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**New London**

New London, April 13th.—Manley Ogren and Carol Wholin were in Willmar on business Monday.  
Lloyd Larson was in Buffalo from Thursday until Monday.  
Morris Skie spent a few days of last week in Hawick.  
Prof. E. E. Hauge of Spicer visited the High School on Tuesday.  
Miss Leona Skien who is employed at Hawick visited at her parental home in New London on Friday.  
Mrs. Arne Larson and son Marvin spent from Saturday to Tuesday with relatives in Minneapolis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kambestad and daughter and P. E. Johnson autoed to Willmar Sunday to spend the day with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. August Gustafson autoed to Kerkhoven Sunday to spend the day with the former's mother, Mrs. C. Gustafson.  
Melville Kraffe of Minneapolis has been employed as bookkeeper in the office of Broberg and Son.  
Mrs. E. M. Hanson left Friday for Brandon to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. P. E. Berg.  
Edward Evenson of Haze, Swift County, has rented the Haramon building on lower Main street, recently vacated by Arthur Ihleng.  
Miss Anna Claire Finley spent from Friday to Monday at her home in Spicer.  
Mrs. Theodore Gunderson returned Friday from a week's visit at the mother's home near Brooten.  
Word arrived here last week of the death on Thursday of Christian Hanson of Canby. Mr. Hanson is remembered as the old soldier who lived, until recently, just west of the Carl Johnson home.

Fish are coming up stream plentifully now and spring spearing is in season. Pickeral are however among the fish protected by the game law from spearing.

Mrs. C. E. Monson and daughter Mirian spent the week end in St. Paul on a shopping and pleasure trip combined. Mr. Monson was noted as one of the petit jurors drawn on the Benthal case now being tried.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bergeson and Wanda Thorne of Willmar spent Sunday with relatives here.

A party of four, J. W. Koetter, A. Linderholm, Oscar Gullander and M. J. Mickelson, all of Belgrade, were in New London Friday to interview our business men on matters pertaining to the New London and Belgrade road.

William Rose and A. N. Mickelson autoed to Willmar last Friday.

Alpha Olson came in from Lake Andrew school Friday to spend Sunday with her home folks.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Ahlstrom of Spicer were Lyceum guests of the International Inattet Concert on Saturday night.

Dr. H. V. Hanson returned to New London Saturday to visit for a short time. We are pleased to learn of his steady improvement in health tho he is not yet sufficiently recovered from his long illness, to resume his practice here at this time.  
Mr. Emil Johnson went to Minneapolis Friday to visit his son Sydney.  
The Freshman class were entertained at the Interlachen on Thursday night by Oliver Winblad and all reported an exceptionally good time.  
The party, of perhaps two dozen, were transported by auto trucks and were chaperoned by Mrs. Arthur Ihleng, Mrs. A. E. Olson and Mrs. Frank Covell.  
The evening was spent in games, and at its close, Mrs. Ihleng served a bountiful luncheon of salad and sandwiches, cakes and cream.

Dr. S. J. Roberts of Minneapolis has leased the dentists parlors vacated by Dr. Myron Cramer and is installing his apparatus there now, preparatory to serving your dental needs any time after this week. Our public has been without a dentist nearer than Willmar, for some time now, and we surely appreciate having a home dentist again.

A dental clinic was conducted in our schools here Thursday by Dr. Allison of Minneapolis accompanied by County Nurse Imsdahl. The work began in the 8th grade and covered all grades down to the first in the one day. The attendance of parents of the smaller children was very good. The work is entirely gratuitous to the pupil examined since the Minnesota Health Association like the Red Cross is supported not by tax payers but by voluntary contributions. It is hoped the clinic will serve the purpose intended, to awaken interest in and procure attention for the dental needs of children whose parents might otherwise have neglected the matter over long.

The Sibley Park Board met on Monday night and decided to ask for bids for clearing out a drive way thro the park. The board will meet again in New London on Wednesday for a completed driveway this summer.  
Saturday night's door receipts at the Lyceum were \$28.25. The year's

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

—Harry Hale left Tuesday for a trip to the Twin Cities.  
—Pat Lawlor of Kandiyohi was a Willmar visitor last Tuesday.  
—J. Johnson of Hutchinson was here on business last Monday.  
—Peter Larson of Atwater spent Tuesday afternoon on business in this city.  
—Bertha and August Maier of Harrison were Willmar visitors last Tuesday.  
—Sam Warner, deputy game warden of Olvia, was a Willmar business caller last Friday.  
—Misses Bernice and Myrtle Renstrom of Olvia visited friends and relatives in this city last Sunday.  
—Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson of Kerkhoven visited at the Emil Carlson home last Thursday.  
—C. G. Engvall and son, Roy spent Sunday visiting at the Andrew Peterson home south of town.  
—Wm. O. Johnson underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Willmar Hospital Monday morning.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Camp and Fred Portz arrived Monday from Minneapolis for a visit at their homes in this city.  
—Miss Ruth Carlson of Minneapolis arrived Monday to spend the summer months at her home in Roseland township.  
—Lars Erickson, John Leeberg and John Bengtson of Lake Lillian township attended the Minnesota Implement Co's., annual meeting.

**IN MEMORIAM**

In memory of our son and brother who died four long sad years ago, April 15, 1916.  
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The voice we loved is stilled  
A place made vacant in our home  
That never can be filled.  
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course paid for itself and earned a surplus of \$40.00 for the High School Seniors.

This column is indebted to Miss Agnes Thomas for the following appreciation:  
The International Concert Quartette which appeared at the town hall Saturday evening proved a fitting conclusion of the season's Lyceum course. The program far exceeded the expectation of the audience and was a pleasing substitute for the one to have been rendered by the

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Each number of the program was heartily applauded, deeply appreciated and later widely praised.

The 30th annual stockholders meeting of the State Bank of New London was held in the director's room of the bank of Tuesday, April 6th. The usual routine business was transacted. The old board of directors was re-elected. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. F. Fink; vice president, C. E. Monson; cashier, A. N. Mickelson, assistant cashier, Conrad and O. G. Nordlie. Peter Broberg who has served the bank as president continually since the bank was organized declined a re-election, owing to the pressure of other business and advancing age. Mr. Fink was advanced to that responsible position. The charter of the bank being about to expire, it was decided by a unanimous vote to ask for a renewal of the charter for another 30 years' period.

The State Bank of New London was organized 30 years ago and began business in one corner of the old Swenson and Broberg store on May 5th, 1890. J. L. Johnson then of Willmar and late county auditor of Renville county was the first cashier. There was not much money in this community at that time, property values as compared with those of today, were extremely low. The bank was organized and capitalized largely by Willmar business men. Among the charter members only the following were residents in New London and vicinity: Lewis Larson, Peter Larson, Dr. Christian Johnson, V. E. Carlson, C. M. Reese, Harold Swenson and Peter Broberg. The bank began business with its capital stock of \$25,000.00 paid in and with deposits of \$2,492.42. A policy of conservative management combined with liberality towards its customers was inaugurated at the beginning and has continued to this day. To this policy the bank owes the enviable position of strength and stability which it occupies in this community as a financial institution. Beginning with resources of only \$27,492.42 the bank has grown slowly but steadily until today at the close of its charter period it is one of the largest banks in central Minnesota located in non-county seat towns having total resources of nearly three quarter million dollars.

**MISSION CHURCH NOTES.**  
Services next Sunday by Rev. T. Paulson at 8 p. m.  
Sunday school at 1:45 p. m.  
Services on Friday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. Well from Minneapolis.

**NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
New London: The confirmation class will meet Saturday at 9 a. m. Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Services at 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. John A. Anderson will be in all the three churches and preach today after the sermon he will present the temperance situation.  
Nordland: The confirmation class will meet Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Services Sunday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock.

**Gausdahl: Services in the afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.**

**LEBANON LUTHERAN CHURCH.**  
Rev. A. F. Almer, pastor.  
Communion services next Sunday at 11 a. m.  
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.  
Vesper services using the American language at 8 p. m.  
Bible study class Tuesday evening at the Lutheran League Hall.  
Friday afternoon board of deacons meet at the parsonage at 4 p. m.  
Confirmation class next Saturday at 10 a. m.

**Foot Injured in Yards.**  
P. J. Conway was hurt while switching in the Great Northern yards Wednesday morning of last week. His injury was attended to at the Rest Hospital, where it was found that one of the bones in his foot was broken.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

For the sympathy and help given us during the sickness and after the death of our dear wife, daughter and sister, we wish to express our sincere thanks. Also did we appreciate the flowers.  
Irving Forsberg  
Mr. and Mrs. Howell  
and family.

**Long Lake Ladies Aid.**  
The Long Lake Ladies Aid will meet next Friday afternoon in the church annex and will be entertained by Mrs. Selma Larson. Everybody welcome.

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