



LOCAL BREVITIES

After this Mrs. Francelia Bronson's vocal studio will be open on Thursday's instead of Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. The change takes effect tomorrow.

Mrs. J. B. Olson enjoyed a couple of days visit last week from her niece, Mrs. Eva Mercer, and son Fayette, of Lawton, N. D. They left on Saturday for a visit at New London.

The ladies' aid society of the Swedish M. E. church will meet at the church Thursday afternoon, Nov. 4, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Rev. Johnson will serve refreshments. Everybody welcome.

The Mission Circle of the Baptist church will meet in their new church parlor, at 2 o'clock, Nov. 3. Refreshments will be served by Mesdames H. Anderson, E. Erickson and E. Carlson. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. George Thomas gave a very pleasing afternoon company on Tuesday, entertaining a company of ten ladies in honor of Mrs. R. Ziesemer of Litchfield, who was her guest. Mrs. Ziesemer returned home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. S. B. Qvale entertained delightfully a second group of ladies at her home on Friday afternoon. The decorations were in red and green and a charming luncheon was served near the close of the jolly affair. The out-of-town guests were Mesdames Olson and Wallin of Atwater.

A regular meeting of the Guild of St. Luke's church will be held on Monday afternoon, November 8, at

the rectory. Mrs. Gates will be assisted by Mrs. W. D. Wiggins and Mrs. George Tyler. A full attendance is desired as arrangements are to be made for an entertainment to be given the first week in December.

Miss Mary Boyd left for her home in Indianapolis Saturday morning after spending several weeks with Willmar relatives.

Nels Reiersen, of this city, returned last Friday morning from a trip to his claim in Bowman County, N. D., where he has been making some improvements. He brought with him for the Tribune some samples of fully matured corn that were raised there this summer, the seed having been planted on new breaking the 6th of June.

Jacobson, Carleton's All-Minnesota end of last year, has been shifted to the full-back position and is playing the position as if he had played it all his life. He was by far the most consistent ground gainer for Carleton in the game against the strong Ripon team last Saturday, repeatedly going through the heavy Ripon line for good gains. He plays fast and hard and is a mighty good man to have in the game.

Willmar relatives and friends of Olaf Osmundson, of Fentress, Va., have received invitations to his marriage to Miss Ruby Laurie Jennings. The happy event will take place this evening at Fentress. Mr. Osmundson is a brother of Mrs. Nellie Noren, Mrs. Henry Johnson and Sam and Syvert Osmundson. All the Willmar friends of the groom join in wishing him and the lady of his choice a long and happy married life.

EDUCATORS WILL MEET

Willmar Prominently Represented in the Big Gathering in Minneapolis this week.

The Minnesota Educational Association convenes in Minneapolis tomorrow, and will hold sessions until Saturday evening. This is the 47th annual convention, and it is expected that the attendance will be larger than ever, as the time for the meeting was set so as to meet with general approval throughout the state. Superintendent P. C. Tanning and his entire staff of 27 teachers will attend from here. Among those who will address the teachers tomorrow afternoon is Dr. Christian Johnson who together with H. S. Hilleboe of Benson will speak on "Is it the Largest Economy for the State to Adopt Inspection of the Children's Health to the End that We May Have a More Vigorous, Active Race, Better Fitted to do the Work They Will Soon be Called Upon to Perform?" Supt. Tanning will preside at the session of the High School Council and A. O. Forsberg of Willmar will preside at the session of the Associated School Boards.

Famous Pianist Coming.
Regarding Gustavus Johnson, director of the Johnson School of Music, as an interpreter of Grieg's music, the Minneapolis Journal has the following to say:

To Gustavus Johnson, an artist who for three decades, at least, has been a champion of Grieg's music, fell the task of honor to represent the pianistic side of the latter's creations. Never have we heard Mr. Johnson play with such feeling or perfection as when now lovingly and with deep understanding rendering the famous "Mountain Tune," "The Bridal Procession Passes," and "From the Carnival" from the suite "Pictures of Popular Life." One seldom hears Grieg's carnival music rendered with such skill and animation.

Mr. Johnson will appear in Willmar at the Seminary hall on Friday evening, November 5th, in a piano recital. Every lover of good music ought to make it a point to hear this talented artist. The admission to the recital is only 35 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Will Meet in New Quarters.

Next Tuesday's meeting of the Willmar Commercial Club will be held at the new location in the Larson block. Three rooms and a small hall and cloakroom have been rented there that will give the members of the Club considerably better accommodations than at the former location. Next Tuesday's meeting will be an important one and all members are requested to come out. Among other business the arrangements for the publicity rally will be discussed. The committee has fixed Friday, Nov. 12, as the date for this event and have secured State Immigration Commissioner Welch and President O'Neill of the State Federation of Commercial Clubs, of Red Wing, Minn., as the principal speakers. Invitation will be extended to the commercial bodies of neighboring towns as well as to the farmers and people generally to participate in this rally.

May Build Railroad.

The following clipping from the Arizona Mining Journal, dated Oct. 20th, will be of interest to local stockholders in the Copper Creek and Minnesota-Arizona Copper companies:

"It is reported that a corporation of Phoenix and Los Angeles capitalists has been formed to build a railroad from Winkelman to Copper Creek in Pinal County. It will open transportation to Mammoth, Copper Creek, the Mohawk mine, the G. and A. properties and the Minnesota-Arizona mines. The Southern Pacific has agreed to furnish the rolling stock and rails, and will take bonds payable in ten years. The district to be opened by this road is one of the richest in Arizona.

The Bishop at New London.

Thursday evening, Oct. 28, Rt. Rev. S. C. Edsall will make his first Episcopal visitation to Getsemane Mission. The service will begin at 7:30 with evening prayer. Rev. Hudson of Paynesville and Rev. Gattess of Willmar will take part. The sermon will be preached by Bishop Edsall. You are cordially invited. A vested choir from Willmar will also be present.—New London Times.

"Wild Man" Escaped.

Maurice V. Jenness came home from the University Friday evening, partly to visit, but mostly in order to escape acting in the capacity of "The Wild Man from Afri-

ca." It happened this way. The Union Carnival was on at the University, and a grand show was to close the festivities Saturday evening. Everything was in readiness when the Carnival police reported that the Wild Man had gone back to the jungles, and that even a rubber-tired steak from the College Inn had failed to tempt him out again. That left the committee in a bad stew as it were, and using its committeeistic prerogative it ordered Maurice to take to the woods and return like unto a native from Borneo. The going part of it had no terrors for Maurice, and he arrived home several hours ahead of the Great Northern Flyer. But he found the woods so pleasant that he forgot to return in time, and thus it happened that the Union Carnival's menagerie was minus its chief attraction. We shudder to think of what happened when the committee finally caught the should-have-been wild man! Still it is barely possible that he "got out of it by saying that he was 'unavoidably detained'" by taking in a missionary for dinner. We hope so.

Enjoying Good Patronage.

Mr. J. L. Cale has been one of the busiest men in Willmar the past week. The news that he is handling Kusion Komfort shoes has become generally known and he is receiving lots of callers at the office and sample room at J. C. Dale's grocery store. That's where he is showing and selling Kusion Komfort shoes to men and women who want the proper kind of footwear. Kusion Komfort shoes never fail to satisfy such people for they are delighted with the advantages they offer. The patented cushion-cork insole rests on a bed of antiseptic felt, giving perfect ease to the foot. The damp-proof, iron-wear, oak outsole protects it against cold wet walks. The cushion heel and the steel arch support are two other features that will be highly appreciated by anyone who has had trouble in getting shoes of the right kind. If you are unable to visit Mr. Cale, write to him for an illustrated booklet.

Traveled 22,000 Miles.

Ole Hartwick, attorney at law, of Granite Falls, was in Willmar on legal business Monday, arguing a case in chambers before Judge Qvale. Mr. Hartwick, who was county attorney of Yellow Medicine county many years and later mayor of Granite Falls, has just returned from a trip thru the Old World during the course of which he travelled 22,000 miles and visited every country in Europe except Spain, Portugal, Turkey and Greece. His father, who lives in Norway, is 97 years old, reads without glasses and is still hale and hearty. Mr. Hartwick says he is going back in three years to be present at his father's centennial.

Brakeman Injured.

H. F. Smith, a brakeman who resides in Litchfield, had his ankles badly sprained yesterday morning in jumping from the top of his train at Benson. The train broke just as Smith was passing between two cars, and he was obliged to jump to save himself from falling in between the cars. He was taken to Willmar on the first train, and in the afternoon was taken to Litchfield.

Presbytery Meets.

At an adjourned meeting of the St. Cloud Presbytery held here Monday evening, Rev. Buell was granted a letter of dismissal from the Willmar charge, in accordance with his request. Rev. E. W. Akers, of Atwater, was appointed to preach on Sunday, Nov. 23rd, and declare the pulpit vacant. A letter of appreciation of the work done by Rev. Buell here was sent to the Presbytery of Santa Barbara.

K. P.'s Attention.

Chancellor Commander J. J. Ekander is in receipt of a communication from Fred C. Wheaton, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals of the Knights of Pythias lodge, asking that all members of the lodge meet him in their hall on Monday evening, Nov. 1st. The object is to hold a "get together" meeting and a full attendance is desired.

Lose Baby Boy.

Otto Leonard, the two-months-old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Birkeland, died Thursday after having suffered for a week with summer complaint. The funeral was held Sunday, services being conducted by Rev. Edgren of the Swedish M. E. church. Interment was made at the Lutheran Free Church cemetery.

The ladies of the St. Luke's Episcopal church will hold their regular sale of home cooking on Saturday afternoon of this week, at the J. H. Wiggins display room, from 2 to 5:30 p. m. These sales will be held every Saturday afternoon thru-out the winter.

FIFTY-TWO ARE CONFIRMED

Two Classes of Young People Confirmed in Local Churches Last Sunday Morning.

Confirmation services were held both in the Lutheran Free and the Synod churches last Sunday. The churches were beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the services were attended by large audiences composed of friends and relatives of those who were confirmed. The following is a list of those confirmed:

AT THE FREE CHURCH.

Selmer Sletten, Olaf Rikard Olstad, Edwin Sletten, Roy Thoralf Pederson, Henry Olaf Ellingson, Martin Olaf Fixen, Harold Lokken, Harry Carl Dalein, Eddie Sigvald Olson, Elmer Jasper Maurice Ottersen, James Russel Johnson, Edward Oscar Erickson, Henry Emil Anderson, Ruben Paul Johnson, Charley Theodor Birkeland, Johan Peder Greenfield, Alfred Engvald Olstad, Ernest Christian Thompson, Inga Thorsen, Marie Lokken, Laila Kathrine Holt, Lourine Sophie Larson, Annie Therese Sophie Larson, Mary Ruth Ellingson, Hansine Theodora Constance Hanson, Nellie Oline Nelson, Emma Randine Hanson, Minnie Johanne Bekken, Alma Bertine Hegstrom, Martina Theodora Berg, and Ella Marie Thompson.

AT THE SYNOD CHURCH.

Martha Inga Berg, Mathilda Enger, Constance Evalina Grangaard, Hattie Emilia Hagen, Rhoda Bethe Hanson, Mary Anna Hognlund, Eva Marion Johnson, Syneva Helena Skaftedal, Sophie Margrete Tallaksen, Thorwald Melvin Soldal, Markus Solberg, Hermund Skutle, Walter Martin Knutson, Carl Fred Hognlund, Harold Julian Hennings, George Hanson, Hilmar Gustav Dahlin, Anton Amundson, Clara Helena Skoolheim.

Montevideo Scalps Willmar

In a game marked by flashes of brilliant plays and bad fumbles on the part of Willmar, Montevideo last Saturday defeated the home team by a score of 10 to 5. The fumbles were numerous and came at critical times, and this was the only reason for the locals' defeat. The feature of the game was Carlson's 100 yard dash for a touchdown. This was made possible by the splendid interference of Hornbeck. Hornbeck also played a strong and heady offensive game. The boys are resting this week, but next Monday they will start the heavy work again in order to be in trim for the game with Benson on Nov. 6, and the closing game with Montevideo on November 13th. Both games will be played out of town.

Dies From Injuries.

Chester Stacy, of Lester Prairie, a new brakeman, received injuries in an accident last Friday from which he died Saturday morning. He was passing thru Atwater, and leaned far out of the cab window to catch the signals from the caboose, when the back of his head struck a semaphore post, fracturing his skull. The injured man was taken to Litchfield, but he never regained consciousness, and died Saturday morning. The remains were removed to Lester Prairie for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Tanning, who have been the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Supt. and Mrs. P. C. Tanning, for some time, left yesterday for Moorhead where they will make their home with their son, Ole Tanning, who is teaching at the Concordia College.

Miss Hilda and William Holmberg, and Mrs. Victor Nelson and son Elmond left Thursday evening for Greeley, Colo., to spend the winter with the Peter Hakanson family.

Last Saturday Adams & Benton sold the northeast quarter Section 19, three miles from the city, known as the Otterness farm, to A. G. Hedin.

Mrs. A. M. Olson is enjoying a visit from her sisters, Mrs. Oscar Revling and Miss Lizzie Kongslie of Spokane, Wash.

Carl Amerud has accepted a position as assistant bookkeeper at the office of the New London Milling Company.

A license to wed was issued to Peter Fridlund and Miss Lulu Mabel Linman October 25.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mossberg made a trip to the Twin Cities the first of the week.

Don't forget the band concerts at Wiggins Co.'s. phonograph department.



Monday morning at seven o'clock the wrecking alarm at the round house called out the wrecking outfit for Morris, where an east bound fast stock train ran into the rear end of an east bound freight train in charge of conductor Marner Cook. The engine on the stock train in charge of engineer Peter Meyers, plowed through the caboose and six cars and turned over. Trainmaster Woodcock and roadmaster C. Zook were in charge of the wrecking outfit and had the track cleared, so the fast mail was not delayed, but it took all day to pick up the wreck and engine.

Sunday, Oct. 31, brings a new time card for the Willmar division. The change will run trains 21 and 22 Sundays, and the fast mail at the present schedule.

Miss Esther Rodun, clerk in the superintendent's office, left Wednesday this week for Kansas City for a month's vacation. Mr. Henry Skaar is relieving her. Mr. Skaar has been relieving Harry Ekdahl, who has been out to Havre, Montana, during the summer.

Conductor John Mourer is running the fast mail train this week with Louis Larson.

Mr. Jack Losleben, a brother of fireman Losleben, is now working in the superintendent's office as stenographer to chief clerk Frognor. Losleben has been on the U. P. Ry. at Cheyenne.

The new fire alarm call for the wrecker has been more than successful. From the time the whistle blew for the wrecker Monday until the wrecker started was only eleven minutes.

Former agent, E. C. Harrison, who is now agent at Sioux City, came up over Sunday. Mr. Harrison is very much pleased with his new position, and his many friends will be glad to know he is making good. He will not move his family to Sioux City before spring.



Norway Lake, Oct. 25.—The ladies' aid of the Hauge church met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Rustad last Thursday.

The concert given by Prof. Johnson and octet of the U. C. Seminary, Hamline, Minn., last Sunday, was a grand success. They left for West Norway Lake church to meet an appointment for 2:30 and in the evening they sang in the Spring Creek church in Swift county.

L. A. Mostue has returned from Minneapolis without any medical aid or operation, his case being pronounced hopeless.

S. S. Reigstad is kept busy shredding corn.

Rev. Stotendahl, S. A. Syverson and H. E. Ekron were in New London last Saturday to meet the concert choir from Hamline.

The choir met at M. Rustad's last Sunday for practice.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Blom and children, of Mamre, Sundayed at G. Stene's.

Martin Hatlestad returned from his coast trip last week.

"Nibbler" also returned last Friday night from a two week's sojourn in Bowman county, North Dakota.

Julia Syverson is working at the Jackson farm.

C. A. Syverson is giving his barn a new coat of paint. Gerhard Swenson and Edwin Erickson are doing the work.

Ole and Elmer Stene were among those who registered for Standing Rock land at Aberdeen, S. D., last week.

Rev. Halvorson conducted services in the Hauge's church Sunday a week ago.

J. S. Christenson raised more rutabagas than he could handle and is selling his surplus stock to neighbors for 50 cents a sack.

C. A. Linderud transacted business in Willmar last Friday.

Mrs. Jens Skaalerud will entertain the ladies' aid of the East Norway Lake Synod church next Thursday.

Rev. Johnson of the Hauge's church will conduct evening services at Gunder Peterson's next Wednesday night and at J. S. Christenson's Thursday night next at 7:30 o'clock.

Melvin, the little 5 year old boy of C. J. Skaalerud, is suffering from an attack of pneumonia. Dr. Newman of New London is attending the little sufferer.

SOCIAL AND LUNCH.

The Rebekahs will give a social at Odd Fellows' hall on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2, 1909. Music will be rendered and various games and amusements provided. Refreshments will be served. Everybody welcome. Doors open at 8 p. m. Admission 15 cents. Committee

Something new in town—the free concerts this week at Wiggins Co.'s.

Alumni Meets.

The Confirmation Alumni of the Synod church held its sixth annual meeting Monday evening. At six o'clock the alumni partook of a bountiful dinner, and this was followed by a very interesting program. The class of twenty which was confirmed last Sunday was present as guests of honor. The attendance was good, out of a total of 106 members 70 being present. The prize banner for the best attendance was awarded to the class of '08. The following were elected officers for the coming year: Bertha Thorpe, president; Henry Dahla, vice president; Constance Grangaard, secretary; and Edna Kiland, treasurer.

Appointed Columbia Agents.

The J. H. Wiggins Co. has been appointed agent of the Columbia Phonograph Company, and a complete line of disc and cylinder graphophones and records has already been put in. The company will give opening concerts tomorrow, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, and the public is cordially invited. One of the latest and best phonographs on the market, equipped with the famous "Master Horn", will be used, and the programs will be carefully selected.

Pretty Home Wedding.

A pretty wedding took place at the John Lindquist home in the village of Onanina Monday of last week when Lamont A. Sibley and Miss Inga Iversen, of Atwater, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. Isaac Woodcock of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony in the presence of only a few relatives and intimate friends. The happy couple has already gone to housekeeping in the Chas. Ploutawich residence. The Tribune joins the many friends of the contracting parties in wishing them a happy and prosperous married life.

Executive Agent Here.

Carlos Avery, state executive agent of the Game and Fish Commission, was here Friday. He inspected the fish-way and dam at the outlet of Green lake and expressed himself as much pleased with the excellent manner in which the work had been done. The work on the dam was superintended by A. P. Bergeson, and that on the fish-way by game warden J. B. Boyd.

Miss Flo Julian, who for a number of years has held the position of chief operator at the Willmar exchange, has resigned, her resignation to take effect the first week in November. Miss Julian always proved an efficient and accommodating chief, and her friends are sorry to see her go—albeit they are glad she is leaving to accept a much better position.

A number of contributions to the Gov. Johnson memorial fund was received during the past week, among which was \$7.50 from Gresham, Oregon, but a press of other matter prevents us from printing them this week. They will appear in our next issue.

Great Northern passenger train number nine which passed thru here last night, was ditched this morning near Moorhead. According to reports the entire train left the track, but the extent of the damage is not known at this time.

August Holmberg returned home Wednesday from St. Paul where he had undergone an operation for tuberculosis of the hip. The operation was successful, and Mr. Holmberg is now rapidly recovering health and strength.

Maybe you never heard a good phonograph.—You will if you go to the free concerts this week at Wiggins Co.'s.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. G. W. Jorris is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Susan Baker, of Stewart, Iowa.

Miss Lena Brandt returned to Murdock Saturday after a week's visit at the A. P. Brandt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylon Benton and daughter spent Sunday at Mr. Benton's parental home in Roseville.

Mrs. A. E. Rice is spending the week at Oakland, Nebraska, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Beckstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Tallman had for their guests over Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Webster, of Waconia, Iowa.

Misses Sophie and Olga Thornvold came down from Kerkhoven Saturday for a visit with Miss Borg-hild Sand.

Miss Rose Lawler came down from New London Saturday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Parkins.

There will be a dance under the auspices of the Athletic Club at the Bonde hall next Monday evening. Music by the Noreen's orchestra. Dance tickets 10 cents each for dance or \$1.00 for the evening.

C. M. Bothum and daughter Myrtle returned to Sioux Falls, S. D. Saturday after a couple of days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Oveson. Mr. and Mrs. Oveson and daughter Hazel went to Spicer on the same day for a visit, accompanied by Mrs. P. A. Anderson.

The Lebanon congregation at New London held a special meeting Tuesday last week at which they extended a call Rev. P. Regner Williamsport, Penn. Mrs. Regner is a former Willmar young lady, Miss Emma Johnson, and these estimable people have many friends in this county who hope to hear that Rev. Regner will accept.

E. C. Olander and wife are back from Buford, N. D., where Mr. Olander has been stationed for the last two years. Mr. Olander's health has suffered as a result of an accident sustained while unloading freight from a train and he is now having a vacation trying to recuperate. They expect to spend some time at Mr. Olander's parental home in New London.

Gabriel Stene returned from Bowman County, N. D., last Friday morning after a two weeks stay. He was very enthusiastic about the country there and carried home a whole sack of samples of the products raised there this summer. He has promised to write up the story of his trip for the benefit of the Tribune and hence will speak for himself as to his impressions of the country.

J. J. Henderson, Pres. of the Minnesota Weather-proof Calking and Glazing Co. of Minneapolis, was in the city last Saturday. Mr. Henderson reports that his company is doing a successful business. He talked business with some people in this city and left in the afternoon for the northern part of the county where he spent Sunday with relatives.

To the People of Willmar and Vicinity:

The story is being circulated that I intend to leave Willmar. There is no truth in the report whatever. I have had no intentions of leaving Willmar at any time nor do I expect to in the future. I have built my home here and expect to remain. These stories are being circulated to hurt me in a business way, but they are nothing but falsehoods.

DR. C. E. GERRETSON.

FARMERS' ATTENTION!

Anyone having a horse to rent out for the winter would do well to call on The Willmar Steam Laundry.

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OF YOUR FAMILY

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"Have You the Right Time?"

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Five Green Dollars will be given away every Wednesday, beginning Nov. 3, '09 at 2:00 p. m., closing with Ten Green Dollars on Jan. 25, '10. Five to nearest, 3 to next nearest, and 2 to next nearest.

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