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### APPORTIONMENT OF COUNTY MONEY

Total Amount of Money Collected Since November 1st, is \$65,478.06.

The annual March settlement of the distribution of the money paid into the treasury of Kandiyohi county, between November 1st, 1914 and March 1st, 1915, has been completed by Auditor Nelson. The total amount collected during that time was \$65,478.06 and was secured from the following sources:

Tax, 1914	\$53,461.66
Tax, 1909 to 1913	10,476.91
Mortgage registry tax	634.81
Penalties	904.88

The money collected is distributed among the state, county, townships, cities, villages and school districts, as follows:

State taxes	\$ 8,674.90
State taxes, reassessment	34.59
State school	2,720.14
State loan	2,189.23
County road and bridge	3,487.09
County poor	1.72
County ditch	3,023.11
County revenue	4,777.43
Town ditch	346.55
Total	\$25,254.77

The sum of \$21,233.38 is divided among the different cities, villages and townships as follows:

Willmar	\$ 9,659.90
Kandiyohi	464.32
Atwater	1,343.90
Raymond	1,285.87
Penock	206.33
Spicer	415.77
New London	263.68
Norway Lake	466.10
Colfax	426.53
Burbank	399.65
Roseville	442.13
Arctander	467.32
Lake Andrew	311.15
New London Town	320.47
Irving	659.96
Harrison	617.57
Green Lake	417.93
Dovre	330.93
Manre	370.35
St. Johns	694.85
Willmar Town	299.79
Kandiyohi Town	422.26
Genessee	464.54
Lake Elizabeth	394.50
Fahlan	414.16
Whitefield	479.04
Edwards	417.95
Holland	458.93
Roseland	455.26
Lake Lillian	405.35
East Lake Lillian	403.09

The following sums were allotted to the 106 school districts in the county:

School apportionment	\$ 9,225.30
Special	15,875.94
One mill	2,209.29
Fines and penalties to school	747.98

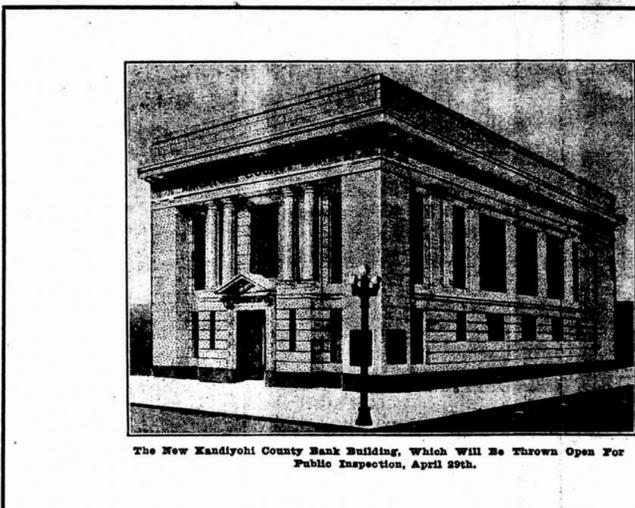
### THE BETTER RECEPTION

Members of Church will Carlson Hall to Overflowing.

The reception given by the members of the Bethel church last Thursday evening proved a very pleasant occasion for the many participants. Owing to the lack of room in the church basement the affair was held at the Carlson Hall, and this with adjoining rooms were filled to the limit. A brief program was given. At eight o'clock a quartet composed of Rev. Pearson, Samuel Nelson, Nels S. Swenson and Victor Fridlund sang two selections. An address of welcome was made by Rev. Pearson, followed by a vocal solo by Miss Esther Hegstrom and another selection by the quartet. Atty. Chas. Johnson was then called on and made an address on the subject of "Our Duties as Members of the Church." The quartet gave another selection and Rev. Pearson made some closing remarks. Refreshments were then served and a social time was enjoyed throughout the evening hours. The guests of honor were the new members of the church received on Easter Sunday and the confirmation class. The former were the following: Mrs. Jennie Sundberg, Mr. and Mrs. August Olander, and child, August Everett; Agnes Olander, Adolph Olander, Mrs. Olivia Johanna Bjornberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson, and four children, Mildred, Agnes, Gladys and Opal; Maria Christina Nelson; Lisa Johanna Osterholm; Mr. and Mrs. George Hedke, John E. Sjoquist, Hilma E. Ekander, A. J. Ekander, Kristian Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Ryberg and child, Paul Edgar, Ernst W. Ryberg; Mrs. Chas. V. Johnson, M. M. Bailey, Edward Nelson, H. W. Hawkinson and Miss Cecelia Selma Olson. The members of the confirmation class were the following: Reynard Peterson, Erick Ryberg, Adolph Peterson, Allen Wallin, Franklin Nelson, Earl Holmberg, Erhard Bergeson, Esther Olander, Edith Hegstrom, Amy Johnson, Florence Carlson, Ethel Bergeson, Hazel Johnson, Alma Forstrom, Sadie Carlson, Myrtle Johnson, Mildred Nelson, Lillie Lindberg, Josephine Johnson.

The members of the congregation had resolved to make use of the opportunity this gathering presented, to spring a surprise upon their pastor, Rev. W. E. Pearson. Atty. Charles Johnson, as the spokesman of the members, presented the pastor with a purse of \$218, as a token of appreciation and good will of the congregation.

The reception proved a splendid opportunity for the members of the church to get better acquainted in a social way and it is likely to become an annual event.



### WILLMAR GIRL IN RECITAL

Miss Blanche MacNees to Appear in This City April 28th.

Miss Blanche MacNees, who for some time past has been studying at the Northwestern Conservatory of Music in Minneapolis, will appear in this city in a voice recital, Wednesday evening, April 28th. She will be assisted by John J. Beck, accompanist.

The first banquet of the Cosmos Club was held at Carlson Hall last evening, about thirty-three members of the Club attending. The banquet was in four courses, the menu being as follows: Grape fruit, roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, pickles, white and brown bread and butter, cabbage salad, fruit salad, ice cream and cake, coffee and cigars.

Thomas Phalen acted as toastmaster, and in his own inimitable way he introduced each speaker. With a vast number of stories and anecdotes at hand he made an ideal toastmaster. Talk on the Club were given by three of the members. Herbert Bengtson spoke on "The Cosmos Club," Dr. L. C. Harrison on "The Organization Period," and Harvey McIntyre on "Our Accomplishments and Opportunities." Viggo Larsen and E. McEnroe each gave their ideas as to how much good the Club had done, and the benefits they have derived from it.

Each member present was called upon for some remarks, and most of them responded with a humorous story, which added to the enjoyment of the evening. Sophus Larsen and Henry Albrecht sang two duets, which were enthusiastically received and "Poke" also sang a solo. The remainder of the evening was spent in general good time, singing, furnishing the chief amusement. The affair broke up at eleven o'clock, each member present having enjoyed himself to the limit.

Mrs. Jas. Sanderson served the banquet with great credit to her ability and to satisfy the appetites of some thirty young men.

### COSMOS CLUB BANQUET

Held Last Evening at Carlson Hall with Large Attendance.

The local lodge of Elks, No. 952, inaugurated a class of six into the order last Thursday afternoon. The class was not home place at Carlson Hall between 6 and 6 o'clock, and this was followed by a banquet, in the Club rooms at 6:20. Those who joined Thursday were Messrs. Albrecht, Garber and Hartwick of Morgan Minn., George Hogan of Henson and S. O. Dittendorf and John Rudy of this city.

Following the banquet a regular business meeting was held. There were about fifty members of the local lodge from out of the city, present at the affair.

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Testing, grading and planting seed corn is a timely topic and will be discussed at this meeting. The new institute Annuals will be on hand for distribution.

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### Kalleiv-Baklund.

A pretty home wedding occurred last Tuesday evening, April 13th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baklund, when their daughter, Miss Florence Kalleiv, was united in marriage to Christ Kalleiv, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Kalleiv.

The ceremony took place in the parlor, which had been decorated in wedding bells and yellow and white streamers. At seven o'clock Revs. B. E. Gynild and E. O. Larson officiating. The bride was attired in a gown of white crepe trimmed with mesaline and lace, wore a veil to caper caught with lilies-of-the-valley and carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. She was attended by Miss Myrtle Olson as maid of honor and Miss Manda Tomerhaugen as bridesmaid. They were attired in white embroidered voile and carried pink and white carnations. The attendants were Leena and Carroll Baklund, brothers of the bride.

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### CITY COUNCIL MAKES APPOINTMENTS AND FIXES SALARIES

Official Report of Annual Meeting of the Willmar City Council.

Council Chambers, City Hall Building, Willmar, Minnesota, April 15th, 1915.

Adjourned meeting of the City Council. Mayor Wellin called the meeting to order. The following members of the Council were present on roll call: Mayor Wellin, Aldermen Johnson, Benson, Mattson, Sperry, Thomsen, Norman, Erickson, 9; absent, none.

City Attorney Stanford was also present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. F. L. Smith appeared and addressed the Council about the Dray Ordinance.

The Committee from the Water and Light Board that visited the Eros Boiler Works, Minneapolis, made verbal report on their investigation of the water and light board recommendations. The Water and Light Board recommended that two steam consumers and fuel savers be installed in connection with the two 72 in. boilers, and present plan of the same.

The estimated cost thereof was stated to be \$1000.00.

Moved and seconded that the report of the Water and Light Board be approved and that the same be adopted by the Council and that the same be advertised for bids for two "smoke" fuel savers to be installed in connection with the next meeting April 26th, 1915.

Mayor Wellin thanked the members of the Council for courtesies shown him during the past year.

The minutes of this meeting were then read and approved.

The Council then, on motion, adjourned sine die.

Attest: E. C. WELLIN, Mayor.  
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### SOUTH THIRD STREET SCENE OF PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Bertha Thyden is Given in Marriage to Mr. Leonard Anderson.

A very pretty home wedding occurred last Wednesday evening, when Miss Bertha M. Thyden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thyden, of this city became the bride of Leonard A. Anderson of Litchfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lindberg of the Swedish Baptist church, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The rooms were very prettily decorated for the occasion. The color scheme in the parlor was green and white, carried out by use of Easter lilies and smilax. The decorations in the library and living room were yellow and white, carnations and sweet peas being used.

The bride's gown was of beautiful white satin, with a train, and her veil was caught with lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Rachel Thyden, as maid of honor. She wore a gown of white shadow lace, over blue silk. Miss Hazel Anderson of Litchfield was bridesmaid and her gown was shadow lace over pale pink silk. The bridesmaid and maid of honor each carried a bouquet of pink roses. Ruth Flowers, a niece of the bride carried the ring, in the center of a lily, and Miss Violet Thyden was flower girl. Misses Judith and Gertrude Thyden stretched ribbons, from upstairs into the parlor, where the ceremony was performed. Ralph Anderson of Litchfield, and Leanus Thyden of St. Paul, a brother of the bride, attended the groom. Miss Nora Thyden played the wedding march, and before the ceremony, Miss Martha Parson sang "O, Promise Me."

Following the ceremony a five course wedding dinner was served, the guests sitting at two tables. Carnations, roses and lilies of the valley furnished the decorations at the tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left Friday for Minneapolis for a wedding trip, and will be at home to their many friends in this city after June first. The bride is a well known young lady of this city, having attended the public schools here. The groom is agent for a life insurance company. The newlyweds have the best wishes of many friends for happiness and prosperity.

Among the out of town guests present at the wedding were: Mrs. Wm. Anderson and son of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. And. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Anderson and daughters, Hazel and Millie and son, Vernon; Allan and Richard Williams, Alfred Olson and J. D. Chelton, of Litchfield; Mr. and Mrs. Segerstrom of Brookfield, and Ruth Flowers of St. Paul.

## Dairy Lunch Opens

The lunch room on Pacific avenue two doors east Merchants Hotel will open

**MONDAY, APRIL 26**

The lunch room will be run as a cafeteria.

**MRS. I. SANDEN, Prop.**

## NEW SAVOY HOTEL and CAFE

OPPOSITE PASSENGER DEPOT

We Make a Specialty of a

**25c DINNER**

**J. M. LAMBERT, Proprietor**

## Glasses Fitted

Broken lenses replaced—frames repaired. First class optical work guaranteed.

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## Arbor and Bird Day

Friday, April 23rd, has been designated as Arbor and Bird Day according to a proclamation issued recently by Gov. W. S. Hammond. The proclamation reads, in parts, as follows:

"Let trees be planted about the homes, along the country roads, and on the school grounds in the state. Let there be appropriate exercises in the school and at the study of the trees and the methods of planting trees and reforesting lands where the timber has been cut away. Let the children be taught to associate the trees and the birds and the important part the birds have in the development of our orchards and forests. Let all who are interested, call upon our state department of forestry for information in reference to tree planting on the prairies and in the timbered region and in reference to the proper maintenance and management of wood lots and shelter belts."

District C. E. Convention.

The Willmar district of Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor will hold its annual convention at the Congregational church in Morris next Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 23 to 25. This district is composed of Traverse, Big Stone, Stevens, Chippewa, Wright, Meeker, Kandiyohi and Swift counties.

About thirty young people are expected as delegates to this convention. Miss Haggard of Minneapolis, and Mr. George M. Brack of the Capital National Bank, St. Paul, are among the speakers.—Morris Tribune.

## Country Y. P. S.

The Y. P. S. of the country will meet at the Johnson school house, Friday evening, April 23rd. The following program will be given:

Devotion.....Choir  
Song.....Pearl Swenson  
Recitation.....Ethel Govig  
Organ solo.....Clara Holland  
Vocal duet.....Stella Hanson and Ethel Govig  
Speech.....Rev. Michaelson  
Song.....Choir  
After the program, refreshments will be served. Everyone welcome.

Western Dovre Y. P. S.

The Western Dovre Young People's meeting will be held Sunday evening, April 25, at the home of C. C. Birkenland. The following program will be rendered:

Song.....Mrs. Estness  
Devotion.....  
Reading.....Oscar Grundson  
Song.....N. B. Letnes  
Rec.....Clara Holset  
Music.....Sophia Haason  
Reading.....Birdie Alvig  
Speech.....Rev. Larson  
Vocal solo.....Mrs. H. Bergeson  
Program commences at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. Everybody welcome.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Adams returned last Friday evening from an extended trip to various points in Wisconsin.

## Recital will be given at the Opera House, and admission will be 50 cents.

Following is the program to be given:

1. With Verdure Glad (Creation).....Haydn
2. (a) Solveig's Song.....Grieg  
(b) Thou Art So Like a Flower.....Chadwick  
(c) Where My Song With Wings Provided.....Hahn
3. Wedding Day at Troldhaugen.....Grieg
4. (a) April Morn.....Batten  
(b) Valley of Laughter.....Sanderson  
(c) Down in the Forest.....Ronald
5. (a) The Swallows.....Cowan  
(c) A Summer Song.....D'Hardelot
6. (Les Cloches de Geneve.....Liszt  
(b) Liebestraume.....Liszt
7. (a) Murmuring Breezes.....Jensen  
(b) When Celia Sings.....Moir  
(c) Lullaby.....Thayer

Miss MacNees.

## "Little Oak" Makes Good.

C. W. Lonn returned last Friday from Milnor, N. D., where he had gone to look up a real estate deal. While there he had the pleasure of witnessing the field trial of one of the Willmar-made "Little Oak" tractors which had been purchased by one Andrew Anderson. The machine did itself proud. With the plows set ten inches deep the tractor developed plenty of power to move right along at the normal speed. No difficulty was met with in passing wet spots. The purchaser was delighted with it. Mr. Lonn also saw Fritz Carlson ("Scomey") who runs a shoe-shop at Milnor and incidentally plays ball on the town team.

The Parnells Make Good.

The Parnells entertained a good audience at the Presbyterian church last Thursday evening. The Parnells are booked for 26 weeks of lyceum work next winter, of which 52 dates are return engagements. They have also signed up for 10 weeks of chaquetau work with the Travers-Wick circuit of Des Moines. This tour will take them to places in Iowa, Southern Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, all of which proves to their home folks that these clever young people are making good.

## Another Improvement at Commercial.

Landlord Nickelson of the Commercial Hotel has installed hot and cold running water in each of the rooms of his hotel. This is a splendid improvement for the convenience of his guests.

F. O. Hillman has decided to install an electric light plant in the mill at Green Lake. He will furnish the village of Spjoeer and all the hotels and cottages around the lake with current. This means a big improvement for Green Lake.

## Majestic Theatre

FRIDAY, APRIL 23rd

We will offer the magnificent World Film Corporation Feature

A Paul Armstrong Play  
"Alias Jimmy Valentine"  
Robert Warwick vs.  
"ALIAS JIMMY VALENTINE"  
A Liable Feature in 5 Acts  
Better than "As Ye Sow".....MATINEE 4 P. M.

COMING NEXT FRIDAY—MRS. LESLIE CARTER in  
"The Heart of Maryland"  
The Heart of Maryland Picture was selected out of 60 other big features to open the New York Hippodrome not over two weeks ago.

## SATURDAY, APRIL 24

### The Vanderbilt Cup Race

The Most Thrilling and Exciting Race Ever Filmed  
MATINEE 3:15 P. M.

SEE Bob Burman's Car Turn Turtle  
Another Car Skids Breaking Through the Fence  
Thrills Galore and Narrow Escapes That Will Bring Your Heart in Your Mouth

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## MRS. A. O. NELSON.

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Early applicants will receive choice of location. The rental of one of the safes entitles the holder to several privileges in connection with private office and coupon booth, which will be explained by any officer of this bank to prospective customers. We make a small charge for Individual Safes, but will continue as heretofore to store valuable papers or security boxes belonging to our customers in our bank vault, free of charge.

Please ask us to explain this service. It will interest you.

## THE KANDIYOHI COUNTY BANK

## Spelling Match and Basket Social.

There will be an old fashioned spelling match and basket social at school Dist. No. 36, Thursday evening, April 22. A prize will be awarded to the winner in the spelling match. Everyone welcome to attend.

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