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**WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1909.**  
**DEATH OF GOV. JOHNSON.**  
 "Gov. Johnson is dead." This was the sad intelligence which shocked the people from one end of Minnesota to the other yesterday morning. While well aware of his critical illness, it was hard to believe that this active and optimistic first citizen of the state, who so lately was proclaiming the greatness of Minnesota and the gospel of the Minnesota idea of political independence throughout the west, lay cold in death. Death is no respecter of persons, but claims as its victims the great as well as the humblest among the sons of men.  
 Gov. Johnson will go into history as one of the greatest men Minnesota has produced. Not in the sense that other men and politicians have become great, by the promulgation and advocacy of some great principle, but because he was one of the common people and when exalted forgot the animosities and limitations of partisan strife and strove continually to worthily represent the whole state and all its people. No man has ever before been so generally loved and admired by the common people of Minnesota as was John A. Johnson. His strong personal following throughout the state was wonderful. His winning personality was the terror of the opposing politicians, who were powerless to checkmate it with any of their political craftiness.  
 Not only does Minnesota mourn. Throughout the nation there were many who had their eye fixed upon Minnesota's great governor as a fit man to be placed in the highest position within the power of the American people to bestow. Throughout the union are heard the mournful notes of regret that this wonderful man should have been cut off in his prime. But in the dispensations of an all-wise Providence it was decreed that his life's work was done, and his career as it stands will for all time remain as an inspiration to loyal Minnesotans.

**THE STREET FAIR.**  
 The Tribune bids its readers welcome to the Ninth Annual Street Fair of Willmar. The soaking shower of Monday night and Tuesday morning was followed by cooler winds from the northwest, which change will no doubt bring fair weather during the balance of the week. The streets and roads will no doubt dry up sufficiently to permit all the feature to take place.  
 We wish to repeat what we have said before, that the Street Fair of Willmar is the great annual event of the county and city, and as such should receive the undivided support and co-operation of all loyal citizens. If the fair fails in some particular to come up to your ideas, then come in and help make it what it ought to be. Nothing worth while comes without special efforts are made to make it come.  
 The Willmar Street Fair is one of the best means that the city has of advertising its advantages to outsiders. The Tribune believes that there is a chance to build up the annual fair to make it become one of the biggest events of the state which would contribute towards the continued growth and development of our community. To make it succeed requires only that each citizen takes an interest and does his share toward pushing it along.

The annual report of the county superintendent of schools will be found in another column of this

paper. This document merits the close attention of the people of the county. The point which Mr. Frederickson brings out so strongly is that forty per cent of the money paid out for schools in the county is wasted by reason of that large a percentage of the time being valueless by reason of non-attendance. This is a serious leak, and we hope the superintendent will be successful in his efforts to bring about a change for the better.

Now it will be Gov. A. O. Eberhardt of Minnesota. Coming into the office in this way, through an act of Providence, the late lieutenant governor has the opportunity of his life to make an enduring name for himself. The Tribune has made some pointed criticism of Eberhardt's work as the presiding officer of the senate in the past, where we thought he paid entirely too much attention to the dictates of the would-be ruling politicians of his party. We, however, wish him well under the great responsibilities that now weigh upon him, and that he will rise to the occasion and make good as governor of Minnesota.

President Taft made Minnesota a call in his swing around the sisterhood of states last week. He made speeches at Winona and at the twin cities, in which he made pleas for the acceptance of the Payne tariff bill as the best fulfillment possible to be had of the promises made by the republican party in the last campaign. He eulogized Tawney for his vote in favor of the bill.

The Tribune will issue a special fair edition for distribution at the fair on Friday. It will contain portraits of the carnival contestants and give the latest notes on the fair. Be sure to look for it and get a copy.

The girl baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wein of Renville was christened last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Wein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilger, receiving the name Dorothy Violet. The baptism was performed by Rev. Anderson in the presence of immediate relatives only. Mr. and Mrs. Gilger acted as sponsors.

Mrs. S. E. Stansberry, after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Oehler, in Minneapolis, returned home Saturday. Mrs. Oehler will come to Willmar shortly to make an extended visit before joining Mr. Oehler at their new home in Idaho.

Thirty-five million barrels of apples, or 12,000,000 barrels more than in 1908, is the estimated crop of the United States and Canada this season.

**For a good place to eat go to Govig's Restaurant.**

**MAMRE MELODIES**  
 Mamre, Sept. 20.—C. A. Bergman and family of Penock spent Sunday with friends in this locality.

Wedding bells will soon ring out north. Miss Ellen Eklund went to Litchfield on Saturday for a few days stay.

Hjalmar Olson has gone to Canada lately for an extended stay. Threshing is nearly finished in this neighborhood.

Mrs. E. E. Eklund of Penock spent last week in this town. Buster Brown.

**SPICER-ON-GREEN LAKE**  
 Spicer-on-Green-Lake, Sept. 20.—Mrs. Sam Anderson will entertain the ladies' aid of the Swedish Lutheran church on Wednesday afternoon and evening in the church basement Sept. 29. An invitation extended to all.  
 Rev. Johanson of St. Paul will conduct services in the Green Lake church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Oct. 5. Rev. Johanson is called as a pastor in the three congregations, Norway Lake, Long Lake and Green Lake, and expects to move here in the near future.  
 Mrs. Tom Jacobson and her mother Mrs. Anderson left last Friday for their homes at Donnelly accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson and son Elmer whom they have

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These suits range in price from **\$13.50 to \$45.00**



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We handle the justly celebrated line of Lanpher Furs and Fur Coats and show a very complete line at prices no more than you pay for the ordinary sweat-shop unsanitary stuff, and the name Lanpher is a perfect guarantee that every garment must be absolutely perfect and give perfect satisfaction.

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 One lot of Wool Dress Goods ranging in price up to \$1.25, for this occasion.

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 Children's fine ribbed & flat wool garments, up from . . . . .35c  
 Men's extra heavy, flat and ribbed fleeced garments, only . . . . .50c  
 Ladies' very fine wool, flat and ribbed garments, the \$1.25 kind, only . . . . .1.00  
 Men's heavy wool garments, sold elsewhere at \$1.50 only . . . . .1.00

We are justly proud of the reputation we have earned for supplying dependable footwear at reasonable prices. Our **Whitehouse Shoes for Ladies and Men** and the **Buster Brown and Blue Ribbon Shoes for Boys and Girls** are the perfections of the shoemaker's art, and the **Iron Clad Hose** for everybody—the kind that wears like iron—have earned us hundreds of friends, and those that have tried them unhesitatingly say they are the BEST they ever got for the money. If you have not tried them, you owe it to yourself and your pocketbook to give them a trial.

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# Berkness, Peterson & Co.

Miss Minnie Thompson came home last Saturday from the Inter-lachen where she has been staying a few days.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Kandiyohki called on their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. Anderson, last Saturday.  
 J. O. Kloster and family, J. Thorvig and family, a few of the Spicer people and Eddie Quam of New London were entertained at the J. O. Pladson home last Sunday.  
 The congregation of the Swedish Lutheran church held a business meeting last Thursday evening for the purpose of calling a pastor. Rev. Rust of Wisconsin was called and the wishes are that he'll accept.  
 The three congregations of the Hauge Synod have purchased the Pladson building here. Several improvements will be made on the place, and it will be used for a parsonage.  
 The ladies' aid of the Presbyterian church will be entertained at Mrs. Findley's next Thursday afternoon and evening at 2:30. All come. Quite a storm came through here last Saturday evening, which hindered the ice cream social that was to be given at the P. Swenson farm. The social was postponed until Sunday evening. A big crowd turned out and an enjoyable time was had. Net proceeds for the evening were \$21.85.

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