The Explosion of An Ancient Legend

A LETTER received last week from one who signs himself "Constant User" asks why the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) insists that the gravity test for gasoline is a fallacy.

Not having his address we are answering the inquiry here.

When the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) began manufacturing gasoline the surest, safest, most practical method known for determining the quality of the product was by testing it with a hydrometer.

In those days all of the crude oil used came from a single locality. It was of the same base always and the products refined from it were uniform.

As the industry grew and oil wells were found in widely separated localities it was discovered that the crude varied so greatly even when taken from wells in the same locality that the hydrometer no longer could be depended upon to indicate the quality of the refined product with satisfactory exactness.

Some other system of measurement had to be used.

The chemical engineers employed by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), who were asked to solve the problem, suggested that the boiling points of the several fractions, which go to make gasoline, would give the desired result. They would be constant and the usefulness of the product would not vary so long as the range of boiling point fractions remained unchanged.

The practical usefulness of the suggestion was instantly recognized, and the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) immediately adopted it as the basis of their manufacturing practice.

By making its product conform to the boiling point standard, it was possible to guarantee uniform results at all times, even though the hydrometer might show variation in gravity.

We know uniformity is of the most vital importance to the ultimate consumer. That is why we insist that gravity is of no value in determining the value of gasoline as a fuel, because it can not indicate the gaps.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is steadfast in its endeavor to render the greatest service possible to the motoring public and it is constantly trying to so improve the fuel and oils it sells as to give its patrons a greater value for the money they spend with it.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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IRVING

Irving, June 25th.—A bouncing baby was added to the Kramer family on Sunday the 15th.

At the festival held at Martin Christenson's at the Nordland church on the 11th of June the net income was over $500 which will be used for sending missionaries to heathen lands.

The Seeland home was gladdened the 19th of June when Severt returned from the military service being honorably discharged. Severt left Willmar last June the 24th. On September 9th he sailed for France and was in active service at the front for some time. He was gassed once but recovered. Everyone has a hearty welcome for him.

On Monday the 16th, there was a shower on Grace Caldwell at her home and on Wednesday the 18th she was married to John Adams of Spicer, Minn. The couple left for a wedding trip to Montana, and best wishes go with them for a happy wedded life.

Elmer Haagenson was married on Sunday the 22nd to Miss Nelson of Sask. Canada. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Haagenson have gone there to attend the wedding. Elmer has a homestead at that place, but is well known in this community. Everyone wishes them a successful and happy married life.

Corporal Gordon V. Nelson of the A. E. F. returned home last week after being honorably discharged from service. Gordon enlisted a year ago last January and has been in service a year and a half. He was sent to France soon after enlisting but never reached the firing line. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Nelson. All are glad to have him back and extend a hearty welcome.

Mrs. L. L. Tindahl from Willmar who has spent a few days with the O. B. Thorson family returned to her home last Tuesday.

The Missionary Festival of the Zion church last Friday the 20th was a big success. The weather was favorable which brought a large crowd together. The articles sold brought a good price showing the willingness of the people to help the good cause.

Mrs. R. Solberg and children of Duluth are staying at the home of Christian Christenson's for some time.

Mrs. S. O. Susag left last Saturday for St. Paul Park.

Mrs. Arntzen is on the sick list.

O. B. Thorson's entertained company from North Dakota over Sunday who were enroute to Willmar to attend the Nordlandslaget.

The Carl Thorson young folks visited at Olson's last Sunday.

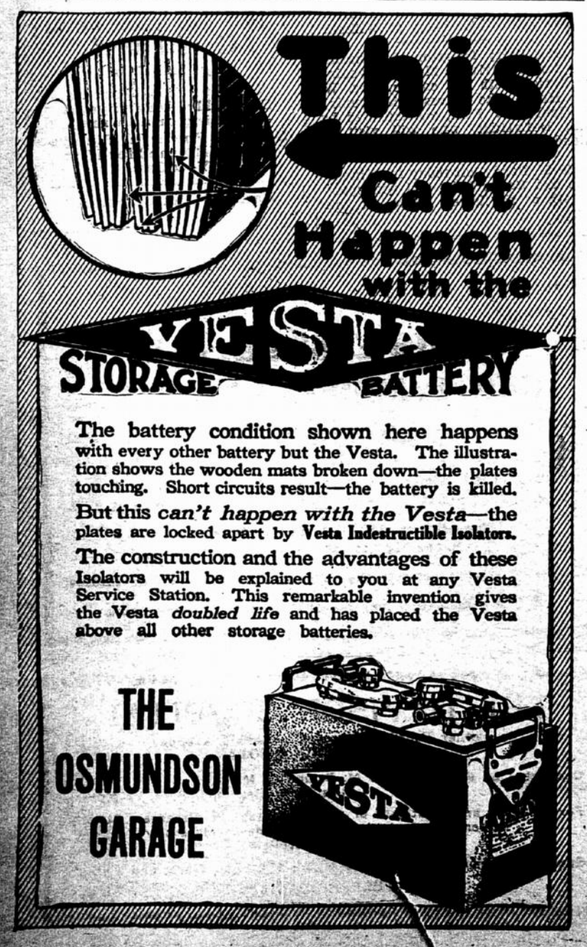
The Nordland Girls' Society met at P. A. Haagenson's last Thursday.

Mrs. Nelson and Annie of Paynesville spent Sunday at the Kramer home.

Myrtle Hanson visited at the O. W. Olson home from Sunday until Monday.

O. W. Olson's spent Sunday at Belgrade.

—Miss Ida Hoglund and Minnie Nelson will spend the week-end visiting at Litchfield with friends.



The battery condition shown here happens with every other battery but the Vesta. The illustration shows the wooden mats broken down—the plates touching. Short circuits result—the battery is killed.

But this *can't happen with the Vesta*—the plates are locked apart by **Vesta Indestructible Isolators.**

The construction and the advantages of these Isolators will be explained to you at any Vesta Service Station. This remarkable invention gives the Vesta *doubled life* and has placed the Vesta above all other storage batteries.

THE OSMUNDSON GARAGE

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL BUILDING, WILLMAR, MINNESOTA, JUNE 23rd, 1919.

Regular meeting of the City Council. Mayor Wellin called the meeting to order.

The following named members of the Council were present on roll call: Mayor Wellin, Aldermen Olson, Scott, Brown, Hoaglund, Nelson, and Erickson, 7; absent, Aldermen Jensen and Bjornberg, 2.

City Attorney Stanford also was present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting held June 9th, 1919, were read and the same were approved.

The following bills were, on motion, referred to the Finance Committee:

GENERAL FUND—	
Tribune Prtg. Co., publishing and printing, two bills	$ 49.15
J. W. Rowat, engineering services	57.00
Water and Light Com., charge for watering trough, allowed for	150.00
Willmar Greenhouse, flower beds for Parks	60.00
O. P. Nelson, labor Parks	15.60
A. O. Sather, labor	16.50
Peterson and Wellin, mdse	8.00
C. W. Lonn, labor	7.50
John Peterson, labor	6.00
Gust Nordin, labor team	4.55
Red Wing Sewer Pipe Co., one car sewer pipe	347.53
WATER AND LIGHT FUND—	
General Elect. Co., mdse.	91.75
Western Elect. Co., mdse.	31.00
N. W. Elect. E. Co., mdse.	6.65
St. Paul Elect. Co., mdse.	104.71
National Meter Co., mdse.	10.00
Crane & Ordway Co., Mdse.	43.00
Harrison Co., mdse.	11.50
Electric Mach. Co., mdse.	9.41
Plant Rubber Co., mdse	2.65
J. Andrae & Sons Co., mdse	119.91
Wm. Bros. Boiler & Mfg. Co., mdse.	3.00
Const. Service Co., mdse.	1.50
Carnegie Dock & Fuel Co., one car coal	205.44
Zenith Furnace Co., three cars coal	694.44
Great North. Ry. Co., freight three cars coal	277.53
C. Paulson, drayage car of coal	27.20
K. Samuelson, drayage coal	65.79
A. O. Forsberg, Postmaster, postal cards for statements	50.00
Wm. O. Johnson, Agt., bal. premium workmen's comp. policy	147.13
T. Christianson, labor	38.50
L. Fridlund, cash advanced for freight, express, postage etc.	41.64
V. E. Patnaude, State Boiler Inspector, cert. of boilers	1.50
PERM. IMPROVEMENT FUND—	
Lindgren & Larson, six street crossings	365.36
C. W. Lonn, labor	3.00
John Peterson, labor	3.00
Henry Johnson, labor, team	6.50
STREET FUND—	
P. Anderson, labor	20.00
C. W. Lonn, labor	15.00
John Peterson, labor	9.00
A. Sundling, labor	28.88
Henry Johnson, labor team	29.25

The Finance Committee reported the foregoing bills back approved and the report was accepted.

Alderman Erickson offered the following resolution which was adopted by the following vote: "Ayes," 6; "noes," none.

RESOLUTION

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Willmar that the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, authorized to issue warrants against the respective funds in payment of the foregoing approved bills

Approved June 24th, 1919

E. C. WELLIN, Mayor.

C. J. Rose, Louis Larson and B. Shulke appeared about matter of a drain tile which they had placed across Benson Ave. East, near Dolson Ave., and the matter was referred to the Street Committee and the City Engineer to investigate.

A communication from the Water and Light Commission was presented, asking that bids be called for for laying two blocks of water mains on South Sixth street, from Kandiyohi Avenue to Grace avenue, Booth's addition.

The Clerk was, on motion, instructed to call for bids for construction of such water mains to be received at meeting July 14th, 1919.

The estimated cost of said water main extension was stated to be approximately $800.

City Engineer Rowat presented a plat and profile of all that part of Monongalia avenue from 8th street west to 15th street west to be graded, as petitioned for by David N. Tallman, Edwin T. Sandbo and others, and in which a hearing was held at the last meeting, the 9th inst.

Alderman Scott presented the following resolution which was unanimously adopted.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, On the 12th day of May 1919, the City Council of the City of Willmar did by resolution declare its purpose and intention to cause all that part of Monongalia Avenue of said City, extending from 8th Street West to 15th Street West, said 16th street West being on the section line between Sections 15 and 16, Town of Willmar, to be graded as prayed for in a petition duly presented to the City Council and signed by David N. Tallman, Edwin T. Sandbo and others, and

Whereas, The said petition was duly heard by and before the Council of the said City, at a meeting thereof held at the Council Chambers in the City Hall building in said City, on the 9th day of June 1919, at the hour of 8 o'clock in the evening of said day, pursuant to a notice of such hearing duly given by the City Clerk, as by the Charter of the City provided at which time all parties interested were permitted to appear and be heard and no objections were made thereto, and

Whereas, The City Engineer has made and filed with the City Clerk, a plat and survey showing the nature, course and extent of said improvement and the parcels of land to be benefited thereby, together with the names of the owners of such property; all as provided in the City Charter.

Now Therefore Resolved, That such plat and survey so made and filed with the City Clerk as aforesaid, be, and the same is hereby adopted, and

Resolved Further, That the prayer of said petition be granted and that the grading of said portion of Monongalia avenue be, and the same is ordered and directed to be done as prayed for in said petition, in accordance with the grade established and the plat and survey so made and filed, and

Resolved Further, That all of the property abutting upon that portion of Monogalia Avenue, between 8th street West and 15th street West, that will be benefited by the grading thereof, be, and the same is hereby ordered and directed to be assessed for the cost of the same, as in the Charter of the said City provided.

Approved June 24th, 1919.

E. C. WELLIN, Mayor.

The following sewer permits were, on motion, granted subject to the $50 tapping fee: Olive Bros. for store building on Lot 11, Block 45 to connect with the 3rd street sewer; E. Ellingson for residence on lot 6 of Block 62 to connect with the 5th street sewer, and Magnus Ness for residence on Lot 11, Block 8, Ferring's addition, to connect with the Anthony street sewer.

A petition for a sewer extension on 12th street South, from Becker avenue and North on said street to within fifty feet from Litchfield avenue, signed by C. A. Backlund, Gust Lindgren, O. O. Ulvin and others was presented. It had pledges for sewer taps to the amount of $350.

The said matter was, on motion, referred to the Sewer Committee

Alderman Nelson reported that Mr. O. L. Lien asked for permission to build a short sewer extension, at his own cost, either on Litchfield avenue or on Seventh street, to connect his residence property with the Seventh street sewer on South 7th street.

The matter was referred to the Sewer Committee.

Contract bond of Lindgren and Larson, sidewalk contractors, signed by Lion Bonding Co., was presented and was referred to the City Attorney.

The Attorney reported that a couple of minor changes would have to be made in the bond, which were then ordered.

Requisitions for supplies from the Water and Light Department were presented and the Clerk was instructed to order same.

On motion the Council adjourned.

E. C. Wellin, Mayor.

Attest:
HANS GUNDERSON,
City Clerk.

New Drug Store Proprietor.

P. F. McDonough of the Minneapolis Drug Co. assisted in taking invoice of the Raymond Drug Store. A. B. Kleinhuizen who has conducted the business for many years in an obliging and successful manner has retired from it and Mr. W. H. Schram has taken possession. The new owner enlisted in the Army during the War and had to sell his prosperous drug store business at Wheaton.—Raymond News.

WOULD GO FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE

Mrs. Harrington Feels Like Going Out And Telling Everybody About Tanlac.

"I would just like to go from house to house and tell the people about Tanlac," said Mrs. Mollie Harrington of Third Street, Peoria, Illinois in a recent statement which she requested published for the benefit of others.

"My health gave way years ago," Mrs. Harrington continued, "and I had long since despaired of ever getting better. I was very weak and pale—hardly had the color of blood in my face—suffered terribly from stomach trouble and extremely nervous. I was really in a brokendown condition and being past fifty-eight years of age, which I thought was against me, I had no hope of getting well and nothing to look forward to but the end, which I often felt was drawing near.

"Then I got to reading about the the wonderful results others were getting from Tanlac and yet, I could not make up my mind at first to try it, as I had little idea it could help a person of my age, especially, one in such a low state of health. But somehow I was influenced to buy a bottle and that was about the luckiest day of my life, for when I finished taking it there was a wonderful improvement in my condition.

"Then I had something to look forward to—hope of complete recovery—so I bought a few more bottles of Tanlac and now I don't have to tell my friends I am well again for they can see that from my looks and often speak of it. I am more thankful to Tanlac than I can express, for now I am enjoying life and good health, which I never expected to enjoy any more, and I want this testimonial published in all the papers in Illinois that everybody may know what Tanlac will do, for I feel that I ought to tell all suffering people about this wonderful medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Raymond by Albert Kleinhuizen, and by one leading druggist in every town.,

—Paid Advertisement.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Town of Roseland.

June 19.—H. C. Floso and wife to Thos. Cullen Jr. NE¼, sec. 4, $9000.

Town of Whitefield.

June 17.—F. E. Day and wife to Spicer Land Co., NW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 33, $1400.

June 20.—P. B. Hong and wife and John A. Bodun and wife to John Herman and Emil Herman, N½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, W½ of SW¼, Sec. 16, $16,000.

Town of Gennessee.

June 20.—Frank V. Olson, widower to Burton T. Nelson et al W½ of SE¼, Sec. 8, NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 17, $1.00.

Town of Willmar.

June 17.—Peter Scwalb and wife to Peter O. Skutle, Part NE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 22, $1.00

Town of Green Lake.

June 18.—Swan Anderson and Andrew Bjornell to Julia Anderson Lot 12, North Beach Add. $150.

Town of Mamre.

June 23.—Peter M. Johnson et al to Albin Carlson SE¼ of NE¼ exc. 5 acres Sec. 15, $2700.

Town of Roseville.

June 16.—L. F. Nehring and wife to Richard Nehring N. 10 acres of SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, $300.

Town of Colfax.

June 16.—Peter Lundberg and wife to Otto Ferdinand Lunddberg SE¼, Sec. 35, $2000.

June 19.—Erick Christenson to Martin Skaalerud Lot 12 of Lot 7, Sec. 31, $300.

Village of Atwater.

June 20.—Torlief Aresvad and wife to R. D. McNames Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 2, Halls Add. 8 53|100 acres of SW¼ of SW¼, Sec. 1, $3000.

Village of Spicer.

June 17—Ole Bergson and wife to C. Hendrickson Lots 10 and 11, Block 4, Summit Add. $1.00.

City of Willmar.

June 17.—Erick Holt and wife to J. A. Curran Lots 5 and 6, Block 26, $8000.

June 17.—Gotfrid Soderman and wife to David E. Hoglund Lot 14 and N½ of Lot 13, Block 4, Hansons Add. $3200.

June 17.—David E. Hoglund and wife to Gotfrid Soderman Lot 2, Block 76, $500.

June 19.—Albert N. Lewis and wife to Martin C. Nelson Lot 7 and S½ of Lot 6, Block 37, $3600.

June 19.—Bessie Hanscom et al to Thor Kallevig Lot 6, Block 61, First Add. $3600.

June 20.—Martha Balke et al to Janet Downie Lots 1 and 2, Block 2, Spicers Add. $2550.

June 23.—Daniel A. Murray to Albert C. Zelsdorf Part NW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 14, $1275.

June 23.—August E. Danielson and wife to Fred A. Danielson Part NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 14, $1.00.

June 23.—August E. Danielson and wife to William E. Danielson Part NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 14, $1.00.

June 23.—August E. Danielson and wife to Clarence A. Danielson Part NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 14, $1.00.

June 23.—August A. Danielson and wife to William E. Danielson Part NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 14, $1.00.

June 23.—August E. Danielson and wife to Roy L. Danielson Part NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 14, $1.00.

June 23.—A. C. Pederson to John M. Christenson Lot 6, 7 and 8 of Lot 1, E. 81 ft. of Lot 1, Thorpe and Liens Add. $3000.

Prinsburg Locals, Raymond News.

E. L. Roelofs and H. Van Der Riet bought the Santjer farm.

Garret Breems returned home from Camp in the East last week.

Roelofs & Decker Store have hired Aukie DeVries as assistant clerk during the summer.

Harry Boersma returned home from college at Holland, Mich for his summer vacation.

The wedding of Neil Decker and Miss Jennie Bergsma took place in this burg last Wednesday the 25, at the bride's home. A large crowd assembled and a good time was reported by all. We extend our hearty congratulations.

Van Kraanen-Bintz.

The M. E. parsonage was the scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday afternoon when Miss Bertha Bintz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bintz and Henry Van Kraanen were united in marriage by Rev. H. C. Kishpaugh. The bride was attended by Gertrude Van Kraanen and Paul Bintz acted as best man. Miss Pearl Greenfield played the wedding march. Only intimate friends and relatives attended the ceremony. The young couple is well and favorably known in this community and the best wishes are extended to them for a happy and prosperous journey through life.—Raymond News.

Twenty Years Ago This Week.

E. Pearson of Willmar and Miss Tressie Bruss of Lone Tree were united in marriage last Wednesday.

Jennie DeVries of Lone Tree and Everet Roelofs of Prinsburg will be united in marriage tomorrow July 1st.—Clara City Herald.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS—The Tribune sells the Star Brand ribbons for all standard machines. Mailed anywhere 65 cents.

HEALTHFUL ADVICE

During the aftermath of influenza or any other prostrating illness, the logical tonic is

SCOTT'S EMULSION

which enriches the blood and strengthens the whole body, via nourishment. *If you would renew your strength—try Scott's.*

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 8-18

FROM A 200 CENT DOLLAR TO A 50 CENT DOLLAR IN A QUARTER OF A CENTURY

Editor Willmar Tribune:

Preparatory to moving out of our old house where we have lived for a quarter of a century I have been compelled to go over the attic. In so doing I have run across files of old papers—The New London Times from 1886 and The Willmar Tribune when it was a wee little baby fighting for dear life against the money power of the panic days of Grover Cleveland. In looking here and there through the first columns of the Tribune I was astounded at the change that has taken place since then in our monetary system, or rather in the so called standard of value the dollar. I thought maybe you would publish some of these cogitations, reminiscences and reflections and so I sat down and began to write. Now whatever I may say is not in a spirit of criticism of any man or party past or present. I know well enough that a man of my age cannot understand the present era, he can only relate what he passed through and stand wondering at the present panorama that now unfolds before him.

Our complaint in 1894 was that we had a 200 cent dollar—judging by its purchasing power—exchange value and that is of course the only real value of a dollar. A dollar whether of gold, silver, paper or wampum is not a food, raiment, nor an ornament, but simply a token to exchange for something to eat and wear. In 1894 dollars were few, because the per capita circulation was small and the demand for dollars was great, because we were all in debt and needed dollars to pay it with, and so the dollar was valuable, that is, its exchange value was great and goods were cheap.

Butter was from 10 to 15 cents a pound, oats 20 to 25 and wheat 50 to 75 cents a bushel. The best kind of a cow sold for less than 20 dollars; hogs were from 3 to 5 cents. In Willmar Tribune April 9, 1895 Rodlun and Johnson had an ad. stating what one dollar would buy of the different necessities of life as follows:

20 pounds granulated sugar
10 pounds Apricots
12 pounds Peaches
12 pounds Prunes
20 pounds Raisins
25 pounds Oat Meal
20 pounds Rice
3 pounds Tea
20 yards of Sheeting
20 yards pf Gingham
20 yards of Prints
2 pairs of Overalls
10 linen Collars
2 white Shirts
4 silk Neckties
1 suit of Underwear
10 pairs of Lady's seamless Black Hose
15 pairs of Gentlemen's Hose

In other words as compared with half a dozen years later we had then a 200 cent dollar The creditor class was in clover the debtor class was practically bankrupt. It was against this rotten deal of the creditor element of the nation that populism protested.

Fortunately just then Klondyke began to mine and South Africa to increase its output of gold and this relieved the situation and averted what no doubt would have ended in revolution in this country. The enormous output of gold during the closing years of the 19th century made the dollar a fairly honest dollar and prices continually rose, that is, the dollar went down until there was a fair deal to both creditor and debtor, and times became prosperous.

Let us then say that we had a fair and equitable dollar in 1913, and had ever since the large supply of gold stabilized it during the last few years of the last century.

Why then has the dollar gone down in value to about one half since then? The war, you say? But how does the war affect the dollar? Because money like any other commodity obeys the laws of supply and demand—when it is abundant its exchange values goes down, when scarce it goes up.

Our per capita circulation now is very, very large—I don't know just how large but undoubtedly three or four times what it was in 1895. The gold of the Allies came here for war material before we went to war and increased our per capita. Then we have the federal banking institution which is nothing more nor less than a flat money making machine. We have heard all kinds of talk about the old green back system. Under that Congress did make legal tender fiat money but that was limited by specific acts of Congress. Our Federal Reserve Banks can now issue fiat money without limit—that is, it can extend credit upon what its officers deem good collaterals—which serves the same as money by enhancing its efficiency and causing inflation.

Now what is the real trouble with us now? Money inflation. We have the gold standard nominally but in fact we have a paper money that was worth 200 cents dollar in 1894 to a 50 cents dollar in 1919.

Now then what? If this state of affairs continues— and some wise men say it will—then all the debts contracted before the late war, all the obligations entered into before the war can and will be paid in 60 cent dollars. Every long time contract entered into before the war involving the orphans and widows and their insurance money —all halved! think of the savings bank deposits not to speak of public and private debt.

We heard all these arguments during the debates on the money question 25 years ago, why don't statesmen—philosophers howl now? Are they afraid to touch this delicate question lest the whole industrial and social structure turns topsy turvy?

I am not rejoicing over the arrival of the 50 cent dollar—I am only curious to see how wise statesmen will handle the naughty animal. Our people are now intoxicated on prosperity, on an abundance of cheap dollars. How are we going to stop the debauch? We have got the remedy of course— the Federal Bank can refuse credit—can contract the circulation—and that is practically the only thing that will lower prices generally

But that would be like sobering up a drunken man and that is not a pleasant experience. Politicians lack the moral courage to do this. The public wants more cheap money booze and will no doubt get it until delirium tremens sets in and bring the public to its senses.

But may be this 50 cent dollar is a good thing after all. May be we may learn from it that chasing dollars is after all not the only thing to live for. Why should a man lay up a whole lot of prospective income in dollars when he dont know what that dollar will be worth to him when he gets it? Rather then, acquire a small farm or business that always will be worth some thing of real value in life. That was the way our forbears did before money chasing became all of life and they lived, it seems, happier than we do.

Respectfully,
Dr. Christian Johnson.

Adams-Caldwell Nuptials.

The marriage of Miss Grace F. Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Caldwell of Hawick and Mr. John Adams of this community, son of Mrs. Maggie Adams was quietly solemnized at Raymond Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Kishpaugh of the Methodist Church performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives.

The bride was attired in a brown cheviot suit while the groom wore the conventional black. The couple was unattended.

A wedding dinner was served to the guests at the Kishpaugh home.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Payne and family Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Norris and family of Hawick, Mr. and Mrs. L. Farnum, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Caldwell, Archie, Cora and Vergil Caldwell of Paynesville, Mrs. Maggie Adams and Leslie Cosert of Spicer.

The happy young couple went on a wedding trip to Wolf Point, Montana and other places in the West where they will visit relatives. On their return they will be at home at the Adams' residence near the mill.—Green Lake Breeze.

FARMERS, PROTECT YOUR CROPS AGAINST HAIL STORMS.

Hail Insurance written at Reasonable Rates. Hans Gunderson, Agent, Cor. 6th St. and Litchfield Ave., Willmar, Minn.—6:18-3t.

—W. E. Tew spent the week-end with his family in this city. Mr. Tew is now completing a course of medical treatment which has compelled him to remain in Minneapolis for some time.

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You can't any more make Prince Albert bite your tongue or parch your throat than you can make a horse drink when he's off the water! Bite and parch are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

You just lay back like a regular fellow and puff to beat the cards and wonder why in samhill you didn't nail a section in the P. A. smokepasture longer than you care to remember back!

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R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

PERSONAL MENTION IN LOCAL EXCHANGES

(Raymond News).

Mildred McMahon of Breckenridge arrived Wednesday for a visit with friends.

Miss Lillian Hier boarded the train for Minneapolis Wednesday for a visit with friends.

Miss Louise Mielke and her brother Will left Tuesday for Cottonwood.

Ben Vlaar visited with his father who is at the Willmar hospital on Monday.

August Gabbert stopped between trains at Willmar and attended to business matters.

Mrs. Otis Seebeck of Jacobson, Minn., arrived Tuesday for a visit at her parental home.

Miss Ruth Merryman of Kerkhoven arrived Monday for a visit at the H. N. Ashley home.

Rev. H. Klemp and Carl Bergeman left Tuesday to attend the Conference Meeting of the Synod at St. Paul.,

Pete Bulkema and family who have been visiting at the Gerrit Ostlund home returned to Chicago Tuesday.

Verna Holtz accompanied Mrs. J. C. Harguth to Clara City Saturday to take daily music lessons during vacation.

Mrs. Emil Gabbert and three youngest children left Tuesday for a visit with Henry Serlet and family at Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug Marquardt and the members of their family had a groupe photograph taken at Willmar on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. J. Kropp and daughters Lucille and Arline, accompanied by Miss Esther Henke returned from St. Paul Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marquardt returned to Forster, Wis., Tuesday after a pleasant visit at the Marquardt home and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Geo. Watkins of Willmar visited with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bauman Wednesday.

Mrs. Otto Boelter returned to Springfield, Minn., after a few weeks visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Waldo Day left last Thursday for Aberdeen, S. Dak., where she will visit at the home of her parents.

Miss Virginia Reed boarded the train Saturday for Atwater to visit at the home of her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zern and children of Duluth arrived Monday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ostlund.

Charley Wathey who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stenn returned to Minneapolis last Friday.

Fred Schmidt John Gerdes and Henry Lindner who are laying the main for the Pennock water works spent over Sunday at Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waldron who visited the past two weeks with C. Spaeth and family in town and at their Lake Cottage returned to Minneapolis Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Spaeth Mrs. L. Hirman and children and Miss Cora Spaeth went to Green Lake Thursday to spend a few days at the Spaeth cottage.

Misses Effie and Grace Knott left for St. Cloud last Friday the former will visit with friends and the latter intends to take the summer course at the St. Cloud State Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer and son Ewald of Swanville, Minn., returned for home Monday after a days visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pfeiffer. The party made the trip over land in their auto.

Mrs. H. Ton and Mrs. Verkholtz of Lester and Mrs. Beam and son Ihnen and Wm. Verkholtz of New York, returned last Thursday after visiting with Mrs. Holtz and other relatives.

Ben Frueling lost four valuable cows by lightning during the storm Sunday night. The bolt struck the barn, but did not start a fire and the horses in the barn remained unhurt. The cows were on the outside wall of the barn when they were struck.

Fred and Jacob Bintz transacted business at Montevideo Saturday. Jacob arrived here from his home at Donnybrook, N. Dak., last week and is visiting with his brother's folks and other relatives. He called at the News office for a pleasant visit last week and stated that the crops were much more advanced in this section of the country as they were in North Dakota.

Fred Weihrauch has bought out his partner Henry Day and has taken possession as sole proprietor last week. Fred is an accommodating and well-liked man who will, no doubt, make the best success in his business.

Miss Marie England of Jeffers, Minn., who attended the Raymond Schools four years ago, spent last week in town visiting her old school mates. Miss Ingland left last Friday for St. Cloud, Minn., to attend State Normal.

Pete Schelten left last Friday for Banks, N. Dak., to visit with his brother Cornelius who is reported dangerously ill with typhoid fever. Miss Louise Schelten of Clara City accompanied him to assist in taking care of their brother and his farm property.

Haatz of Bejou, Minn., arrived last week for a visit with relatives and also to be present at the Golden Wedding of his parents who reside at Clara City. Etteus made the trip overland per auto and found the roads with the exception of a few miles in a reasonably fair condition.

(Atwater Press).

Miss Ida Lee arrived home Monday evening from Elgin, Ill., where she has been for some time.

Mrs. John Olson of Breckenridge arrived on Tuesday for a visit at the home of her brother, Leander Campbell, of Gennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lehner and family of Red Lake Falls autoed over the latter part of last week for a visit at Highland Farm with the Maier Bros.

Miss Tillie Scott left Tuesday for St. Cloud where she will attend the summer school at the Normal.

Mrs. C. W. Holmquist, south of town, left last week Thursday for a visit with relatives at Center City.

Mrs. Hans Hyden and two children of Minneapolis returned to their home on Thursday after a visit at the Chas. Bjorklund home in Lake Elizabeth.

Mrs. W. Borgen and little daughter of Minneapolis retured home on Saturday after a three weeks' visit at her parental home, Gabrial Lund's in Lake Elizabeth.

Mrs. E. Brinkman and little daughter of St. Paul returned home Saturday afternoon after a visit with her brother, Emil R. Johnson, of the Ridgewood Stock Farm.

Mrs. Osberg and two children of Minneapolis, arrived Monday and went out to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jensen, in Lake Elizabeth, for a visit.

Mrs. Bertha Halverson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Halverson and Harry Halverson, all of Litchfield, autoed up on Wednesday of last week and visited at the O. J. Gilbertsan and Olga Arneson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Nelson and family came down from Stanley, N. Dak., last Saturday for a visit here during the summer with relatives. Mrs. Nelson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, and Mr. Nelson was formerly a jeweler at this place.

P. M. Paquette of Waubun, the new superintendent of our schools, was in town last week making arrangements for the moving of his family here. He had his household goods shipped here and the family will occupy the parsonage of the Presbyterian church.

(Kerkhoven Banner).

Edw. Beck, living south of town, had two valuable horses killed by lightning Sunday evening during the storm.

Mrs. C. Glembin and son, Clinton, went to Willmar Monday, where they will visit Mrs. L. Hedlund for a few days, after which they will leave for Watertown, S. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Frye, of Willmar, autoed here Monday and visited at the F. A. Noland home. Mrs. Mildred Null returned to Willmar with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nyquist and daughter, Miss Myrn, and Miss Agnes Gandrud, of Sunburg, returned from Minneapolis Saturday evening. They returned as far as Willmar in car but on account of bad roads could not come any further with the machine and left it there, completing the journey on the train.

Mesdames Ella Shelgren and Nellie Griffin left for Willmar Friday, where they will visit at the J. W. Frye and Geo. Jonnicks homes. They will also visit relatives at Norway Lake for a few days before returning to their home in Minneapolis. They had visited here for about three weeks at the home of their sister, Mrs. F. A. Noland.

(Clara City Herald).

H. Gretsfeld returned Saturday from the Davison hospital at Willmar being fully recovered from the recent operations.

J. Kuiper and two youngest daughters went to Raymond Monday to visit at the home of H. Wessels.

Miss Ella Janssen and Miss Katie Davids went to Willmar Monday where they have secured employment in a restaurant.

Ed. Mead was over from Willmar this week to stay for a few days. He is now traveling for the Home Life Insurance Company.

Mr. and Mrs. X. Suter went to Willmar Monday to see their son Louis who was operated upon in the Davison hospital last week for appendicitis. He is getting along fine and is expected back home this week.

(Pennock News, Kerkhoven Banner)

The A. Benson family are now domiciled in their new residence at Willmar moving there Tuesday.

During the storm last Sunday evening the barn on the John Henjum farm in Arctander was blown over.

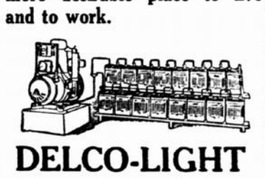
Mrs. Otto Tallakson, of Willmar, arrived Wednesday afternoon for a visit at the Richard Holmgren home in Salem.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holmgren of Salem, a girl, Saturday, June 21.

Ernest Berglund went to Appleton Wednesday afternoon, where he will work as time keeper with the extra gang working on the railroad at that place.

Miss Marie Botnen left for Willmar Monday, where she will spend the summer. Miss Botnen has resigned her position at the bank and W. E. Berglund is working there.

Makes the farm a better and more desirable place to live and to work.



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