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OVERFLOW LOCALS

Mrs. M. C. Palmer, of Duluth, is the guest of Virginia friends this week.

E. G. Bush returned Monday from a trip to International Falls and Ft. Frances.

Henry Shanedding returned Tuesday from a visit with Minneapolis friends.

Imported needles for Victor, Columbia and American machines at E. Milavetz.

B. Levin left Wednesday for a business visit to Duluth and the Twin Cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kerr now occupy the Episcopal rectory, moving to same yesterday.

Carl J. Foss, the contractor, erects a large two-story building for H. J. Nathanson at Aurora.

Mark Atkinson, son of Editor Atkinson of the Mesaba Ore, was an Enterprise caller on Friday.

B. M. Lippman, of the Golden Rule, has purchased the Archibald residence property on Pine street.

Good Glasses For your eyes. Virginia Optical Parlors, over post-office.

A good snow storm Sunday and Monday assisted in keeping up the reputation of the range as a summer resort.

E. D. Cracraft, superintendent of equipment, and J. W. Delaney, cashier of the Mesaba Telephone Co., were up from Duluth yesterday.

T. J. Coughlin, brakeman on the short-line passenger, is laid up this week as the result of dropping a tool chest on his toes on Monday.

Geo. Penglase and family, of Crystal Falls, Mich., are among late arrivals in the city, Mr. Penglase accepting a position at the Lincoln.

The Virginia fire team does an amount of practice work, in anticipation of bringing home a few prizes from the coming tournament.

Rev. E. M. Cathcart, former pastor of the M. E. Church in this city, but now stationed at Princeton, called on former Virginia friends Tuesday.

A new lot of records for Victor, Columbia and American phonographs just received at the store of B. Milavetz, corner Mesaba avenue and Walnut street.

William Johnson succeeds C. F. Ahlstrand as manager of the Finnish Mercantile Co., Mr. Ahlstrand resigning because of his proposed removal from the city.

A sale on Hardware this month. Are you going to build this summer? If so, it will pay you to buy your hardware this month. Call and see us. H. HUGHES & Co.

Many boxes of trees and shrubs have been received by Virginians during the past ten days, evidencing the fact that many improvements are planned by our home-builders.

J. Skerbeck has this week opened a tent show on the vacant lots just east of the Tornquist barn. Open every evening and enjoying a pleasing patronage.

A. Rollenhagen, who has been an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, Milwaukee, for some time past, returned to the city yesterday and will spend some time among Virginia friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lippman, M. Segal and Ben Gordon will be among Virginia attendants at the wedding of Henry Lippman, of McKinley, to Miss Rose Levin at the home of the bride's parents in Duluth on Sunday.

Upwards of \$1,000 worth of handsome new patterns in wall paper in stock at W. T. Biss, the painter and decorator. All work done promptly and satisfactorily. We carry and use the Heath & Milligan paints—the best paints made.

Mrs. J. A. Friedman and five children, refugees from the San Francisco holocaust, arrived in the city yesterday for an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Friedman's sister, Mrs. B. M. Lippman. Mr. Friedman, who in common with so many others lost all his earthly possessions, will remain in San Francisco for a time and may again engage in business there.

Rev. Barratt of Christians, Norway, delivered an interesting lecture at the M. E. Church Monday evening on "A Trip to Rome," taking his audience on a visit to many points of interest in the ancient city. Rev. Barratt is an Englishman by birth, but has been stationed at Christians for many years. In addition to his ability as a lecturer, he is also a musician of note, and entertained his listeners with several vocal and instrumental numbers.

Rudolph Oehrich, who has been in charge of the building of the Virginia brewery for the contractors, left Saturday for Chicago.

Dr. D. M. McDonald, state veterinarian, who has been examining horses for glanders in adjacent lumber camps, says the disease is pretty well stamped out again.

David Dewey has purchased the restaurant business of S. C. Connors. Mr. Connors has returned to his former occupation as engineer at the plant of the Virginia Light & Water Co.

At the services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Sunday last Bishop Morrison, of Duluth, introduced the new rector, Rev. Carwell, who will have charge of Virginia and Eveleth in future.

At the meeting of Virginia Grove No. 46, U. A. O. D., Wednesday evening, J. P. Chalmers was elected as representative to the meeting of the Grand Lodge, which convenes at Duluth in June.

William S. Ormand, financial secretary of the Eveleth Miners' Union, is up against a charge of embezzling \$338 of the funds of the order. He is a son of John T. Ormand, and at one time resided in this city. He is but 22 years of age.

M. Lewis, of Chisholm, Chas. Hallock, of Hibbing, and Sam Lippman, of Mount Iron, who will be interested members of the new Leader Dry Goods Co., to open shortly in the Minnesota block, were Virginia visitors Wednesday.

F. C. Whiting was over from Hibbing Tuesday evening, in attendance at the meeting of the city council. Mr. Whiting will at once commence work on his new business block on Central avenue, to be two-story solid brick, 24x102 feet.

A. A. Kimball, cruiser for the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg Ry. Survey is in the city and reports the line located to within 18 miles of International Falls. Mr. Kimball says there is plenty of good stone, timber and homestead claims up there.

Arthur A. Fider, deputy imperial organizer of the Modern Samaritans, came up from Duluth Tuesday for the purpose of finishing the work of organization of a lodge at this point. The order is of Duluth origin and is incorporated under the laws of Minnesota.

A superabundance of booze and a disregard of law and order was the cause of a drunken orgie on Elm street on Sunday night in which firearms played a part. As usual in such cases, however, nothing was done about it. Votes have an intrinsic value the year 'round.

J. W. Murphy has leased the room at present occupied as a confectionery store in the Doyle building as an office for his employment agency and dray business. The building will be ready for his occupancy about June 1st, the stock of the confectionery store now being disposed of.

Rev. Carl W. Schevenius, of the Norwegian M. E. Church, has been invited to take a prominent part in the Independence Day exercises of the Sons of Norway at Two Harbors on Thursday next, delivering the principal address of the day. The male quartette of the church will also be in attendance and will render several selections. The quartette is composed of Martin Eggen, Carl Foss, B. Riisberg and O. Fossness.

Some drunken galoot raised a ripple of excitement near the First National Bank corner last evening by "shooting up the street." The fellow was evidently shooting at nothing, and was a good marksman, as nothing was hit so far as could be learned. While the shooting was done within a hundred feet of police headquarters and at a time when the street was thronged with people no arrest was made at the time, but the culprit was recognized by some of those near and a warrant for his arrest was issued this morning.

Visited Mesaba Unions.

J. C. Williams, of Grass Valley, Cal., acting president of the Western Federation of Miners, was in the city over Sunday on a visit to the local union. The range unions are accredited with a great increase during the winter.

Stone, Timber and Homestead

I can locate you on Stone and Timber or Homestead on good claims near the line of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg Railway. Plenty of pine and other timber on them. Having been cruiser for the Logging Engineers Survey all spring, I know where to find the best locations and how to get you there. My prices are reasonable.

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Good Roads Meeting.

A "good roads meeting" will be held at the rooms of the Commercial Club, Duluth, next Wednesday evening, at which the attaining of state aid in behalf of needed road improvements in St. Louis county will be discussed. In speaking of the meeting and its object the News Tribune of yesterday says:

"St. Louis county is a small empire in size and fully as important as drainage is the making of permanent highways. The road problem here is not like it was in the prairie country of the southwest, nor in the mixed prairie and hardwood section of the central part of the state. There temporary road making sufficient for the days of early settlement was a simple matter. Here even this is an expense beyond the means of the settlers or of the county to undertake on an adequate scale, with the millions of acres of state and railroad lands that are beyond the reach of taxation.

"State aid and state supervision are both needed and, indeed, are essential to meeting the situation in this northeastern section of the state."

Post Mortem Kindness.

Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them and while their hearts can be thrilled and made happier by them; the kind things you mean to say when they are gone, say before they go. The flowers you mean to send for their coffins, send to brighten and sweeten their homes before they leave them. If my friends have alabaster boxes laid away, full of fragrant perfume of sympathy and affection, which they intend to break over my dead body, I would rather they would bring them out in weary and troubled hours, and open them, that I may be refreshed and cheered by them while I need them. I would rather have a plain coffin without a flower, a funeral without an eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy. Let us learn to anoint our friends beforehand for their burial. Post mortem kindness does not cheer the troubled spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over life's weary way.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at noon. C. E. at 7:15. Sermons by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Evening subject, "The Wise and Foolish Virgins." This service will be illustrated with stereopticon. Free to everybody.

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Three residences, containing six, nine and ten rooms, respectively, for sale cheap. All well located, in Virginia. For particulars apply to A. JEFFORD, Agent.

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis, ss. In Probate Court, Special Term, April 21st, 1906.

In the matter of the estate of Louisa Emelia Larson, deceased: On receiving and filing the petition of Matilda Westling, of the city of Virginia and County of St. Louis, Minnesota, representing, among other things, that Louisa Emelia Larson, late of the County of St. Louis, in the State of Minnesota, on or about the 15th day of October, A. D. 1905, the County of St. Louis, died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of her death, leaving goods, chattels and real estate within this County and that said petitioner is interested in said real estate and a friend of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate to said Matilda Westling be granted:

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court on Monday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock a. m., at the Probate office, in the Court House in the City of Duluth, in said County.

Ordered further, That notice hereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the "Virginia Enterprise" a weekly newspaper printed and published at Virginia in said County, and that a copy of this order be served upon the County Treasurer of St. Louis County not less than ten days prior to said day of hearing. Dated at Duluth, Minn., this 21st day of April, A. D. 1906.

By the Court, J. B. MIDDLECOPF, Judge of Probate.

Timber Land Act June 3, 1878-- Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Duluth, Minn., April 6, 1906. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1894, Edward W. Nettleton, of St. Paul, county of Ramsey, state of Minnesota, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 10098, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 Sec. 14, Township 60, Range 19, and will offer proof to show the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Otto A. Poirier, U. S. Commissioner at Virginia, Minnesota, on Monday, the 9th day of July, 1906. He names as witnesses: Benjamin L. Bronson, of Virginia, Minn. James Casey, of Virginia, Minn. Robert Booth, of Virginia, Minn. Robert Lindsey, of Virginia, Minn. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 9th day of July, 1906. J. C. HERMAN ENGLISH, Register. Apr. 12-June 12

German National Insurance Company

CHICAGO, ILL., April 21, 1906.

To Our Agents:

We are pleased to announce that all necessary arrangements have been made for the prompt adjustment and payment in full of our San Francisco losses, and that the assets of the Company will remain intact. You will doubtless be glad to know that the German National thus demonstrates its ability to meet the losses incurred in the worst calamity of modern times.

This being one of the severest tests that can confront a fire insurance company, our agents will receive with satisfaction the statement that there will be no impairment in our financial strength, that our policy holders have the same indemnity against loss as before this memorable fire, that all losses in all states will continue to be paid as heretofore, and that your interests as well are and will be protected.

Yours truly, WM. FEILER, Secretary.

F. B. Rossom Insurance Agency,

Rossom Building, Next to Post Office, Virginia, Minnesota.

Developing the West End.

Considerable work on the extreme west end of the range is being conducted this year, where the Oliver company and other interests explore property on the west side of the Mississippi.

There has never been any question of the fact that the Mesaba range extended across the river for a considerable distance, but as the drift covers the formation to such a thickness as to completely obliterate all evidences of its presence, explorations there has been a difficult matter. It has been one to be undertaken by heavy interests, and in a sort of a blind manner, by feeling out in the probable direction by one exploration after another. The location of the ore-bearing formation on the western side of the river at that point has been followed, therefore, by an extension of the work to the west, and this is now

going on carefully and rather steadily. What ore that has been found so far is of about the character of that discovered near the river, on the east, though it seems in many cases to be of a rather low grade. The possibilities in this direction are that a material increase in tonnage may result from this work. Work has been done as far west as 145-23, and a considerable amount of surface prospecting has been carried on this spring even further west, with some encouragement.

May Move Sparta to Eveleth.

Because of the fact that the present townsite of Sparta is known to cover a valuable ore deposit it is said the town will be moved the coming summer, the location as planned being just east of the Fayal, and but a short distance south of Eveleth. When the proposition to move the town was first broached it was the desire of the citizens that a location to the north and east of the present site be obtained, but no suitable ground is to be had.

Are You Going to California?

Low Round Trip Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles Account of Meeting of the

National Educational Association

JULY 7th TO 14th

Round trip rate of one fare plus \$2.00 will apply to San Francisco and Los Angeles, tickets on sale daily, June 25th to July 7th, inclusive, and bear final return limit to September 15th, 1906. The round trip rate from Duluth to Los Angeles or San Francisco will be

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Via Portland or St. Paul, either going or returning, the round trip rate from Duluth will be \$79.40; via Portland and Omaha, \$77.40.

DAILY SUMMER RATES TO CALIFORNIA

Round trip first-class tickets will be on sale to California June 1 to Sept. 15, 1906, with final return limit of Oct. 31.

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