

given this matter due consideration and their investigation shows that if all roads were assessed and taxed as other property they would be required to pay \$1,340,500.87 more than the 4 per cent gross earnings tax amounts to at the present time. In order to obtain this amount on the gross earnings basis it would be necessary to raise the rate from 4 to 5.44 per cent. The voter is therefore justified in voting "Yes" on the proposed raise without laying himself liable to the accusation of being unfair to the railroads.

THIRD AMENDMENT.

Amendment No. 3 provides for the loaning of funds from the state school and university fund on real estate first mortgages to the extent of 30 per cent of the valuation of real estate.

FOURTH AMENDMENT.

Amendment No. 4 provides for the adoption of a commission form of government for cities and villages. The city of Mankato has now such a form of government, a commission of five persons having charge of all municipal affairs, and appointing all the other city officials. The amendment permits any city or village to adopt this form of government, but it is optional with the voters and no city need adopt it unless they want to.

FIFTH AMENDMENT.

Amendment No. 5 proposes in addition to other requirements now in force that persons seeking the office of county superintendent of schools be required to present educational and professional requirements.

SIXTH AMENDMENT.

The sixth amendment is in our opinion a very important one. It is the amendment relating to the election of state senators, limiting the number of members to 63 for the state and not exceeding seven members for any one county.

The object of the proposed law is to elect our state senate, as near as possible, upon the same basis as we elect the national senate and thus make it impossible for a few large cities to get absolute control of this branch of the lawmaking body. There is nothing unfair in the proposition. It does not in the slightest manner affect the apportionment of the House members, and that is practically conceding control of the House to the cities of Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth. There is nothing new about this proposition either. Already many other states have similar limitations, among them New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Massachusetts and Texas. If New York City, for instance, were permitted to elect its state senators upon a population basis it would easily control that body by a good sized majority. In New Jersey one senator is allowed for each city or town, regardless of size.

The object aimed at by this amendment, is to prevent the aforesaid three large cities of this state from getting control of both branches of the state legislature. Do not fail to vote "Yes" on this amendment.

Mrs. Peter Holan, 1150 Buckeye Rd. Cleveland, O., says: "Yes, indeed I can recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. My little boy had a bad case of whooping cough, some times he was blue in the face. I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and it had a remarkable effect and cured him in a short time." Contains no harmful drugs. O. M. Olsen.

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He was introduced by Rev. Mamer formerly of Searles. The Mayor spoke of the early history of New Ulm, the catastrophes that it had suffered and how it had emerged from them all, stronger than before. He paid a glowing tribute to the sisters of the hospital for their untiring efforts in relieving the sufferings of mankind. The sisters were present, mute witnesses to the grand work that they have accomplished. The speaker expressed the hope that the new hospital would prove a boon to suffering humanity. Rev. Schott then stepped forward and thanked the audience on behalf of the sisters and himself for their kind attendance. This concluded the official program of the exercises which had occupied an hour and a half.

The building is a beautiful one. It will be of fireproof construction throughout and will cost more than \$70,000. When finished it will be an object of pride not only to the church organization but to all citizens who like to see improvements made for the betterment of living conditions in our city.

Dr. and Mrs. Rieke had the Strelbel family of Henderson as guests over Sunday.

W. B. Greig is showing a clever window this week illustrating what can be bought for the difference in price between a pair of Wear-U-Well Shoes and a pair of any other of the standard priced shoes. He figures the difference at \$1.02 per pair and his window shows half a bushel of potatoes costing 17c, a pound of coffee at 35c, 8 eggs at 15c, 3 1/2 pounds of sugar at 25c and two loaves of bread at 10c, making a total of \$1.02. The window pictures graphically one way of reducing the high cost of living.



Solitude in Luxury

is often the lot of many ladies who must have something to cheer their leisure hours while their lords are absent. There is nothing that will bring so much enjoyment to those who love companionship like a good piano like the Ellington. If you cannot afford to pay at once we will sell on the easy payment plan, and at a reasonable price.

**W. J. Winkelmann's
MUSIC HALL**
KIESLING BLOCK - NEW ULM

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solemnized at the Lutheran Church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. C. J. Albrecht officiating. The groom was attended by Otto Prah and Henry Fluegge and the Misses Edna Prah and Minnie Ulrich acted as bridesmaids. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Prah, residing on North German Street, and at their home a reception was tendered the young couple and a sumptuous wedding dinner was served to the bridal party, near relatives and intimate friends. The groom resides in Brighton, Nicollet County and came to this country from Germany only a few years ago. He has rented a farm in the Town of Brighton, where he and Mrs. Budensick immediately went to housekeeping. The best wishes of their friends accompany them.

The marriage of Frank Lilla of North Dakota and Miss Anna Sellner of Albin, was solemnized at St. Mary's church, Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, by Rev. Stulz. Henry Lilla of Comfrey and Miss Ida Sellner, accompanied the young couple to the altar. After the ceremony the newly-wedded couple were taken to the home of the bride's parents where a reception was given them. The groom is a son of John Lilla, of North Dakota and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sellner of Albin, old and respected residents of this county. Both are estimable young people with many friends who wish them well. They will make their home on the Wm. Carpenter farm in Leavenworth, recently purchased by the groom.—Sleepy Eye Herald Dispatch.

* A demonstrator will be at our store next week to show you the latest in a malleable range with an adjustable grate. Do not miss the opportunity. NEW ULM HARDWARE CO.

Socialist Lecture

The socialist lecture at Schell's hall last Wednesday evening was very well attended, every available space being occupied by an audience composed of persons who appeared sincerely desirous of getting a better understanding of the principles of the party whose influence is being felt more and more as the unrest of the masses grows. Among those present were not only advocates of the socialist ideas, but members of the old line republican and democratic parties, progressives and those not affiliated with any party.

The speaker scheduled, Janet Fenimore Korngold, was not able to be present on account of a serious illness and her place was filled by Miss Florence Wattles of Indiana. Miss Wattles is a slight, girlish-looking young woman; she hasn't in any way the appearance of a political agitator but when she speaks her voice shows that it has been developed in the school of socialist oratory. It was too large a voice for the size of the hall, better fitted for outdoor speaking, altho at times, in her most intense moments she dropped to a conversational tone that was peculiarly effective and brought out her telling points much more noticeably than a high pitched tone would have done.

Miss Wattles spoke humorously of the fact that in politics as in many other lines, all that a woman can do is to talk, but that they do it to good effect. Her entire subject dealt with the discontent of the present day which shows there is something radically wrong with the country. She showed how each of the political parties has its own idea as to the cause of the evils existing, and each likewise has its own remedy. She pictured the misery of the poor, the wretchedness of the man whose family is only a few days from actual want and the degradation of the working class in its struggle for bread. She showed the part women have had to play in economic conditions. Monopolies have forced the price of life's necessities so high that women are driven out of their homes to make their living. They work cheap—and in the great cities employers deliberately pay starvation wages and expect their female employees to add to their scanty pay by traffic in sex. The low wages of women keep men's wages down and boost the profits of monopolies until eventually if there is no change they will come to own the entire means of production. The speaker showed that in every city and village in the country are the establishments, the stores and united factories and drug companies that are links in the chain of monopoly that stretches out from the offices of Morgan and Rockefeller. She also named the various stores in our city which are a part of these great systems, and asserted that unless people are awakened soon these two combinations will control all the necessities of life. Her next step was to analyze the attempts that have been made to control these monopolies through regulation and restraint and showed how failure to do this has resulted in greater good for the monopolies. The socialist remedy of buying out the monopolies and turning them over to the people to control was next explained and the lecture closed with a humorous analysis of the platforms of the republican, the democratic and the progressive parties which made them look like three twins and an invitation was extended to join the socialists because their platform is the only one that promises any relief from existing evils.

Just received a carload of fancy winter apples at \$2.75 per bbl. Delivery made to any part of city. Stork Bros.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. N. Henningsen and Mrs. E. Follmann autoed to the Cities Sunday for a few days visit.

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal Church will meet with Mrs. Jos. Arbes next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Irma Monson returned Monday from an extended stay in St. Paul where she has been studying china painting.

A large number of Madelia autoists passed thru New Ulm last Friday on a short tour thru this section. The day was ideal for their run.

G. A. Ottomeyer has some beautiful suitings displayed in one of his windows. It is about time to look for the holiday displays. Xmas is not two months away. Have you done any shopping yet?

Mrs. Fred Seiter and little daughter Allie left Friday for Chicago and Bedford, Indiana, where they will visit with the Fuerst families. Mrs. Seiter also expected to visit with her son Kasson. They will probably be gone till Xmas.

The new theater being erected by the English Brothers is rapidly nearing completion. It will be a very pretty little play house and is planned with a view to absolute safety of the patrons. Watch our paper next week for a full description of the building and the plan of operation. Also for dates of the grand opening which will occur early in November.

FOR SALE—Three quarter bred Brown Swiss bull-calf, month old. Mother is a high bred Holstein and Brown Swiss; a splendid milker. Str is a registered full blood Brown Swiss owned by Frank Boetger of Milford. Any one interested kindly direct communications to L. V. ALWIN, Waldheim, New Ulm, or call 507.

The first literary program of the High School year was given at the auditorium last Friday afternoon and proved very enjoyable. A full account of the program as rendered will be given in next week's issue with some of the original essays and debate speeches. The Thalian Society won the three points on debate and gained two other points. The Athenas were awarded only one point, that being on the recitation by Alice Iergang. Lack of space forbids a detailed account this week.

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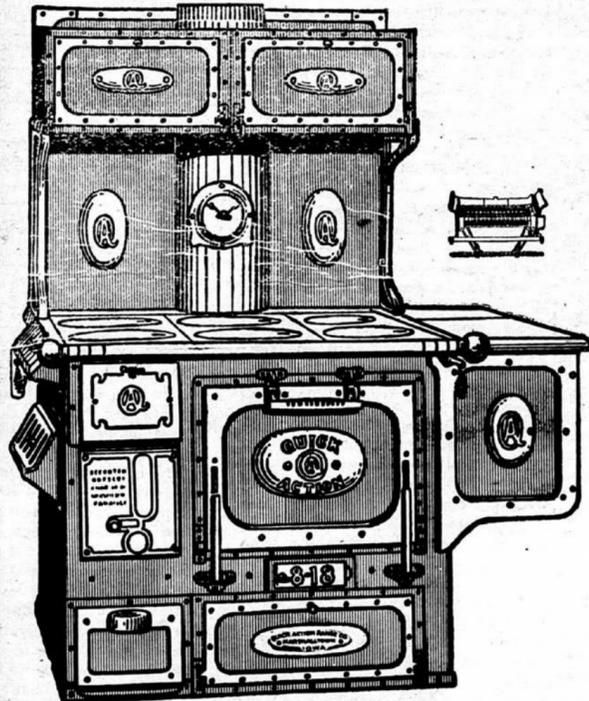


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Of all the unhappy homes, not one in a hundred has a bank account and not one home in a hundred that has a bank account is unhappy. It seems almost foolish to put it off any longer, when it is such a simple, easy matter to start a bank account.

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