

PARTIAL RETURNS TOTAL 1521 MEMBERS

Red Cross Christmas Drive Re-opens Slow—Chain Lunches To Close Feb. 1.

The Red Cross Christmas drive in Kandiyohi County will net the County Chapter between 1600 and 2000 new members. The different localities are slow in making final returns. Up to noon time today, Chairman Berry had received reports of 1521 new members. This is 1,025 for the City of Willmar, from the New London Branch, 46 from the Kandiyohi Branch and 128 from the Penock Auxiliary. There are four branches and two auxiliaries in which the final returns have not been received. Mrs. Geo. H. Freeman, secretary of the County Chapter, requests the Trib- 1

VETERAN TRAIN DISPATCHER DEAD

John H. Styles of Willmar Passes Away Suddenly From Apoplexy.

John H. Styles, veteran train dispatcher and pioneer resident of Willmar, passed away at his home at Willmar, Sunday evening, Dec. 23, death being caused by apoplexy. He was ill only three days before a final stroke came, and the news of his death came as a painful surprise to the people of the city. The passing of Mr. Styles marks the end of the earthly career of a Christian gentleman, a good citizen and a devoted husband and parent. His was a sterling character, and he had won the respect of all who knew him. John Henry Styles was born at Minneapolis, July 28, 1862. His parents were Amos and Frances Styles. As a boy, the deceased attended the public schools of Minneapolis until he was fourteen years old. At fifteen he learned telegraphy, and at the age of six-

WEDDINGS

RENSTROM-LINMAN.

A pretty home wedding occurred on Wednesday evening, December 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matts Linman in Fahln township when their daughter, Miss Anna R. was united in marriage to Mr. Albert O. Renstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matts Renstrom, of Roseland township. The ceremony was performed at seven o'clock by Rev. Paul Hallin of the Swedish Baptist church of this city, assisted by Rev. D. R. Lagergren of Denver, Colorado, in the presence of forty-five relatives and friends. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white silk charmeuse elaborated with gold beads and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Her veil was of tulle fastened with lilies-of-the-valley. The bridesmaids, Misses Esther Johnson and Evangeline Renstrom, were gowned in white silk and wore corsage bouquets of white roses. The groom's attendants were William Renstrom and Paul Linman. Music was furnished by Miss Nettie Peterson, a niece of the bride, Mrs. Hedblom and Mr. Paul Linman. The color scheme of green and white was carried out in all the decorations. After the ceremony, several telegrams of congratulations were read. Guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Hedblom and son Willford of Minneapolis, Miss Esther Johnson of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Linman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Linman and daughter Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peterson and family and Mrs. Chas. Johnson, all of Willmar. Mr. and Mrs. Renstrom will visit at the bride's home until after the holidays. They will spend a few weeks visiting in Minneapolis and Cambridge before leaving for Kingsburg, Calif., where they will make their home. The groom has been engaged in the fruit growing business in Kingsburg for the past eleven years. The Tribune joins with their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

SPICER-ON-GREEN LAKE.

QUESTIONNAIRES ARE THE ORDER OF THE DAY

Additional associate members of the legal advisory board for Kandiyohi county have been appointed to assist registrars in filling out their questionnaires. The full list now stands: Willmar—G. E. Qvale, Geo. H. O'toerness, T. O. Gilbert, R. W. Stanford, George Muller, L. O. Thorpe, E. F. Fink, Solon L. Benton, S. B. Qvale, Hugo Hoglund, K. T. Rykkan, A. H. Brown, Erick Holt, and Lewis Johnson. New London—Harold Swenson and L. E. Covell. Atwater—Charles A. Swenson, John A. Johnson and William E. Peterson. Sunburg—P. A. Gandrud and A. J. Syste. Penock—E. L. Thorpe. Raymond—H. N. Ashley. Svea—James Matson. Kandiyohi—R. L. Davidson. Spicer—Oscar A. Orred. Up to Monday night questionnaires had been mailed out to Registrar No. 801. These documents are being mailed out ninety on each working day, according to the following schedule: Dec. 26—Numbers 802 to 891. Dec. 27—Numbers 892 to 981. Dec. 28—Numbers 982 to 1071. Dec. 29—Numbers 1072 to 1161. Dec. 31—Numbers 1162 to 1251. Jan. 2—Numbers 1252 to 1341. Jan. 3—Numbers 1342 to 1431. Jan. 4—Numbers 1432 to 1521. Jan. 5—Numbers 1522 to 1611. Jan. 7—Numbers 1612 to 1701. Jan. 8—Numbers 1702 to 1791. Jan. 9—Numbers 1792 to 1878. Each questionnaire must be filled out and returned to the local board within seven days. Each questionnaire must then be considered by the local board, and if any changes in classification are made by the board the registrant must be notified and he has a chance for appeal, first to local board and then to district board. Out of the first day's lot of ninety questionnaires the classification of thirty of the registrants were changed by the board and some will appeal. As each day's allotment is mailed and the returns come in the labors of the local board are steadily increasing until it has become a serious matter to these three members, not least to the County Auditor. The advisory board has appointed twenty-three assistants to assist in filling out the questionnaires, but the local board cannot delegate their work of examining and passing on the returns to anyone else. Then with all the work that comes to the County Auditor at the close of the year, the January session of the County Board, etc., County Auditor Nelson certainly will have some strenuous days.

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MURDEROUS ASSAULT MADE IN SMOKER

Newsboy is Struck Three Times With a Ventilating Cane. An Arrest is Made.

A vicious assault and attempt at robbery was committed in a smoking car on the tracks opposite the Great Northern Eating House last Saturday night when Nathan Liratt, a train newsboy was struck three times, twice on the head, but managed to escape from his assailant into the eating house. Mr. Liratt came in from St. Paul on No. 21, at 9:10 Saturday evening. He remained in the smoker outside the eating house and was taking a nap, as he was to leave on No. 51 for the Clear City run at 9:30 o'clock in the morning. At 12:05, someone entered the car and struck Liratt a vicious blow over the forehead with a ventilating cane. Another blow landed on the back of his head, and a third on his left arm. The last blow seemed to neutralize the stunning effects of the two first so that Liratt was able to jump up and escape from his assailant. Liratt rushed into the eating house, and the authorities were notified. The cane used by the assailant was broken in three pieces by the force of the blows. Liratt was taken to the Bethesda Hospital where his injuries were dressed by Dr. E. H. Frost. On Sunday a complaint was issued charging Dick Helpert, a brakeman on the St. Paul-Willmar local freight train, with the assault. Helpert was arrested by Chief Gilbertson Sunday evening. On Monday morning, Helpert was arraigned before Judge Muller of the Municipal court. Examination was waived and Helpert was bound over to await the action of the next grand jury. His bail was fixed at \$1,000 and so far, his failure to secure bondsmen keeps him in the custody of Sheriff Bonde. Mr. Liratt returned to St. Paul Monday afternoon. Whatever money he had at the time of the attempted robbery was locked in his trunk.

OBITUARY

MRS. CORNELIA FLINCK.

Mrs. Cornelia Flinck died at six p.m., Dec. 22, at the State Hospital at St. Peter. She was born at Utreet, Holland, forty-six years ago. With her husband, William Flinck and children, she came to America eleven years ago and to Willmar seven years ago. The deceased woman is mourned by her husband and two children, Peter or Flinck who is a volunteer soldier now stationed at Panama, and Mrs. J. D. McCarl of this city. The husband accompanied by Mr. A. M. Froger left this morning for St. Peter to bring home the remains. No announcement of obsequies have been so far made.

FIGURE OUT YOUR FIRST INCOME TAX

Deputy Collector Will Visit Our County to Help Citizens Make Their Returns.

In a communication received by this paper, E. J. Lynch, Collector of Internal Revenue, announces that a federal income tax officer will be sent into this county and will be in the various cities and towns as per the following schedule: Atwater, Jan. 3 and 4. City of Willmar, Jan. 5 to 12. Clara City (Chippewa county), Jan. 15 to 16. Raymond, Jan. 18. New London, Feb. 21 to 23. The officer will be in your town on the day or days noted above and will be ready and willing to help persons subject to the income tax to make out their returns without any cost to them for his services. How many income-tax payers will there be in Kandiyohi county? If you can guess how many married persons living with wife or husband will have net incomes of \$2,000 or over and how many unmarried persons will have net incomes of \$1,000 or over this year, then you know. Returns of income for the year 1917 must be made on forms provided for the purposes before March 1, 1918. Because a good many people don't understand the law and won't know how to make out their returns, the government is sending in this expert to do it for them. But the duty is on the taxpayer to make himself known to the government. If he doesn't make returns as required, before Mar. 1, he may have to pay a penalty ranging from \$20 to \$1,000, pay a fine or go to jail. So if you don't want to take chances on going to jail, you had better call on the income tax man. If you are not sure about being subject to the tax, call on the income tax man. Whether you see the income tax man or not, you must make return if subject to tax. Of course, persons resident in other counties may, if they want to, come and see the income tax man who will be at the places noted above. The Collector suggests that everybody start figuring up now his income and expenses so as to be ready with the figures when the expert arrives. Expenses, however, don't mean family expenses, money used to pay off the principal of a debt, new machinery, buildings, or anything like that. They mean what you spend in making your money—interest, taxes paid, hired help, amount paid for goods sold, seed, stock bought for feeding, rent, (except for your dwellings), etc. Income includes about every dollar you get.

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The Late John H. Styles.

teen entered the employ of the St. Paul & Pacific Railway (now the Great Northern). In 1884 he came to Willmar and took the position of train dispatcher, which position he held for many years, and was the veteran train dispatcher of the city. For a time, years ago, he was interested in a drug store of the city in partnership with Olof Olson. He made good use of his spare time, and in Sept. 1889, he was admitted to the bar, having passed a satisfactory examination in law. He took an active interest in civic affairs. In 1892, he was elected president of the then Village of Willmar, being head of the famous first "dry" council. Continuing his connection with the Great Northern during practically all the time of his residence here, he was last year made manager of a school of railroad telegraphy at Minneapolis. He was a faithful member of the First Presbyterian church, and has at various times served on its official boards as chairman and treasurer. In 1888 Mr. Styles was united in marriage with Miss Ida M. Wortman, who survives him with four children who are the following: Miss Ethel M. Styles, Oakland, Calif.; Miss Florence E. Styles, Willmar; Private H. D. Styles, Fort Sill, Okla.; Dr. J. H. Styles, Jr., of Kirksville, Mo. The stricken family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the death of their beloved husband and father. The funeral takes place at 2:30 o'clock, Friday, Dec. 28, at the First Presbyterian church, Rev. W. Bryn Jones, the pastor to officiate. The interment takes place at Fairview. All the children are expected to arrive to attend the funeral. The late Mr. Styles was a lovable character. He consistently tried to live in his daily life the Christianity that he professed; in civic affairs he was always ready to do his part, and never swerved from what he believed to be his duty; in his associations he was genial, mild and conciliatory, but candid in his expressed opinions. In describing Christian and Hopeful coming to the gate of the Celestial City, John Bunyan wrote: "Now, I saw in my dreams that these two went in at the gate, and lo, as they entered, they were transformed; and they had raiment put on, that shone like gold. Then I heard in my dream that all the bells in the city rang for joy and it was said unto them, 'Enter ye into the joy of your Lord,' and after that they shut up the gates, which, when I had seen, I wished myself among them. They go from strength to strength, they go to joy forever."

KALLEVIG-MAGNUSON.

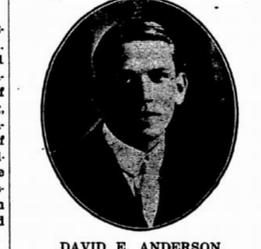
On Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, at five o'clock, Miss Hannah E. Magnuson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neils Magnuson of this city, and Mr. Thor Kallevig of Grove City spoke the vows that made them man and wife. The service was read by Rev. Nicolay Nilson of the Lutheran Free church in the presence of twenty-five guests. The bride gown was made of white silk crepe de chine. She wore a veil in cap effect and carried bride's roses. Miss Hannah Kallevig was maid of honor. She was attired in white crepe de chine and wore pink and white carnations. Miss Florence Erickson, bridesmaid, was attired in pink crepe de chine and wore pink and white carnations. The groom was attended by Burton Goehring and Andrew Magnuson. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Christ Kallevig of Grove City. The rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers, wedding bells and Christmas decorations. After the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Kallevig left on a wedding trip to the cities. They will be at home to their friends after Jan. 15, 1918 in Grove City where the groom has a garage. Out-of-town guests were Burton Goehring of Richmond, L. N. Birkeland of Warwick, N. D. and Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kallevig of Grove City.

HEDBERG-PETERSON.

Married, at the manse at Lake Elizabeth by Rev. A. Paulson of the Swed. Baptist church, Friday, Dec. 14, at 11 a.m., Miss Annie C. Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Peterson of Genessee, to Mr. Reuben H. Hedberg, son of Mrs. A. Hedberg, also of Genessee. The bride wore a gown of silk crepe de chine, trimmed with silver lace and wore a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Minnie Peterson. The groom wore a suit of navy blue serge, and was attended by Martin A. Peterson. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the bride's home to the near relatives of the bride and groom. After dinner they left by car for Willmar and from there left for Froid, Mont., and several places in North Dakota on their honeymoon. They will be at home after Jan. 1, 1918, on the groom's farm in Genessee.—Atwater Press.

SOLDIER BOY GONE BLIND.

Reports have reached the city that Peter Plinck, one of the volunteer soldier boys of the city, who is stationed in the Canal Zone, has lost his eyesight as a result of a sickness he had contracted there. The last report says he has recovered his sight in one eye to some extent. His Willmar friends hope for a complete recovery.



DAVID E. ANDERSON. Evangelist.

Who begins next Sunday a three weeks' evangelistic campaign in the Baptist church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Axel Lindblad and son of Tompkins, Sask., Canada arrived last Thursday for a visit with Mr. Lindblad's brothers, Arthur and Edgar of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Erick Dahlien and daughter of Alberta, Canada left this morning for Kansas City, Mo., after a visit at the Emil Linn and Ole Granquist homes.

—Miss Amanda Johnson, who attends the University, arrived last Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

—Miss Borghild Sand, who teaches in Minneapolis, arrived Sunday for a visit with friends in this city and at her home in Atwater.

—Dr. Reinking left Monday for a couple of days' visit at Minneapolis.

VIEW OF CAMP DODGE.

A friend of the Willmar Tribune has left four panoramic photo views of Camp Dodge at this office, for the inspection of any one interested. They give a good idea of the immensity of this training camp. And then when it is considered that it is only one of forty military camps in the United States, the supreme effort being made by our country to prepare for its part in the huge world drama becomes apparent to all.

KANDIYOHI CO. PUBLIC HEALTH.

The Kandiyohi County Public Health Association will meet next Wednesday afternoon, January 2.

ANN PENNINGTON in "The Antics of Ann"

A rollicking story of semi-nude life. It's good for a laugh every minute. BURTON HOLMES' TRAVELLOGUE. VICTOR MOORE COMEDY.

FRIDAY VIVIAN MARTIN in "Molly Entangled"

Just A Bit O' Blarney. JAN. 3 AND 4—Mary Pickford in "The Little Princess"

DINNER PARTY.

Mrs. Norin and daughter Lillie, A. O. Qvale and family, Under Osmondson and family, Arnold Johnson and family, Reynold Johnson and family and Julius Johnson were entertained for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson on Christmas Day.

MISS MINNIE JOHNSON, teacher in Dist. No. 67, has the thanks of Bur-

bank Auxiliary for donations amounting to \$15.20 to the A. R. C. Irene Jensen, A. R. C. (Secretary), New London, Minn.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Leslie of Penock celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Monday, December 24. Six children and two grandchildren were at home on this day. The children were Mrs. N. A. Chase of Ovid, Colorado; Mrs. W. J. McDowell of Luverne; Mrs. Chas. Gillen of Herman; Mrs. Chas. Beraw of Alberta; L. R. Leslie of Penock and Guy Leslie at home. The grandchildren present were Harry Chase of Ovid, Colorado, and Leslie McDowell of Luverne.

FRACTURES ARM.

Walter Klint fractured his left arm last Monday while cranking his car in Kandiyohi. The injury was cared for by Dr. B. Benson of this city.

—Erhard Bergeson has resigned his position as stenographer at the Bartles-Scott Oil Company in this city.

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