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## Personal Mention.

Wm. Olson was here from Spicer on Tuesday.

George A. Bruce was here from St. Paul on Friday.

Ben Benson made a business trip to the Cities Monday.

Miss Alene Sherwood returned to Tyler Sunday evening.

J. R. Swan, of Madison, Minn., spent Friday in Willmar.

Mrs. Oscar Larson is at home from her trip to the Cities.

Miss Alice Smith left for Menominee, Wis., Sunday morning.

Mrs. F. O. Berglund's sisters of Pennock visited at her home last week.

Miss Alma Odell has been entertained by Moorhead friends since Saturday.

Attorney George Tyler was here from Elk River for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gratz, Will and Richard Gratz spent Saturday in the Cities.

Mrs. Sperry and daughter, Grace, spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Atwater.

Miss Jeanette Ives of Minneapolis, was a week end visitor at her home in Willmar.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bakke entertained at a family dinner of 16 covers on Sunday.

Charlie Hillstrom, of Minneapolis, was the guest of Willmar friends over Sunday.

Miss Emma Paulson returned on Friday from a short stay at her home in Cottonwood.

Miss Hattie Holmdahl returned on Monday from a few days' stay at her home at Norway Lake.

Miss Winifred Sherwood left for Northfield Friday morning to resume her work at Carleton College.

Mrs. C. H. Sherwood went to Benson Monday to be the guest of Mrs. S. H. Hudson for a few days.

Miss Blanche Coleman was a guest of Miss Richardson at her home in Howard Lake a couple of days last week.

Harold B. Handy spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Handy and returned to Minneapolis on Friday.

Miss Ruth Olson, after spending a few days with Misses Ruth and Edna Sanderson, returned to Atwater on Saturday.

Mrs. H. B. Lidstone after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ramsett, returns to Minneapolis today.

Edwin and Fred Johnson, who are attending the State University, were at their home in Willmar for the vacation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cleveland and little son Warner, of Minneapolis, were guests of Dr. J. M. Rains Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. George Coffey of Minneapolis, who had been the guest of Miss Rachel Ellingson for a few days, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Hanscom and Miss Rachel Ellingson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hays at Grove City on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. John Youngberg returned from Kerkhove Saturday. She had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Gordhamer for a few days.

Mrs. B. J. Branton and little daughters have been home since Monday from a visit with Judge and Mrs. C. L. Brown in Minneapolis.

Edwin Hall and Miss Evaline Powers, who had been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powers returned to Granite Falls Saturday evening.

Mrs. L. O. Thorpe visited over Sunday at Red Wing with her daughter, Miss Bertha Thorpe, who is a student at the Ladies' Lutheran Seminary.

Mrs. Richardson is expected to return from Minneapolis this week. She will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Stansberry.

Mrs. E. W. Lewis, who has spent the past month with Willmar relatives, expects to leave for her home in New Haven, Conn., the latter part of this week.

Miss Clara Kloster, who had been visiting Mrs. A. M. Olson, returned to Spicer on Saturday. Miss Alma Qvale, of Sunburg, was also a guest of Mrs. Olson for a couple of days last week.

Misses Mary Ferraby, of Canby, and Erna Hawthorne, of Morris, were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. J. H. Martin. Miss Hawthorne is one of the instructors at the Agricultural school at Morris.

Mrs. Henry Rost and little daughter Dorothy, who have been visiting in Gayville, S. D., returned to Willmar Sunday morning and left with Mr. Rost last evening to spend the winter in California.

Mrs. E. Hedeon, of New London is visiting Willmar friends.

Miss Evaline Walker is at home from Marshall to remain until after the holidays.

Cushman Rice left for New York on Monday and later will return to his ranch at Camaguey, Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Peters are planning to leave for California in December to reside permanently.

Adolph and Edith Olander of New London passed their way to Sioux Falls, S. D., where they will visit relatives.

Miss Christine Nelson called on Willmar friends Wednesday evening enroute from New London to Holland, Minn., having spent her Thanksgiving vacation at the former place.

## OBITUARY.

### CHRISTIAN CHRISTIANSON.

Christian Christianson died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. P. Larson Friday morning, Nov. 25, at the age of 80 years. He had been in failing health since last spring and he had been confined to his room the past month he had not suffered; but the weakness of old age made itself more and more felt until he quietly fell asleep to waken where "we never grow old." He had followed his trade of gunsmith as long as his strength would permit and will be remembered by many as a kind and accommodating man and a good friend and neighbor.

Mr. Christianson was born in Norway and came to this country and to Willmar thirty years ago. His wife died in 1902 since which time he has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Larson. The other members of the family who survive him are Mrs. C. K. Lorentzen, of this city, two sons, Emanuel and Olof Christianson, and nephew Jens Johnson, of Minneapolis.

Funeral services were conducted at the Larson home Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. J. N. Andersen of the Synod church officiating. The body was laid to rest in Fairview cemetery.

### GEORGE EMBERTSON.

George Embertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Embertson of Eagle Lake, died of typhoid fever in the hospital at Port Arthur on Friday, Nov. 25, after being ill only ten days. This sad and unexpected news has brought sorrow to many hearts.

Mr. Embertson was born at the farm home near Eagle Lake 21 years ago and had lived there until last spring. He was an exceptionally bright young man and every one was his friend. Especially among the children was he a general favorite. He was fitting himself to become an architect and was greatly interested in his chosen work.

A member since boyhood of the Eagle Lake church, he had faithfully lived according to the teachings of his church and his dying message was "Tell mother I have tried to lead a good life."

One of the saddest features of this sad death is that his father is seriously ill at the Willmar hospital and the friends fear to tell him of his son's death. Heartfelt sympathy is felt and expressed by all for this bereaved family.

Mr. Embertson's survivors are his parents, four brothers, Oscar, August, Julius and Eddie Embertson and three sisters, Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Baklund and Mrs. T. F. Murray.

The body was brought here by Oscar Embertson, who went to Port Arthur as soon as he heard of his brother's serious illness, and will be taken to the Eagle Lake church, where funeral services will be held tomorrow (Thursday) at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. E. Nordberg of New London. The burial will be in the church cemetery.

### GERTRUDE PERSON.

Gertrude Person beloved wife of John Person, entered into rest on Wednesday, November 23. She had been exceptionally well the past three years and her death, following only a few days of illness with pneumonia, was a sad and sudden shock to her family and friends.

Mrs. Person had always lived a consistent Christian life, and she passed peacefully away, content to go or stay as the Master willed. Her husband, sons and daughters are filled with sorrow at the loss of a devoted wife and loving mother; but in their grief they have to comfort them the thought that their dear one has only gone before to greet them at the glad home coming, where there shall be no more partings.

Mrs. Person was born in Arrie, Malmohus län, Sweden and came to America and Willmar in 1890. In 1891 she was one of the organizers of the Swedish Bethel church and continued a faithful member until her death. Beside her husband

## HERMAN LUNSTEAD SERIOUSLY INJURED

C. H. Lunstead had a narrow escape from death last Wednesday. He was drilling a well on the A. P. Eastlund farm in town of Roseland and was just about to remove the cap from the oil cup above the fly wheel of his gasoline engine when his jacket, which was wet, caught on the fly wheel shaft. Before he could extricate himself he was lifted from the ground and hurled about until nearly every stitch of clothing was torn from his body. When this had been done he was thrown to the ground. Dr. Masheger of Olivia was sent for and he attended the injured man until he could be taken to the Willmar hospital where he now is. An examination revealed that the right shoulder blade and two ribs had been cracked and a number of other bones had been badly bruised. The injured parts will be placed in a cast today and it will be at least three weeks before the patient will be able to move about.

Mr. Lunstead considers his escape a miracle. There was a foot board right under the flywheel and he can't understand how he missed it. He was heavily drenched in strong clothing, and he thinks it strange that his clothes could have been so completely torn to tatters without himself receiving more serious injuries. As it is he is mighty glad he is alive, as are his family and his many friends all about the city.

Mrs. Person leaves five children, two sons, Peter and John of Duluth, and three daughters, Cecelia and Ella of Duluth and Hannah, living at home. All of the children were present at the funeral which was held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. G. Peterson officiating. Beautiful flowers covered the casket and showed the sympathy of many friends. The burial was in Fairview cemetery.

### A Suggestion to Volstead.

Editor Willmar Tribune:

During the recent campaign Congressman Volstead made a speech in Spicer. He argued that it would be a foolish waste of money to send Lawson to the Minnesota senate for the reason that he did not belong to the majority party and could therefore not accomplish anything.

Let us now apply this same reasoning to Mr. Volstead himself. The democrats have captured the house at the national capital. Volstead no longer belongs to the majority of the legislative body of which he is a member. According to his own reasoning he will be a perfectly useless member. It will therefore be a foolish waste of money to send him there.

Will Volstead now resign and allow this district to elect a man who will be a part of the majority and who can therefore be of some use to the people who pay him \$7,500 per year and his expenses.

Surely no honest man would want to take so much money out of the pocket of the people without giving something in return.

### A Taxpayer.

Spicer Minn., Nov. 26, 1910.

### E. S. Alumni Defeated 10 to 0.

The high school football team proved too much for the alumni Thanksgiving day being "beautifully trounced" by a score of 10 to 0. The Alumni had the weight, but lacked experience, and besides the regular team played the game just about as effectively as they did that memorable day in Litchfield. That settled it, and the Willmar team closed one of the most successful seasons of the local high school by adding another scalp to its collection.

### Annual Sale and Supper.

The girls of the C. E. Society will hold their annual sale of handkerchiefs, aprons, dolls, jabots, etc., and a choice collection of other articles, both useful and fancy, suitable for Christmas gifts; also tempting home made candy, at Carlson's hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 6th. The Men's League will serve the supper in connection with this sale.

Annual Chicken Pie Supper by the Men's League of the Presbyterian church at Carlson's hall Tuesday evening, December 6, beginning at 5:30 o'clock.

MENU.  
Chicken Pie Mashed Potatoes  
Pickles Celery  
Cranberry Jelly Home made Bread  
Doughnuts Coffee  
Supper 25 cents.

Rev. M. B. Michaelson, of the Nor. Free Luth. church will hold services Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, in the Advent church at Litchfield.

Mrs. Fred Ackerman was hostess to the Silent Club and entertained them very enjoyably at her home Tuesday evening.

## WEDDING BELLS.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Traverse to John D. Lawler, of Harding Co., S. D., took place in the Catholic church at Bowman, N. D., on Tuesday November 22, Father Hilmer officiating.

Mr. Lawler, who belongs to one of the most prominent Kandiyohi families, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawler, brought his bride home for the Thanksgiving holiday and in honor of the newly wedded couple Mr. and Mrs. Lawler Sr. entertained about 40 relatives at dinner Thanksgiving evening. The rooms and tables at this pleasing function were effectively decorated with red and white carnations and smilax.

Friday evening a reception and dancing party were given by Mr. and Mrs. Lawler for the bride and groom at the M. W. A. hall which was prettily decorated for the occasion. An informal good time was enjoyed by the many guests present. Mr. Lawler, before his departure for his Dakota home was one of Kandiyohi's most popular young men and he and his charming bride were the recipients of numberless congratulations and best wishes from his old time friends.

The marriage of Miss Anna Ralison, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. Andrew Ralison, of Norway Lake, to Mr. Charles Monson, which took place at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday morning Nov. 24th, at eleven o'clock, was a quiet affair attended only by the immediate family. The bride was handsomely gowned in blue messaline silk and the ceremony was performed by Rev. D. C. Jordahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Monson left on the afternoon train for the Cities and returning will be at home in New London where Mr. Monson is one of the prominent business men.

The bride's going away gown was dark blue and she wore a black picture hat with plumes.

Both the bride and groom belong to prominent and well known families and best wishes for them are many.

The marriage vows of Arnold Erickson and Miss Julia B. Nelson were spoken at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hans Nelson, Tuesday evening at seven o'clock. Only a few friends were present at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson have gone to housekeeping at 519 2nd St. The Tribune joins with their many friends in extending congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple.

### Informal Reception.

Miss Myrtle Connors entertained informally and delightfully Friday afternoon for Misses Elsie Hess and Clara Siebrech of Winona, who were guests of Miss Emma Hess during the Thanksgiving holiday. Friday evening fourteen of Willmar's younger set enjoyed a bowling match and following this an appetizing lunch at Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin's home. On Saturday Misses Olive Crosby and Muriel Tappan were hostesses to a small group of girls at the Crosby home. A group of these pleasing affairs Misses Clara Siebrech and Elsie Hess, who left for Winona on Sunday, were the honor guests.

The Young People's society of the Swedish Luth. Bethel church will hold their next meeting on Wednesday Dec. 7th at 8 o'clock p. m. Refreshments will be served by Messrs. V. E. Lawson and Chas. W. Lonn. Come one and all. The following program will be given: Piano duet—Misses Ethel Govig and Bernice Severinson. Reading—Miss Edith Nelson. Vocal solo—Miss Fern Magnuson. Speech—Mr. Martin E. Tew. Vocal solo—Miss Emma Anson. Committee.

### NOTICE.

The Elks of Willmar Lodge No. 952, B. P. O. E. will hold memorial services at their club rooms in Barnstad Block on Sunday, Dec. 4th, at 2:30 p. m. Louis Nash of St. Paul will deliver an address and a musical program appropriate to the occasion will be rendered. All Elks and friends are cordially invited. Geo. W. Tyler, E. R. P. C. Williams, Secy.

A head on collision at Delano Sunday put two G. N. engines out of commission. One of them was a new compound engine just recently out of the shops. Tuesday morning the crews in the yard here while handling a sleeper, switching it from No. 52 to No. 10 lost control of it and it crashed into No. 10 with considerable force, breaking the windows and shaking up the passengers.

For the accommodation of its country readers, the Tribune will be pleased to fill orders for Red Cross Seals. Kindly enclose postage with your order.

Weyenhauser, the lumberman, has donated \$150,000 to Augustana College for a new building.

## History of Red Cross Seals.

Red Cross Christmas Seals date back in their origin to "charity stamps," first used for the soldiers' relief fund in Boston in 1862, during the Civil War. After the war, this method of raising money was discontinued in this country for a generation, although it found vogue in Portugal, Switzerland, Australia, France, Spain, Denmark, Norway, Russia, Sweden and other European countries. There are now several hundred different types of charity stamps used in all parts of the world.

Stamps or seals were first used to get money for the anti-tuberculosis crusade in Norway and Sweden in 1904. After being used in these countries for three years, as a direct result of the interest of Jacob Riis in this movement, the Delaware Anti-Tuberculosis Association, headed by Miss Emily P. Bissel, and the Red Cross Society of Delaware combined in issuing a Tuberculosis Stamp. So successful was this campaign that nearly \$3,000 was realized, and the next year, in 1908, the American Red Cross was induced to issue a National Red Cross Tuberculosis Stamp. From this sale, \$135,000 was realized, that amount being almost doubled in 1909. This year, for the first time, the sale is organized on a comprehensive basis, taking in all parts of the United States. A million for tuberculosis work is confidently expected. 47 1/2 per cent of the proceeds from the sale of seals in Willmar will be used for local work.



Gertrude Porter, Ada Jorris, and Hazel Elmquist, who are attending the St. Cloud Normal, visited school Monday morning.

Constance Grangaard entertained the "Bachelorette Girls" at a six o'clock dinner Wednesday.

The first act of the Sophomore class play will be rehearsed Tuesday evening.

Report cards were given out Tuesday afternoon.

The literary program will be postponed until a week from Friday. It is arranged in this way so that the class play will come between the literary programs.

Ed and Fred Johnson, who are attending the state University, visited school Monday.

### Housekeepers' Club.

The December meeting of the Housekeepers' Club will be held at the Odd Fellows hall Saturday afternoon. Lunch will be served by the committee appointed by the president.

### PROGRAM.

Piano solo—Helen Hornbeck  
Recitation—Helen Peterson  
Vocal solo—Ethel Smith  
Reading—Mrs. English  
Vocal solo—Phyllis Haley

Following the program there will be a short discussion on "Garbage Cans."

### A Spoon Social.

The teacher and pupils cordially invite everybody to attend their social and program in the Flann schoolhouse, Dist., Saturday evening Dec. 10. All the ladies are requested to bring two spoons alike decorated with ribbon. Lunch will be served by the school.

Miss Inga Grangaard gave a thimble bee at her home Friday evening entertaining 10 of her friends. It was an informal and happy affair and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Constance Grangaard.

Miss Hazel Lien entertained at an attractive dinner on Wednesday, given in honor of a group of her friends who are students at the St. Cloud Normal school and were at home for their Thanksgiving vacation.

Rev. H. Gates was at Granite Falls Sunday assisting in the reopening of the Episcopal church at that place, which after being closed for sometime has been thoroughly renovated and put in order and was opened for worship on Sunday.

The Sorosis and Willing Workers societies of the Swedish Lutheran church of New London are planning to hold their fifth annual bazaar on the evenings of Dec. 14 and 15 at the town hall. The program will appear next week.

Rev. C. C. Rollitt, secretary of the third missionary district, conducted the services in St. Luke's church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. George Tyler made a pleasant afternoon for a small group of ladies on Saturday. Mrs. S. M. Wilcox was the honor guest.

Not "stand patters" but "stick patters". The Red Cross Christmas Seal.

## SEVENTH DISTRICT LEGISLATORS MEET

Seven of the ten republican representatives from the seventh district were in session here Monday afternoon and evening to discuss the speakership question and other legislative matters. After a lengthy conference they decided to recommend Hon. L. C. Spooner of Morris for speaker, deferring to endorse him out and out in respect to his wishes. The second choice of the members present was J. A. Burnquist of St. Paul.

Oscar Arneson of Herman, first assistant clerk of the last house, was endorsed for chief clerk.

The visiting lawmakers were entertained at a banquet in the evening by citizens of Willmar. At the banquet Mr. Spooner spoke at length and declared himself in favor of reapportionment, good roads, drainage, liberal appropriations for agricultural education, a fixed revenue for the state university, fair and equitable taxation, and economy in administration. Speaking of county option he said that it is only fair such a burning question be given thorough consideration and if he should be elected speaker he would appoint a committee that will make a report recommending the passage of such a bill.

### Masons Initiate.

The members of Sharon Lodge 104 A. F. and A. M. met for work in the third degree at their lodge rooms Friday evening. There were five candidates and the work of conferring the degrees was witnessed by a large number of local masons and 17 visiting brethren from Litchfield. An elegant supper was served to over 70 at 6:30 o'clock by the members of the Eastern Star, who had been invited to assist in this part of the program. At the close of the work in the lodge room, which was continued during the earlier part of the evening, there was a social good time and a buffet luncheon was enjoyed at eleven o'clock.

### Gold Serves Banquet.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's church served an elegant four course banquet at Carlson's hall Monday evening. The tables were attractively decorated with smilax and flowers and the menu was delicious. The ladies were assisted by a group of girls of St. Agnes' guild. The hosts on this occasion were the leading republicans of the county and the guests were the representatives of the Seventh district. A program of toasts was given with Sen. L. O. Thorpe as toast master and, judging from the laughter and applause wafted from the dining, hall wit, wisdom and eloquence reigned supreme.

A meeting of the Deaneery of Willmar will be held in St. Luke's church Wednesday and Thursday, December 7 and 8. Subjects of importance and interest will be discussed by the clergymen and laymen who are expected to be present. Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Mrs. Hector Baxter of Minneapolis, President of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will speak on "The Work of the Woman's Auxiliary".

About twenty of the friends of Miss Inga Johnson gathered at her home Wednesday evening and gave her an agreeable surprise. The usual good time was indulged in and tempting refreshments were served. Miss Johnson, who left Friday evening for her new position in a bank at Bowman, N. D., was presented with a beautiful pearl ring as a reminder of happy times in Willmar.

The Home Talent Concert announced for this (Wednesday) evening, Nov. 30th, at the First M. E. church at 8 o'clock, under the leadership of Mrs. Emma Cairns, is sure to please everyone. The best elocutionists, soloists and musicians of Willmar will take part in the program. The public is cordially invited. Admission, adults 25 cents, children 10 cents.

H. C. Johnson is now the proprietor of the confectionary store on 4th Street, formerly owned by Emil Christianson. This has always been one of the popular confectionary stores of Willmar and will undoubtedly continue so under the new management. Mr. Christianson has not fully decided upon his plans for the future.

Mrs. G. W. Jorris gave a delightful evening company Wednesday for her daughter, Miss Ada Jorris, and her guest Miss Helen De Haven, of Minneapolis. The young ladies are taking the teachers' course at the St. Cloud Normal and were here for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Miss Lillie Johnson was hostess and twelve of her friends were her guests at an elegant supper served at her home Sunday evening.

## Elkier Will Leave Willmar.

From an announcement in the Tribune we learn that Mr. Erick Elkier, who for a number of years has been conducting a photograph studio here, has decided to retire from the photo business in Willmar on Jan. 15th, 1911. Mr. Elkier has made many friends in Willmar and vicinity, both personally and thru his fine photographic work, and they all regret to see him leave. Mr. Elkier is an artist in the field of photography and it is safe to say that wherever he may decide to locate he will receive a liberal patronage and win many friends.

The former parishioners of Father Malloy will hear with pleasure of his recovery from an operation to which he submitted recently at the Mayo hospital at Rochester.

## In the Churches

**SALVATION ARMY.**  
Meetings Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock Sunday, Sunday school two o'clock, Salvation meeting 7:45.

**FIRST METHODIST.**  
On Sunday preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Epworth League, 6:45 p. m.; mid-week services every Thursday evening at 7:30.

**SWED. M. E.**  
Regular services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30; Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.  
Rev. Andrew Nelson, Pastor.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.**  
Services Sunday, 10:45 a. m. Next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome to these services.

**LUTHERAN FREE.**  
Midweek services Thursday evening. Bethania young People's Society will meet Friday evening. No morning services next Sunday, but S. S. at 12 a. m. and evening service at 7:45. The Ladies Society meets Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 7, and Mrs. Ben Benson, Mrs. Martin Pederson and Mrs. Gust Knudsen will serve refreshments.

**PRESBYTERIAN.**  
Sunday morning the sermon subject will be "A Man among his Neighbors." In the evening it will be "How far shall one be Honest?" The Sunday school will meet at the noon hour and the Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:45 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

**SWEDISH BETHEL.**  
Services Thursday evening. Communion services next Sunday morning. The church council meets after services Thursday evening to consider application for membership.

**SWEDISH MISSION.**  
Next Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock song-service at 7:00 p. m. evening services at 7:30.

**NORW. SYNOD.**  
Next Sunday services in Norwegian at 10:30 a. m. Communion services at ten o'clock. Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. English evening services at 7:30. Those who intend to go to communion will meet in the church basement Saturday at 2 p. m. The Ladies Society here in the city meets tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon. The Young Peoples Bible class meets in the church basement next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The Vikör Ladies' Society meets with Mrs. Albert Hanson next Wednesday afternoon.

The Y. P. S. of the Free Lutheran church will hold their monthly meeting Friday evening, Dec. 2. The following program will be given:

Piano solo—Theodore Johnson  
Vocal solo—Mrs. G. E. Qvale  
Recitation—Helen Halvorson  
Piano duet—Bernice Severinson and Ethel Govig  
Reading—Judge T. O. Gilbert  
Vocal duet—Messrs. W. J. Pinney and S. B. Quale  
Vocal solo—Chauncey Frye  
Piano solo—Emma Rykken

Peter Swenson, Svea; H. Anderson and C. E. Frederickson, Dove; Lar Ness, Sask., Can., and H. Sordahl, Willmar, left here yesterday for Minneapolis to join the White Star line excursion which leaves for Europe December 3rd. They will visit their old homes in Scandinavia for a couple of months and expect to return here in the spring. The party was booked by Hans Gundersen, local agent of the White Star line.

The High School chorus sang at the Thanksgiving Union services and acquitted themselves with great credit. Under the leadership of Miss Coleman they are making fine progress.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. A. E. Mossberg returned from the Cities Saturday evening. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Campbell on Sunday, Nov. 20, a son.

The Hooligans were pleasantly entertained by Miss Esther Rodlum Monday evening.

Red Cross Rummage sale at the Jorgenson building on 5th St. Nov. 30th and Dec. 1 and 2.

The young ladies of the Sewing Club spent Tuesday evening very pleasantly with Miss Anna Olson.

Chris Berg has become a resident of Svea. He took charge of the State Bank of Svea Tuesday as cashier.

The many friends of T. H. Phare will learn with regret that he still continues seriously ill at his home in this city.

The date of the sale of fancy articles by the C. E. young ladies has been changed from the 8th to the 6th of December.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lewis were Thanksgiving guests of their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lewis of St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Anderson will soon occupy their handsome and commodious new residence on west Litchfield Ave.

Dr. B. J. Branton, who had spent the previous week with the Drs. Mayo at Rochester, returned to Willmar on Thursday.

Miss France Ackerman, who is teaching in Willmar, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Arthur Heiberg. —Montevideo Leader.

Remember the auction in the Swedish Methodist church Thursday evening. Refreshments will be served. Everbody invited.

The St. Cloud Normal students who spent the Thanksgiving holiday at their homes in Willmar, returned to their work on Monday.

Mrs. J. T. Fuller has as her guests Misses Blanche and Elaine Dyer, of Willmar and Excelsior, during the Thanksgiving recess.—Morris Tribune.

Maxfield Lewis, a former Willmar boy, who was graduated from Yale a year ago, has accepted a position with the Oldsmobile Co. of Lansing, Michigan.