

COLD CAUSES
MANY DEATHS
IN MIDWEST

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to reports received here, with a minimum of 21 below zero. Jamestown was a close second with 20 below, Grand Forks had 18 below, while Minot and Mandan reported 17 below, and Fargo 14 below.

Minnesota cities had even lower temperatures. Reports from 26 below from Hibbing and Crookston, 21 below from Duluth, 14 below from St. Cloud, 12 below from Mankato and Winona, and 10 below from Rochester.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 15.—(AP)—The mercury in Minot stood at 17 below at 8 a. m., which mark was also the lowest recorded for the night. A biting northwest wind added to the severity of the cold wave.

Devi's Lake, N. D., Dec. 15.—(AP)—A 30-mile northwest wind, with the temperature 21 degrees below zero, and drifting snows, grip this section today in something of an Arctic grasp. Martin R. Hovde, government weather observer, however, sees relief from the severe cold spell to-morrow as indicated by a falling barometer and increasing clouds.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 15.—(AP)—The official temperature here today at 7 a. m. was 16 below. The minimum during the night was 18 below.

26 BELOW ZERO AT
HIBBING THIS A. M.
Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 15.—(AP)—With mercury striking another low level, Hibbing experienced the second straight day of severe weather today. Readings given by the Berggren hardware store follow:
6 p. m. Tuesday—19 below.
9 p. m. Tuesday—22 below.
12 midnight Tuesday—25 below.
3 a. m. Wednesday—27 below.
6 a. m. Wednesday—26 below.
Although the thermometer did not go down as low as yesterday, there was only three degrees variation. The cold was not accompanied by any severe wind. Traffic was not delayed to any extent, street cars, buses and trains running on time.
No cases of suffering have been reported to the police station, although hospitals reported treating many cases of frost bite, chiefly among children.

OIL TRIAL IS
BROUGHT TO A
CLOSE TODAY

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into the final keeping of judge and jury.

The battle came to its conclusion with a crash of legal forces. The defense lawyers and one for the government followed each other swiftly in the final brief session of argument.

Justice Hochling then recessed court until 1:30 p. m., before beginning his instructions to the jury, outlining the points of law on which it will be determined whether the oil magnate and the then interior secretary violated the conspiracy statute when Doherty sent \$100,000 before the Doherty companies were awarded leases to government oil land.

Called Private Loan
The defense told the 12 men in the jury box that the \$100,000 was a private loan. Mark B. Thompson, personal attorney for Felt, said it was "the cleanest money that ever passed from one man's hand to another." Speaking also for the former secretary, Wilton J. Lambert accused government counsel of distorting the facts after the best manner of Houdini, and Frank J. Hogan, chief of the Doherty attorneys, asked that the two defendants be returned to their home and families "by sundown tonight."

Former Senator Atlee Pomerene, replying for the prosecution, said

the \$100,000 transaction and the leasing negotiations alike had been deliberately surrounded with secrecy, in furtherance of a plot by "two master minds."
"The whole thing," said Pomerene, "was conceived in fraud and born of iniquity."

NORTH DAKOTA
FREIGHT RATES
HELD UNFAIR

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pert for the Grand Forks Commercial club, who will present evidence bearing on intrastate rates on brick, livestock and milled grain products.

SEED MEN RELATE HOW
RATES INJURE BUSINESS
J. W. Cohen and W. H. Hagill, managers of Fargo seed houses, yesterday told members of the state railroad board that discrimination in establishing freight rates on articles handled by them have injured their business to the benefit of competitors in cities outside North Dakota.

Each case of discrimination of the rates so as to put North Dakota seed dealers on a parity with seed dealers in other states. A request was made that the classification of "cleaned sweet clover and millet seed be changed to permit these articles to be shipped on a fourth class rate. They are willing, they said, to ship the cleaned seed on a third class rate. Cohen and Hagill were preceded by G. M. Springer, traffic expert for numerous North Dakota cities, who presented evidence on articles which show, he said, that North Dakota wholesalers and distributors are suffering by reason of freight rates favorable to competitors in Minnesota cities. He was cross-examined briefly by attorneys for the railroads who are opposing drastic changes in the intrastate freight schedules.

SUMMONS
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
In Justice Court Before Anton Beer,
Justice of the Peace
County of Burleigh
John L. Peterson and Fred Peterson,
Plaintiffs
vs.
Guthrie Stanley, Defendant.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO
THE SAID DEFENDANT:
By this second summons herein, you are directed to appear before me at my office in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh county, North Dakota, at 10 o'clock a. m. of the 27th day of December 1926, there to answer the complaint of John L. Peterson and Fred Peterson against you, alleging that at the said instance and request of the defendant, plaintiffs furnished defendant with board and lodging between the 9th day of June 1926 and the 3rd day of July 1926 and that the same is reasonably worth the sum of \$17.95, which amount you agreed to pay; and demanding that judgment be rendered against you for said sum together with interest thereon from and after the 3rd day of July 1926 at the rate of six per cent per annum and for costs and disbursements of this action and that plaintiffs have judgment and execution against the property levied upon by the Sheriff in this action by virtue of an attachment issued and of which the Sheriff has taken into custody, 1 trunk and 1 box of which you are the owner and you are notified that unless you so appear and answer, that plaintiff will take judgment against you accordingly. Given this 30th day of November 1926.

Anton Beer,
Justice of the Peace
Hyland & Foster
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
Bismarck, N. D.
Make service of the within summons by publication in the Bismarck Tribune, a legal newspaper of the county of Burleigh, each week for three successive weeks, the last publication being at least three days before the 27th day of December 1926, and to forthwith mail a copy of the summons and complaint postage prepaid directed to the defendant as addressed to him at Cresbard, S. Dak.

Justice of the Peace
31-12-18-15.
On the electrically-propelled hare-coursing track at Manchester one of the hounds covered the quarter mile in 26 seconds.

Baldwin

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Falkenstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Falkenstein, and Miss Bessie Anderson were among those who attended a dinner party at the home of Herman Falkenstein and family near Still Sunday. The honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kling of Dunn Center. Mrs. Kling is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Falkenstein.

The Farmers' elevator at this point closed a few days ago for a period of three months. The reason for the closing of the elevator, according to the manager, Joe Poole, was that there has been little or no business for some time past, and it was considered advisable to close it during the winter months.

Seth Strandemo has purchased a radio which was installed recently. The radio formerly belonged to the H. H. Higgins family.
The many local friends of Mrs. Harold Breen, who resides four miles north of Bismarck, will be sorry to learn that she has been ill for a week. Mrs. Breen was formerly Miss Lila Little, and is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Little. Miss Little is staying at the home of her brother-in-law and sister during her illness.

The pupils of the sixth and seventh

CAPITOL
THEATRE

Tonight and Thursday

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Whirlwind Comedy
"A Wild Roomer"

8 SHOPPING
DAYS TILL
CHRISTMAS

of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Little. Miss Little is staying at the home of her brother-in-law and sister during her illness.

The pupils of the sixth and seventh

grades had a vacation Friday, during which time the eighth grade examinations were held. Misses Ella Richert and Bernice Anderson took the final examination. The other pupils of the eighth grade took final examination in civics and geography.

Philipp Monroy, farmer residing near Still, was transacting business in town Wednesday afternoon.

Reynard Spitzer, who was injured in a gun accident during a rabbit drive which was held a short time ago, went to Witton the fore part of the week for medical treatment. Reynard was hurt when one of the hunters shot at a rabbit and hit him, the discharge entering both legs just below the knee. The young man has suffered a lot since the accident and is not getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. August Krause and son Adolph of the Regan community were dinner guests at the Jake Spitzer home Sunday.

Stationmaster Carl Lien spent the week-end with his family in the capital city, returning here Monday morning.

Miss Margaret Hollenbeck, who closed a successful term of school two miles northwest of Baldwin last week, has accepted a position as teacher in the new school in Ecklund township, beginning her work Monday morning of this week.

The Baldwin schools will give their Christmas program Friday evening in the town hall. There will be a nice entertainment consisting of songs, recitations and dialogues. There will

be a nice Christmas tree with gifts for the children. A cordial invitation is extended to you to attend the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spitzer have been spending the week in Bismarck, where they were called by the serious illness of their daughter, Edna.

Too Late To Classify

LOST—Man's Bulova wrist watch. Finder return to the First National Bank for reward.

PRICED TO SELL—Practically new velvet davenport and wing chair, blue with slight rose background. Call 910 or No. 21 Hughes Apts.

WORK WANTED—Painting, kalsomining, and paper hanging. Prices reasonable. Call 825-W for estimates.

FOR SALE—Sanitary cot, end table, magazine rack, blue enamel bedroom suite, mirror and garden tools. Phone 458 or call at 20 Ave. B West.

RADIO FOR SALE—Have one new Haridyn left, 5 tube guaranteed, sells for \$150.00, will take \$75.00 cash or \$80.00 time. Phone 691-W.

HAY FOR SALE—Can sell \$14.00 F. O. B. McClelland, N. D. Good midland hay, 12 to 400 tons. Call 691-W.

TRANSPARENT METAL

New Haven, Conn.—A process for making metal foils less than a millionth of an inch thick has been developed in the Stane Physics laboratory at Yale University.

Dr. William Swann, professor of physics, says these foils are perfectly uniform and nearly completely transparent. The foils are being used in investigation of the relative ease with which electrons of different velocities pass through metals.

SHORT TALKS BY THOUGHTFUL MOTHERS

An Indiana mother tells this: "We find nothing to compare with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs and colds. My little lad had trouble with his bronchial tubes from his third year but, since we started giving him Foley's Honey and Tar we have been able to control it. We know there is nothing to compare with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." The very name tells a story. Good also for croup (spasmodic) and troublesome night coughs. Ask for it.—Adv.

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Special prices on all our Blankets until Christmas. Note our prices:
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BATH ROBES

Children's Bath Robes in beautiful fancy patterns. Sizes 2 to 14 years at
\$1.20 \$1.95 \$2.69

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Ladies' new fall Silk Dresses. Specially priced in three lots at
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Beautiful holiday box Stationery. A large selection, and our price is low at
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Bedroom Slippers are always welcome by women and every member of the family. Creep-a-way Slippers at
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Ladies' fine Hosiery for gifts. Of fine silk at \$1 UP
Silk and wool at 48c UP

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Ladies' fine crepe de chine Scarfs, extra large, plain and fancy flowered patterns at
\$1.25 \$1.95

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| \$3.75 men's Overshoes, 4 buckle, heavy roll soles at | \$2.95 | \$1.00 Rubber Aprons, coverall style, assorted colors | 79c |
| \$3.50-\$4.00 Skinnners' Crepe, in most wanted shades, the yard | \$2.95 | \$2.50 ladies' Silk Hose, extra fine service weight, pair | \$1.95 |
| 50c children's Nazerath Waists, all sizes | 39c | \$1.50 men's Overalls, 2-20 wt., sizes 32 to 42, pair | 98c |
| \$2.00 men's extra heavy fleece-lined Union Suits | \$1.45 | 50c Hinds Honey Almond Cream, per bottle | 35c |
| 35c Stationery, fine Irish Linen, per box | 19c | 65c Kotex, per box | 48c |
| 50c Bath Salts, large jar, our price | 35c | \$2.15 men's Oshkosh Overalls, sizes 32 to 42, pair | \$1.75 |
| \$1.45 men's heavy ribbed Union Suits | \$1.00 | 30c-33c Amoskeag Daisy Flannel, 36-inch, yard | 23c |
| 20c men's jersey Gloves, large sizes, pair | 15c | 25c Lonsdale Muslin, 36 inches wide, yard | 19c |
| 65c, 75c boys' or girls' wool knit Hockey Caps | 48c | \$1.25-\$1.45 Quilted Cotton Batts, size 72x90 | 89c |
| \$1.95 Changeable Taffeta in best wanted shades, yard | \$1.69 | \$3.00-\$3.50 fine all wool flannel, 54-inch, the yard | \$2.69 |
| \$3.00 ladies' Overshoes, 4 buckle, fine jersey top, pair | \$2.45 | 50c Pebecco Toothpaste, regular size | 35c |

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