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## LOCAL BREVITIES

Enoch Lindquist returned Monday to Milaca.

J. F. Branton went to Foley on business Monday.

Miss Bess Odeirk spent Friday with friends in Atwater.

Dr. Isabell Fleming of New London spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Gladys Molander went to Delano Saturday to visit friends.

Miss Hattie Holmdahl spent Sunday at her home at Norway Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Porteous spent Sunday with friends at Kerkhoven.

Mrs. Mary Downs returned Saturday from a few days' visit at Spicer.

Miss Lizzie Strangel was a Raymond visitor a few days the past week.

Mrs. And. Hanson and little son spent Sunday with relatives at Kandiyohi.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Peterson spent Monday in New London, the guests of friends.

Miss Myrtle Snyder spent a few days last week visiting relatives at Kerkhoven.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Gratz and two sons spent Saturday the guests of friends at Atwater.

Miss Emily Bouske spent Sunday at her home at Raymond. She returned Monday.

Swan Nelson of Svea was at New London on business the latter part of the week.

Messrs. A. Erickson and W. Freeman spent Sunday in Minneapolis with friends.

John A. Johnson went to Kandiyohi Monday on business. He returned Monday night.

Miss Nellie Barrett went to DeGraff Monday, for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. Peterson and daughter of Hoffman, Minn., are guests at the O. Lundquist home.

Miss Birdie Somerville, who teaches near Raymond, spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Mrs. Alfred Bergeson returned last Saturday from a short visit with relatives at New London.

T. Hugh and son of Fergus Falls visited at the home of D. W. Haley the latter part of the week.

Adolph Swenson went to Minneapolis the latter part of the week, where he expects to remain indefinitely.

Rev. Arvid Ostling returned last Monday from Dassel, where he has been conducting meetings the past week.

Mrs. L. F. Hodgson is visiting her parents at Eureka, Ill. She expects to return home about the middle of March.

Miss Ella Ekander is again at her home here after spending several months with her sister at Grand Forks.

Miss Esther Monson of New London was in Willmar between trains on Thursday, enroute for a visit at Kerkhoven.

The Misses Mayme Hendrickson and Jennie Knutson of Spicer were guests at the P. M. Peterson home over Sunday.

Mrs. H. Johnson and baby of Kerkhoven, were in Willmar Saturday, enroute for a visit with her parents at New London.

Arthur Larson went to the cities Thursday for a few days' vacation from his duties as conductor on the G. N. railroad.

Frank Rosman of Raymond, enroute for St. Cloud, visited with his sister, Mrs. Frank McGuire between trains on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Nelson returned to Murdock Saturday from a several weeks' stay in this city taking a course in dressmaking.

Miss Alice Lawler returned Saturday to her home at Kandiyohi, after a few days' stay in Willmar, a guest of Miss Emma Somerville.

S. C. Hicks, proprietor of the Majestic moving picture theatre, was in Minneapolis last week where he purchased a new moving picture machine.

The Firemen Bowling team defeated the employees at the State Farm at the Jorgenson alleys in this city last night, winning by a score of 272 pins.

Mrs. A. O. Bryant returned home last week from Spring Valley, where she was called by the death of her aged mother, Mrs. Knight. The funeral occurred a week ago Saturday.

Mrs. Emil Stahn of this city and brother, John H. Olson, of Dove, attended the funeral of an uncle, Mr. Lagergren, yesterday at Grove City. The deceased was a prominent merchant of that place.

## ATTRACTIONS AT THE PARK

### Assembly Park Leased by C. Scheffer for Summer Season.

The Willmar Assembly park has been leased to Charles Scheffer, the caterer, for the coming season. He expects to operate the concessions, dining hall and stands, and provide band concerts, amusements and entertainments as his patronage may warrant. He will have a merry-go-round in the park and boats to let on the lake. The Park Board has reserved the use of the grounds for County Fair purposes, and other bookings already made for the season, and also a certain number of dates for a chautauqua and other gatherings, should such materialize. The Park Board has retained the services of K. T. Otos as resident caretaker of the grounds and he will put in his time at keeping up, improving and beautifying the natural features of the park. The outlook is now that this splendid park property will be permanently maintained and improved for the pleasure and edification of the public of Willmar and at large. The losses of last year's big assembly have been made good by the stockholders, and the restrictions adopted by the latter which provide that the Park Board will not as such become responsible for future programs, precludes any further financial difficulties from that source.

Mr. Scheffer's lease extends from April 15 to Oct. 1, with reservations named. Mr. Scheffer asks us to state that he wishes to so conduct the concessions at the park as to merit the patronage and good will of the people of Willmar and vicinity. Picnic parties will be welcome to use the pavilion for luncheon and may purchase hot coffee, ice cream or anything with which they may wish to supplement the contents of their baskets.

With the building of the new sewer system, which will relieve the lake of that source of impurity and the establishment of a permanent outlet, the improvement of the lake in the appearance of the shore line and for boating will become a live question. Interest will be stimulated in time to lay out driveways along the shore wherever possible and provide channels to permit launches to run between the different parts of the lake. The new state institution will be an interesting objective point for a boat ride on the lake. The cleaning up and beautifying of Foot Lake is one of the steps necessary to future growth and improvement of Willmar as a city.

### Odd Fellows Banquet.

The members of Harmony Encampment No. 34 I. O. O. F. had a big time at the Odd Fellows hall last night. W. A. McDowell of Laverne, Minn., Grand Patriarch of the Minnesota I. O. O. F. and G. S. Redman of Pipestone, Grand Outside Guardian of the Grand Encampment, were present. Willmar had the second largest class of the new candidates for admission to the order, the following having been elected to membership: H. A. Raud, T. C. Torkelson, L. A. Gaut, Edward Johnson, Fred Kasten, Frank J. Bigham, E. P. Bjornberg, J. E. Leslie and O. Brendahl. At ten o'clock a banquet was served by the ladies' auxiliary order of Rebecas. Speeches by the grand officers were the features of the evening.

### Sustains Broken Hip.

Mrs. Ole H. Ekdahl met with a serious accident last Sunday. As she was returning to her home from the Sunday school at the Swedish Baptist church she slipped upon the sidewalk opposite the John Nelson residence and sustained a fracture of a limb near the hip joint. She was carried to her home and surgical aid secured. As she is an elderly lady the fracture is a difficult one to reduce, but she is restine easy now and doing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Ekdahl has a wide circle of friends who regret to hear of her misfortune.

### Wins Gold Watch.

Albert Johnson of Lake Lillian, one of the leading contestants for the next St. Paul Daily News automobile, was in the city today. Albert stands a pretty good show of winning the contest and anyone wishing to see the automobile go to a deserving Kandiyohi county boy should send their renewal or new subscription to the Daily News before Feb. 28, stating that they want the votes to go to Mr. Johnson. Mr. Johnson won the prize for sending in the most subscriptions between certain dates, a fine diamond set gold watch, which the Willmar jeweler declared possessed good value.

## SEMINARY NOTES

The Misses Edith Nelson and Sophie Tallakson visited at the Seminary last Thursday.

Alma Syvertson and Stella Hanson visited German I last Thursday.

The play, "Men, Maids and Matchmakers," will be given at the Seminary chapel Thursday evening of this week. Admission 25 cents.

The literary program of the Osseo that was to be given on Feb. 27th will be given on Friday evening, Feb. 23.

Miss Alice Gibson visited chapel last Friday.

The teachers and students of the Seminary had their pictures taken last Saturday forenoon.

Mr. Bernhard Holm was seen at the Seminary last Wednesday, Feb. 14.

Alex Stenerson visited at the Seminary Tuesday, Feb. 13.

Miss Myrtle Vetting spent Sunday at her home near Pennoek.

Mr. Emil Lepse left for his home at Danvers last Monday.

Alfred Amundson is figuring on going home next Saturday morning.

Miss Syneva Skaftehdahl spent Sunday at her home at Solomon Lake.

Miss Stella Hanson visited at her home over Sunday.

The Seminary basket ball team did not go down to Litchfield last Saturday on account of the mix up of dates.

## TAILOR'S ARM IS BURNED

### J. J. Ekander's Dry Cleaning Department Scorched by Gasoline Explosion.

A fire in the dry-cleaning department of the J. J. Ekander tailoring establishment yesterday afternoon came very nearly doing serious damage. Mr. Ekander was severely burned on his left hand and forearm, which he carries in a sling today.

Mr. Ekander was inspecting the interior of the washing-machine with the aid of an electric incandescent light, when the globe broke and the gasoline which was in the washer, a gallon or more, instantly ignited. At the same time Mr. Ekander received an electric shock from the broken light and he was temporarily stunned. As soon as he recovered himself he called out and the men from the tailor shop came to the rescue. A fire alarm was turned in, which was promptly responded to, but the fire had not any great headway, and was promptly extinguished. Mr. Ekander's clothes were afire and his left forearm burned severely. With three tanks of gasoline near the fire, it was indeed lucky that the fire was so promptly put out. The loss will probably not exceed \$200. Besides damage to machinery, belting, etc., two suits of clothes were burned.

### Drink Makes Trouble.

John Wright of the town of New London was taken by the officers to Willmar yesterday to answer to the charge of drunkenness brought against him by his neighbor, Howard Townsend. It seems that Mr. Wright, while under the influence of liquor, had called at the Townsend place last Sunday evening and assaulted Mr. Townsend and that the latter in self defence had struck Wright across the head with a pitchfork cutting a big gash over his ear. He immediately went to town and swore out a warrant for Wright's arrest for assault and battery. He was brought before Justice Anton Jacobson in the night and placed under bonds to keep the peace. Later the charge of drunkenness was preferred against him, as above stated, and the trial was held before Judge Muller of the Municipal Court here yesterday afternoon. Wright was given a fine of \$10 and costs. Mr. Wright is ordinarily a peaceful citizen, but liquor happened to get away with his control.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Martin of this city were called to Minneapolis Friday morning on account of the serious illness of their son, Wallace, who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Martin returned Sunday night reporting that Wallace is much improved. Mrs. Martin will remain for some time. All his Willmar friends are hoping for a speedy recovery for Wallace.

Word has been received from J. W. Shute at Eagle Bend, Texas, that he has purchased a fruit ranch there. He writes that he is enjoying a dish of strawberries twice a day and thinks there is no country like southern Texas. He expects to return to Willmar some time in March and may decide to take his family to locate on his new ranch this year.

## Personal and Otherwise

Dr. Jacobs will move his office this week to the Johnson block.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bristol Monday morning.

Miss Pearl Malmberg spent Sunday at her home at Atwater.

Eben Lawson was at New London Monday and returned yesterday noon.

A daughter was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Dougherty last Friday.

E. C. Wellin returned Saturday from a couple weeks' trip to New York City.

Miss Verna Monson went to Asbury yesterday for a day's visit with her mother.

Mrs. J. Negaard enjoyed a week's visit from her sister, Mrs. P. Steen, of Minneapolis.

A. H. Gustrud of Dove is confined to his bed with a severe attack of rheumatic fever.

An eleven pound baby girl was born to Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Walters, of Tripolis last night.

Miss Alma Lundén of Fahlun is doing dressmaking at the Lewis Fridlund home this week.

Dan Lawler, clerk at the round house, spent Sunday visiting relatives at Breckenridge.

N. A. Soderholm came down from Driscoll, N. D., last night to see his father, Olof Soderholm.

Miss Ella Arthun returned to her home at Spicer yesterday from a week's visit with Miss Hattie Stenerson.

John Monson left yesterday for Maynard, where he is employed, after a couple of months' stay in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Swenson returned home yesterday from an over Sunday visit at the O. T. Olson home at Spicer.

Miss Naomi Soderling resumed her duties at the Leading store Monday, after a week's illness at her home in this city.

Miss Clare Johnson of Frazee, Minn., came up last week to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Fred Bohne.

The Misses Nannie and Marie Nelson entertained twelve of their lady friends at their home on Fourth St. Monday evening.

Mrs. G. Hingstrom returned yesterday to her home in New London, after visiting at the home of W. L. Norin on Monday.

Miss Marie Erlandson is enjoying a vacation from her duties at the Leading store. She expects to spend a few days in the cities and will be back to work about the 1st of March.

Lars Halvorson went to the cities Saturday to purchase a carload of 1912 model Maxwell cars. He attended the automobile show a few days and says it was one of the best shows he has ever seen.

Several Willmar people went down to Minneapolis this week to attend the automobile show given there by the automobile dealers' association of that city, which commenced Monday and closes tomorrow.

Herbert Englund from Hoffman, Grant county, came down yesterday with two old people who will become inmates of the Old People's Home at Eagle Lake. Herbert incidentally visited with his parents in this city.

The Willmar Seminary basket ball team are endeavoring to make arrangements for a game with Grove City, Saturday, Feb. 24 at the high school gym. In case they succeed, we look for a fast game as Grove City defeated the Litchfield high school recently.

Mrs. O. A. Jacobson and son Clifford of Crow River, were in Willmar yesterday, enroute for New London for a visit at the home of her son, Isaac Nordstrom, the occasion being her 81st birthday. A six o'clock supper was served.

The Y. P. S. of the Baptist church enjoyed a sleigh ride party Monday evening. Before returning home they drove to the home of John Mattson near Willmar, where an appetizing supper was awaiting them. The guests numbered forty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Grenager arrived from Hoffman, Minn., Tuesday, to make their home at the Bethesda Old People's Home. Mrs. Grenager is very spry and active altho 79 years of age. Mr. Grenager is an invalid and has reached 88 years.

Holger Elkjer departed Monday night for his future home at Hardwick, Minn. Walter Qvale accompanied him and will remain with him a few days. Mrs. Elkjer and daughter Hazel will leave tomorrow. The Tribune joins with their many friends in wishing them success and prosperity in their new location.

## WILLMAR NIGHT SCHOOL

Ethel takes the "Journal." Why? The last literary program was given Friday afternoon, Feb. 16th. The final program of the year will be given a week from next Friday.

The Senior class play has arrived and the characters have been selected. They are as follows:

Phil Thompson.....Neil MacGrew  
Buck Harding.....George Johnson  
Mr. Davis.....Roland DeLaHunt  
Joe Green.....Archie Carlson  
Fattie Merrill.....Albert Nordstrom  
Fred Wood.....Albert Odell  
Mr. Hornblower.....Horace Spencer  
Elenore Crowell.....Edith Glad  
Hazel Green.....Grace Peterson  
Alicia Taylor.....Myrtle Miller  
Mrs. Green.....Rebecca Olson  
Sarah, Elenore's Maid.....  
.....Marguerite Stockwell  
Kittie, an Irish Maid.....  
.....Alice MacLaughlin

The Presbyterian congregation was increased by "one" Sunday night. What Harold says is true. You bet!

Nellie Robbins was absent Monday and Tuesday.

Anybody seen a stray library book? Myrtle lost one.

The Phi Rho Deltas met last Thursday night.

A bunch of High School girls gave a leap year party at the Carlson Hall Saturday evening. They say that they had a good time.

The Willmar high school basketball team will play Litchfield Friday and Delano Saturday night, at Litchfield and Delano. How many bets are there? I can't count them.

Myrtle don't forget to answer that!

## INJURED AT ICE HOUSE

### Roy Johnson Hurt by Caving of Frozen Saw Dust at G. N. Ice House.

Roy Johnson, who was working with the Fred Smith crew packing ice in the Great Northern Railway ice-houses in the railroad yards, met with an accident last Monday which came very near proving fatal, and was an experience which he will always remember, as one of the terrible moments of his life. While he was at work in the pit between the ice and the wall of the building, a huge mass of frozen saw dust which was hanging frozen to the wall, suddenly caved down on him. Roy, though 18 years of age, is very small in stature and was completely buried under the mass. Luckily the accident was noticed by others of the crew and the lad was hurriedly dug out from his perilous position. The chances are that had not prompt assistance reached him he would in a few moments have suffocated. He was taken to the Willmar hospital where he now is lying quite badly bruised up but with no bones broken and on good way to a speedy recovery.

### Married in Alberta.

The many friends of the groom in Willmar will be pleased to learn of the marriage of Mr. George W. Haley to Miss Rose Hochlans, which occurred at Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, on February 14, at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church. They will be at home shortly to their friends at Grass Lake, Alberta, where Mr. Haley is engaged in the lumber business. The groom is a brother of Phil and Dan Haley and Miss Martha Haley of this city. He left Willmar for the West about three years ago. The newlyweds have the best wishes of a large host of Willmar friends.

### Plenty of Work, Says Rumer.

There is a rumor among the railroad men that the Great Northern will put on a large number of work trains this summer. It is said that much improvement will be made on the road bed, especially in the widening of fills. It is said that 15 work trains will be put on the Pergus division and 25 on at Breckenridge and that a lot of work will be done on the Sioux Falls line. The boys are hoping that these rumors will be substantiated because that means a busy season and good prospects for all.

### Pleasant Surprise in Lake Lillian.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nord in Lake Lillian township was invaded last Friday evening, February 16, by a number of friends and neighbors. A very pleasant evening was spent and a beautiful lunch was served. Mr. Ole E. Erickson, as spokesman in behalf of the callers in his own happy and inimitable way, presented Mr. and Mrs. Nord with a set of six chairs and one rocker and \$12.00 in cash.

T. J. Lawson was down from New London Monday, returning Tuesday at noon.

## STRICKEN BY APOPLEXY

### E. P. Story, Veteran Traveling Salesman, Lies Unconscious at Merchants Hotel.

E. P. Story, the well known, popular and highly respected traveling salesman, was overcome by apoplexy while in Willmar yesterday afternoon, and is now lying in an unconscious condition at the Merchants Hotel. When he arrived on the train yesterday afternoon, he went to the Palace Grocery, as he usually does, and left his grips there. The boys at the Palace noticed that Mr. Story was not looking well. On his return to the store later in the afternoon he acted very strangely and was unable to speak so as to make himself understood. He took his grips, however, and carried them to the hotel. He sat down at the dining room table but the waiter was unable to understand his order. He got up from the table without his supper and went up to his room. His unusual actions created alarm and when his room was entered he was found lying on top of the bed. He was then clear enough in his mind to say that he thought that he would soon be better. A physician was sent for, however, and a message was sent to Minneapolis to inform his folks of his critical condition. Mrs. Story arrived today and is at the bedside of her unconscious husband. They have a son who is a physician at Minneapolis and it is the intention to take the stricken man home tomorrow morning, if it is possible.

Mr. Story has traveled for McDonald Brothers, a crockery firm of Minneapolis, for seventeen years. He has made this territory as regularly as clock work during all that time, and even previous he made our towns for an Ohio firm for four years. He is 60 years of age and is a gentleman in the truest sense of the word. Hundreds of friends throughout his territory will hope that he may be spared.

### Double Wrestling Match.

Another wrestling match is scheduled to occur at the Woodman hall at Kandiyohi next Friday, February 23. The promoter's state that it will be the greatest wrestling match ever staged in the county. Jack Root, champion middle weight wrestler, weight 210 pounds, and Fritz Nelson, the New London giant, weight 215 pounds, are the principals, and will wrestle for the best two out of three falls, catch-as-catch-can style, with strange hold barred. A second match has been arranged between Melvin Samuelsen, Willmar champion, and Ed Lundquist of Kandiyohi. This match is also to be the best two in three under the same rules. Samuelsen weighs 170 pounds and Lundquist 180.

### New London Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peterson and Eben E. Lawson went to New London last Monday where they attended the Commercial Club banquet given there that evening. They report a splendid good time. The people of New London are pulling together and are alive to the interests of their beautiful little village; and their annual get-together every winter, where matters of common interest are discussed and general good feeling engendered, is largely the cause of bringing these things about.

### Registered Horses Pay.

Does it pay to raise registered horses? J. S. Robbins has just sold two colts, 20 months old and one 30 months old for \$1,200. These colts were sold to B. F. Braeger of Bowdon, N. D. The mother of these colts is for sale. Do you want them to go out of the county? If not, see J. S. Robbins.

### Licensed to Wed.

Feb. 14—Mr. Albert Buholtz to Miss Laura L. Brewer.  
Feb. 15—Mr. Clarence E. Lindblad to Miss Mabel A. Ostrom.  
Feb. 17—Mr. Gilbert Gunderson to Miss Bella Locken.  
Feb. 17—Mr. Peter G. Johnson to Miss Annie Ziehl.

It is to be hoped that the 20 head of pure bred swine offered at Adam's auction sale next Monday will be purchased by Kandiyohi county farmers. At this stage of farm development in the county it would be a loss to have such fine animals shipped out to benefit other localities.

The committee appointed by the Short Course on a County Agricultural Society meet with the Street Fair Association tomorrow at two o'clock at the Commercial Club rooms.

The February social of the Swedish Literary society takes place next Monday evening. A good program is being arranged.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

Miss Nora Johnson is spending this week in Minneapolis.

J. S. Lee made a business trip to Paynesville Thursday returning Friday.

Miss Anna Ryd very pleasantly entertained the Sewing Club last evening.

Miss Esther Lawson is reported ill at her home at New London this week.

Miss Alma Nelson of Pennoek is visiting at the home of G. A. Erickson.

E. P. Brogren spent Friday and Saturday at his parental home at New London.

Miss Lena Oftedal of Milaca is visiting with relatives here for a couple of weeks.

Rev. M. B. Michaelson conducted services at Granite Falls and Montevideo Sunday.

Enoch Lundquist of Milaca is assisting during the sale at the G. O. Sand Clothing store.

Mrs. George Sanderson and little niece Gladys spent Sunday, the guests of friends in St. Paul.

Miss Nettie Haroldson spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Olga Haroldson, who teaches at Hawick.

Mrs. Nels Simonson of Hanley Falls arrived Wednesday for a short visit with relatives and friends.

W. D. Abbott of Winona returned home Monday, after a few days' visit here with his brother, A. J. Abbott.

Mrs. W. M. Chase very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends to luncheon on Friday afternoon.

S. E. Magnuson left for Edgeley, N. D., Monday night, where he will remain for some time on business.

Rev. Staff of Dassel conducted services at the Mission church Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pinney are the proud parents of a little daughter born to them last Tuesday, Feb. 13.

Dr. Harold Porter spent Sunday and Monday in Minneapolis. While there he attended the automobile show.

The First Methodist Ladies' Aid Society are entertained today (Wednesday) by Mrs. A. F. RaDue, Fourth Street.

The Misses Esther and Helen Tallman entertained a few of their friends at their home last Friday evening.

Mrs. John Englund of Whitefield is spending this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Sandberg in this city.

Mrs. Nels Simonson returned to her home at Hanley Falls Monday after a short visit with relatives and friends here.

John Bloomgren, who underwent an operation a couple of weeks ago at the Bethesda hospital, went to Spicer Thursday.

The Y. P. S. of the Mamelund church will meet at Pennoek, Saturday evening, Feb. 24, at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Rena Monson of Renville, Minn., arrived Thursday morning for an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank J. Bigham.

The choir of the Lutheran Free church was entertained at the home of Olof Sundt Wednesday evening. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. A. A. Anderson who is under medical treatment at Minneapolis, spent Sunday at her home here. She returned yesterday to Minneapolis.

Mrs. Cody received a telephone message Saturday morning that her daughter, Mrs. D. B. Downs, was very ill. She left on the noon train for Kandiyohi.

Dr. E. S. Bugbee, the well-known eye specialist of Minneapolis, will be at Hotel, Willmar, Minn., on Saturday, March 2. Eyes carefully examined and glasses made that will fit. Special attention to relief of headaches and other nervous troubles by proper fitting of glasses. Cross eyes straightened.

The 5 and 10c store lately owned by Selhaver & Shute has re-opened under the auspices of the New York 5 and 10c company, with Mr. W. Kaufman, manager of the Mankato store, in charge for the present. He is working hard to get the store into shape and replenishing the stock. See the ad. elsewhere in this issue.

A. O. Sather, proprietor of the Willmar Tannery, returned Friday night from the cities. While there he purchased a large lot of selected dog skins from MacMillan, the fur dealer at Minneapolis. These he will work into fur robes and mitts during the coming season. Anyone who expects to buy a robe or pair of mitts for next winter should call on him before buying elsewhere.