

of THE MISSOURI SLOPE

Special Service — **Being News, Notes and Notations of Events Concerning The Western North Dakota Region.** — **By Wire and Mail**

SLOPE FARMER HAS A FINE FLAX FIELD

Sentinel Butte, N. D., Aug. 8.—John Snyder of Sentinel Butte has one of the finest fields of flax on the slope at his farm eight miles from Sentinel Butte. The field contains 300 acres and all who have looked it over are of the opinion that when harvested it will run twenty or more bushels to the acre.

The grain stands nearly two feet high and the heads are filled out to the limit. Mr. Snyder's field of flax is a fine sample of what can be raised in western North Dakota by careful farming. It is believed that flax will go to \$3 per bushel this fall.

MONTANA MAN COMES HERE AFTER HIS HAY

Bowman, N. D., Aug. 8.—R. H. Rutter of Miles City spent several days in town last week viewing the farms in regard to the hay crop. Mr. Rutter is in the market for 500 tons.

The wool market has closed for this season at Bowman, the final shipment of clip being made Tuesday. A total of 450,000 pounds was marketed here this season, which means that there was distributed among the wool growers in the vicinity of Bowman \$90,000,000, the market price being 20 cents per pound.

NEW LOGAN COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Napoleon, N. D., Aug. 8.—The new republican county central committee elected at the June primary election is composed of the following members:

M. W. Kelly, John Wentz, R. S. Miller, Herman Hardt, J. C. Ryan, August Sukut, John Haag and John Bellon.

In the Burnstad precinct no choice was had, there being four men who received but one vote each; hence a vacancy exists at that point which will have to be filled by the committee. The newly elected members will meet here on Monday and organize by electing officers for the ensuing two years.

MEDORA MAN LASSOED COYOTE NEAR RANCH

Medora, N. D., Aug. 8.—Riding home from town Sunday night, Willis Pissler lassoed a two-thirds grown coyote near the ranch.

He saw the animal at some distance as he was riding, and not being heeled with a complement of shooting irons, prepared his rope for a cast. When near enough he spilled the loop over him (in the picturesque language of the poetic cowpuncher). Instead of fighting for his life, the animal signified his submission by putting his four feet as high in the air as possible. Willis then put his foot on the coyote's neck and won the fight on his own decision.

MYSTERY STILL SURROUNDS TUMA'S DEATH AT DICKINSON

Dickinson, N. D., Aug. 8.—The coroner's jury in the case of Albert Tuma, the tinner whose body was found floating in the N. P. dike, had the stomach of the dead man sent to chemists at the university of North Dakota for analysis and this week received a report of the work. The chemists state that no poison or other chemical was found in the stomach which could have caused Tuma's death.

This case is one of the most mysterious in the history of the country. There was no scratch or abrasion upon the body and the physicians found no water in the lungs, the stomach has revealed nothing, and the jurymen are at a complete loss as to what cause to ascribe the man's death.

Those who were with Tuma when he went to the dike have gone through a dozen sweepings by local officials and a Pinkerton detective, and while the stories do not coincide in every particular, there is no ground for a murder charge.

As a result, of what agency did Tuma die and what became of his money? Stark county has spent nearly \$800 trying to find out.

CHILD STRAYED FROM HER HOME

Washburn, N. D., Aug. 8.—The little four-year-old son of M. Sawyer of Driscoll, while visiting with his parents at Dr. Sawyer's home in Washburn strayed away while playing about eleven o'clock Monday morning. The family began to search for him and about two o'clock he was found three miles down the railroad track east of town.

Miss Clara Hunkler was taken to the St. Alexius hospital at Bismarck on Tuesday with typhoid fever. Mrs. Horner, who accompanied her sister to Bismarck, states that Miss Clara is in a very low condition.

SLOPE PEOPLE AT THE BISMARCK HOSPITALS

Glen Ullin, N. D., Aug. 8.—Fred Just, who has been under treatment for his eyes at the St. Alexius hospital at Bismarck for the past three weeks, returned here on Wednesday in a much improved condition.

W. P. Dean, formerly principal of Washburn schools, has accepted a position at Lansford, Bottineau county, where they are starting a new state high school in a new six room brick school building.

HETTINGER AND LEMMON KICK ON CONSERVATION

Hettinger, N. D., Aug. 8.—As a result of a meeting of delegates from every town in the Lemmon land district, held at Lemmon, P. D. Norton of Hettinger and Logan Berry of Lemmon will leave next week for Beverly, Oyster Bay and Washington, at which points they will meet President Taft, ex-President Theodore Roosevelt and Fred Dennett, commissioner of the general land office, in an endeavor to get the recent sweeping executive order in regard to coal lands either rescinded or modified.

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MIXED TRAINS RUNNING ON NEW SOUTH BRANCH

Mott, N. D., Aug. 8.—Mixed trains are now running on the new south branch of the N. P. to Cannonball, carrying some freight and passengers. Steel is laid as far as Flasher, 55 miles from Mott, and work is being continued at the rate of four miles a day by two gangs. At this rate it will bring the track to Mott about September 15th.

The big bridge over Thirty Mile is about finished, and the material for the Spring creek bridge is on the ground. The latter will be short work, as the abridgement is a small one.

The Flasher Hustler intimates there may be pigs in Flasher, but no "blind" ones.

The annual Sunday school convention at Napoleon was a success.

Mercer is without a hotel and wants one bad.

Bowman is making big strides in the building line.

The editor of the Mercer County Republican has been remembered with donations of hot biscuits, honey and new potatoes, and does not know there are any hard times.

The Hettinger board of education will provide transportation for pupils living outside the city.

Splendid crops are reported in the

vicinity of Wolf Butte, Hettinger county.

Mandan will hold a special election to vote on the question of a new water system.

F. P. Roby of Mandan has a record breaking garden for dry season.

C. C. Gray of Grafton may take the superintendence of the Mandan schools.

The Mandan News does not think the conservation of lignite coal will hurt the homesteaders.

The Carson Press has enlarged to a six column, eight page paper.

Jim Waddell had a narrow escape in a runaway accident at Glen Ullin, but got off with a broken ankle.

Shamley wants a creamery.

Wheat is running ten to twelve bushels to the acre in Hettinger county.

The Mott Pioneer Press wants a briquetting plant.

A guest went to sleep with a cigar in his mouth and nearly burned up the Mott hotel.

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The Preacher—I hope you are prepared to enter heaven.

The New Millionaire—Not unless it is easier than getting into society.

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Employment Agent—You say you used to thresh in Kansas—maybe I can get you a job on some farm.

Applicant—You misunderstand me. I'm a school teacher.

Complete Primary Election Returns From All Counties In the State

COUNTIES	U. S. Senator—Long Term	U. S. Senator Short Term	Representatives in Congress		Governor	Lieutenant Governor	Secretary of State	State Auditor															
			Alfred Blaisdell R	L. B. Hanna R	T. D. Casey D	M. A. Hildreth D	H. H. Asher R	J. A. Buchanan R	C. A. Johnson R	Geo. W. Wilson R	Frank Henry R	W. M. House R	P. D. Norton D	W. R. Voshburg R	D. K. Brightbill R	John Flittie R	Peter G. Rooks D						
Adams	582,429	50,9	296	515	12	227	365	349	220	171	31	89	10	125	305	59,13	456	316	13,490	75	11,359	339	12
Billings	744,816	134	9	588	21	457	781	687	281	275	83	719	17	18	823	405	27	108	19,286	212	19,947	868	19
Bowman	607,419	39,18	169	261	21	456	681	678	18	285	102	87	16	13	309	49	27	110	19,494	428	18,762	309	17
Bottineau	360,260	243	30,46	232	312	168	307	393	185	48	243	23	51	47	98	137	27	112	13,309	426	12,305	280	64
Cavalier	64,137	106	192	561	129	229	129	188	153	182	308	282	128	122	43	108	27	122	1,049	169	1,049	270	64
Dickey	559,803	104	104	604	104	604	688	598	242	242	50	126	246	21	220	265	27	122	1,049	604	1,049	270	64
Dunn	2,015,971	71	257	129	1,093	1,092	411	708	2,517	848	393	120	1,093	90	1,093	2,517	27	122	1,049	604	1,049	270	64
Eddy	218,863	7	8	56	21	21	21	21	138	138	106	106	128	128	128	128	27	122	1,049	604	1,049	270	64
Emmons	224,287	227	38	38	157	90	170	158	158	158	36	158	158	158	158	158	27	122	1,049	604	1,049	270	64
Foster	411,211	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	27	122	1,049	604	1,049	270	64
Griggs	61,199	139	98	694	139	139	621	1,501	645														