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GUARANTEED CIRCULATION, 3,400. WILLMAR, MINNESOTA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1915.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS. The editor and Tribune staff extend compliments of the season to our family of readers, and wish each and every one a merry and joyous Yuletide.

CONGRESSMAN LINDBERGH'S VIEWS. We have read Congressman Charles Lindbergh's circular announcing his candidacy for governor at the Republican primaries and mailed to voters in Minnesota and must say that his views are the most genuinely democratic of anything in the line that we read of late.

Only a few days remain in which to help eradicate tuberculosis in our community by buying Red Cross Christmas Sals. The seals have been on sale since Thanksgiving Day, and according to reports from the Minnesota Public Health Association, have met with gratifying success.

Among our exchanges issuing creditable Christmas editions last week were Brother and Sister Tygeson of the South Haven Leader, Wheelock's Weekly of Fergus Falls, Brooten Revue, Sacred Heart Journal, Milan Standard, Pope County Times, Wheaton Gazette-Reporter, Wilkin County News, Maynard News, Renville Star-Farmer, and others.

The first Sunday in October, 1914, was set apart as a day of prayer for peace in Europe—and now, after four long months more of carnage, many have become calloused by war reports or so interested in war loans or the sale of war material that big news papers make fun of those who talk of peace.

In a poll of over six hundred Republican editors more than four hundred have declared that the tariff is the issue in the next national campaign. Our infant industries are still crying for protection from competition.

After seventeen months of the world war the belligerents agree only on one thing and that is the conflict must go on until the other fellows are bested.

Our happiness at Christmas will not depend upon what we receive as much as on what we give others—in gifts of kindness, happiness and good cheer.

The blanket of snow was welcome as a relief from the epidemic of influenza which was gathering in a large percentage of the people in its grip.

The Kaiser can eat his Christmas dinner at Constantinople if he cares to.

AMENDING MINNESOTA'S CONSTITUTION. Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 21.—"There is no considerable difference between the plans of the Anti-Saloon League and the W. C. T. U. and those of the Young People's Citizenship Committee of the Prohibition party, in Minnesota," Mr. W. G. Calderwood, the well-known Prohibition leader, said today.

They all stand for statewide Prohibition. This is nearer together than they have ever been before. The Prohibition Party is not now nor never has been against constitutional Prohibition. It looks upon the statutory method, particularly in Minnesota, as the shorter route. It was the brewers of the state of Minnesota, through

their attorney, W. W. Dunn, who in 1897 submitted the present plan of amending the state constitution. When the matter was under consideration, S. A. Stockwell of Minneapolis, asked Mr. Dunn point blank if it was the purpose of those behind the amendment to raise the bars so high that the constitution could not be amended on any subject in order to prevent the passage of a Prohibition amendment at some remote date.

"Few states that have gotten constitutional amendments would have gotten them if they had had the Minnesota provisions. For instance, North Dakota next west of us would have failed to get constitutional Prohibition under the Minnesota law. Kansas, the oldest constitutional state, would have failed under our rule. Colorado, which adopted constitutional Prohibition last year, would have failed under our rule and Washington, which adopted statutory by vote of the people, failed to poll a majority of all the voters cast. Ohio, which in 1883 had our method of amending its constitution, gave prohibition a majority of 98,534 of the votes cast on this question and yet the amendment was defeated by 37,526 votes.

"I believe that a majority of the voters of Minnesota are for Prohibition but when it is recalled that the Initiative and Referendum which was endorsed by every political party in Minnesota last year was rejected by more than 10,000 votes although it received 188,004 votes and there were only 41,877 votes cast against it, it makes the passage of a measure to which there is lively opposition seem quite remote. In the past only 66 per cent of the voters have voted on the amendments. North Dakota, Kansas and Colorado all have short ballots compared with the Minnesota ballot, yet they did not get votes enough to carry under the provisions of our constitution. Our ballot is very long and, even with a red hot fight, there probably would not be less than 20,000 of the voters who would not express themselves on this question.

"None of this, however, makes anything in the nature of a grievous division of the forces over the plans of the campaign. Each organization will support those men that it believes will best suit the plan to which it is committed and usually speaking these will be the same men. I am genuinely rejoiced that the forces are drawing closer and closer together. This year we present an absolutely solid front for statewide Prohibition. All the forces want it the quickest way that they can possibly get it. We believe that way is statutory but are willing to take it and help to get it in any way that the developing events may direct."

SUNNYSIDE. Sunnyside, Dec. 20.—We are glad to report that Johnny Dubois who has been ill with pneumonia is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Prop and son are visiting at the home of Heide Nelson.

Miss Branda Brandeis has returned to Montevideo to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Eddy and children have returned home after a week's visit with friends in the city.

Sunnyside school closed for a vacation Friday. A very good program was given by the children. The Misses Nelson and Johnson left for Fergus Falls to spend Christmas at Miss Johnson's home.

Mrs. John Pfeifer returned Thursday from Powers Lake, N. D., where she has spent a month visiting with her children.

The Aid will meet with Mrs. Olaf Parsons.

Sunnyside Farmers' Club will have their all day meeting Wednesday, December 29. Everyone is welcome to attend. Prizes will be given for best potatoes, corn, cabbages, pumpkins, aprons and doll dresses.

Miss Selma Nelson of New Long Lake, Dec. 20.—Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mr. Obed Rykken who has been attending school at Red Wing came home Saturday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Ole Bergeson.

Miss Clara Walters returned to Chicago last Thursday after a week's visit with Mrs. Ole Bergeson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Abrahamson of Gwiner, N. D., visited a few days with the former's parents in this city.

Miss Clara Melby from Casselton, N. Dak., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Corrie Hendrickson.

Services in the Long Lake church next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS. Whereas, We, the Red Wing Seminary Glee Club, having been royally met and entertained on the occasion of our giving a concert in Willmar,

Be It Resolved, That we extend thanks to the Mayor, the Commercial Club and the Norwegian Lutheran church for the hospitality, entertainment and good-fellowship extended to us, and also thank the newspapers of the City for the announcements thru their columns.

Furthermore, Be It Resolved, That a copy of this Resolution, properly signed, be handed the Mayor, the Secretary of the Commercial Club, and that it be printed in the Willmar Tribune and the Willmar Gazette.

Signed: Red Wing Seminary Glee Club, Prof. J. Arndt Bergh, Director, Prof. M. O. Wee, Manager, E. S. Brye, K. J. Jacobson, Committee.

Candy Sale. December 29, at eight o'clock p. m., the Epworth League of the Oak Park M. E. church will give their annual candy sale. Just think of it, a program, a sale and refreshments—how can you afford to miss it? Come and spend your money for fine candy and have an enjoyable evening.

—Attorney Fosnes took Judge Quale over from Montevideo Friday and from here Mr. Quale took the train back to his home at Willmar. District court was in session for three weeks this term, the longest term for some time and with few exceptions most of the case were disposed of.—Clara City Herald.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Albert W. Odell, Dentist, Metropolitan Bldg. 'Phone 47.—Adv.

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

—Sophus H. Larsen spent Sunday in the twin cities.

Dr. C. E. Gerretson, Dentist, Loney Block. Telephone 199.—Adv.

—Dr. L. B. Hodgeson of Clara City spent Sunday with friends here.

—P. H. Downes of Spicer was a visitor in this city a few days last week.

—Mrs. D. F. Dugan visited in the city last week Thursday and Friday.

—Miss Jean Smith of Minneapolis is visiting with Miss Nellie Robbins.

—J. V. Wallin of Kandiyohi was a business visitor in this city last Monday.

—Judge Lien of Grove City was a visitor in Willmar last week Thursday.

—Mrs. A. P. Losleben returned last Friday evening from a couple of days' visit in the city.

—Miss Selma Nelson of New Long Lake visited in this city last Wednesday and Thursday.

—Miss Emma Dixon left the middle of last week for Penock to spend the holidays with relatives.

—Miss Clara Walters returned to Chicago last Thursday after a week's visit with Mrs. Ole Bergeson.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Abrahamson of Gwiner, N. D., visited a few days with the former's parents in this city.

—Arthur Erickson and Eiloff Holm came home last Saturday from Menominee, Wis., where they attend Stout Institute.

—Dressmaking and Ladies' Tailoring School. Bring your sewing to it you. I also teach the Keister System. Old Postoffice Building.—Adv. 41

—Mrs. H. S. Tallakson and baby returned last Wednesday evening from a month's visit at Capron, Ill., and Edgerton, Wis.

—Mrs. Anna Nelson, the Misses Hazel and Edith, and Elmond Nelson leave Thursday for Duluth, to spend Christmas with relatives.

—Thorwald Rykken arrived from Minneapolis, where he attends Augsburg Seminary, last Saturday to spend the holidays at his home in this city.

—Miss Esther K. Anderson is home from Crosby, Minn., where she teaches, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Anderson (Jeweler.)

—Prof. Gustavus Johnson will be in Willmar Dec. 28, 29 and 30. Orders for piano tuning may be left at the music store or at Andrew Peterson's Furniture Store.—Adv.

—J. A. Rowat left Tuesday for Des Moines, Ia., where he will spend Christmas with relatives. Mrs. Rowat and daughter have been visiting there for some time.

—Feel tired all the time—can't sleep, work or rest. Nothing tastes right. Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will do the work that counts. Start tonight. 35c.—Carlson Bros.

—The schools of the city closed today for the annual Christmas vacation. The teachers left this afternoon for their homes. Work will begin again the seventh day of January.

—Miss Ethel Carlson who has been studying music for the past eight months in New York arrived last Wednesday evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carlson.

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AT THE PLAYHOUSES

William Farnum in "The Plunderer" Thursday Evening—"Just Out of College" Christmas Day—"Henpecked Henry" at Opera House.

Christmas Day will be celebrated at the local play houses with attractions of unusual excellence. At the Majestic, one of George Ade's greatest comedy successes, "Just Out of College."

This is a clean, clever comedy, with a good plot, and the cast includes Eugene O'Brien, Amelia Summerville, Marie Wells, Ben Hendricks and Jack Sherrill.

Ed. Swinger is just out of college and is finding it a difficult task to convince old Septimus Pickering that he can support a millionaire's daughter.

Ed. has no financial assets and is "staked" to \$20,000 on the condition that he will not see Caroline the girl, until he has doubled the amount. This causes Caroline to misconstrue Ed's reason for not seeing her.

He and his chum enter into a plot with the boarding house keeper, who is famous for her "pickles." They form a company with Ed's \$20,000 and enter into competition with Pickering. At a Pure Food Exposition, the superiority of "Jonesy's" pickles is demonstrated, with the result that Pickering buys out the other concern for \$100,000.

The sum is divided among the three partners and then Ed shows Pickering his loan doubled. When Pickering learns that his own money established his rival, his anger is turned to admiration, and he decides it will be cheaper to have Ed in the family.

"Beulah," a Mutual Masterpiece in six parts will be shown at the Majestic Tuesday evening, December 28. Henry B. Washall, the leading character in "The Birth of a Nation," plays the leading role in this picture, and he is supported by a strong cast. The story is wonderfully acted and tells the story of Beulah, the daughter of the Old South. Her sorrows, her heroic struggles and her ultimate triumph in the love of a real man.

Wm. Farnum will be seen at Dreamland Thursday of this week in "The Plunderer," said to be even a greater picture than "The Spoilers." Farnum has appeared here before in several pictures and has always proven a great favorite, and his work in this production is said to surpass anything else he has done.

"Henpecked Henry" a musical comedy with real music and real comedy will be offered at the Opera House Christmas afternoon and evening. "Henpecked Henry" is not the usual type of "Henpecked" husband, but an entirely new and original character. The play has been spoken of very highly by other companies playing this city this season.

The Lyman Howe travel pictures which appear at Dreamland Tuesday evening, Jan. 4th are the most instructive and educational pictures filmed. Howe's filmization of the San Diego celebration faithfully reproduces the "atmosphere"—the motif of an exposition which in outward aspect is that of Old Spain reflecting the architecture of centuries past. In the film reproduction of the greater Exposition at San Francisco, spectators are made to feel that they are indeed in a world—a fairyland world far removed from the stress of daily cares—a world replete with its grandeur and gaiety, that was created only at a fabulous outlay. As an Exposition of twentieth century progress, or of the genius of the brain and hands of mankind, it is comparable to nothing that has ever preceded it.

There will also be many other splendid features in the present Lyman H. Howe program, including a liberal sprinkling of his original and inimitable comedy cartoons.

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WILLMAR OPERA HOUSE Matinee and Night, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25th "THE FUNNIEST SHOW IN THE WORLD" —MILWAUKEE SPECIAL— HALTON POWELL'S Famous Cartoon MUSICAL FARCE No Tears or Heart Throbs All Laughter, Music & Song Hear The Big Song Hits: HENPECKED HENRY. Never Before was Such Laughter Heard in the Fairbanks Theatre.—Springfield, Ohio Sun "The Audience was Helpless with Laughter"—Columbus, Ohio, Evening Dispatch WITH A SINGING AND DANCING CHORUS—SEATS ON SALE at CARLSON BROS. PRICES—Mat., Lower floor 50c, Bal. 25c; Night, 25, 35, 50 and 75c

Willmar Boy at Ryegate.

The Weekly Reporter of Ryegate, Mont., published an immense edition which they style "The Farmers' Christmas Edition," consisting of 32 pages devoted to the interests of the country around Ryegate. We clip the following about a former Willmar boy which appeared in the edition, in connection with a cut of him:

"When Walter J. Lundgren left old Minnesota 5 years ago, she lost a good citizen, although probably she did not realize the loss, but the Ryegate country was the gainer of what she was the loser.

"Mr. Lundgren came here from Willmar, and took up a homestead about two miles north of Ryegate and has not farmed exclusively, probably for the reason that one gets tired of one's own cooking and sewing on buttons, etc., and Walter has to do this himself. He is a very good farmer, and his chum, who is a woman, is the magnet, or drag-net, which makes life attractive on the farm.

"Mr. Lundgren being an expert engine and separator man finds no difficulty in obtaining remunerative employment in this trade, and probably can get larger returns than if he followed exclusive farming. Not is the farm sighted, however, for although Mr. Lundgren is absent a large share of the time, he harvested this season 37 acres of wheat, yielding him 800 bushels and 15 acres of oats giving a yield of 300 bushels. This coin of the realm is on the side and can be considered as "velvet."

"Mr. Lundgren is a clean young man and believes in the future of this section and is a booster all of the time."

Boys Were Released. The three Paynesville boys held by the county authorities for the robbery of the post office at Roscoe, were given their liberty after their hearing Friday. Hamer, one of the defendants, told a number of different stories. He first implicated the other two boys, and later stated that he knew nothing about the robbery. This left the officials up in the air and they decided to let the boys go.—Paynesville Press.

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