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NORWAY LAKE NIBBLES

Norway Lake, June 25—The festival given by the Ladies' Aid at the West Lake church today, (Sunday) was largely attended. The proceeds from the refreshment stand amounted to some over \$70.00, and from the lunch counter \$17.00. A few remarks were made by Rev. Sund, besides an interesting lecture by John Georgeson on the Civil War.

Mrs. B. O. Otterness was very pleasantly surprised last Sunday by her many friends here and in the West Lake locality. As a memento of the occasion a purse containing over \$22.00 was given to her.

The Norway Lake choir was at Spicer last Friday, where it, in company with a choir near Sacred Heart, sang at the Y. P. S. festival which was held there Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. They were taken down in three autos belonging to Ben and Henry Halvorson and Adolph Engen, and all report a good time.

Albert Knudson and family left for Nelson county, N. Dak., some time ago for a visit.

Ole Ringness and Mikal Engen returned from Minneapolis last week where they had each bought a 30 horse power Mitchell automobile.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the "Halling Stevne" at Brooten last week, and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Skalarud and sons, Ed and Joe, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Oliver Wahlod of Pekin, N. D., returned home last week. They tell us of a severe hail storm in that locality while there, the trees being stripped of their leaves and much damage being done to the crops.

Ole Ringness in company with three or four farmers in Sunburg drove to Fergus Falls last week in the former's auto, where they will attend a Nuredahl Stevne held at that place.

George Swenson, accompanied Henry Halvorson to Minneapolis last Saturday and will return today in an automobile which the former has sold to his brother, Justin, who is cashier of a bank in Nevis, Minn. Henry is a good auto driver and anyone who wishes a swift ride can have it by stepping into Henry's car.

Carl Peterson has accepted a position as fireman on the dredge now working its way to Norway Lake, after finishing a branch to the so-called Lund slough.

Mrs. Sorum, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. M. O. Rustad, for some time, returned to her home near Detroit, Minn., last week.

"Short Fellow."

FAHLIN FINDS

Fahlin, June 26th—Grain has headed out in this vicinity and looks good so far.

Miss Esther Anderson from Willmar is visiting friends here.

Mrs. L. P. Felt and daughters, Goldie and Myrtle, are week-end visitors in the Twin Cities.

Miss Birdy Bjornberg, who spent last year in Minneapolis is here for a short stay renewing acquaintances.

Mr. Klint from Kandiyohi is on his farm here cutting hay.

Lawrence Wicklund spent last week at his home.

Miss Ruth Edgren returned from Clear Lake Monday. Reynold and Lester are at present staying with Uncle John.

Miss Esther Woolberg from Willmar is spending the week with Miss Cora Johnson, her former school mate.

Walter Klint is visiting his brother, Arthur.

Mr. H. Wahlstrand made a canvassing trip thru here the first part of the week.

Ed Lundquist is spending this week in Fahlin.

E. Johnson's entertained company from Raymond.

Miss Marie Johnson from St. Paul called on friends here Sunday.

Quite a few from here took in the midsummer picnic at Tripolis.

ASSEMBLY IS MAKING GOOD

The Willmar Park Assembly session of 1911 is making good. There has not been a failure on the program so far. The crowds have increased every day since the opening. A great many of the best things are still to come, and we look for finish in attendance that will vindicate the fine program provided.

The Metropolitan Ladies' Orchestra of Chicago which will be here during the entire season is furnishing daily concerts that are the delight of all who come. Every member is a professional musician of more than ordinary merit, and they play together with a dash and finish that is thoroughly enjoyable.

Miss Grace Lamkin's work with the children and her daily round table talks to teachers, parents and others is a new feature here that is winning its way. Miss Lamkin is a director of physical training who stands second to none in the country in her lines and the fact that she has only about sixty children yet with her instead of two or three hundred is due entirely to the fact that parents do not realize what a boon they are denying their children when they fail to place them under her influence for the week. If you are in doubt attend one of her round table talks after the afternoon program.

The Willmar Military Band is in good form and are furnishing daily concerts which are appreciated by all. The best program they have made during the past year is marked by all. Willmar has now a band of which it may be proud.

The platform is in charge of Dr. Lanham, who gave three lectures at last year's assembly. He gave a lecture-sermon Sunday night and lectured on the "Land of Possibilities" Monday night. His daily Bible hour beginning at 1:45 p. m. is drawing a growing class. Besides his work as platform director and Bible instructor, he has one more number on the program to fill next Sunday evening's sermon-lecture, which we are sure no one will wish to miss.

Col. Geo. W. Bain of Kentucky lectured last Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon. He fell in love with Willmar at first sight, and the Willmar people who heard him reciprocated the feeling. No one could possibly hear one of his lectures without being better for it. With a platform experience of more than forty years, he combines the ripest knowledge with rare eloquence, sparkling wit and touching pathos. Col. Bain will come back to Willmar for future assemblies if still available. That is the universal wish of those who heard him.

Hon. Edward Russell Perry from New York City captivated the largest audience so far of this season last night in his great lecture "Samson Aroused." Public opinion is the Samson which Mr. Perry is trying to arouse against public abuses. He speaks again tonight on the subject of "The Golden Cornfield" and we predict a large audience.

The Executive Committee made announcement last night of a special rate of admission for children to the grounds of 10 cents where the children do not occupy a seat in the auditorium which will be in force hereafter. It was also announced that a number of auto owners have agreed to carry passengers to the grounds or back for 15c either way. These autos will stop for passengers at Carlson Bros. store on Fourth street.

Look over the announcement of the features still to come in another part of the paper. Study up the Assembly program which has been mailed to you. Every loyal Willmar citizen should come out to every session for which he can possibly break away during the remaining days. That is the least you can do to help make the Assembly a success.

NORWEGIAN DAY TOMORROW.
Luther College Band of Decorah, Ia. Will Arrive in Time to Participate.

Tomorrow is Norwegian Day at the Willmar Park Assembly. President J. N. Kildahl of St. Olaf College of Northfield will give the Norwegian address tomorrow afternoon and Prof. Julius E. Olson of the Wisconsin State University will make the lecture in English tomorrow evening on the subject, "The Regeneration of Modern Norway." The Luther College Concert Band will arrive at 1:30 in the afternoon and are expected to give some out-door selections. The orchestra will give special music appropriate to the occasion and suitable vocal music will be provided.

President Kildahl will deliver a lecture in English Friday afternoon, "Common People and Aristocrats," and on Friday evening the Luther College Concert Band under their justly famed director, Prof. Carlo A. Sperati, will give a grand concert which will be one of the greatest musical events of the Assembly.

Holmberg-Hansen.
At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Anna Nelson, in this city, at noon today occurred the marriage of Miss Hilda Holmberg and Hans N. Hansen, Rev. G. Peterson performing the ceremony. The bride was prettily gowned in white silk voile and carried a shower of bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Elizabeth Hanson of Minneapolis, a sister of the groom, who wore white batiste and carried pink roses. The groom was attended by Victor Holmberg, a brother of the bride. As the bridal party entered the parlor, Miss Amy Hakanson played the "Lohengrin Bridal Song" and while the vows were spoken "Aubade." After the ceremony and congratulations, a sumptuous wedding dinner was served in the dining room, which was effectively decorated with roses and ferns. The bridal couple left today for an extended wedding tour thru the western states, and will be at home in this city to their friends after September 1st. Their many friends wish them a long and happy married life.

New London, Route No. 3.

New London, Route No. 3—There will be services in the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. C. Swenson. Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. C. Swenson and son Paul, returned home on Tuesday from a week's stay in Duluth.

Those from around here that visited Willmar at the Old Settlers' Day on Tuesday are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Soderlund, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Olander, Agnes and Esther Olander, Mr. and Mrs. France Soderlund, Henning Olander, and Hazel and Sylvia Olander. They all report a good time.

Russel Newlin, who is working in Nest Lake, Sundayed at the Victor Olson home.

Rev. C. Swenson went to Litchfield on Monday to attend the Mission meeting at that place.

The Willing Workers meet at the home of Alfred Bengtson next Wednesday afternoon. All are welcome.

Willie Soderlund and Adolph Olander enjoyed themselves Friday by fishing on Lake Andrew.

The Swedes from here intend to go to Willmar on Swedish Day, July 1st.

Tallman from Willmar was seen in his auto Sunday.

The midsummer picnic was well attended. About \$80.00 was taken in at the tables and about \$25.00 at the stand. All the old people had free dinner in honor of Louis Larson, by celebrating his 75th birthday. He was presented with \$21.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Swedish Lutheran church meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Bengtson in Lake Andrew Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Clarence Langren, who is working in Maure, came up Saturday on his bicycle and went home the same day.

Mrs. John Lundin, who has been visiting up here for a week, left on Monday for her home in Milbank, S. Dak.

Mrs. Emma Miller, Myrtle and Floyd, came up to visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

Mrs. Mrs. Elmer Kullander of Burbank were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Algot Peterson the first part of the week.

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Personal and Otherwise

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hedin went to Norway Lake yesterday for a visit.

Frank Eneyart, the dredge boat man, returned Monday from Litchfield.

John Thorne of New London spent a day at Willmar the first of the week.

Mrs. Gustav Peterson returned Monday from a few days' visit at Litchfield.

Miss Marie Nelson left last Thursday evening for an extended visit with friends at Hallock.

Milo Kipple and Russell Soderling returned from Litchfield Monday after a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lindberg and son Lorin of Minneapolis, are visiting at the C. A. Nelson home.

James Collins and Bob Meyers returned from a western trip. They spent most of their time out at the coast.

Miss Flo Terry and J. B. Glarum left Monday for a short visit with the former's relatives at Howard Lake.

Melvin Samuelson left Monday for Sioux Falls where he has a wrestling match on hand. Here's Good Luck for Mel.

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OBITUARY

HUGH E. H. CAMPBELL.
The sad news of the death of a well known Spicer citizen, Hugh Campbell, Sr., was received here yesterday. He has suffered with cancer since last August, which was the cause of death.

Hugh Edward Campbell was born near Edinburg, Scotland, Feb. 10, 1846. At the age of about twenty he came to this country, and worked for several years at his trade of stone dresser and mill-wright along the river towns from Clearwater to St. Cloud. He came to Green Lake and took charge of the Green Lake Mills April 8, 1889. He later leased the mill, but retired onto a little farm on the shore of the lake about a mile north of Spicer where he has been engaged at gardening and truck farming the last twelve years. He was married thirty-one years ago to Miss Helen Hudock of Maple Lake, who survives him. Five children have been born to them, namely Mrs. Margaret Courtwright of Luton, Iowa; Hugh Campbell, Jr., of Willmar, and Minta, Helen and Ada who live at home. The grief-stricken family have the heart-felt sympathy of the community in their affliction.

The funeral occurs tomorrow, from the late residence, at 3:30 o'clock. The Masonic lodge of Willmar will have charge of the burial.

ERICK HEGSTROM.
Erick Hegstrom, a prominent and very respected pioneer resident of Fahlin, died at his home last Thursday, June 22nd, at an age of 75 years. The cause of his death was probably cancer of the stomach from which he began to suffer last fall. He had been hale and hearty up to that time.

The deceased was born in Mockford, Dalarna, Sweden, in January, 1836, and was one of the several splendid pioneer types who came from that province in Sweden to settle in the south central part of this county. He arrived in this country on the 5th day of May 1868, locating at once in Kandiyohi County, and has lived here ever since, rearing a large family of children and taking a prominent part in the up-building of the community.

He is mourned by a loving wife; five sons, Peter, Andrew and Haldor Hegstrom, of Svea; Prof. Albert Hegstrom, of Mayard, Minn.; and Emil Hegstrom, of Detroit, Mich.; and one daughter, Hannah, who lives at home in Svea; also by five grandchildren, besides the many friends and other relatives.

The funeral was held last Sunday morning at 9 o'clock with short services at the house and with funeral services proper at the Svea Sw. Luth. church where Pastor A. J. Ryden preached the funeral sermon.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Aug. Lindblad, P. Becklund, Louis Strandberg, Bengt Carlsson, Mats Walner and E. A. Lundgren.

JOHN GILBERT PALM.
The death of John Gilbert Palm formerly of Burbank, but lately of Bendict, Hubbard Co., occurred at his home there on June 12th, the cause of his death being tuberculosis and stomach trouble. The funeral took place at Lake Port, June 14th, 1911, and those from Burbank who attended were his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. August Carlsson, his widow's mother, Mrs. Jas. Morgan, his brother Oscar Palm, and Mrs. A. P. Alquist.

The deceased was born at Woodhull, Ill., Nov. 8, 1840. His father died while Gilbert was a little boy. In 1867, he came with his mother to Balaton, Minn., and some years ago moved to Burbank, this county. He took a homestead in Hubbard county, Minn., in 1908. On June 30, 1909, he was married to Miss May Morgan of Burbank, taking his young bride to the home he had prepared for her at Bendict. A little son, Leonard Ellworth, was born to them about six months ago. He leaves to mourn besides wife, child, and parents, two brothers, one half-brother, and four half-sisters, besides a large number of friends and other relatives near New London and Balaton.

ly 200 invited guests at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, after which a reception took place and a bounteous wedding dinner was served.

Mr. Monson is employed at the Lewis Hardware store in Willmar, and the young couple will soon be at home to their many friends on Nelson avenue this city.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for their sympathy shown us during the late illness of our departed husband and father.

Mrs. Ole J. Skutle, and children.

Miss Josephine Benson expects to go to work out at the State Farm next week.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Council Chambers, Library Building, Willmar, Minn., June 26th, 1911.

Regular meeting of the City Council with Mayor Wellin in the chair. On roll call the following members of the Council were present.

Mayor Wellin, Aldermen Frederickson, Johnson, Anderson, Erickson, Hedin, Sperry, Dahlheim and Norman, 9; absent none. City Attorney Stanford also was present.

The minutes of the regular meeting held June 12th, 1911, and of the adjourned meeting held June 19, 1911 were read and the same were approved as read.

The following bills were, on motion, referred to the Finance Committee:

General Fund.
J. A. Rowat, engineering work \$ 2.20
W. O. Johnson, fees Clerk Municipal Court 4.25

Willmar Greenhouse, for wintering and putting out plants in R. R. Park 12.00
Ole Gilbertson, labor in park 40.00
H. A. Rund, watchman at fire 2.00
J. C. Freese, watchman at fire 2.00
E. M. Sanderson, watchman at fire 2.00
M. D. Manning, expense as delegate to Firemen's convention and cash advanced for dues 16.80

Christ Paulson, expenses as delegate to Firemen's Convention 12.80
Edward Johnson, expense as delegate to Firemen's Convention 12.80
Nels Edwards, expenses as delegate to Firemen's Convention 12.80
G. C. Haines, part payment salary as assessor year 1911 125.00

Water and Light Fund.
Jallmer Pearson, labor and wiring 24.90
Bryan Marsh Co., mdse. 60.87
National Carbon Co., mdse. 32.92
General Electric Co., mdse. 37.87
Northwestern Elect. Equipment Co., mdse. 24.66
Emerson Electric and Mfg. Co., mdse. 8.87
Wagner Electric Mfg. Co., mdse. 2.85

Street Fund.
Peter Anderson, labor 18.38
Harold Anderson, labor 1.75
Carl Johnson, labor 1.75
John Peterson, labor 18.38
Lars Rasmuson, labor 13.13
Nels Pederson, labor 3.50
L. Tendall, labor 5.25
Geo. Gustafson, labor with team 2.00
Aug. Anderson, labor with team 4.00
W. M. Benson, labor with team 4.00
Chr. Freese, labor with team 4.00
J. L. Johnson, labor with team 32.00
R. P. Rasmuson, for gravel 23.40

Perm. Imp. Revolv. Fund.
J. A. Rowat, engineering services Olaf avenue 3.00
The Finance Committee reported the foregoing bills back approved and, on motion, the report was accepted.

Alderman Johnson offered the following resolution which was adopted by the full vote of the Council.

Resolution.
Resolved, That by the City Council of the City of Willmar that the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to issue warrants against the respective funds in payment of the foregoing approved bills.

Approved June 27th, 1911.
E. C. Wellin, Mayor.

Pursuant to the notice for the hearing of the petition of Anton Knoblauch, Philip J. Haley, et al for the vacation of a part of the street in Paulson and Sunde's subdivision of lot "D" of the eastern addition to the City of Willmar, Minnesota, the hearing on the said petition was taken up at this time. There being no one appearing in opposition to the granting of the said petition the hearing was declared closed.

Alderman Dahlheim offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: Ayes: Alderman Frederickson, Johnson, Anderson, Hedin, Erickson, Sperry, Dahlheim and Norman, 8; Noes, none.

Resolution.
Whereas, a petition in due form has heretofore been presented to the City Council of the City of Willmar, Minnesota, signed by a majority of the owners of the property on the line of the street hereinafter described and for three hundred feet in each direction from the end and ends of said street, praying for a vacation of the street hereinafter described;

And, Whereas, The City Council has heretofore determined that it was expedient to proceed to a hearing upon the said petition, and has

LAKE WILLAN LETTER

Lake Lillian, June 26th—Mrs. E. Linn is visiting in Willmar.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson last Saturday. We all smoke, Oscar.

Now we know why J. E. Johnson smiles so! A son came to gladden his home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. And. Lindquist of Willmar visited A. B. Walner last Sunday.

Miss Lovisa Lundquist of Minneapolis is visiting with her parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. And. Fridlund of Willmar visited at And. Holmgren's last week.

Miss Julia Julson of Renville is visiting at E. Danielson's.

Miss Annie Petterson of Minneapolis is visiting O. I. Erickson.

Mrs. A. R. Landberg of Minneapolis is visiting at M. Wolner's this week.

Ernest and Gilbert Hoglund of Olivia Sundayed with their parents last Sunday.

John Erickson of Milaca is here visiting with friends.

Miss Tina Linnman is now at home after a stay in Minneapolis.

Albin Erickson left last Monday for North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson of Dassel are here visiting with friends.

Mrs. Jacobson and children of Minneapolis are here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Blomgren.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Erickson of Willmar are here visiting with Chas. Estman.

Lindstrand and Larson of Murdock have been here visiting friends.

Miss Ellen Johnson is working for J. E. Johnson.

ARC TANDER-ARROW

Arctander, June 26th—Mrs. John Georgeson left for North Dakota last Friday for a short stay with relatives.

Miss Selma Henjum leaves for Willmar today to attend the summer school.

Little Bernice Foshager has enjoyed a two weeks' stay at her grandparents' place, E. H. Hauge.

Miss Tillie Poverud took a three days' leave of absence from her household duties and took in the "Valdris Stevne" at Brooten last week.

Hans Myhre and son, Elmer, are attending religious meetings at the St. Paul Park at present.

Miss Emma Somerville finished a three months' term of school in District 17 last Wednesday, and left for her home in Willmar on Thursday.

Mrs. Johnson of Minneapolis is enjoying a week end stay at the Ytterboe Bros. place at present.

Mr. L. O. Kambestad represented the East Norway Lake congregation at the annual meeting of the United Lutheran church held in St. Paul last week.

Services will be conducted at the East Norway Lake church next Sunday.</