

## The Bismarck Tribune.

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## THE DAILY TRIBUNE.

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## THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE.

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The Bismarck Tribune is the oldest newspaper in the state—established June 11, 1873. It has a wide circulation and is a desirable advertising medium. Being published at the capital of the state it makes a feature of state news, of a semi-official character, and is therefore particularly interesting to all who desire to keep the run of state affairs—political, social and business.



The growth of the state of North Dakota is shown, although inadequately, in the assessment returns. A few years ago the total valuation of property in the state for purposes of assessment was barely more than a hundred millions. Indications are now that the total this year will approximate \$145,000,000. These figures, of course, are far below the real value of property in the state, but show proportionately how the state is growing. An increase of seven millions of dollars in the real estate valuation of the state over last year is considerable under the circumstances, although the average assessed value of the land in the state, \$3.24, which includes the rich Red river valley lands, shows that the real estate valuation nowhere near approached the real value of the land. Still, the gradual increase in the assessed value of the state, is a hopeful sign, and will afford the state an increase in its revenues necessary to keep pace with the growth and additional expenses of the state.

"Governor" arises is receiving many nice compliments from newspapers through the state, and if an early frost does not catch his boom it promises to achieve a good headway when the campaign for nominations opens next year.

## WILL SHOW LARGE INCREASE.

Assessed Valuation of Property in the State Will Show Large Increase Over Figures of Assessment Last Year.

The total valuation of property in the state will show a large increase over the figures of last year. Railroad valuation has been increased about two millions and real estate has been increased nearly seven millions over the figures as equalized by the state board last year. The real estate equalization was completed by the state board at noon today, and the following figures are taken from the completed returns:

Total valuation as returned by the county board, \$86,861,994.

Total valuation as equalized by state board, \$91,247,235.

Increase over county returns, \$4,385,241.

Increase over returns as equalized by state board last year, \$6,854,444.

The increases made by the state board were as follows: In lands exclusive of structures, \$3,867,200. In town and city lots, \$70,176. In structures on lots \$292,094. Structures on lands were decreased \$41,894.

The average value of land as equalized is \$3.24.

The average value of land in unorganized counties is raised from 35 to 53 cents, and the valuation is increased from \$64,874 to \$562,529.

The board is working on personal property this afternoon. The equalization will probably not be completed until next week.

John Miller was shot and killed by a hobo at Minot. Three men have been arrested.

## APPETITE'S POOR

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## MARCONI WIRELESS.

Great Fortunes to be Founded in the New System.

When Alexander Graham Bell patented and perfected his telephone the skeptics were loud in their derision of the "toy." Nevertheless, Bell found believers, and those believers were rewarded for their faith by immense fortunes. Gardner G. Hubbard, the father-in-law and faithful friend of Bell, was the man who risked the most and gained the greatest rewards in backing Bell and the telephone until it reached the stage where the public no longer derided the instrument as a plaything, but clamored for it as a necessity. In the Marconi wireless telegraph there is a parallel of history. Just now in the formative and constructive period there are doubters and skeptics, but there are some faithful friends, and it is these friends and faithful ones who are going to reap the fortunes that are bound to follow the general adoption of the wireless system. The great advantage of this system over that using wires and cables is its extremely low initial cost, which relieves the company operating it of a large burden of interest, taxes and depreciation, thus increasing its earning capacity many fold.

Those who are investing in the stock of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of America today are the ones who are certain to win great fortunes by the future increase in value of those stocks, as well as through the dividends earned and paid in the interim. Bell Telephone stock increased in value from \$1.00 per share to be worth over \$1,000 per share, and so Marconi stocks will very likely increase from \$4.00, the present price, to over \$1,000 within a few years. Thus \$80 invested now may become \$20,000 within a decade. It is by wise investments such as these that the great fortunes of the big millionaires have been made. The Vanderbilts in railroads, the Goulds in telegraphs and railroads, the Mackays in cables, the Rockefellers in Standard Oil, the Hubbards in telephones. The man who has a few hundred dollars laid away to invest and who has the intelligence to grasp a fleeting opportunity will be the one to seize the Marconi offering and make his fortune.

"The Weekly Marconigram" is the name of a periodical devoted to the new wireless system, and its publishers, Messrs. Munroe & Munroe, 44-60 Exchange Place, New York, announce that it will be sent free to all who apply for it.

This firm is known as an aggressive, enterprising combination of brilliant young financiers who have a successful career behind them as a guarantee of their future. They have agreed to keep the Marconi Company supplied with working capital until the system is thoroughly established and in full commercial operation. They have issued a handsome booklet, "Marconi Wireless," giving full particulars concerning Marconi and his system, with 32 illustrations in half-tone, which they send free to persons likely to become interested as stockholders in the company.

Mr. George H. Munroe, New York manager of the firm, says: "We are soliciting the investment of small amounts in Marconi securities for the reason that we believe that the American people will welcome the establishment of this competing system, and because we know that great profits will accrue to the investor from the development of this marvelous invention to a commercial stage. The company has already over a quarter of a million dollars invested in stations and apparatus in the United States, but it will require at least as much more before the business can be established upon a highly profitable basis. Once that is done the value of Marconi securities must necessarily advance very rapidly, and those who buy now will in the course of a few years find themselves in possession of securities equally as profitable as Telephone, Western Union and Commercial Cable have heretofore been. If anybody wants to know more about the opportunities this system offers, let him write to us, at 44-60 Exchange Place, and we will be glad to give them."

## The Cattle Market.

Dickinson Press: The beef market is fully 23 per cent cheaper today than it was a year ago, which fact has caused a big depreciation in the values of stock cattle during the last six weeks. A native 2-year old steer that sold for \$35 early in the spring would not sell for more than \$30 now, and a Minnesota steer of the same age that sold here last spring for \$27 would sell now for about \$22. The stockmen who bought on the high market of last year are in the same boat and those who bought on time and are forced to sell this fall will find, after straightening up their bank accounts, that their profits are small. The men who will really come out ahead this year are those who have been breed-

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ing their own cattle or who have only bought stockers when they could be had on a basis of a four-cent beef market. There is a good profit in four-cent beef, and it is not likely that any good beef cattle will be sold at a less price this season and some of the top grass stuff may bring a nickle more. The rain of the past week will help the hay crop and will freshen up the feed so that beef cattle will not need to be shipped until they are in prime condition.

## After the "Sportsmen."

Grand Forks Herald: The reports from all sections of the state are to the effect that the prairie chicken crop will be larger this year than usual. The season for prairie chickens opens on Sept. 1st and continues to Oct. 15. Under the new law it is unlawful to kill more than twenty-five chickens in one day or to sell, expose for sale or have in possession with intent to sell, ship or sell any prairie chicken. Hunters' permits will also be necessary and can be secured of county auditors at 75 cents per resident permits. Game Warden Hale, of the First District, has appointed a large number of deputies and they have been carefully selected from men who will make every effort to have every game law on the statute books lived up to. There is every reason to believe that there will be less hunting out of season this year than ever before.

## Kicks On the Horse.

Emmons County Republican: We have always had the highest regard for the Fargo Forum and its attaches, but if that best of state dailies allows many of its representatives to roam over this fair state of ours with nags as poor as the one driven into this town yesterday, we will be led to believe that the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals has gone out of business. The poor beast looked like a brush pile with a rag carpet over it. It may be possible that the Forum man had only the running gears of the nag with him this trip, and that the next time he comes we will see this fine Hambletonian in its entirety.

Go to Richholt's for your fresh fruit and ice cream.

Two tramps were fatally injured in a wreck on the Soo near Kenmare.

## New York Life Gets the Business.

The month of July just closed, the best month in the history of the company. Over 21,000 applications for more than 48 millions of insurance received during the month.

## THE MARKETS.

Opening, Range and Close of Grain Prices at Minneapolis, Chicago and Duluth.

Furnished by Coo Commission Co., First National Bank building, who have direct wires to Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago.

Aug. 8, 1903.

Chicago wheat	Chicago corn
Sept. 80 1/2	Sept. 72 1/2
Dec. 80 1/2	Dec. 72 1/2
May 82 1/2	May 75 1/2
Chicago oats	Minneapolis wheat
July 35 1/2	Sept. 81 1/2
Sept. 35 1/2	Dec. 81 1/2
Dec. 37 1/2	May 75 1/2

## Board of Health Notice.

The board of health of the city of Bismarck hereby declares that rank growing weeds along sidewalks, railroads and on vacant lots, within the city of Bismarck, are nuisances and dangerous to the public health; and property owners, their agents and householders are notified that such nuisances must be abated.

Chairman.

N. O. RAMSTAD

Health Officer.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 6, 1903.

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Northeast quarter.....	28	140	78	180	5.00
Northwest quarter.....	19	139	76	160	6.00
Northwest quarter.....	24	140	73	170	6.50
All of.....	17	144	74	640	5.50
All of.....	19	140	74	640	6.00
North half and southwest quarter.....	21	140	74	430	6.00
East one-half.....	29	140	74	320	6.00
North half and southwest quarter.....	35	140	73	480	6.00
All of.....	21	140	73	540	6.25
Southwest quarter.....	5	138	76	160	6.00
Northwest quarter.....	25	112	79	160	7.00
Northwest quarter.....	25	143	76	160	8.50
Southwest quarter.....	8	139	81	160	5.00
Northwest quarter.....	6	139	86	140	7.00
West half and southeast quarter.....	34	143	78	480	8.50
South one-half.....	9	138	72	320	5.00
East one-half.....	17	138	72	320	5.00

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## Good Idea.

If you have invented something—useful, novel, new—and it is patentable, it will be well not to overlook the fact that there is good money in patented devices if properly promoted. The first thing an inventor should do is to ascertain if his invention is new and patentable. M. H. Jewell, of the Bismarck Tribune, who is a regularly registered patent attorney, will attend to all patent matters that may be intrusted to his care.

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