

THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE		
THE COMFORTABLE WAY		
GOING SOUTH GOING NORTH		
7:30 a. m.	Sandstone	8:35 p. m.
8:30	Brook Park	8:00
9:10	Mora	7:20
9:25	Ogilvie	7:05
9:38	Boek	6:50
9:55	Milaca	6:35
10:10	Pease (f)	6:20
10:22	Long Siding (f)	6:03
10:27	Brickton (f)	6:00
10:42	Princeton	5:55
11:02	Zimmerman	5:35
11:25	Elk River	5:12
11:56	Anoka	4:46
12:32 p. m.	Minneapolis	4:00
1:25	St. Paul	3:30

ST. CLOUD TRAINS.		
GOING WEST GOING EAST		
10:00 a. m.	Milaca	6:30 p. m.
10:00	Foreston	6:03
11:15	St. Cloud	5:00

WAY FREIGHT.		
GOING SOUTH GOING NORTH		
Daily, ex. Sun.	Daily, ex. Sun.	
8:30 a. m.	Milaca	2:10 p. m.
9:30	Pease	1:30
10:30	Elk River	10:30
3:00	Anoka	8:00

Any information regarding sleeping cars or connections will be furnished at any time by J. W. MOSSMAN, Agent, Princeton, Minn.

MILLE LACS COUNTY

TOWN CLERKS.	
Bogus Brook—A. J. Franz...	Route 2, Milaca
Borgholm—C. W. Sorenson...	R. 1, Milaca
Dalby—H. A. Starr...	Onamia
East Side—O. C. Anderson...	Onamia
Greenbush—Oscar Erickson...	R. 1, Foreston
Hayland—C. W. Willis...	Milaca
Jale Harbor—San...	R. 2, Wahkon
Milaca—Harvey Sandholm...	R. 2, Milaca
Milo—O. B. Kesler...	R. 1, Foreston
Mudgett—Arthur Millam...	Milaca
Onamia—G. H. Carter...	Onamia
Onamia—Thore Lindberg...	Star R., Milaca
Princeton—Albert Kuhfeld...	R. 2, Princeton
Kathio—C. C. Garrison...	Wahkon
South Harbor—F. W. Miller...	Cove

VILLAGE RECORDERS.	
Clifton Cravens...	Princeton
O. L. Palmquist...	Milaca
Sylvan Steens...	Foreston
A. B. Phelps...	Onamia
C. M. Halgren...	Wahkon
Ralph Munson...	Isle

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.	
Baldwin—Warren Anstam...	R. 1, Zimmerman
Blue Hill—M. B. Mattson...	Princeton
Livonia—A. W. Peman...	Zimmerman
Santiago—B. H. Stacey...	Clear Lake
Glendora—H. W. Maguire...	R. 4, Foley
Bradford—Wm. Konkin...	R. 3, Cambridge
Dalby—Victor Hohn...	R. 2, Princeton
Stanford—John Hahn...	R. 2, Bethel
Spring Vale—J. W. Westberg...	R. 5, Cambridge
Spencer Brook—O. W. Blomquist...	R. 3, Princeton
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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF CHARLES E. WEDGEWOOD. State of Minnesota, County of Mille Lacs. In Probate Court.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the above entitled matter: Whereas E. L. McMillan has filed in this court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; It is ordered that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 27th day of August, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the probate court rooms in the court house at Princeton, in said county, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the Princeton Union according to law.

Witness the Hon. Wm. V. Sanford, Judge of said court and the seal of said court, this 1st day of August, 1917.

WM. V. SANFORD, Judge.
(Court Seal)
E. L. McMillan, Attorney for Petitioner.

LITTLE CHANCE OF ACCEPTANCE

Allies May Reject Peace Proposal From Vatican.

OFFER CAUSES NO SURPRISE

Germany and Her Allies Are Expected to Accept Pope's Terms Promptly, but United States and Entente Allies Do Not Appear to View Them Favorably.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Pope Benedict's peace proposals were not unexpected to the United States nor to any of the entente allies.

The possibility of a peace move was discussed with British Foreign Minister Balfour and Vice Premier Viviani when the British and French official missions were in Washington and it was agreed that all the allies, including the United States, should refuse to discuss peace terms while Germany occupies the territories she had taken by force, and thereby avoid what the allied statesmen considered a German trap.

Now the pontiff's proposal presents the question in a somewhat different light, difficult, perhaps, to meet, but it offers to a war weary world a hope for peace. Germany and her allies are expected to accept the pope's proposals promptly.

American officials acknowledge that the Vatican's proffer calls for a reply. Entente diplomats voice a unanimous opinion that it will be rejected.

Cannot Accept Proposals.

American officials realize that a convincing reply is required for the world's page of history. That the proposals cannot be accepted as they stand is certain. That they will not be accepted at all is probable.

An official outline of the pope's communication was received here.

Cabinet members said it was not discussed at the meeting, but some of the president's official family gave signs of the difficulty which it has presented.

The official text has not been received and it has not been established whether it will come through the Spanish ambassador or the Swiss minister. Spain and Switzerland are the only European neutrals having relations with the Vatican.

The first appraisal of the proposal by officials and diplomats was that it was another attempt by Germany, this time working through Austria because of the latter's close relation to the Vatican, to accomplish what she failed in her first offer of peace—the assembling of peace delegates at a round table conference, where the interests of one ally could be played off against the other, with the disruption of the grand alliance as the stake.

Vatican Acts in Good Faith.

In no other quarter is there any disposition to question in any way the good faith of the Vatican.

But as the unofficial outline disclosed the terms of the pope's proposal officials were astonished to realize its similarity with some of President Wilson's declarations on the subject.

International agreement to enforce peace, reduction of armament and recognition of the national aspirations of the small peoples all were brought forward by the president in his epochal address before congress.

Although the proposal to leave for diplomatic discussion such great questions as Italy Iridientia, a free Poland and Alsace-Lorraine might be rejected on many grounds close observers foresee the possibility of embarrassments in declining to discuss proposals which the president himself brought before the world.

WHY KAISER SEEKS PEACE

Fourth Year of War Finds His Enemies Stronger.

Washington, Aug. 15.—A war which Germany expected to finish in six weeks is entering upon its fourth year.

A warfare of submarine frightfulness which was to have brought Great Britain to surrender within ninety days is entering its seventh month without the promised result.

The group fighting Germany has widened into a world circle of seventeen nations, all uniting their resources and power for the destruction of the German military autocracy.

The imperial government which entered the conflict with aims of world dominion now would be satisfied with a restoration of the status before the war.

SALOONS ORDERED CLOSED

Twenty-six in St. Louis Region Cease Business.

St. Louis, Aug. 15.—Twenty-nine saloons in St. Louis county within a five-mile radius of the camp of the First infantry, Missouri national guard, were ordered closed.

A ruling from Washington is expected as to whether all saloons in St. Louis within half a mile of four military camps within the city limits are to be closed.

GENERAL W. A. MANN.

Heads New Contingent of U. S. Troops Ordered to France.



STATE TROOPS WILL SOON GO TO FRONT

Washington, Aug. 15.—Plans for sending the first national guard troops to France have been perfected by the war department with the organization of a division which will include troops from twenty-six states and the District of Columbia.

The states from which the national guard troops are to be assembled are: Minnesota, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Alabama, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, South Carolina, California, Missouri, Virginia, North Carolina, Kansas, Texas, Michigan, New Jersey, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Colorado, Oregon. The others come from District of Columbia.

In the artillery brigade will be the First Minnesota field artillery, to be known as the One Hundred Fifty-first artillery. No other Gopher units are included in the division.

The commanding officer of the division will be Brigadier General W. A. Mann of the regular army, now chief of the division of militia affairs of the war department.

Discussion of the time and place of mobilization of the division or of its departure for France are not permissible under the voluntary censorship. The structure of the division as given in the official statement shows it will conform to the reduced trench warfare divisional organization recommended by Major General Pershing, which would give it a total strength, with auxiliary troops, of approximately 20,000 men.

BABY SHORTAGE IS FEARED

Official Declares Draft Causes Many Women to Fear Motherhood.

Washington, Aug. 15.—America's baby crop is threatened by the war. "The threat is genuine," said an official. "The situation is critical and extremely delicate."

Whispers daily come to the government cars from young married men indicating that the attitude of thousands of the nation's young women will make the birth return extremely short so long as the threat of conscription is held over the heads of their husbands.

"These young women are badly frightened," continued the official. "They dread the prospect of being left to face the world with a babe in arms."

Reports show that the fear is not confined to families of men between the draftable ages of twenty-one and thirty-one, but reaches back to married girls of eighteen and forward to married women of thirty-five—whose husbands will be called if the war endures long.

GUARD OFFICERS ARE NAMED

President Sends List of New Generals to Senate.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Nominations of more than 200 new major generals and brigadier generals who will hold commands in the new army were sent to the senate by President Wilson. They include all the national guard general officers.

Brigadier General Frederick E. Resche of Duluth will be commissioned an officer in the new army following the recommendation reported in the foregoing dispatch. General Resche was promoted from colonel to brigadier general of the Minnesota national guard a year ago.

RAILWAY WRECK IN RUSSIA

Sixty Persons Are Killed and Large Number Injured.

Petrograd, Aug. 15.—Sixty persons were killed and 150 injured in a wreck on the railroad between Petrograd and Moscow.

Four coaches were crushed to pieces when a passenger train ran into a freight train.

PRESIDENT GETS EXERCISE

Wilson Keeping His Health Despite War Strain.

Washington, Aug. 15.—If you have pictured President Wilson careworn, haggard and breaking down under the strain of his tremendous war problems, change the portrait.

Early every morning long before most Washingtonians are so much as turning over for their pre-getting up nap, the president is out in his knickerbockers and off around the golf course. Mrs. Wilson usually accompanies him.

Golf, walking and other mild forms of exercise take care of the president's health. For mental diversion and rest he turns from the problems of war to intricate, complex and quite thrilling detective stories.

RIVERS MUST BE IMPROVED

Railways Will Grow Busier Moving War Materials.

Washington, Aug. 15.—A warning that the facilities of American railroads will be required more and more for moving war materials and that now is the time to start development of inland waterway system was issued by Secretary of Commerce Redfield.

The government, the secretary said, stands ready to aid communities in improving water commerce wherever it can. The commerce department has just organized a division of waterways transportation with Walter Parker of New Orleans, an expert on water commerce, at its head.

British Losses for August.

London, Aug. 15.—Reports of British casualties issued in the first two weeks of August total 21,722 officers and men.

800,000 MINERS MAY WORK FOR UNCLE SAM.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Federal control of coal mines would place close to 800,000 miners in Uncle Sam's employ.

It would give the government supervision over production of more than 600,000,000 tons of coal.

In all 800,000 miners are employed in the twenty-nine coal producing states.

The total coal output in 1916 was 597,474,000 tons.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

National League.
New York 5, 1; Brooklyn 4, 3.
Boston 2, Philadelphia 1.
Pittsburg 2, Chicago 0.

American League.
Chicago 3, 2; Cleveland 2, 4.
Washington 1, 10; New York 0, 1.
Philadelphia 3, Boston 1.
St. Louis 6, Detroit 4.

American Association.
St. Paul 8, Minneapolis 1.
Columbus 4, 4; Indianapolis 0, 2.
Toledo 5, 0; Louisville 1, 0.
Milwaukee 7, 13; Kansas City 6, 4.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 14.
Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 Northern, \$2.90; No. 2 Northern, \$2.85. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$3.45.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Aug. 14.
Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$2.80@2.90; No. 2 Northern, \$2.80@2.90; corn, \$1.73@1.75; oats, \$9.60@9.65; barley, \$1.10@1.15; rye, \$1.33@1.35; flax, \$3.46.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Aug. 14.
Wheat—Sept., \$2.04½. Cash close on track: No. 1 Northern, \$2.80@2.90; No. 2 Northern, \$2.80@2.90; No. 3 Northern, \$2.70@2.85; No. 3 yellow corn, \$1.73@1.75; No. 3 white oats, \$9.60@9.65; flax, \$3.46.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Aug. 14.
Cattle—Receipts, 3,350; steers, \$5.50@9.00; cows and heifers, \$6.25@9.25; calves, \$6.25@12.50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; range, \$15.50@16.75. Sheep—Receipts, 700; lambs, \$11.25@14.50; ewes, \$4.00@7.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 14.
Wheat—Sept., \$2.04. Corn—Dec., \$1.15½; May, \$1.13½. Oats—Sept., 57½¢; Dec., 57½¢; May, 61½¢. Pork—Sept., \$42.90. Butter—Creameries, 39@39½¢. Eggs—32@33½¢. Poultry—Springs, 20@25¢; fowls, 17½@20½¢.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Aug. 14.
Choice timothy, \$18.00; No. 1 timothy, \$16.50@17.25; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$16.50@17.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$16.50@17.25; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild; \$16.50@17.25; choice upland, \$17.00; No. 1 upland, \$16.50@17.00; No. 1 midland, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 alfalfa, \$23.00@23.75.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 14.
Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; steers, \$8.00@14.50; cows and heifers, \$4.60@12.25; calves, \$9.00@14.00. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; light, \$15.85@17.55; mixed, \$15.90@17.70; heavy, \$15.85@17.60; rough, \$15.05@16.15; pigs, \$11.50@14.70. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; native, \$7.75@11.15; lambs, \$10.00@15.70.

Patriotic Uncle Fred.

We don't believe in criticising the words of others, whose opinion is contrary to ours, and we have all the respect in the world for the man whose opinion is given in good faith and when founded upon reason, but we will not, under no circumstances, countenance any treasonable utterances against this government of ours. How long do you think a man would exist in Germany if he dared openly denounce the kaiser or his mandates, or by force or word try and resist his commands? Such conditions are unheard of in Germany, in Austria, in France, in England or any other foreign country. Diplomacy has won more victories than a lot of braggadocio or words of mouth and diplomacy will win today where a lot of shouting merely falls on empty ears.—Uncle Fred DuToit in Chaska Valley Herald.

Bank No. 1140.
Statement of the condition of the FARMERS' STATE BANK of Long Siding, Minn., at the close of business on July 25th, 1917.

RESOURCES—	
Loans and discounts	\$57,915.17
Overdrafts	710.46
Bonds and securities	1,000.00
Building House, Furniture and fixtures	6,081.04
Due from banks	\$5,309.12
Cash on hand	2,811.90
Total cash assets	8,121.92
Checks and cash items	157.39
Total	\$78,935.06

LIABILITIES—

Capital stock	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	2,500.00
Undivided profits	99.54
Notes rediscounted and bills payable (including certificates for money borrowed)	2,000.00
Deposits subject to check	\$15,956.49
Cashier's checks	519.50
Total immediate liabilities	16,475.99
Time certificates	42,859.73
Total deposits	59,335.72
Total	\$78,935.06

Amount of reserve on hand \$2,784.41
Amount of reserve required by law \$4,119.95

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Hennepin, ss:
We, Roy Quimby, President, and O. L. Bye, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
JOHN M. HAVEN, President.
O. L. BYE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of August, 1917.
(Seal)
Notary Public, Hennepin County, Minn.
My commission expires July 3, 1920.
CORRECT ATTEST:—(Two Directors)
JAS. H. HILL
LEO PETERS.

Bank No. 1122.
Statement of the condition of STATE BANK OF PEASE, Pease, Minnesota, at close of business on July 25th, 1917.
Date of report by bank July 30th, 1917.

RESOURCES—	
Loans and discounts	\$61,653.38
Overdrafts	184.72
Building house, furniture and fixtures	5,475.50
Due from banks	1,900.63
Cash on hand	2,042.67
Checks and cash items	3,943.30
Total	\$71,724.76

LIABILITIES—

Capital stock	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, net	707.52
Notes rediscounted and bills payable (including certificates for money borrowed)	6,000.00
Deposits subject to check	20,526.35
Cashier's checks	651.00
Total immediate liabilities	21,177.35
Savings deposits	5,785.40
Time certificates	26,054.49
Total deposits	53,017.24
Total	\$71,724.76

Amount of reserve on hand \$3,943.30
Amount of reserve required by law \$4,068.54

State of Minnesota, County of Kanabec—ss:
We, John M. Haven, president, and J. Toussaint, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
JOHN M. HAVEN, President.
J. TOUSSAINT, Cashier.
Correct Attest: JOHN M. HAVEN, C. M. WALL, two Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 1917.
(Seal)
Notary Public, Kanabec County, Minnesota.
My commission expires July 21, 1923.

School District Report.

Following is the treasurer's report of school district 15, Mille Lacs county, for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1917:

RECEIPTS.	
Cash on hand at the beginning of the year	\$266.51
Apportionment	330.61
Special tax collected	987.43
Local one-mill tax collected	84.24
Bonds and interest	.03
Special state aid	210.00
All other resources	28.00
Total receipts for the year	\$1,916.82

DISBURSEMENTS.