

OBITUARY

Death came as a relief to Mrs. Joseph Lindmeyer who passed away at her home on South Front Street Saturday morning. She had been a patient sufferer with rheumatism and the complications that go with it for the past ten years and during the whole of that time she has had the best of care and attention from her daughter who is still at home and also from the other daughters who live in the city.

The deceased whose maiden name was Ursula Fleischmann was born in Bohemia Feb. 25, 1848 and was consequently nearly 70 years old when she died. She married her surviving husband in the old country and in 1883 they came to America and directly to New Ulm and have made this city their home ever since. She is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. George Peuser, Mrs. Otto Schneider, Mrs. Wenzel Sandhoefer, and Miss Alma Lindmeyer of New Ulm; Joseph Lindmeyer and Mrs. Anna Postablos of Minneapolis; Herman and Louis Lindmeyer of St. Paul and Mrs. John Siebenbrunner of Mankato. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from the Catholic Church, Rev. Schlinkert officiating.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jake Mueller of North German Street, occurred the death of Mrs. Margaret Schweiss aged nearly 72 years Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Death was due to dropsy with which she had been suffering for a long time.

The deceased whose maiden name was Katherina Holm, was born in the neighboring Town of Sigel August 4, 1858 and was therefore only 55 years old when she answered Death's summons. She grew to womanhood in the Town of Sigel and on June 30, 1891 she was united in marriage to Anton Zeig, her surviving husband. Until the year 1904 they lived on a farm in the Town of Lake Hanska and from that time and until four months ago, they resided on the "Pioneer Farm" in the Town of Milford. Since then they have made New Ulm their home. Mrs. Zeig is survived by her husband and two daughters, Sophie, aged 20 years and Frances, aged 15 years. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Leitchuh of the Town of Sigel and a brother, John Holm, of the Town of Cottonwood. She was one of the pioneer residents of Brown County and had a large circle of friends and acquaintances. She was a devoted mother and esteemed and beloved by all who came into contact with her. At the time of her death she was a member of the Mother's Society of the Holy Trinity Church of this city. Funeral services will be conducted

o'clock. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at St. George.

Anthony Stemann died at his home 119 Fulton street Mankato at three o'clock Monday morning following an illness of almost a year with cancer of the stomach. Mr. Stemann was born forty-nine years ago in Indiana. When a child he moved with his parents to Chicago where he resided until 1902 when he and his family moved to New Ulm. About a year ago he bought out the blacksmith business formerly owned by Dougherty Brothers, but became ill a short time after moving to Mankato.

He is survived by his wife, whom he married in 1888, two sons and a daughter. His sons are Anthony of Chicago and Henry of Seattle and his daughter is Miss Amalia, who resides at home. Henry was also at home at the time of his father's death.

The funeral service will be held in St. Peter and Paul's Catholic church Mankato at nine o'clock this (Wednesday) morning and the burial will take place in Calvary cemetery. The Catholic Order of Foresters, of which he was a member, will assist in the service at the grave.

Mrs. Anton Zeig passed away at the Loretto Hospital Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. She became suddenly ill the week previous and her condition became so alarming that she was taken to the hospital and operated upon for gall stones last Tuesday. From the outset very little hope was entertained for her ultimate recovery and she died a few days after the operation.

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this (Wednesday) morning at ten o'clock from the Catholic Church, Rev. Schlinkert officiating. Her remains will be laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Martha McGowan, a pioneer resident of Hebron township, Nicollet county, died last Thursday of old age. She was born in Scotland 87 years ago and came to America when a girl of 20. She lived in Massachusetts at first, but in 1860 came to Minnesota with her first husband, Fred Clausen, locating at Birch Coulee.

It was at this place, during the Indian uprising of 1862, that Mr. Clausen was killed by the Indians, and Mrs. Clausen and her two small children were captured by Little Crow's band of Sioux, who kept her in captivity until soldiers rescued the white prisoners. Soon after this Mrs. Clausen was married to Duncan McGowan, who died several years ago. Two daughters survive her.

Hockey in High School

Not content to let the winter pass without some form of athletics, the New Ulm High School boys are now agitating a series of inter-class hockey games to take the place of the defunct basketball team. The movement crystallized in a mass meeting on the 7th of January which was attended by a large number of High School boys who enthusiastically approved of the plan. It was decided to hold a series of class meetings during the next week and attempt to organize a team from each class. This would permit a lively series of interclass games which ought to stimulate a wholesome class rivalry.

The game of hockey is played on the ice and thus has the advantage of being an open air game. It requires only a small area of ice and could be played either on the rink or upon the river. Only seven men are required for a team so it will be possible for each class to be represented in the tournament. Hockey is a game that calls for speed, nerve and endurance and, while it is not considered as dangerous as football, there is enough chance for bumps and sore shins to add zest and make it appeal to the wide-awake boy.

The Freshmen are the most aggressive in this attempt to start something and have already organized and commenced practice. The schedule of games will be arranged as soon as all the teams are organized and the standing of the team will be computed on a per centage basis of games won and lost as in a base-ball league.

(Continued from first page.) The request of Coroner G. F. Keinke that he be supplied with a Coroner's seal was granted and the proper officers were instructed to execute conveyance to Max Niklas for Sublot "A" of Outlots 408 and 409 upon being paid the sum of \$168.00.

The County Treasurer was directed to collect personal property taxes for two days at Sleepy Eye, two days at Springfield, and one day each at Comfrey, Hanska, Evan, Cobden and Esig, the dates to be fixed by him.

The Board went on record unanimously favoring a central hospital for taking care of dependent persons who are county charges and who are rendered helpless on account of old age or some other physical defect and in the resolution adopted favored using the inebriate hospital at Willmar for that purpose.

A contingent fund for the County Attorney's office was created by transferring the \$300 in the Co. Disinfection Fund, and the sum of \$100 was placed to the credit of the Overseer of the Poor Farm in the Citizens' State Bank to be used as a checking account for incidental expenses. The report of George Ross, Judge of Probate, was read and ordered filed and the financial statement of the County as prepared by the County Auditor was read, accepted and ordered published. The report of the Judge of Probate appears elsewhere in this issue.

The contractors for the two bridges to be constructed in the Town of Liden were given an extension of time to July 1, 1914 to complete their contract and the request of the Town of Leavenworth for aid in improving some of the Town roads was favorably considered and the Commissioner of said district is to work in conjunction with said Town Board.

A committee consisting of Com. Steinke and Erickson was appointed to procure plans and specifications from the State Highway Commission for a new bridge to be constructed in the Town of Stark, the old Windhorn bridge having been condemned.

Wednesday morning the Board examined and cancelled all orders paid from July 1st to Dec. 31st, both dates inclusive. The total orders aggregated \$127,655.18.

Com. Steinke reported that upon the recommendation of Engineer Robertson tile drains had been placed in State Road No. 2 at an estimated cost of \$81.66. This report was filed as was also the report of the proper committee having in charge the laying of tile drains on State Road No. 7.

Half of the expense amounting to \$297.75 was ordered paid out to the Co. Treasury.

Herman Dahl and Gudman Anderson, no one appearing in opposition thereto, were set off with their lands from School District No. 38 and attached to School District No. 7, and the respective orders were directed to be recorded in full.

The Poor Farm Committee is to examine into the offer of Herman Bentzin to exchange some of his land with County Poor Farm land.

Hecker Post G. A. R. was voted the sum of \$150.00 for a fitting observance of Memorial Day, B. Marschner and F. Grebe having appeared as a committee and requested it.

The request of the Brown County Farmer's Club presented by Carl Olstad for the appointment of a County Agricultural Agent was laid over until the next meeting.

The Engineer's report recommending the acceptance of the work done by contractor G. E. Gilbertson in the matter of the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 5 was accepted and the balance due amounting to \$2594.81 was ordered paid also, subject, however, to a personal inspection of the work by the County Board before the voucher is issued.

In compliance with the orders of the State Highway Commission limiting the State roads in Brown County to 122 miles, the Board adopted a resolution creating 10 state roads in all, giving the location of each. The first State Road is hereafter to be known as State Rural Highway No. 51.

By a unanimous vote the Board resolved to expend the sum of \$20,000 for the following state roads during the year 1914: State Road No. 2 \$2000; No. 3 \$1500; No. 4 \$1500; No. 5 \$8000; No. 6 \$1000; No. 7 \$1500; No. 8 \$2300; No. 9 \$1500 and No. 10 \$1000. Of this amount 20% is to be used for the maintenance of all roads and bridges and each Commissioner is to have full charge of the work to be done in his district.

The Sheriff's salary for the year 1914 was fixed at \$1500.00 a raise of \$100.00 the only vote against the raise being that of Com. Erickson.

Com. Polkow reported that Judge Olsen had filed a decision upholding the action of the County Board in the matter of the final payment to Chas. Newdall for the construction of Co. Ditch No. 16. The Board had decided to waive the penalty because the work was not completed within the time provided by the contract, and some of the tax payers especially interested took

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the matter into the District Court with the result that Judge Olsen decides that the board acted within its right in waiving the penalty. After allowing bills aggregating the sum of \$6712.48 the Board adjourned.

Plan Addition to Brickyards.

(Continued from first page.) allowed. Permission was given Messrs Becker, Bianchi and Ritschel to connect with a private water line on South State Street where they are each erecting dwellings. A petition of John Bentzin to have the city lighting system extended to his residence and mill two miles south of New Ulm was favorably received and passed upon. City Engineer Minium brought up the matter of the grading of the streets and presented his plans to the council but action was deferred till the members could make a personal inspection of the ground.

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Sale Ends Saturday, Jan. 17th

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Size from 32 to 46, values from \$10.00 to \$15.00, go at \$6.95.

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Sizes from 34 to 50, values from \$15 to \$18.00, go at \$9.95.

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Suit or Overcoat

Size from 35 to 48, values from \$18 to \$22.00, go at \$14.95.

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Odds and Ends Below Cost

It behooves you to come and convince yourself of the rare bargains we offer. It is difficult for us to quote you prices on everything, and difficult for you to judge the merchandise we offer at such a low price. You've got to see them. Therefore we will only mention a portion of them in the different departments, and we will leave it to you to be convinced in person as to our stock and low prices, that what we tell you is absolutely true. We know that some of these bargains will not last 24 hours, therefore join in with the first ones and get your share. Sale begins Wednesday, Jan. 7th and lasts for 10 days, ending Sat. Jan. 17th

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- 65c** Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1.00 value, go at..... **65c**
- 95c** Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1.50 value, go at..... **95c**
- \$1.45** Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, \$2.00 value, go at..... **\$1.45**
- \$1.95** Men's Pure Wool White Shirts and Drawers, \$2.75 value, go at..... **\$1.95**
- 65c** Men's Fleece Union Suits, \$1.00 value, go at..... **65c**
- 65c** Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits, \$1.00 value, go at..... **65c**
- \$1.95** Men's Wool Ribbed Union Suits, \$2.50 value, go at..... **\$1.95**
- 35c** Men's and Boys' Sweaters Reduced to **35c** and upward. **35c.**
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- 35c** Men's and Boys' Work Shirts **35c**
- 35c** Boys' Knee Pants 50 and 75c value **35c**
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