

CHAUTAQUA HERE WILL BEGIN TODAY

FIVE VIOLIN GIRLS BILLED FOR OPENING NUMBER THIS AFTERNOON.

SIX DAYS OF DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT AT THE NEW ULM ARMORY.

Today (Wednesday) marks the beginning of the Chautauqua at the New Ulm Armory. There will be six days of interesting, instructive and generally pleasant entertainment and the ideal weather conditions bode a large attendance. The opening number this afternoon will be the Five Violin Girls, with Hazel Beckwith, entertainer. The program will be a musical revue. This evening, the same group of lady entertainers will appear again and there will also be a lecture by Dr. William Rader on "Uncle Sam and American Ideals."

Tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon, Walter Eccles, the noted comedian, and George Townsend will hold the boards. Mr. Eccles enjoys quite a reputation as a laugh-producer, having appeared in various theatrical troupes as well as in vaudeville and on Lyceum circuits. For many years he has been a Chautauqua favorite.

The big attraction for tomorrow evening is Yutaki Minakuchi, a native of Japan, who will discourse on "The Border Land." Mr. Minakuchi has acquired a wide knowledge of affairs, for, after completing his education in his native land, he attended universities in Kentucky, North Carolina, Virginia and at Yale. Mr. Eccles will again entertain the audience during the evening program.

Globe-Trotter to Speak.
"Palms and Temples" is the topic on which Julian B. Arnold, famous globe-trotter and son of Sir Edwin Arnold, the author of "The Light of Asia," will speak, Friday afternoon. This lecturer has traveled through four continents and has resided in 25 different countries. Through his travels he has gained a vast storehouse of interesting and enlightening information.

The evening's entertainment will be the patriotic play, "Friendly Enemies."
Bohumir Kryl's Band.
Without a doubt the biggest feature of this year's Chautauqua will be the appearance in New Ulm of Bohumir Kryl and his famous band, Saturday afternoon and evening. Bohumir Kryl ranks among the five greatest band-masters in the world and he has surrounded himself with some of the best musicians obtainable. Their concerts are a treat that no one should miss.

Sunday Programs.
There will be two programs, Sunday, one during the afternoon and the other in the evening. The Premier Concert Co. will render music upon both occasions. The speaker for the evening is Hon. Leon Dabo, a member of the American Financial Mission to the Allies, who has chosen for his topic: "The World Conscience Today." Mr. Dabo is well versed in business matters and an able speaker.

Closing Day.
Next Monday, June 20, will mark the closing day of the local Chautauqua. The Black and White Minstrels are booked for the afternoon and evening programs. In addition, Frank Church, humorist, will present "How to Land on Both Feet," during the afternoon. There will be no lecture Monday evening, as the Minstrels will hold full sway.

The afternoon programs commence at 3 o'clock and the evening entertainments at 8 o'clock.

OFF FOR CAMP.

Company A, Fifth Minnesota Infantry, of this city, entered for camp early Saturday morning, leaving here at 3:57 for Mankato, where they boarded a special train for Camp Lorentz, Fort Snelling. The men reported in apple pie order and presented a husky appearance. The encampment will continue until Sunday, June 26, when our soldier boys will return home.

GRAPEFRUIT FOR BOYS.

The members of Co. A. enjoyed grapefruit for breakfast in camp at Fort Snelling, Sunday, made possible by a liberal donation of \$10 from Major Albert Pfander of this city. A "wireless" to the Review Monday stated that they enjoyed the treat very much and asked us to express their appreciation to the donor through the columns of this paper.

NEW HORSE AND CATTLE BARN AT FAIR GROUNDS

Auto Polo Will be One of the Big Features of This Year's County Exhibition.

A large barn, 74x116 feet in size, will be erected on the Fair Grounds in this city, this summer, to house the horses and cattle that will be exhibited at the Brown County Fair next fall. The contract for the construction work was let to Puhlmann Bros. of this city, at a recent meeting of the directors of the Brown County Agricultural Society, their bid of \$9,246 being the lowest of the six received. The five other proposals were as follows: Otto Tappe, \$9,340; Weilandt & Stegemann, \$9,400; Herman Koop & Son, \$9,450; Mueller & Son, \$9,972; and Kaiser & Keute \$10,277. The building will be constructed of cement blocks, similar in design and architecture to the poultry exhibition built on the local Fair Grounds two years ago. There will be four rows of stalls, with two alleys running the entire length of the building, the front elevation of which will be about 40 feet.

One of the big features of this year's Brown County Fair will be exhibitions of auto polo during the afternoon and evening performances. Eight men, working with four cars, specially constructed for the purpose, will stage these contests, which no doubt will be highly exciting.

YEARLING BEEVES IN GOOD DEMAND

INSUFFICIENT SUPPLY OF SUCH KIND COMING TO MEET LOCAL NEEDS.

HOGS STEADY FOR WEEK. MARKET ON SHEEP IS LOWER.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minnesota Department of Agriculture.)

MONDAY'S CLOSING.
Cattle 1,900. Market closing steady to weak. Top yearlings \$8.50, best heavy cattle \$8.00. Calves 800. Market steady, packer top \$8.50. Hogs 8,500. Market about 25c lower. Range \$6.50 to \$7.75. Bulk \$7.35 to \$7.65. Top pigs \$8.50. Sheep 700. Market about 50c lower.

South St. Paul, Minn., June 13, 1921: Yearling beefs weighing from 700 to 900 pounds are not coming to market at the present time in sufficient numbers to satisfy the local demand and are outselling heavy cattle of the same grade at least 50c per cwt. Load lots of this class of a good grade are slow sale at \$7.50 to an extreme top of \$8.00. Bulk of the beef steers are selling from \$7.00 to \$7.75 with only the commonest ones down to \$6.50 or slightly below. Dry fed butcher she stock continues scarce, top heifers of this class being quotable at \$8.00 or slightly better, and top cows around \$7.00, with the bulk selling under \$6.50. Grassy she stock is selling largely from \$4.00 to \$5.00 or slightly above. Canners and cutters are draggy and slow sale at \$1.50 to \$3.75. Bologna bulls go from \$3.25 to \$4.25. Top calves to packers sell for \$8.00, with seconds largely at \$5.00. Practically no good or choice stockers or feeders are coming, and common and medium grades are selling on a slow uneven market, prices ranging largely from \$4.50 to \$6.25.

The hog market is about steady with a week ago, range \$6.50 to \$7.75, bulk \$7.35 to \$7.65, top pigs \$8.50. Lambs opened lower, best spring lambs here Monday being a good grade that brought \$10.00, with top ewes at \$3.50.

GALBRAITH KILLED.

Colonel F. W. Galbraith, national commander of the American Legion, was instantly killed and two other officers of the organization were seriously injured, when an auto, in which they were driving, failed to negotiate a curve in the road and plunged down a 20-foot embankment at Indianapolis, Indiana, Wednesday. Colonel Galbraith's funeral, held in Cincinnati, O., Saturday afternoon, was simple but impressive, being witnessed by thousands of friends and fellow-members of the Legion, as well as high national, state and military personages.

Rev. C. J. Albrecht will leave for St. Paul, today, to consult a specialist relative to his impaired eyesight. Rev. Albrecht's many friends hope that he will soon be restored.

JOHNSON QUIET ON FLAX THEFT

YOUNG MAN, BROUGHT BACK BY DEPUTY SHERIFF, IS VERY RETICENT.

ATTORNEY WILL APPLY FOR RELEASE ON BAIL AT MARSHALL TODAY.

As predicted in last week's issue of the Review, Edward Johnson of Hector, indicted by the grand jury of the Brown county district court in this city during the December, 1919, term, for the alleged theft of six sacks of flax from the farm of Joseph Schnobrich in Cottonwood township, early in October of that year, arrived in New Ulm, Wednesday night, in custody of Deputy Sheriff Herman Jahnke, who departed for Lincoln, Nebr., the previous Saturday night, to take charge of Johnson, when the latter was released from the Nebraska state prison, after serving a sentence of a little over a year for the theft of an automobile in Lincoln.

Prisoner is Reticent.
Johnson refused to discuss the flax theft with the officer enroute to New Ulm and has since been rather reticent on this subject. His brother, Horace Johnson, arrived here from Hector, the family home, Wednesday and had a conference with him at the county jail, Thursday morning. Later the local law firm of Mueller & Streissguth was engaged to defend the prisoner, which indicates that he intends to fight the state's case. Saturday and Sunday his mother visited him here.

To Apply For Release.
Yesterday it was reported that an attempt would be made to secure Johnson's release on bonds, pending the convening of the December term of district court. For this purpose, Attorney Alfred W. Mueller will accompany his client, in custody of Sheriff W. J. Julius or Deputy Sheriff Jahnke, to Marshall today, where Judge I. M. Olsen is presiding at the June term of the Lyon county district court. An application will be made to have Judge Olsen fix the amount of bail which Johnson must furnish to secure his temporary liberty.

Saw General Pershing.
Deputy Sheriff Jahnke informs us that he had occasion to see and hear General John J. Pershing, who delivered the commencement day address at the University of Nebraska during the Brown county official's brief sojourn in Lincoln. The General's speech made a big hit with his audience.

Much Lacking at Prison.
The Nebraska state prison cannot begin to compare with Minnesota's modern and well-managed penitentiary, according to Mr. Jahnke. Due to the fact that it is much too small to accommodate all of the convicts, many of the prisoners, especially those serving time for minor crimes, are incarcerated in the county jails of the state. The prison warden was greatly interested in learning more about the Minnesota penitentiary from the deputy sheriff, and expressed surprise when informed that our institution is self-sustaining and that the indebtedness incurred when it was built several years ago, is being liquidated by the receipts from the farm machinery and twine manufacturing departments of the institution.

ELEVATOR CO. WINS.

A verdict of \$841.90 was awarded the Dotson Farmers Elevator Co. of Dotson in the Cottonwood County district court at Windom, Wednesday morning, against H. S. Cain, and Attorney N. L. Clover, to compensate the plaintiff elevator company for a judgment which the First State Bank of Bingham Lake recovered against it in 1918. The minor sons of Mr. Cain marketed 1,050 bushels of oats in the fall of 1917 in Attorney Glover's name. The oats were mortgaged to the bank, which sued the elevator company and recovered a judgment, which was paid. Alleging that the Windom attorney and Mr. Cain had conspired together to defraud the elevator company by selling the mortgaged grain in Attorney Glover's name, the elevator company brought suit for the amount of the judgment paid by it to the bank, and for the expenses of conducting the suit.

Read the advs. in the Review today.

NICOLLET COUNTY PHONE CO. HOLDS ANNUAL MEET

Three Per Cent Dividend Declared to Stockholders. Old Officers Are Re-elected.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Nicollet County Telephone Co. held in St. Peter recently a three per cent dividend was declared on the past six months' business. The high cost of materials during the last two years has made it impossible to pay dividends but as normalcy is returning the old basis will be resumed. The following officers were re-elected for another year: President M. B. Johnson; vice president W. G. Laumann; secretary H. J. Ludcke; treasurer C. A. Benson and manager Otto R. Kohn.

During the past year the company has cabled the exchange in Lafayette and Gaylord at an approximate cost of \$7,000. It is possible that the Nicollet exchange will be cabled next fall. Lafayette New Sweden and Gibbon lines will be repaired and rebuilt where necessary this summer.

According to Manager Kohn's annual report the value of the plant and equipment of the company was \$179,257.92 on January 1, 1920. Additions during the past year amounted to \$13,319.25 making a total of \$192,577.17. The total receipts aggregated \$48,469.60 of which \$43,915.71 represented telephone rentals \$1,383.35 was for tolls from home lines and \$2,956.54 was received as commissions on switching tolls. The balance, \$214, was for advertising in the telephone directory.

The largest individual item in the disbursements was the operators' wages which aggregated \$12,392.09, while \$10,755.48 was charged off for depreciation. \$6,624.13 was expended for repairs on telephone lines and salaries of officers and clerks amounted to \$3,282.41. Numerous other items make up the total disbursements which were \$44,640.40, leaving a net income of \$8,829.20 for the year.

PAVILION DANCES MAY BE TABOOED

LID WILL BE CLAMPED DOWN UNLESS BETTER ORDER WILL PREVAIL.

DISTURBANCES BY ROWDIES CAUSE OF COMPLAINTS. OFFICER NAMED.

Repeated complaints relative to the conduct of a certain few rowdies at pavilion dances in the vicinity of New Ulm, who have imbibed rather freely in home brew and, as a consequence, have become quarrelsome and obnoxious, resulted in the appointment early last week of Theodore Burns as deputy sheriff of Cottonwood and Linden townships and a statement from County Attorney W. T. Eekstein that the troublesome places in Brown county will be closed unless better order prevails at future terpsichorean events.

Roughnecks Disturb Peace.
It is said that trouble at these dances is usually precipitated by a small number of roughnecks, who imagine that the only way they can amuse themselves is to fill up on moonshine and then pick a quarrel with other attendants. As a result of drinking "white mule" they become wild-eyed Indians and proceed to "start something." The greatest trouble-makers are, or should be, well known to the proprietors of the dance pavilions, and it is up to the latter to refuse them admittance. Otherwise there is a possibility that the authorities will step in and declare them a public nuisance.

Considerable Fighting.
Sunday night, at a dance in a pavilion in Nicollet county, near New Ulm, a fistie battle royal was precipitated, when four or five parties attacked one of the dancers. A general rough house followed and for a time it looked rather dangerous, for chairs and other "persuaders" were used as weapons of offense and defense. Considerable excitement prevailed, especially among the lady dancers, some of whom left the pavilion.

A week ago Sunday night a regular old-fashioned "knock down and drag out" is reported to have occurred at a pavilion in Brown county, south of New Ulm. Chief of Police Alvin Harming and the members of his force were appealed to for assistance, but informed the proprietor of the pavilion that they had no jurisdiction outside of the city limits and referred him to the sheriff's office.

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NEW HIGHWAY THROUGH PARK

TO CONNECT WITH PROPOSED HIGHWAY BRIDGE OVER THE MINNESOTA.

COUNCIL TRANSACTS MINOR BUSINESS AT REGULAR MONTHLY MEET.

A resolution, vacating a portion of North German Park for the purpose of constructing a street to connect with the proposed new highway bridge across the Minnesota river, near the Eagle mill, which is to be built by the state, and thus form the connecting link between the Babcock road, leading to the new bridge from the Nicollet county side of the stream, and Fifth North street, which terminates in State Rural Highway No. 54, near the Loretto Hospital, was passed by the city council at its regular monthly meeting, last Tuesday evening. The matter had been called to the attention of the city fathers by A. L. Boock, president of the Commercial Club, who reported on the recent visit to New Ulm of State Highway Commissioner Babcock and others and their conference with the county commissioners of Brown and Nicollet counties.

Aside from requesting the vacation of a portion of the park for street purposes, President Boock also stated that some 24,000 cubic yards of earth from the park were desired for the necessary fill between the Northwestern and M & St. L. railroad rights-of-way. The latter matter was laid over and will be decided by the council at a later meeting.

L. B. Krook, former president of the council and newly-appointed member of the park board, asked the council to instruct City Engineer F. D. Minium to prepare plans for the proposed improvement of German Park, near the new municipal electric light and waterworks plant. Upon completion, these plans will be submitted to the council and the park board for approval.

The request of President J. P. Graff of the New Ulm Baseball Association, to allow the baseball players the free use of the shower baths at the police station after the games, was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.

A committee of Riverside residents, which had appeared before the council, requesting that permission be granted for arranging dances and other public amusements at Riverside Park, was referred to Mayor L. A. Fritsche and the police department. Members of the committee, explained that it was desired to hold these affairs in order to secure sufficient funds to liquidate the indebtedness on the park improvements, amounting to about \$400.

Estimates were allowed as follows: Ender Coal & Coke Co., coal, \$646.49; J. G. Robertson, equipment for municipal plant, \$42,554.76; underground cable, \$1,316.08; Held & Haebler, final payment on Front street grading, graveling, etc., \$50; road oil, \$469.59; Puhlmann Brothers, sidewalks and street crossings, \$832.62.

The request of the New Ulm Grocery Co. for an arc light near their building on First North street as a protection against burglars, was referred to the electric light committee and Superintendent Herbert Huevelmann.

A petition signed by a number of interested property owners and asking that First South street, between Washington and Franklin streets, be improved, was turned over to the Board of Public Works.

WOULD JOIN LUTHERANS.

A movement is on foot in St. Peter to bring about a union between the four Lutheran congregations existing in that city at the present time, being the Swedish, German, Norwegian and English Lutheran Churches. Some time ago, the three former congregations arranged for one English service each Sunday. For the present, it is possible that the first step in this unification will be taken by the Swedish and the English congregations, as they belong to the same synod. It is proposed to gradually enlarge the scope of activity along these lines in the hope of ultimately bringing about a consolidation of all four congregations.

The Misses Ida Muesing, Esther Wilbrecht, Grace Rinke, Anna, Gertrude and Hildegard Hellmann, accompanied by Oscar Muesing, motored to Nicollet one evening last week and enjoyed a brief visit at the home of Editor B. G. Schulze and family.

BRANCH FEDERAL LOAN BANK AT SLEEPY EYE

Loans Aggregating Over \$100,000 Have Already Been Applied for. Officers Chosen.

A local branch of the Federal Loan Bank of St. Paul was organized at Sleepy Eye, Monday evening of last week. The following officers were elected: President, George Pautzke; vice president, Cyrus Current; secretary and treasurer, H. F. Berkner; directors—George Pautzke of Springfield, Cyrus Current and Charles A. Remmele of Sleepy Eye, Paul Rhordson of Hanska and Harry Dickerson of Sanborn. The loan committee is composed of Messrs. Thordson, Remmele and Current.

The organization will be known as the Brown County National Farm Loan Association.

Loans aggregating over \$100,000 have already been applied for and more will be loaned out as bonds are issued.

Mrs. J. W. Walsh and children of St. Paul are enjoying an extended visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Kaiser, on North German street. They will return to St. Paul about the middle of next week, accompanied by Mrs. Walsh's sister, Miss Elsie Kaiser, and from there expect to leave for Helena, Mont., for about a month's sojourn.

BACK FROM TRIP SOUTH AND WEST

EMIL WICHERSKI AND HIS MOTHER WERE ABSENT SIX MONTHS.

SOJOURNED IN FLORIDA AND AT VARIOUS POINTS ON THE PACIFIC.

Emil Wicherski, well-known local shoe dealer, and his mother, Mrs. Anna Wicherski, returned to New Ulm, Saturday afternoon, after enjoying the past six months on a long trip, which took them to Florida and along the West coast as far north as Vancouver, British Columbia, from whence the homeward journey was made via the Canadian Pacific railroad.

Two Months in South.
The New Ulmites spent two months in Florida, dividing their stay there among Orlando, Miami, Palm Beach and other famous winter resorts. At Key West they embarked on a voyage across the Gulf of Mexico, landing at Galveston, Texas, and after stopping for a day at Yuma, Ariz., they continued the trip to San Diego, Calif., where they visited their son and brother, Dr. Otto Wicherski, and family.

Meet Former New Ulmites.
At Los Angeles they visited with the William P. Schuck family, who removed from here about a year ago and are now doing well on a dairy farm near that city. Other former New Ulmites whom the Wicherskis met there are G. A. Ottomeyer, Pete Voelker, Charles Fielder and Mrs. Olga Brandt. All were looking well and evidently prospering. They also enjoyed a three weeks' stay at Long Beach, the famous watering place, visiting the Catalina Islands from that city. At San Francisco the New Ulmites met Mrs. Bertha Rohde, whose husband, now deceased, at one time conducted a tailor shop in New Ulm for a number of years in company with Edward Kunze. Mrs. Rohde was quite ill for some time, but is slowly recovering. Oakland and Berkeley were also visited by the Wicherskis and that a few old-time friends of Mrs. Wicherski.

Visit British Columbia.
From California (they journeyed to Portland, Ore., and Seattle, Wash., spending a few days in each city, thence going to Vancouver, British Columbia, where a short stop was made before starting on the homeward trip. In spite of her advanced age, Mrs. Wicherski stood the long journey well and enjoyed the sojourn in the South as well as in the West very much. Both Mrs. Wicherski and her son have many interesting experiences to relate. They saw many beautiful sights and are glad to be back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Berg departed for the Twin Cities on a wedding trip, yesterday afternoon and will return to New Ulm Saturday. They will go to housekeeping in the Wilhelmina Boock apartments on North Minnesota street. A large number of friends, including the Review, extend hearty felicitations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

468 DONORS TO CATHOLIC DRIVE

1,121 BUSHELS GRAIN; 2,250 POUNDS FLOUR AND 264 POUNDS LARD.

275 MEMBERS OF PARISH GIVE WEARING APPAREL OF ALL KINDS.

Coming as it did at a time when the farmers of this vicinity had only comparatively small quantities of grain on hand, due to the fact that they had marketed the greater part of last year's crops, the Catholic drive for food and clothing for the starving and destitute inhabitants of Central Europe, which was inaugurated in Holy Trinity parish here, last week, in response to a special appeal for assistance, recently sent to the priests of the Archdiocese of St. Paul by Archbishop Austin Dowling, failed to prove as successful as it would certainly have been under more favorable conditions. Nevertheless, the members of the local parish demonstrated their generosity and willingness to help Central Europe's suffering humanity by donating as liberally as was in their power.

468 Donors in List.
Up to yesterday noon, the names of a total of 468 donors had been inscribed on the lists, their gifts aggregating in excess of 1,121 bushels of grain, 2,250 pounds of flour, 264 pounds of lard, a large quantity of wearing apparel of all kinds, and there were also a few donations of cash. The grain included 510 bushels and 30 pounds of wheat; 474 bushels of corn; 123 bushels and 27 pounds of oats, and 14 bushels and 35 pounds of barley. The grain and flour was donated by 135 farmers of the local parish, 21 from the Catholic church at St. George and a few from the Searles parish, while there were 275 members of the New Ulm church, mostly city dwellers, who provided the articles of clothing.

Better After Harvest.
Had the drive been held after the coming harvest, the result would have been more gratifying and a larger amount of grain would have been donated by the farmers of the parish. Inasmuch as the distress of the people of Central Europe is exceedingly great and assistance must reach them soon, or many more will starve to death, it was not deemed advisable to delay the drive until after harvest. In view of the adverse circumstances, all the greater credit is due to the donors for their material assistance.

SKAT TOURNAMENT.

The New Ulm Skat Club was represented by five members at the national skat tournament in Milwaukee, Wis., Saturday and Sunday. The local "skat onkels," who journeyed to the Cream City to participate in the contest were Joseph Glaser, Andrew Schmidt, Ernst Wicherski, William Klippel and Henry Wendorf. We have not learned whether or not they were able to capture any of the prizes, but hope that the New Ulmites will return with their share of "the bacon."

TOWNLEY-LANGER COMING.

We have been advised that A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan League, and William Langer, renegade Leaguer and former attorney general of North Dakota, will debate on the big issues in that state at Turner Park in this city, Friday evening, June 24, at 8 o'clock. In view of the fact that many residents of this section of the state are greatly interested in the Nonpartisan League, a record attendance is expected.

CORNERSTONE LAYING.

The cornerstone of the substantial addition to St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran parochial school here will be laid with impressive ceremonies next Sunday, June 19, at 2:30 p. m. Appropriate addresses will be delivered by Rev. C. J. Albrecht, pastor of the local church, and Prof. E. R. Bliedernicht, director of Dr. Martin Luther College of this city. The church choir will render special vocal selections for the occasion.

The June term of the Sibley county district court convened at Gaylord Monday of last week with three criminal actions and 46 civil cases on the calendar. It is believed that the term will continue to the end of this week. A unique feature is the summoning of women for jury duty. Sibley county being first to inaugurate this new wrinkle under woman suffrage.