



Eighteenth Annual Reunion of Kandiyohi County Old Settlers' Association, June 15. Photo and cut by courtesy H. W. Jones and Republican-Press.

**LAWLER NOT LIBELED
SUPREME COURT SAYS**

Olivia Paper Had Charged That Candidate Was Backed by Corporations.

The action charging criminal libel brought by the state against J. R. Landy, editor of the Olivia Times, Olivia, for articles printed June 4, 1914, concerning the candidacy of Dan W. Lawler, St. Paul for Governor, is brought to an end by a decision handed down in supreme court Friday by Judge Holt reversing the order of the lower court in refusing to sustain a demurrer.

"Newspapers may still be permitted to express an opinion upon the merits of opposing candidates for political office and upon the influences supporting them," writes Judge Holt in his opinion. "Perhaps it is still allowable to surmise that corporations are not

indifferent to the success of political candidates in spite of the stringent enactments to keep them absolutely dormant in that respect.

"We fail to find anything unlawful or wrongful in the article published. Corporations are public interests, are creatures of the law and not per se odious."

The article asserted that Lawler "has the backing of public service corporations in the state that are not in sympathy with the masses." The court holds that the statement is not per se libelous.

It holds that the court is not bound to take cognizance of the construction put upon an alleged libelous statement by the defendant or his friends.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Watch The Ladies' Store Window for the Decatur Maid's dresses! They will cost you \$98 each, guaranteed by the manufacturers.—Adv.

**GREAT HEADLINER
FOR CHAUTAUQUA**

Lafayette Young, Famous War Correspondent, Will Be Here July 6.

The Midland Chautauqua Circuit has secured Hon. Lafayette Young as the headliner for the coming Chautauqua. He is at present one of the best speakers and writers in the United States. He has been in the U. S. Senate, was with the Presidential party in the Philippine Islands, twice at Panama, was in Cuba during the war; was a correspondent in the Balkan war; has been to Europe seven times, returning the last time June 5 from the war zone where he has been for four months.

He will lecture on the war as he saw it. He is the highest priced lecturer that is available, and there is no doubt that he will draw a record crowd when he speaks at the Willmar Chautauqua Tuesday afternoon, July 6.

Here are a few paragraphs taken at random from a recent interview of Lafayette Young, since returning from the war zone:

"The Germans are determined and are making the greatest fight of a nation's history. They are united; they cheerfully obey all suggestions from those in authority. When self-denial is required it is forthcoming; when a man's services are required these are forthcoming."

"Germany in all respects is the embodiment of obedience and efficiency. The educated men and the ruling classes form the plans. They draw the designs. All other Germans indorse what their great men do. This makes the German empire of today, the most solid governmental enterprise on earth. The Germans have been saving their resources. They still have men and money, and more food products than they had when the war began. The Germans have no notion of quitting. The war news is not published to a great extent in Germany, but the people there believe that the battle is just as good as won."

"In Vienna I saw the German and the Austrian flags intertwined and blended; also saw long streamers with the colors of both countries attached, making one flag. I do not believe the war will end by any failure on the part of Austria to do her best."

"The French army is second only to the Germans in the soldierly qualities which I have described. They are short in stature; they wear long-tailed frock coats such as the ex-Confederates wear when they go to their annual reunion at Richmond. Nobody has ever accused the French soldier of being other than a brave man. When his regiment is called into line he does not go in with a shock or heavy step, but steps in as if there were ladies present."

"The German regiment goes into line like a regiment of cavalry. They wear heavy shoes, and all their feet come down at once, making the scene impressive. They give what is known through the military world as the 'goose step.' It is a step forward or a stride without bending the knee, bringing the feet down with the greatest force. The goose step is given when the regiment passes in review. It is a salute. A large command giving this step makes a thriller."

"No other country in the world could successfully go thru what Great Britain is now going thru. The discord in regard to the use or non-use of liquors, and the failure of the workmen to be willing to work early and late in the making of the munitions of war, and the general disagreements among the various political factions would disrupt and destroy any other country. The English refuses to make any sacrifice, and the workingman refuses to cut down his beer. The leaders of all parties are struggling to get together, and are succeeding better than the masses. The English problem worries even that stoic people."

"The English histories of the war would indicate that the British have done the principal fighting on behalf of the allies, but this is a mistake. The French have done the fighting in the main. These little Frenchmen have gone into battle uncomplainingly and have had no press agent to relate that they are fighting for their homes, because 7 per cent of France is in the hands of the Germans."

"However, it is evident that like Germany, Great Britain is not yet whipped. She may wake up. The best thing for the British people would be to have 100,000 German soldiers land somewhere on the British Isles."

"The German group: Germany, Austria, Turkey.

"The British group: Great Britain, France, Belgium, Russia, Serbia, Italy.

"These groupings would indicate a minority on the part of the German group, but it must be remembered that in practically all the great wars of history the smaller armies triumphed. Caesar and Napoleon generally fought superior numbers, Philip of Macedon, Alexander the Great and Hannibal invariably fought superior numbers. I am not predicting that the minority will triumph in this case, for the reason that I do not know. In recent years the only war in which suc-

cess followed superior numbers was the American civil war. Success generally comes to the army which is most determined, and has to the fullest extent the war spirit.

"I then give my conclusions as follows: 'The war will last another year. Germany cannot be starved out. She will have plenty of ammunition, even though she shall not be able to buy any of it in America. Germany has the best army. There is no danger of England running out of food supplies. She will get plenty of men in the course of time. England has more at stake than any other country. Germany makes her people believe that Americans are unfair in selling munitions to the allies, while all the allies say the same markets are open to Germany. The destruction of the Lusitania was for the purpose of stopping the sale of ammunition on the part of America to the allies. It was intended to shock the American people and bring about new conditions. I think Germany is over-estimating the ammunition problem. Germany and Austria are full of metal. It is surprising how much metal there is scattered everywhere in the large cities.'"

TWO ATWATER WEDDINGS.

Johnson-Anderson.

A quiet home wedding was solemnized yesterday at the F. A. Anderson residence when his daughter, Miss Ida Anderson, was united in marriage to Mr. August Johnson, the well-known traveling salesman for the Foot-Schulze Shoe Co. of St. Paul.

The ceremony was performed at high noon, Rev. O. M. Norlie officiating in the presence of only immediate relatives. The attendants were the nieces of the bride, Misses Florence Heierman and Gunhild Nygaard and her brothers, Messrs. Arnold and Ingvald Anderson. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Dina Heierman and Miss Florence Heierman sang "Oh Promise Me." The bride was attired in a gown of cream silk chiffon and her bridesmaids in white lace voile.

The bridal pair departed on the afternoon train for St. Paul. They will leave later on an extended trip to Washington, D. C. and also other eastern points.

The bride is well known here as one of our estimable young ladies and for many years has assisted her father in the management of his mercantile business.—Republican-Press.

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Don't experiment with something new and untried.

Use a tested kidney remedy.

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Dr. H. F. Porter, Dentistry, Carlson Block.—Adv.

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These \$20 Suits For \$15. Don't pay \$20 for a Suit that you can get at our Store for \$15.

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THE RODLUN SHOE AND CLOTHING CO.

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**FIVE HUNDRED MARK
HAS BEEN PASSED**

Latest Additions to Old Settlers Memorial in Detail Brings Total to \$534.60.

The following are the detailed statements of funds received for Old Settlers' Memorial fund:

Previously acknowledged \$421.60

Proceeds of entertainment District No. 81 12.00

VILLAGE OF SPICER.

Wm. Olson, Solicitor.

William Olson \$ 1.00
John M. Spicer 1.00
Oscar A. Orred 1.00
Nelson Orred 1.00
M. J. Kloster 1.00
W. C. Hendrickson 1.00
Edward H. Quam 1.00
O. Sanderson 1.00
D. F. Johnson 1.00
C. Hendrickson 1.00
N. O. Jacobson 1.00
A. J. Thorvig 1.00
F. A. Lundgren 1.00

\$ 13.00

VILLAGE OF ATWATER.

G. A. Glader 1.00
D. F. Senecal 1.00
A. W. Johnson 1.00
Peter Moosberg 1.00
Wm. Peterson 1.00
F. A. Anderson 5.00
S. B. Glader 1.00
H. W. Jones 1.00
N. J. Waten 1.00
J. S. Mickelson 1.00
H. G. Anderson 1.00
J. H. Strong 1.00
Peter DeFoe 1.00
C. W. Stenberg 1.00
L. W. Anderson 1.00
N. L. Larson 1.00
Geo. E. Johnson 1.00
Leonard Johnson 1.00
I. L. Porter 1.00
Peter Larson 1.00
Brown Bros. 1.00
Chas. A. Swenson 1.00
H. S. Anderson 1.00
Martin Olson 1.00
S. E. Peterson 1.00
N. P. Anderson 1.00
E. A. Wilson 1.00
Marcus Johnson 2.00
Henry Stene 1.00
J. E. Johnson 1.00
Aug. Broman 1.00
Carl Melby50
John Kahmeyer50
H. M. Kuz50
J. S. Peterson50
C. A. Gustafson50

\$ 38.50

Subscribed at annual meeting.

A. O. Forsberg 12.50
C. W. Odell 10.00
J. O. Malmberg 1.00
P. H. Parsons 1.00
C. O. Bergquist 1.00
M. M. Monson 1.00
J. G. Monson 1.00
J. M. Monson 1.00
F. L. Smith 1.00
John Swenson 1.00
D. Ringstrom 1.00
C. P. Quig 1.00
Mrs. T. H. Olson 1.00
A. N. Lewis 1.00
C. Miller 1.00
E. A. D. Salter 5.00
Harold Swenson 1.00
V. E. Lawson 5.00
Peter Burns 1.00
E. F. Pink 1.00
O. R. Stetten 1.00

Total to date \$534.60

OBITUARY

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Barton-Stene.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stene at Atwater was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, when their only daughter, Ruby Mae, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Wesley Barton of Minneapolis in the presence of thirty guests.

The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock by Rev. H. J. Taylor. Miss Stella Strong played Mendelssohn's wedding march. Little Margaret Peterson of Twin Valley, a niece of the bride, as flower girl, carried a basket of sweet peas and lilies of the valley; then came the groom with his attendant, Mr. Edward B. Munson, of Sioux Falls, S. D. Miss Carey Larson as bridesmaid preceded the bride and the bridal party took their place under the canopy of similar and sweet peas. The marriage service was read as the bridal pair stood under a white wedding bell.

The bride was gowned in white silk Marquisette, over China silk, with Chantilla lace trimming. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Carey Larson as bridesmaid wore pale green soft silk tulle and carried a bouquet of pink tea roses.

A four-course dinner was served to the guests from tables in the different rooms.

The groom holds the position of National Bank Examiner for the State of Minnesota, making his headquarters in Minneapolis. His groomsman, Mr. Munson, was formerly National Bank Examiner for South Dakota.—Republican Press.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless this inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; and it is out of ten cases caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous lining.

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—Henry Forsberg spent Sunday visiting with relatives at Morris.

**WILLMAR
CHAUTAUQUA**

JULY 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

Official Program

July 3.	July 7.
7:30—Prelude, Maude Scheerer and Her Shakespearean Players.	2:30—Prelude, Ernest Gamble Concert Party.
8:00—The Play, "Twelfth Night," Maude Scheerer and Her Shakespearean Players.	3:00—Lecture, Dr. Chas. S. Medbury, "Forty Million Young Folks."
July 4.	7:30—Prelude—Ernest Gamble Concert Party.
2:30—Sacred Prelude, Bostonia Sextet Club, C. L. Staats, Director.	8:00—Concert, Ernest Gamble Concert Party.
3:00—Lecture, Morris Gershon Hindus, "Tolstoy, His Life and Work."	July 8.
7:30—Sacred Prelude, Bostonia Sextet Club, C. L. Staats, Director.	2:30—Prelude, The Boyds Musical Entertainers.
8:00—Lecture, A. E. Wiggam, "Hereditary and Human Progress."	3:00—Lecture, Edmund Vance Cooke, "Put Luck With the Post."
July 5.	7:30—Prelude, The Boyds, Musical Entertainers.
2:30—Prelude, Josephine Dominick, Irish, Scotch and German Interpretations.	8:00—Lecture, Dr. W. A. Hunsberger, "The Montessori Method of Education." Illustrated with moving pictures.
3:00—Debate, Carl Thompson vs. Lee Francis Lybarger, "Is Socialism Desirable in the United States?"	July 9.
7:30—Prelude, Josephine Dominick, Italian, French and Scandinavian interpretations.	2:30—Prelude, Robert Bowman, Miscellaneous Readings.
8:00—Entertainment, Joseph Rosani, Novelty Entertainer and Manipulator.	3:30—Concert, Hugh Anderson Operatic and Concert Company.
July 6.	7:30—Grand Opera, Hugh Anderson Operatic and Concert Company.
2:30—Prelude, Meistersingers Male Quartet and Organ Chimes.	8:30—Entertainment, Robert Bowman, Character Portrayals.
3:00—Lecture, Hon. Lafayette Young.	July 10.
7:30—Prelude, Meistersingers Male Quartet and Organ Chimes.	10:30—Sunday School Rally, conducted by Paul S. Deltick.
8:00—Lecture, Dr. Russell H. Conwell, "Acres of Diamonds."	2:30—Concert, Victor's Florentine Band.
	3:30—Lecture, Paul S. Deltick, "The Better Way."
	7:30—Prelude, Victor's Florentine Band.
	8:00—Concert, Victor's Florentine Band.

Tickets and Reservations

Adult season tickets, good for all seasons \$2.50	Children under seven admitted free to regular programs when accompanied by paid admission.
If bought before opening day adult season tickets may be had for 2.00	Season tickets are transferable in family only and when presented by others will be taken up and cancelled. Under no condition will more than one person be admitted to the same program on the same ticket.
Child's season tickets, good for all seasons 1.00	SEATS RESERVED JULY 1ST.
Adult single admissions, afternoons25	Those holding season tickets, who wish them reserved for the fifty cents, may have that done by paying Thursday, July 1st, beginning at nine o'clock a. m., at the office of the secretary and treasurer.
Adult single admissions, evenings35	EXCEPTIONS.
Child's single admissions, afternoons or evenings15	Adult single admissions for Shakespearean Players and evening band concert50
Adult single admissions for debate35	Adult single admissions for debate35

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A. A. Anderson,	O. A. Jacobsen,	E. T. Sandbo,
Russell Spicer,	P. B. Hong,	Ernest Person,
Eben E. Lawson,	J. O. Estrem,	H. Ruddy,
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TWELVE TEETH GO WHEN JAW CRACKS

Glenwood Man Has Terrible Experience With Gasoline Engine Belt at Feed Mill.

Peter Oswald, a well known farmer living near Glenwood, is at the Starbuck hospital where he is recovering slowly after having had part of his face removed following an accident at his farm. His upper jaw bone is cracked and twelve of the teeth are gone.

Oswald was putting a belt on his gasoline engine and getting ready to grind some feed when he was picked up and thrown to the cement floor with great violence, striking on his face. Dazed by the shock he barely managed to get into the house where he was cared for by the members of the family. The accident happened on Saturday and it was not till Monday when he consulted a physician. He was taken to the Starbuck hospital where an examination disclosed a fractured upper jaw, and infection of the wound had set in. It was necessary to remove part of the jaw and twelve teeth were removed from both jaws. The operation is one of the most delicate undertaken at the hospital for some time and despite its seriousness Oswald will recover and will be patched up almost as good as new.—Morris Tribune.

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GRADE STALLION FILE.

Color: Bay; markings, star, snip, right hind foot white; of Grade Belgian breeding; sire, Dac de Braine 5748 (55214); foaled 1912.

Stallion Registration Book. License Certificate of Grade Stallion.

The pedigree of the stallion (name) Filep, owned by Carl O. Holseth; bred by Grade Belgian; described as follows: Color, bay; markings, star, snip, right hind foot white; breed, Grade Belgian; sire Dac de Braine 5748 (55214); foaled in the year 1912, has been examined at the College of Agriculture, Division of Animal Husbandry, and it is hereby certified that said stallion is not of pure breeding and is therefore not eligible for registration in any studbook recognized by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

The above named stallion has been examined by Peter Nelson, a duly licensed veterinarian and is reported as free from infectious, contagious or transmissible disease, or unsoundness and licensed to stand for public service in the State of Minnesota.

Dated at St. Paul, Minn., this 7th day of June, 1915.

(Signed) H. R. SMITH,
Professor of Animal Husbandry and Secretary Stallion Registration Board.

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