

Sporting

North-Cop. Standing.

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Calumet	85	50	32	.636
Houghton	80	50	30	.625
Winnipeg	84	49	35	.583
Duluth	85	46	39	.541
Lake Linden	85	36	49	.424
Fargo	84	33	51	.392

Houghton Won.

Houghton, Aug. 24.—Houghton kept up its race for the pennant by licking Lake Linden. The score:

Lake Linden	3	4	5
Batteries:	Lake Linden, Balliet and Kurke; Houghton, Hastings and Smith.		

Leaders Licked.

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—The Peggars took the league leaders into camp yesterday, as follows:

Winnipeg	5	5	3
Calumet	2	5	5
Batteries:	Winnipeg, Terry and Voss; Calumet, Rogers and Mutter.		

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

American League.

Philadelphia 6, Detroit 7, (10 innings.)	
Boston 1, St. Louis 3.	
New York 3, Cleveland 1.	
New York 3, Cleveland 4.	
Washington 1, Chicago 1.	

National League.

Pittsburg 7, New York 3.	
Chicago 5, Philadelphia 3.	
St. Louis 8, Boston 1.	

American Association.

St. Paul 3, Louisville 1.	
Milwaukee 0, Columbus 2.	
Toledo 3, Kansas City 0.	
Toledo 4, Kansas City 9.	
Minneapolis 0, Indianapolis 1.	

GIRL TWIRLER.

Pennsylvania Has a Girl Pitcher Who Is a Whirlwind.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 24.—What do you think of a twirler who is a girl and who really pitches big league ball?

Perhaps some day Cy Young and Christie Mathewson will give way to a pleasant faced young lady who will proceed to make the batters puncture the air with holes and simply froth at their inability to solve her delivery.

The prodigy of the season is Miss Carrie Meyer, who recently accomplished the remarkable feat of pitching eight innings for the Moxies and shutting out the strong Temperance team. Miss Meyer allowed her opponents but two hits.

Eight thousand people cheered as inning after inning good batsmen struck out or popped little flies to the infield. A deceptive out curve and drop ball proved their undoing.

Although of a stock build, she possesses the typical baseball player's appearance, but does not pose for the grand stand.

Only 17 Years Old.

But 17 years of age, Miss Meyer started in as a baseball player when quite young. Practicing with her brother she acquired the knack of sending in a drop ball and later developed an outshoot. Her forearm

is powerful, the muscles standing out prominently, and enables her to throw swiftly and field finely. Lithe and active, she has fully demonstrated the fact that all the awkwardness of the usual throwing of a ball by a woman can be fully eliminated.

Her slow balls are most deceptive. In the first inning the heavy hitters of the Temperance team were inclined to be easy with the female wonder, but in the second inning attempted to make up for the carelessness and were unable to do so.

Time and again the Temperance boys fanned the air until their backs ached.

Good at Batting, Too.

At the bat Miss Meyer displays the same splendid judgment she does while in the pitcher's box.

One of the two runs scored by the Moxies was due to her base hit, made in the fourth inning. It was one of those safe cracks too high for the second baseman to reach and too far in for the centerfielder to reach. It was a good, sound smack and set the large crowd wild.

Miss Meyer refuses to run bases, so that another member of the team is always ready to run for her.

To Study Music.

While at home Miss Meyer plays for her own amusement, but while away she demands money. With her earnings so far this season she will study music in New York during the coming winter. Although a musician of ability, it is her aim to become perfect in the art.

Much of Miss Meyer's ability as a baseball player is due to the practice she obtained while a student at the Keystone State Normal school. It was during her school days that her spare time was given to athletics. The all around exercise was used to good advantage and made her a favorite with all the other students.

So far this season Miss Meyer and her brother have been the star batteries in six games, winning four.

Cheap Player.

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 24.—The lowest price ever paid for the release of a baseball pitcher is believed to be the consideration paid by C. J. Danher of the New Haven team to J. J. Madison, president of the Holyoke, Mass., club, for the transfer of Carson C. Hodge, the Holyoke pitcher, to the New Haven team.

"What is your price for Hodge?" said Danher to Madison at the league meeting.

"I will sell him for a quarter," said Madison.

"Taken," said Danher, and Madison wrote on the back of an envelope: "I hereby sell Carson C. Hodge to C. J. Danher for the sum of 25 cents."

He signed the contract, Danher paid the quarter and the deal closed.

Now Hodge refuses to abide by the arrangement and Tommy Dowd, the team captain, is backing him up. A league complication is likely to result.

NORTH-COP SCHEDULE.

Fargo at Home With	
Calumet Aug. 24, 25, 26.	
Houghton, Aug. 23, 29, 30.	
Duluth at Home With	
Lake Linden, Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 3.	
Calumet at Home With	
Houghton, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 3.	
Lake Linden, Aug. 24, 25, 26.	
Winnipeg at Home With	
Duluth, Aug. 24, 25, 26.	
Lake Linden, Aug. 28, 29, 30.	
Fargo, Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 3.	

Tom Watson a Red-Headed Man.

Washington Star: A typographical error has raised a question in New York as to the color of Tom Watson's hair. It is red. He is a red-headed man both as to poll and temperament. His politics is red-headed. He was a red-headed populist and while he remained a populist he was the red-headed member of the organization. He is again a democrat and a red-headed champion of Hoke Smith for governor of Georgia. His vocabulary is red-headed. Whether praising friends or denouncing his enemies he sees red and talks and writes red. First and last and in every way he is a "warm" proposition. The color of his hair is the index to the man. Not unlikely the heat of this summer is in part due to the fact that Mr. Watson is again in political eruption.

Cottage for Rent.

Four room cottage near north side school. \$10 per month. Inquire of Morton & Co.

Jamestown.

Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 23.—To The Forum: Mrs. E. B. Dewey spent last week in Fargo doctoring with an oculist and returns home much encouraged. She is assured that she is in no danger of losing her sight. Mrs. Branch accompanied her and visited old friends.

The voice of the merry-go-round is heard in the land.

The city is full of lazy—no, we should say idle, men, waiting for a job? Some of them are evidently seeing the country. The mayor has meanwhile increased the police force. Farmers are paying \$2 a day for shockers, but the job these men are looking for must have \$2.50 or better attached to it.

Building is still in evidence. H. E. Proctor's new residence is the latest to begin to assume proportions. It is in a fine location, and will add to that already attractive block. The high school is finished and ready for the furniture. The Orady and Lutz blocks begin to fill up with their occupants. The Ellis building rises, and the lower floor is already engaged for business.

The fine new \$50,000 N. P. depot is at the brickyard yet, and the crowds of people who change cars here every

WHY DO YOU DEPEND ON A SIGN OVER YOUR DOOR, OR IN YOUR WINDOW?

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Rates for Classified Advertising: One-half cent a word per insertion after first insertion; 25 cents for first insertion of any ad up to 25 words—then one cent a word.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Press feeder for Platen press. The Porte Co.

WANTED—A good job printer. Gazette, Wahpeton, N. D.

WANTED—A good printer by Saturday. J. E. Sedar, Cooperstown, N. D.

WANTED—An errand boy and an office clerk at Walker Bros. & Hardy. Steady job.

WANTED—At once, a good all around butcher. Address D. Sumner, LaMoure, N. D.

WANTED—A first class meat cutter at once. Good wages, good tools. C. M. Kribbs, Wimbledon, N. Dak.

WANTED—At once, two carpenters for rest of season. 215 Tenth street north. Phone 338-M. Geo. A. Anderson.

WANTED—Good strong boy, who is not afraid of work, to run errands and help with mail. Apply at Forum office.

WANTED—Men to drive dray, good wages. Call at Farr's dray office, Magill block, or 909 Seventh street south.

WANTED—Man to run elevating grader, one who has had experience. Address T. Twichell or L. L. Twichell, 610 Front street, Fargo.

WANTED—Men solicitors, good pay, steady employment, call 6:30 to 8 p. m., 706 First avenue south. Birchall flats, room 7, D. M. Roberts.

WANTED—Printer for country newspaper, change to set straight matter and change ads. Honesty and reliability main features. Sentinel, Marlon, N. D.

WANTED—A warehouse man, one acquainted with farm machinery and repairs. A resident of Fargo preferred. Merchants' Storage & Transfer Co., Fargo, N. D.

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Splendid opportunity just now. Illustrated catalogue free. Modern Barber college, Minneapolis, Minn. Established 1892.

WANTED—Printer for country office. Good wages for competent services. No booze or cigarette fiend can hold job. Address, stating qualifications and wages wanted, Publisher, care Forum.

PRINTER WANTED—All round man, single preferred. Must be sober and able to do all kinds of work usually required in country office. Good wages and steady job to right party. Apply to The Courier, Cooperstown, N. D.

WANTED AT ONCE—A young married couple, accustomed to farm life. Man to chore around during harvest and threshing. Wife to help with general housework. Wages \$60 a month for good help. Give references. W. O. Pickard, Niagara, N. D.

POSITION WANTED.

LADY bookkeeper and stenographer will be at liberty Sept. 1. Address 401 Ninth street north, Moorhead.

Real Estate.

Stop—Why Go to Canada?

When you can get free homesteads in the beautiful "Golden Valley" Fifteen townships will be open for filing on March 20. Soil, black loam with clay subsoil, excellent water, climate very mild; stock run at large all winter. Railroad lands at \$3 to \$12.50 per acre adjoining your homestead. Free fare, free living and hotel till to a purchasing one-quarter of railroad lands adjoining homestead, which will be shown you free of all cost except the filing fee. If you come soon you can get your choice from six to sixty miles on either side of main line of N. P. Railway. Free coal. Call upon or address

GEORGE H. PURCHASE,

BEACH, NORTH DAKOTA.

day stand around on the streets and crowd the tourists in the park for want of suitable accommodations, which is not ideal on a hot August day.

The N. P. roundhouse is being enlarged to accommodate the longer engines.

The new gas company have a gang of men at work laying gas mains and are rushing their work to be ready to furnish the city with heat and light before cold weather. Cement sidewalk manufacturers have their hands full, and the improved streets are the result.

The Congregational church have been making extensive repairs on their building and will be ready to entertain the state association Sept. 25-27.

Slaughter.

Slaughter, N. D., Aug. 23.—To The Forum: M. Spangberg has returned from his trip to Sweden. He was gone several months.

Charley Anderson of the Wilton Mercantile Co. was a visitor here last week.

The hot winds of last week ripened the grain so rapidly that all fields ripened at once. Then when the farmers were working night and day to harvest it, a nice, gentle rain started

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Competent girl to cook at Darrow hospital, Moorhead.

WANTED—At once at Prescott hotel, two first-class dining room girls.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, 614 Ninth avenue south.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, 1205 Fourth avenue south.

BARBER WANTED—At once, steady job, \$15 per week and half over \$25. F. Cooper, Hampden, N. D.

WANTED—Intelligent young lady. Good chance to learn nursing. Darrow hospital, Moorhead.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, small family, good wages, 914 Fourth avenue south.

WANTED—Girls and cooks; good positions. W. A. Ristvedt, employment agent, Savings & Loan building, phone 1388.

GOOD LADY COOK, for restaurant or hotel, wanted at once; good wages. Will pay transportation. O. C. Bottger, York, N. D.

WANTED—Experienced girl compositor, straight matter only. Position to be filled at once. Apply, stating experience and wages desired, to The Gazette-News, Park River, N. D.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; modern house, two in family, no children, washing done by machinery, good wages. Call 917 Seventh street south, or phone 1110-M.

WANTED—Experienced operators on power machines to make pants, shirts and Mackinaw coats. Best prices, good treatment and well ventilated factory. Good pay. Address Dacotah Manufacturing Co., 97 east Fifth street, St. Paul, Minn.

ROOM AND BOARD OFFERED.

Room and board to be obtained at Mrs. F. A. Paige, 321 Tenth street south.

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WANTED—Board and room, by young gentleman of good habits, must be homelike and home cooking. Address H. B., care Forum.

FOR RENT.

Rooms Furnished, S. S.

FOR RENT—Choice furnished room in modern house, four blocks from postoffice, September 1. Apply 914 Fifth avenue south.

FOR RENT.

Houses, N. S.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, north side, near school and car line; electric lights; \$20. Apply Watkins, Dakota Business College.

FOR RENT—New 8-room house, basement, clster, pump in kitchen. Between Ninth and Tenth streets on Seventh avenue north. Enquire 415 Fourth avenue north.

FOR RENT.

Rooms Furnished, N. S.

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms in Duncan block.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern. 361 Eighth avenue south.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, strictly modern home, private family; \$8 per month. 702 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern house, by Sept. 1. Prices \$8 and \$10; 1021 First avenue north.

FOR RENT.

Offices.

SUITE of rooms with vault, in Magill block. Call Pierce & Tenneson.

FOR RENT—Office rooms, Morris block, Front street. Phone 672-L.

BASEMENT OFFICE for rent, also fine large room on third floor. Fargo National bank.

FOR RENT STORE.

FOR RENT—Large store building, with or without upstairs. Enquire at 500, care Forum.

FOR RENT—Store building at Park River, N. D. E. B. Woodard, 602 Front street, Fargo.

This is the third day of rain and the farmers are anxiously watching for it to clear up.

Mrs. Anderson, sister of J. E. Ecklund, is visiting her sons on their farm here.

The children of Mr. McCullough, who lives south of here, are quite ill. Last Sunday the little children of Charley Hanson of Grass Lake were playing with matches and set fire to his hay. The fire communicated to the barn and that was burned, with 200 bushels of feed. The house was with difficulty saved. The loss on the barn was about \$1,000; insurance \$600.

It is our sad duty to report the death of little Irma, the 9-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ecklund. She was sick only a day and her mother is almost prostrated with grief over the death of her little one. Little Irma was a bright, lovable child and was at the interesting age when she was beginning to walk and

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow. Enquire Stanford's feed store.

FOR SALE—Nice clean old papers, 15 cents per hundred at Forum office.

FOR SALE—Double barrel shotgun at a bargain, nearly new. Call 915 Eleventh avenue north.

FOR SALE—Horse and Columbus phaeton at bargain. D. C. Tufts, 387 Eighth avenue south.

FOR SALE—A two-seat hunting wagon, newly painted and in good condition. Apply at 118 Broadway, or phone 355-L.

FOR SALE—Family horse and Stanhope buggy and pony, and child's cart, harness and saddle, 520 Eleventh street south.

IF you don't find the house or room here to suit you, advertise for it. Hundreds of people are watching this column for you ad.

FOR SALE—Cass county maps, showing names of owners of every quarter section. By express, \$1.75 for paper, \$3.25 for cloth backs.

FOR SALE—Ten pointers, fine working stock, none better. Eligible to registration. A. A. Twichell, Tower City kennels, Tower City, N. D.

IF you want a good hunting dog, that has had three weeks' work this year and an elegant hunter, every dog guaranteed, write J. Furcht, Wimbledon, N. D.

FOR SALE—A few of those celebrated sets of Forum dishes. \$5 pays for the set and The Daily Forum six months in advance—if your arrears are paid.

FOR SALE—Olds runabout, 1903 model has been thoroughly overhauled and many improvements made. Now in fine running order and first-class shape. Will sell cheap or trade for city lots. Address Oldsmobile, care Fargo Forum.

FOR SALE—Candy floss machine, made by Empire Cream Separator Co. Turns sugar into threads of silky sweetness, looking for all the world like cotton, yet not sticky. It's a big money maker. Owner will sell at half price because he has not time to give to management. Anyone who can follow up fairs or carnivals from town to town, can clear \$20 to \$50 per day above expenses. Address W. 27, care Forum.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Pleasant, well located rooms in half store, dressmaker preferred. Mrs. J. Kopleman, 810 Front street.

FOR RENT—Whole or part of 8-room house, furnished, half block from street cars, good neighborhood. Address M. G., care Forum.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE. FOR SALE or exchange for farm lands, some of the best residences in Fargo on Eighth and Ninth streets south. Address or apply to The Farmers' Land Co., 612 Front street, Fargo, N. D.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED TO RENT—By Oct. 1, six to eight-room house, must be modern. Box 172, Fargo P. O.

WANTED—Two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address X-10, care Forum.

TWO OR THREE unfurnished rooms wanted for light housekeeping, steam heated. Address E. M., care Forum.

WANTED TO RENT—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping in dwelling or flat (steam heated). Address L-5, Forum.

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three rooms in dwelling for light housekeeping. Unfurnished preferred. Address Chas. S. Foster, city.

FOR A TERM of years, half-section land, with good buildings, within three miles of Fargo or Moorhead, cash rent. Address Farmer, Box 620, City.

WANTED TO RENT—One large or two medium sized rooms, furnished or unfurnished, in a modern house on south side, by young married couple. Rooms where board can be secured preferred. Address or call at 813 First avenue north.

WILL EXCHANGE.

A GOOD residence property and store building, clear, in a booming town in Iowa to trade for land. Address Jay Tennant, Rockwell City, Iowa.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Boilers to re-flue, engines to rebuild; first-class work, guaranteed. Once a customer always a customer. Give us a trial order. Call or address Northwestern Iron works, S. A. Hann, proprietor, Churchs Ferry, N. D.

ALL KINDS of men's second hand clothing and shoes. Send postal Naftalin Bros., 314 Front street.

talk. Mr. and Mrs. Ecklund have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. The funeral will be held at the home next Sunday afternoon.

NOTICE—WE WILL BUY

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