor of W. I. Gray & Co. in payment for one-third contract price for installing engine and generator, as per contract.

Approved December 4, 1905.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Alderman Olson offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, Severinson, Christianson, Olson, Nelson, Bergeson, Holmberg, Selvig, 7; noes, Holt, 1.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to purchase from the Burdick Sign Enamel Co. a sufficient number of street signs at a price not to exceed 27½ cents per sign.

Approved Dec. 4, 1905.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Mr. C. A. Olson appeared in behalf of the Lewis Hardware Co. asking permission to solicit from the owners of the houses in the city the placing of the required numbers upon the houses.

Moved and seconded that the Lewis Hardware Co. be granted the permission of placing upon the houses of the city the numbers as per plat on file in the office of the city clerk and to collect charges from property owners.

A communication from the Commercial Club dated Nov. 14, 1905, calling attention to the poor condition of the road at the east end of Litchfield avenue and south end of First street and asking the council to take some steps to repair said roads was read and on motion placed on file. The street commissioner in answer to inquiry relative to said roads stated that they had been repaired.

Alderman Holt offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, 8; noes, none.

RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the city council of the City of Willmar that the city clerk be and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant against the General fund in favor of the Water and Light Commission for $2000, to apply on contract for water and light.

Approved December 4, 1905.

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Moved and seconded that the city clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of the sewer according to the sewer petition of Charles B. Carlson, and others, and the engineers survey and plat thereof. Carried.

On motion the council adjourned,

S. B. QVALE, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. OTOS, City Clerk.

The PALACE GROCERY CO.

Will appreciate a part of your holiday trade. In their stock of merchandise you will no doubt find something that will be just the thing you want for that Christmas present.

Crockery Fancy Plates, Sugar and Creamer Sets, and in fact everything in that line. Very pretty dishes for Christmas gifts.

Give us your holiday trade in CANDIES and NUTS of all kinds. We are prepared to handle orders in both large and small quantities.

Prepared "LUTFISK" at 8 cents per pound.
Makes a fine Christmas dish.

Holiday shoppers will find us well supplied with Holly.

Our store open every evening from now on until Christmas.

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POISONOUS GASES

Caused from Fermenting Food the Source of Much Suffering for Minneapolis Man.

A remarkable story of suffering is related by Mr. Edgar Orton, 1504 21st St. East, Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. Orton has been a victim of Stomach Trouble for several years. His food did not digest and would ferment in his stomach, causing him no end of pain and suffering.

In a recent letter regarding his experience, Mr. Orton said: "Everything I would eat seemed to disagree with me. I had continuous pains and a depressed feeling all over my body. Time passed and I grew worse and worse. Doctors could not relieve me nor did the many remedies that I tried. At last I gave up hope. One day while speaking to a friend about it, he induced me to try the Famous Cooper Medicines that are so talked of and reluctantly I purchased several bottles. When I had finished two bottles, I marveled at the change in my condition. My pains had stopped; my appetite returned two-fold. Now I eat everything and have forgotten what indigestion is. I feel better than I have for two years."

Cooper's New Discovery strengthens the stomach and digestive organs so that they can properly perform their natural functions; it cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Deafness, Kidney and Stomach Troubles, Blood Diseases and Paralysis, and sells for one dollar per bottle. Cooper's Quick Relief used in connection costs fifty cents.

Carlson Bros. & Frost, Mr. Cooper's Special Agents in Willmar, have the remedies for sale.

Starts Unique Suit.

Alleging that the Great Northern railroad permitted his wife's corpse to remain out in the rain, thereby ruining the casket and mutilating the body, O. N. Lindh, a prosperous Lengby hotel proprietor, has begun suit in the district court here to recover $1,000 damages from the road for "great mental anguish and injury to his feelings."

The case is one of the most unheard of proceedings ever started in a Minnesota law court and will be up for trial at the coming session of district court in this city. Attorney W. E. Rowe being attorney for the plaintiff in the peculiar action and Attorney Wilkinson the railroad's defending lawyer.

Lindh's wife died at Lengby on March 25 last and the body was prepared immediately for shipment to Atwater for burial. Coming through this city the casket had to be transferred from one train to the other and the night being a stormy one and the rain falling rapidly, the complainant maintains that gross negligence was employed in handling the remains of his wife. The casket, it is alleged, was allowed to remain out in the open weather away from the protecting umbrella shed.

The plaintiff demands judgment against the railroad company in the sum of $1,000 besides the costs and disbursements.

The action has created no end of talk throughout the Red River valley and because of the principals involved and the peculiar nature of the proceedings promises to be one of the most interesting trials of the December term of court.—Crookston Special Dispatch to Minneapolis Tribune, Dec. 4

Inspected Olivia Building.

Supt. P. C. Tonning and two members of the school board, Messrs. H. S. Peterson and Russell Spicer, went to Olivia last Friday evening to inspect the high school building at that place. The board is getting ready to have plans drawn for the new high school building to be built next spring, and as they had heard a great deal of praise for the Olivia building they wished to look it over. The committee was highly pleased with the arrangement of the building, which is one of the best in the state. A meeting of the board will probably be held in the near future to decide on whether to use some modification of the Olivia plan or look further.

An Elegant Line of HOLIDAY GOODS

At

A. E. MOSSBERG'S

GRUE NEWS.

GRUE, Dec. 6.—E. E. Lobeck held a temperance lecture at the Grue school house Tuesday evening He gave a fair lecture to a full house

People around this place have been busy hauling hay.

Arthur Boreen of Spicer has hired out to Mrs. C. Nelson for three months.

B. Kleven did some butchering at A. Embertson's Monday.

Albert Erickson is at present working at A. Embertson's.

A few of our young gentlemen went to Spicer to attend the Thanksgiving ball. There was no dance that night but they reported a good time anyway.

Miss Rudeen spent Thanksgiving day at her home in Atwater.

John Henderson of Spicer has been around buying stock.

Arthur Kleven has been breaking his broncho colts which he bought last fall.

Dr. C. E. Gerretson, dentist Office in New Ruble bl ck, Willmar. 22tf

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF REDEMPTION, STATE ASSIGNMENT.

Office of County Auditor, County of Kandiyohi, State of Minnesota.

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

To John Franks.

You are hereby notified that the following described piece—or parcel—of land, situated in the County of Kandiyohi State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to wit: se¼ of sw¼ of ne¼ of section 12, township 121, range 34 is now assessed in your name; that on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1895, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Kandiyohi on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1895, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1893, for said County of Kandiyohi, the above described piece—or parcel—of land was duly offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer an amount equal to that for which said piece—or parcel—was subject to be sold, to wit, the sum of one dollar and seventy-seven cents, the same was duly bid in for the State of Minnesota for said sum; that thereafter, and on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1898, the said piece—or parcel—of land being still unredeemed from said sale, the same and all the rights of said state therein under said sale was duly assigned and conveyed by the County Auditor of said County of Kandiyohi for the sum of seven dollars and forty-six cents duly paid in to the County Treasurer of said County, said sum being the amount for which the same was bid in to the State as aforesaid, with interest according to law, and all taxes which became delinquent subsequent to said sale, with interest, penalties and costs according to law; that the certificate of conveyance for said piece—or parcel—of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said assignment of the rights of said State acquired under said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expiration of redemption from said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said piece—or parcel—of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of fourteen dollars and forty cents (said sum being the amount paid by said holder of said certificate upon said assignment from said State and interest thereon according to law, delinquent taxes accruing subsequent to said sale paid by him, with interest, penalties and costs according to law, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, with interest, penalties and costs accruing subsequent to said sale); and that the time for redemption of said piece—or parcel—of land from said sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness My hand and seal of office this 9th day of December A. D. 1905.

LEWIS JOHNSON County Auditor,
{OFFICIAL SEAL} Kandiyohi County, Minnesota.
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ORDER TO HEAR PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL LAND OF MINOR.

STATE OF MINNESOTA. County of Kandiyohi. } ss.

In Probate Court.
Special Term, Dec. 2, 1905.

In the matter of the guardianship of Mabel Jorgenson, Tilma Jorgenson, Mildred Jorgenson and Clarence Jorgenson, minors.

On reading and filing the petition of Andrew A. Jorgenson, guardian of said minors, representing, among other things, that the said wards are seized of certain real estate in Kandiyohi and Swift counties, Minnesota, and that for the benefit of said wards the same should be sold, and praying for license to sell same. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, from said petition, that for the benefit of said wards said real estate should be sold.

It is Ordered, That all persons interested in said estate appear before this Court on Tuesday the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Court House in the City of Willmar in said county, then and there to show cause (if any there be) why license should not be granted for the sale of said real estate, according to the prayer of said petition;

And it is Further Ordered, That this order shall be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Willmar Tribune, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Willmar in said county.

Dated at Willmar the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1905.

By the Court:
A. F. NORDIN,
Judge of Probate.
(SEAL.)

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