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HANSKOM BURIAL  
IMPRESSIVE EVENTRemains of Fallen Hero Paid Deep  
Respect of Community  
Saturday

The military burial of Austin Hanscom, fallen world war hero whose remains were received here Friday, was held last Saturday afternoon. The rites were conducted on the Court-house grounds and at the place of interment in Fairview Cemetery.

The exercises were held under the supervision of the local American Legion Post which bears the name of the departed comrade. The military escort assembled at the Andrew Peterson undertaking parlors at 2 p. m. and in a solemn procession slowly marched to the place of services at the courthouse.

The Willmar Municipal Band, directed by Clarence Granoski, headed the procession. The band rendered



Lieut. Austin F. Hanscom

Chopin's funeral march. The color bearer and escort was the next element. Arthur Swenson carried the Stars and Stripes, Norman Tallackson the American Legion Post banner while both standards were escorted by Henry Moe and Orlean Christian, shouldering rifles. Following came the firing squad composed of ex-service men in complete uniform and wearing helmets. Those composing the squad were: Ingolf Johnson, Sigurd Nelson, Robert Johnson, Oscar Pearson, Raleigh Erickson, Roy Christian, Harry Anderson, Edwin Olson, Louis Halvorson, Chester Calliford, Elmond Nelson, Arthur Hanson and George Brogren. Capt. H. Young commanded the squad. A motor car containing Rev. J. R. McCullough of the local Presbyterian church followed.

The bereaved and sorrowing family came next in a car. The cortege bearing the oak casket and overlaid with an American flag was drawn by three pair of black horses covered with black fly nets. An ex-service man held each horse in check and also served as an escort to the cortege. Philip H. Haley donated the black horses.

A very touching portion of the procession was the riderless horse. A brown horse with saddle strapped and officer's boots hung from the saddle horn spoke eloquently of the missing. Next followed a body of ex-service men, Spanish-American war veterans and the Auxiliary.

The casket was borne on the shoulders of eight ex-service men from the cortege to a place in front of the speaking pavilion on the courthouse grounds. These men were: Sophus Larsen, Herbert Hengstler, Dr. A. F. Branton, Archie Carlson, Horace Spencer, Fred Smith, Otto Osmundson and A. O. Nordstrom.

Here the following program was rendered: Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. McCullough.

Quartet, "Rock of Ages," Emil C. Lundquist, Sophus Larsen, Robert Johnson and Oscar Augustson. Sermon, Text chosen from Job, 15:13 by Rev. McCullough.

Ladies Quartet, "Beautiful Isles of Somewhere," Misses Nellie Noren, Ida Sanderson, Barbara Williams and Myra Ruddy.

Male quartet, "Abide With Me." After the services the procession formed and by march proceeded to Fairview cemetery where brief services were held. Rev. McCullough

read a brief extract followed by a beautiful song by the ladies quartet.

The firing squad then fired three volleys over the grave when the casket had been lowered into its fold. A large stream of autos had arrived at the cemetery before the procession entered the gates.

The entire ceremony and rites done in honor of the dead were carefully planned and carried out. It was truly a very impressive occasion.

## HOLD-UP AT KERKHOVEN

E. E. Swenson, one of the barbers of Kerkhoven, was held up last Thursday evening while going home from the shop. The bandit was unarmed and Mr. Swenson tussled with him so he struck him down. Mr. Swenson did not lose any money but lost his collar and tie in the struggle. This is the first hold up reported in Kerkhoven this summer.

## ATTENDED ST. CLOUD WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Tallman and daughter Esther attended the wedding of Miss Lois Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Whitney of St. Cloud, and Donald Irving Perry of Newburyport, Mass., at St. Cloud last Monday. Miss Esther Tallman was one of the bridesmaids.

AUTO COLLISION  
NORTH OF SPICERPaynesville and Grove City People  
Figure in Motor Car Crash  
Sunday

Last Sunday forenoon about 11:00 o'clock occurred an auto collision near Spicer which nearly proved fatal. A party of seven persons, Anson Evans, Harry Earle, Arleigh Behr, Robert Johnson, Clifford Lattoral, Carl Van Vorst and Herbert Stinton, of Paynesville collided with a car driven by N. O. Larson of Grove City.

The collision occurred near the brick cottage a short distance north of Spicer. The Grove City party was driving an Overland on the wrong side of the road and did not notice any car coming before he was close to the Paynesville party. They both turned to the same side of the road resulting in the collision.

The Paynesville party was enroute to Spicer to play golf. They were riding in a Chalmers car owned by Anson Evans of the North American Storage. The driver, Harry Earle, sustained a broken nose, Anson Evans received a bad cut on his neck and had two fingers on his right hand badly injured. The others were also more or less bruised. The injuries were dressed by Dr. Harlowe Hanson of the Sunnyside Hospital at New London.

Both cars were badly damaged and the engine of the Overland was forced back under the front seat of the car.

## TO BEGIN WORK

Miss Inga Imsdahl our county nurse will begin her work among the schools of the county in the very near future. She returned today from the State Fair. She recovered just recently from a several weeks illness.

## ATTENDING ST. CLOUD NORMAL

Misses Anna Overgaard, Eleanor De La Hunt, Ruth Kendall, Bernice Benson and Lilly Lindberg left Monday for St. Cloud where they will attend the Normal.

## ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lundberg of Salem entertained at dinner a week ago Sunday. About thirty guests were present. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Lundberg's parents and sister. Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Osmund and children, Mr. and Mrs. Al. M. Olsen of Willmar, Miss Doris Wolf of Benson, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lundberg of Eggleson and Miss Nan Lundberg of Minneapolis.

## LEFT FOR EMERSON, NEBRASKA

Mrs. S. Weland left this afternoon for Emerson, Neb., where she will make her home.

## LEFT FOR WESTERN TRIP

Miss Alice Lundquist left Tuesday morning for a three weeks trip to the twin cities and thru the states of North and South Dakota, Montana and Utah.

## A CORRECTION

In last week's paper it should have read that Mrs. Wm. Hackett, instead of Mrs. Walter Hackett, and Mrs. J. J. Barrett entertained in honor of Miss Marjorie Daugherty, a bride of this month.

BARN AND SILO  
BURN TO GROUNDLars Hatlestad of Colfax Suffers  
Big Loss in Blaze  
Sunday

The barn and silo on the Lars Hatlestad farm in Colfax township were totally destroyed by fire last Sunday morning. The family was sleeping when fire broke out. A daughter, Miss Myrtle Hatlestad, heard a strange noise between 5 and 6 o'clock and on looking out thru the window noticed the flames shooting out thru the roof on the west side of the barn.

Besides the barn and silo about 25 and 30 tons of hay was destroyed and also some equipment. All the livestock was out of the barn at the time of the fire. \$1200 insurance in the American and Lake Andrew Insurance Co. was carried on the buildings.

The dimensions of the barn were 32 by 42 feet and was built seven years ago. Eight years ago Mr. Hatlestad lost a barn by lightning. The silo was built three years ago but blew down this summer so it was being rebuilt at the time of the fire. The silo was 20 feet high with ten feet more to be added.

Mr. Hatlestad will not rebuild until next spring. The structure which was just destroyed had a stone basement and with this a temporary barn will be made for the winter housing of his livestock.

The origin of the fire is unknown but Mr. Hatlestad believes somebody had been sleeping in the barn during the night and was the direct cause of fire.

WILLMAR TO CLOSE  
SEASON NEXT SUNDAY

The Willmar Athletic association will close the base ball season next Sunday with a game with Litchfield. Before the game there will be field day doings. This will start at two p. m. and will continue until 3 p. m. when the game will be called. The field day doings will include long distance hitting and throwing the ball, circling the bases and various other athletic doings. There will be five or six prizes to compete for.

## SURPRISE PARTY

Last Friday evening Miss Geraldine Haley was very pleasantly and completely surprised at her home by the invasion of a jolly group of young friends and members of the High school class of '17 who came to extend their hearty congratulations and best wishes and also presented a beautiful cake to Miss Geraldine who will leave next week for France to continue her studies. The visitors also brought well filled baskets of delicious refreshments and a most delightful evening followed.

## DELEGATES TO ST. PAUL

Among the delegates from the Baptist church to attend the 50th anniversary of the Bethel Theological Seminary in connection with the 67th annual conference which will be held at St. Paul Sept. 12 to 19th are Rev. E. A. Lagerstrom, E. A. Peterson, D. T. Carlson, Ruth Carlson, Mrs. Renu Swenson and Esther Swenson. Rev. Lagerstrom leaves early Monday morning for St. Paul to attend the General Board of Trustees.

## WILL PLAY AT HERMAN

The Willmar Municipal Band will play four days at the Grant County fair which will be held at Herman next week. The band is scheduled to play from Monday to Thursday inclusive.

The Willmar Band will then come home to play on Friday and Saturday at the Kandiyohi County Fair.

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. E. F. Burns pleasantly surprised her last Wednesday evening at her home to remind her of her birthday. A handsome cut glass dish was presented to Mrs. Burns with the good wishes of her friends. Lunch was served at a late hour.

## SERVICES TOMORROW EVENING

Rev. C. Adolph Anderson, formerly pastor of Colfax, but now of Seattle, Wash., will preach at the Baptist church tomorrow evening (Thursday). He is enroute from Seattle to St. Paul to attend the 50th Jubilee of the Bethel Theological Seminary.

## LAKE LILLIAN VS. OLIVIA

The Lake Lillian team will play the Olivia base ball nine at Kandiyohi Beach next Sunday at 3 p. m.

RED CROSS MEETING  
Delegates to National Convention  
To Be Chosen Monday  
Afternoon

The Kandiyohi County Red Cross will hold an important business meeting Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the office of County Nurse Miss Imsdahl at the Courthouse. All branch officers are requested to be present. Delegates to be elected to the national convention to be held in the near future at Columbus, Ohio.

## WON STATE PRIZE

Maynard Linn Writes Best Essay  
In State on Anti-Tobacco  
Topic

Maynard Linn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Linn of Lake Lillian and this year a Junior in the local high school was awarded recently first honors in the state contest conducted among the schools in the state. The topic upon which the students wrote was tobacco and its harmful effects. Maynard won out in the local contest and his essay was sent to the state. The essay has now been sent to the national contest where a prize of \$20 will be given. The contest was conducted by the W. C. T. U.

ST. AGNES GUILD  
AT THE CARLSON HOME

The first meeting of the season of the St. Agnes Guild of the St. Lukes parish will be held at the home of Mrs. Archie Carlson, 324 Seventh St. North Monday evening, Sept. 12th. All members are urged to be present.

11 NEW TEACHERS  
IN SCHOOL SYSTEMTwo High Schools Opened With  
Largest Enrollment On  
Record

The 1921-22 school term for the schools of Willmar opened yesterday with the largest enrollment on record in both the Junior and Senior High Schools and with large attendances at all the grade schools. All ward schools are normal with the exception of the Central school where some grades are greatly enlarged. This points to the fact, says Supt. Brohaugh, that the school system will at once appreciate the need of a new and large school building to replace the present Lincoln building. This building would adequately take care of the overflow at the Central building.

All seats in the Junior High School are occupied altho extra seats were placed in the auditorium during the summer. In the Senior auditorium every seat is taken while in many cases two are sharing one seat.

The Senior auditorium seats 269 and the Junior seats 336.

The Normal department has its largest enrollment for many years. It registered twelve students.

The Commercial course is at a premium. Only a limited number have been allowed to take this course.

The Latin course has a larger enrollment than the previous year.

The school system engages a corps of 47 teachers. Of this corps only 10 have failed to return. Five of these are found in the Junior and Senior High Schools. The corps is now filled and Supt. Brohaugh has expressed himself as greatly gratified with the calibre of his associates.

The teachers who failed to return this year are: Miss Hilstad of the Lincoln building, Miss Palm of the Lafayette school, Miss Korthe of the Garfield building, Miss Hippo of the Central school, Miss Peterson of the Senior High, Miss Redding of the Senior High, Miss Murphy of the Junior High, Miss Miller of the Junior High and Miss Soldahl of the Central school.

Miss Marion Gratz will be absent for the first two weeks of school. Her place in the Senior High School will be filled by Miss Geraldine Haley.

Miss Nellie Robbins instructor in music is ill at present and will not be able to take up her music department for a few days.

The schools of the city will close on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and all day Friday so that the children may attend the County Fair.

Several departments of the High School are planning exhibits at the Fair.

NEW LONDON MEN  
HOLD-UP VICTIMS\$20 Relinquished To Bandits Near  
Eagle Lake Sunday  
Evening

A. S. Rapp and Everett Johnson, both of New London village, were the victims of a hold-up while enroute by car to Willmar last Sunday evening. Mr. Rapp was relieved of twenty dollars and a snuff box, while Mr. Johnson had only fifteen cents in his pocket which they fired back at him.

The hold-up took place at the time they were about to cross the first bridge by Eagle Lake coming from the North. It happened about eleven o'clock when they were enroute to Willmar, where Mr. Rapp was called to visit a niece, Mrs. Blom, who was seriously ill. Mr. Johnson was driving the Ford car. The bandits had a large Buick and had the car standing in such a position on the road that the New London party was forced to stop. When they stopped two young amateur bandits had each a gun which they thrust into the ribs of their victims and demanded their money.

Mr. Rapp had also seven dollars in his upper pocket of his coat which was however overlooked by the hold-up men.

## APPOINTED MATRON

Mrs. Alton Crosby To Fill Position  
Of Matron at Young Ladies  
Hall

Mrs. Alton Crosby on Sept. 15 will assume the position as matron at Bishop Gilbert hall for young ladies at Minneapolis following an appointment recently received. Twenty-four girls are registered at the hall.

Mrs. Crosby succeeds Mrs. F. H. Oebler who has been commissioned by the Government to teach and work in government hospital containing disabled and sick service men.

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Wallace Paulson was the victim of a birthday surprise last Tuesday evening when a group of his friends walked in upon him. The evening was spent in games and a good time was reported by all. A delicious lunch was served. Before leaving the group presented Wallace with a purse of money as a remembrance of the occasion.

## ENTERTAINS FOR HOUSE GUEST

Miss Geraldine Haley was a delightful hostess at a six o'clock dinner given at her home last Monday of last week in compliment to her college friend and classmate, Miss Helen Heffernan of Williston, N. D. Covers were placed for ten, a basket of pink asters and ferns forming the table decoration. Jardiniers of garden flowers were artistically used through the rooms and a jolly evening of music and song completed the enjoyment of the occasion.

## THE LAST BAND CONCERT

Director Granoski of the Willmar Municipal Band has announced that the open air band concert at the Courthouse tomorrow night will be the last one of the season. The band will then go into training for the big indoor concerts of the winter season.

## PARCEL SHOWER

Saturday afternoon Mrs. Elmer Bjork, Mrs. E. Lind and Miss L. Rykken entertained at a parcel shower at the former's home on Gorton ave. in honor of their sister, Miss Selma Netland, a bride of this month.

## MOTORED TO OLIVIA

Last Sunday, Mrs. Otto Olson, Mrs. I. Netland, Selma and Thora Netland, Ida Dahlman, Henry Nelson, Hahn Fladbo, Henry and Otto Netland motored to Olivia where they were entertained at the Frank and Willis Lundquist homes.

## MOTORED TO ST. PETER

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wahlstrand, Harry Wahlstrand, Mr. and Mrs. Low is Johnson and daughter Pearl and Mr. and Mrs. G. Hegness and son Russell of this city and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sorenson and daughter motored to St. Peter last Sunday.

## ALL DAY PICNIC

The East Norway Lake Ladies Aid will have an all-day picnic at the East Norway Lake church Sunday, Sept. 11. Services will be conducted by Rev. Njels in the afternoon. Lunch and ice cream will be served.

BACK FROM EXTENDED  
AUTO TRIP TO WISCONSIN

Ludwig Ellefson and family recently returned from an extended auto trip to Wittenberg, Wis. They also visited at St. Paul, River Falls and Chippewa Falls, Wis. The tourists on their way back were accompanied by Rev. T. Rykken and the Carl Jacobson family. The latter became very much interested in the development in this part of the state and while here purchased a farm of 240 acres 4 1/2 miles southwest of Willmar. This farm was formerly owned by Mr. Winters.

## LARGE PRACTICE TURNOUT

Forty Aspirants To Gridiron Eleven  
Came Out Tuesday at  
W. H. S.

A noisy troop of forty or more contestants for berths on the 1921 Willmar High School eleven came out for the first practice and talk with Coach Jim Trebilcock Tuesday at 4 o'clock. Among them were eight of last year's letter men who will form the nucleus of this year's lineup. They are Hahn, Sandin, Grace, Johnson, Westgaard, Benson, Ives and Dale. The team lost Hegness and Wetherby. Hegness has gone to Gustavus Adolphus College and Wetherby is also attending college.

FIFTY ENTRIES IN  
FAIR HORSE RACESTwenty-five Horses Entered in Six  
Track Races at County  
Fair

Twenty-five horses, conceded to be the best in this county and neighboring territory will participate in the six track races at the County Fair which opens next Wednesday and concludes on Saturday. Purses totalling \$1250 are being held up for the winners.

In the 2:20 class a purse of \$250 is offered. The following men have entered their horses: W. H. Follette of Atwater, Murray and Wanner of Willmar, Ed Wanner, Willmar, Johnson Bros. of Atwater and Balder Platen of Atwater.

In the running race for which \$100 is given in prizes the following men will enter horses: Clarence Zemer and Elmer Galow of Renville, Harold and Leonard Hoon of Willmar, E. Lane and J. Hill of Raymond, G. W. Wilness of Willmar, P. B. Olson of Grove City and John Skalerud.

In the 3 minute class \$200 is the purses. Those entered: W. H. Lester, W. H. Follette, Ed Wanner, Wilness & Son, A. M. Endersbe of Willmar, J. S. Anderson and Johnson Bros. of Atwater.

\$250 in prizes will be awarded in the second 2:20 race. Entries: W. H. Follette, P. B. Olson of Grove City, Murray and Wanner, Balder Platen, Johnson Bros., Theo. Hull of Raymond, G. McKolson of Clark, S. D. and C. B. Ganger of Fargo, N. D.

The Free-for-All race has a purse of \$250. Entries: W. H. Follette, P. B. Olson, Ed Wanner, Balder Platen, Johnson Bros., Theo. Hull, G. McKolson and C. B. Ganger.

In the 2:30 class \$200 will be awarded the winners. Participants: W. H. Lester, W. H. Follette, Wanner and Son, A. M. Endersbe, J. S. Anderson and Johnson Bros.

## LEFT FOR SIOUX FALLS

Mrs. J. D. Parnell left Tuesday for Sioux Falls, S. D., where she will spend ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Emery Parnell, who have just returned from a chautauqua tour of the Eastern States. The Parnells will leave Sioux Falls for Seattle, Wash.

## NOTICE TO EX-SERVICE MEN

All World War men not having received satisfactory adjustment for claims for disability and compensation should send their names at once to Atty. H. G. Young so expenses can be arranged for to appear before the Board at St. Cloud October 7-9th.

## METHODIST BROTHERHOOD

The Methodist Brotherhood and their ladies will meet Monday evening, Sept. 12, at the home of H. S. Palmer, 519 Fourth St. East.

## BABY DIES

The daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lambert on August 31 died when two days old.

THOUSANDS HERE  
ON LABOR DAYSecond Annual Public Observance  
at Willmar A Notable  
Success

Labor Day was fittingly observed at Willmar. A tremendous crowd of visitors filled the downtown districts, being constantly augmented throughout the day until at night every available space was thronged with parked cars. The program was carried out as advertised and everybody seemed to have a good time.

The doings of the day began with the parade which started from the courthouse square at eleven o'clock. There was a good representation of organized labor in line. First came the city police.

The color bearer, Ole Teigan, was escorted by two ex-service men. Harry Anderson and Albert F. Garwell, in full uniform.

Then came the Willmar Municipal Band in their snappy new blue uniforms.

Mayor V. E. Lawson and Hon. Charles Johnson, the speaker of the Day, headed the procession of union men. The first contingent was a body of the men of the Brotherhood of Railway Car men about sixty strong, carrying flags. The Carpenters and Joiners had a good representation of their membership. The Typographical Union was next with a standard. The Boilermakers and Helpers came next, followed by the Machinists Association. The Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers had fourteen men in line. The Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship clerks, freight and express handlers made a good showing with an attractive banner.

Representatives of the Brotherhoods of Trainmen, Firemen, Engineers, Conductors and Brakemen made up the last contingent in the marching column, which extended about three blocks.

Following the marchers were a number of private cars. Of the business firms of the city, H. B. Lidstone of the Men's Clothes Shop and the Majestic Theatre were on hand with decorated cars.

The line of march was west to Sixth, North to Pacific, East to Third St., South to Litchfield, West to Fourth and North to the speaking platform and flag pole.

Representatives of seventeen crafts occupied seats on the platform. Mayor Lawson made a few preliminary remarks and introduced County Attorney Charles Johnson who made the address of the day. He interpreted the significance of the occasion, defined Labor Day and what it stands for in an unmistakable manner. He drew generous applause from the crowd.

At one o'clock the afternoon program began. The Band was generous and gave splendid music during the day. Director Clarence Granoski and his players drew many commendations for the splendid quality of the music they furnished. The vaudeville performers were good.

Street sport among the "kids" began at 3:30. There were 8 contests. In the boys pie eating contest Sidney Burnevick won first and \$1; Gordon Broman second and 75c and Clarence Johnson third and 50c. In the girls pie eating contest Frances Holmquist won first and \$1, Alice Olson second and 75c and Myrtle Hallin third and 50c.

Two foot races for boys were held. In the first race Nell Le Sage won first and \$1, Everett Vall second and 75c and Russell Soderling third and 50c. In the second race Robert Campbell won first and \$1, Clifford Johnson second and 75c, and Alvin Holmberg and Clifford Westgaard tied for third and equal division of the 50c prize.

In the girls foot race the results were first and \$1 to Gladys Anderson, second and 75c to Luella Magnuson and third and 50c equally divided between Laura Rudelson and Sena Lee who were tied.

Three three-legged races were held. In the girls race Addie DeLaHunt and Lorraine Ackerman won first each receiving 75c; Inge Peterson and Gladys Anderson won second and each was given 50c; and the third prize of 25c each was won by Stella Berklund and Dagmar Omlie.

Results of the two boys three-legged races. First, Robert Campbell and Clifford Westgaard won first and 75c each; Clifford Johnson and Alvin Holmberg won second and 50c each, and Ailer Rasmussen and Arnold Holt