CORRESPONDENCE

DOUGLAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hoff of Makoti of last week.
Mrs. B. C. Grow of Makoti visited

Fargo last week.

secure financial aid for our school, un-less the funds are obtained, that we his store as our city and territory deare entitled to, the school must close.

Carl Holen went to Bismarck Satview his life's work with complete sat-

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Odegard and tained success after he had passed family returned last Friday from a few weeks visit with relatives in Min-life, however, he must have laid the

Oscar Gilbertson left for Fargo so well in his later years. The entire northwest mourns the demise of this little daughter.

The local W. C. T. U. is planning the planning has gone to his reward. for a silver medal contest in the near

COUNTY LINE

green last Monday on business.

cluding his mother.

Mr. H. C. Farris said he would raise people, in open meetings occasionally the amount to \$25. That's the kind and get their views and suggestions. of a spirit that counts. A very good time is reported.

The newly organized Christian Enown at the hall at Tagus last Monday Games were the principal lines of entertainment.

the past week.

Melvin and Clifford Hansen and Thurl Teeder spent Sunday with the

Hebig boys. O. C. Thoen and daughter Eva were

John Hebig were seen prospecting homes. around Blaisdell last Sunday. Better of Minot spend with the Indepe look out for the bull dog, boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Bredahl, Mr. and Mrs.

Hebig and Pete Schlecht spent Sunday afternoon at the Halgrimson home; also Miss Ida Swensrud.

SAWYER ITEMS

The High School girls entertained the High School boys at the Congregational church last Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

Sawyer was visited by safe blowers last Friday night. They blew up the safe in the postoffice, taking about \$200 in cash and about \$250 in

Fred Taylor from South Prairie you have been ordering from out-of-last week.

shopping trip to Minot last Friday.
Mr. Bailey accompanied them.
Mr. Cook Robinson has rented his garage to John Sandstrom of Foxholm. Cook Robinson has moved to Velva and will run a garage there.

"Cheer up. There's no hard times coming. It's just the soft time going," truthfully remarks the Minot MICKIE SAYS:

Velva and will run a garage there.

Ray Skinner and wife of St. Paul came to visit the Gerome family and other old time friends here.

Ole Englebretson made a business trip to Voltaire last Friday.

Walter Humes, who was badly burned in the fire caused by an explosion

of a kerosene can, just returned from the Minot hospital. J. A. Pitkin and family spent Sun day with the S. S. Streeper family

on South Prairie.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tofflemire left for Pocotello, Idaho, a few days ago.
Henry Gates and wife and babe returned to their home at Redmund, Or-

egon, after spending several weeks visiting relatives here. Mrs. Cavanaugh of Canada is visiting her mother, Mrs. Johnson, and sister, Mrs. Waldorf, at this place.

Rev. Earl, district superintendent of the Congregational church, conducted sorvices here.

ducted services here Sunday and will continue services every evening this

J. E. Harvey and son, brother-in-law and nephew of Mrs. F. N. Pitkin, called between trains on Monday.

meadow in Mountrail county. The case was tried in federal court in Minot before Judge Woodrough, who directed a verdict for \$1800 in favor of La Porte. The case will be tried again in October. McGee & Goss are attorneys for Black and Palda & Aaker for LaPorte. The appeal was argued before Judges Sar peal was argued before Judges San-born and Hook, circuit judges, and Munger, district judge. The opinion was written by Judge Munger.

Kathleen Carr Died Kathleen, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Carr, died Tuesday from heart trouble and pneumonia. The funeral was held from the Baptist church today at 2:30 p. m., Rev. C. I. Tingley officiating.

Additional Editorial

A USEFUL CITIZEN
The death of E. Ellison, pioneer
merchant, who passed away at his Mr. and Mrs. W. Hoff of Makoti home Wednesday, removes from our visited relatives here the latter part midst one of Minot's most lovable and useful citizens. The writer remem-bers well when Mr. Ellison arrived the Lester Severance family south of town a few days ago.

Rev. H. L. Anderson returned Wednesday from the conference held at with a limited capital and at the time G. Burgeson, A. D. Wartenbee
J. L. Larson went to Bismarck in a city of a little more than a city of a and J. L. Larson went to Bismarck in a city of a little more than a Monday morning. These gentlemen thousand population. Mr. Ellison went as a committee in an effort to proceeded carefully, feeling his way, urday to visit his wife, who is sick in is faction. Here is an example of a one of the hospitals there.

foundation for it, which served him

The city campaign this year is to be along business lines largely. The moral element will not enter much Frank Linster was over from Ever-into the campaign. A type of candidate will no doubt be selected who is Miss Rose Lauber, after completing expected to use his best efforts in law her visit here with friends, left the enforcement, anyway. The church fore part of last week for her home element will be satisfied to rally round a candidate with these qualifi-A number of friends and neighbors cations. Practically every property spent a pleasant evening at the Breadahl home last Wednesday, it being Mr. B.'s birthday.

Ed Schlecht left last Thursday for most reasonable assurance that he'll be pressented by the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well be reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll well the candidate who can give the candidate who can give the most reasonable assurance that he'll be presented to the candidate who can give the cand Minot and Velva, where he will visit work for some relief. The people will for about a week with relatives, in- support some hard headed business man for president if he will step for-Hi Huntington, after an absence of ward and show that he is willing to several months, is in the neighbor-hood again, for how long we are not can afford to take a position of this Miss Mary Halgrimson spent the and to do the work right will require much of his time. He should be in a week-end at the Swensrude home. much of his time. He should be in a

A nice sized crowd, notwithstanding position to run the business in the the bad roads, took in a dance last same manner he would conduct his Saturday night at the James Philamalee home, which was free, as far as itself goes, but \$17.00 was subscribed to the Wm. Lemke fund, and the would conduct his own and should be in a position to tell everybody who don't like his style to jump into the lake. He should talk scribed to the Wm. Lemke fund, and the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to the would conduct his own and should be in a position to tell everybody who don't like his style to jump into the lake. He should talk the affairs of the city over with the

deavor had a little time all of their is being expended. He should be conservative and economical, but not retroactive; should see that we get a dol-lar's worth for every 100 cents ex-Billy Grinlee has been confined to pended. If a man with these qualifihis bed with an attack of rheumatism cations can be brot forth, the people will rise up and call him blessed. During 1920, the Ward County Independent paid out in wages \$26,-475.63. This money was distributed at Berthold last Friday having dental among thirteen families and the money was either all spent here as It is reported that Mark Handy and living expenses or invested in Minot ohn Hebig were seen prospecting homes. The money which the people for advertising, job printing and sub-scriptions, remains in Minot. We it is returned to you, together with large sums that come from outside of the city. This might afford a little

A financial statement should

lished at least every three months. We

merely help to give it circulation and lesson in buying your printing at home. Not so many merchants send home. out of town for their printing as they formerly did, but still far away pastures always look green, and we are sorry to say that there are a few they do a little better by sending out stamps and War Savings stamps.

The robbers were traced as far as Minot but made their escape. The post-office was inspected by the P. O. inspected Saturday. of the city for their printing. spector Saturday.

Fred Taylor from South Prairie that will appreciate some of the work



Businessman's Lunch -at the-Doughnut Shop

40 Cents Flatiron Bldg., Minot

CHANNING H. COX



Lieut. Gov. Channing H. Cox of Massachusetts who was elected governor, to succeed Calvin Coolidge, vice president-elect.

Association of Commerce Bulletin.

Buy your seed now. Keep your money circulating. It's the loosening up, not the holding on that keeps our country prosperous.

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID Don't save the floral tributes Till the aching heart is still, And the tired hands are folded Submissive to His will. But scatter seeds of kindness Upon life's thorny bed. And while your friend is living, Let something good be said.

Don't magnify his failures Or rejoice at his downfall; Remember we are human And temptation comes to all. Don't waste the precious moments To eulogize the dead, But while your friend is living, Let something good be said.

Don't crowd another closer. That is pressed against the wall, But lend a hand to help him-Who knows when you may fall? Let Charity's soft mantle O'er faults and vices spread. And while your friend is living, Let something good be said. -Regina Elks' Magazine.

FOR SALE-About 400 bushels of good seed or feed oats on the A. E. Blocher farm 7 1/2 miles northeast of Surrey. Inquire of J. A. Wagoner, Surrey, N. D. 3/3-2t

FOR SALE-Pure Bred Barred Rock cockerels from prize-winning stock. \$3.00 each; two for \$2.50 each, standard weight. Arthur D. Lewis, Velva, N. D. Telephone on Sawyer

FARM FOR SALE-320 acres of the best land in Ward county, 3 miles from Minot. Price very low for quick sale; reasonable terms. Write owner, E. S. Taylor, Rapatee, Ill. 3-3-t3-cg

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLO-SURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That that certain mortgage, made, executed, and delivered by John T. Bowman and Sina Bowman, his wife, mortgagors, to German American State Bank of Bur-lington, N. D., mortgagee, dated May 1.

Sina Bowman, his wife, mortgages, to German American State Bank of Burlington, N. D., mortgagee, dated May 1, 1918, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ward County, N. D., on July 8, 1918, and duly recorded in the office of the mortgage assigned said mortgage to John Hunsen, said Assignment was dated May 1, 1918, filed for recorded for the Register of Deeds of Ward County, North Dakota in book 283, page 22, will be foreclosed by sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. on April 8. 1921. Default has occurred in the terms and conditions of said mortgage in this: That the mortgages and mortgage, declare the entire indebtedness due and payable. That the premises described as follows, to-wit: The Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter (SW NW NW) Northwest quarter (SW NW) Northwest quarter (NW) SW). Section twenty-seven (27), West half of the Northwest quarter (WW, NW) of the Northwes

JOHN HANSEN, Mortgagee. McGee & Goss. Attorneys for Mortgagee, Minot, N. D.

3/3-61 Report of the Condition of THE RESERVATION STATE RAWE at Makoti, in the State of North Dakota, at the close of business February 21st. 1921.

that the above statement is true, the best of my knowledge and belief. R. W. SERKLAND. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of February, 1921.

(Seal) RICHARD A. JOHNSON,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 15, 1927.

Report of the Condition of THE FOXNOLM STATE BANK at Foxholm, in the State of North Dakota, at the close of business February 21st, 1921.

Loans and discounts_____Overdrafts, secured and unsecured
Warrants, stocks, tax certificates, claims, etc.
Government issues
Banking house, furniture and Total \$176,684.30 A. P. SCOFIELD, Sheriff of Ward County, N. Dak.

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Total \$176,684.30

Capital stock paid in \$15,000.00
Surplus fund \$10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid \$3,968.18
Individual deposits subject to check \$23,554.23
Guaranty fund deposit \$145.18 posit 145.18
Time certificates of doposit 98,329.45
Cashier's checks outstanding 201.00
Bills payable
Liabilities other than those above stated: Reserved for taxes 201.00 122,229.86 25,000.00

State of North Dakota, County of Keep your to the loosenon that keeps on that keeps on that keeps on that keeps on that keeps of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN P. O'Leary, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN P. O'LEARY,

Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of March, 1921.

(Seal) W. E. TOOLEY,

Notary Public, Ward Co., N. D.

My commission expires May 30, 1926.

Correct. Attest:—
R. W. KANN,
JOHN P. O'LEARY, Directors.

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Report of the Condition of THE PARMERS STATE BANK at Des Lacs, in the State of North Dakota, at the close of business February 21, 1921.

Resources Loans and discounts..... Overdrafts, secured and unsecured secured
Warrants, stocks, tax certificates, claims, etc.
Government issues
Banking house, furniture and Banking house, furniture and fixtures
Other real estate
Current expenses, taxes paid, over undivided profits
Due from other banks
Checks and other cash items 222.77
Cash 572.83

Total Liabilities Capital stock paid in \$ 10,000.00 Surplus fund 300.00 Individual deposits Cashier's checks
outstanding
Notes and bills re-discounted
Bills payable

State of North Dakota, County

State of North Dakota. County of Ward. 8s.

I, J. C. Blaisdell., Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Li G. BLAISDELL, Jr., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March. 1921.

(Seal) J. C. BLAISDELL,

Notary Public, Ward Co., N. D.

My commission expires Oct. 16, 1926.

Correct. Attest:—

J. C. BLAISDELL, Jr.,

J. C. BLAISDELL, Directors.

Mo. 670 Report of the Condition of THE FIRST STATE BANK

Subscribed and sworn to before methis 28th day of February, 1921.

(Seal) W. E. GROSS,
Notary Public.

Correct. Attest:—
JAMES JOHNSON,
R. E. BARRON, Directors.

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Total

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Capital stock paid in ... \$1,22,155.17

Total

Total

Total

Total

Capital stock paid in ... \$1,000,00

Suplus fund

Capital stock paid in ... \$1,000,00

Suplus fund

Capital stock paid in ... \$1,000,00

Suplus fund

Cashier's check. \$26,616.66

Guaranty fund deposits

Subject to check. \$26,616.66

Guaranty fund deposit ... \$1,22.30

Cashier's check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,056.01

Cashier's check. \$26,056.01

Cashier's check. \$278.11 156,235.92

Bills payable

Total

Total

Total

Total

Subject to check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,656.01

Cashier's check. \$26,056.01

true, to belief.

County, North Dakota, and the person appointed by order of said court to make said sale, will sell the hereinafter described real property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the front door of the courthouse in the city of Minot, in said Ward County, North Dakota, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1921, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day to satisfy the amount due on said judgment with interest and costs thereon and the costs and expenses of such sale or so much thereof as the proceeds of such sale applicable thereto will satisfy.

The premises to be sold as aforesaid pursuant to said judgment and decree and to said witt and to this notice are situated in the County of Ward and State of North Dakota and are described in said judgment, decree and writ as follows, to-wit:

West 100 feet of Lots one (1) and two (2), Block two (2), Lynch's addition to Minot, according to the certified plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the register of deeds in and for Ward County, North Dakota.

Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1921.

A. P. SCOFIELD,
Sheriff of Ward County, N. Dak.

ADJOURNED MEETING BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Ward County, North Dakota.

February 25th, 1921.

The Board of County Commissioners of Ward County met at 2 P. M. February 25th, as per adjournment, in the county auditor's office in the City of Mipot, with the following members present: Commissioners Vandenoever, Toftner, Spicher, Haldi and Krantz.

Com. Krantz in the chair.

Several parties appeared before the Board in regard to rebate of taxes.

Moved by Com. Vandenoever seconded by Com. Haldi that the following applications for rebate of hall tax be accepted, approved and the auditor instructed to forward same to the State Tax Commission, at Bismarck, for their approval:

Application of C. F. Climes as to the S¹₂ Sec. 2, Twp. 155, Range 82.
Also application of Elizabeth L. Roise, as to the NW4 Sec. 25, Twp. 154, Range 83.

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Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Haldi seconded by Com. 1926.

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11 ash

12 ash

13 as to the NW4 Sec. 25, Twp. 154, Range 83.

Motion carried.

14 ash

Motion carried.

Motion carried.

Motion carried.

Motion carried.

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Motion carried.

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Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Haldi seconded by Com. Vandepoever, that the Board proceed to audit bills.

Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Toftner seconded by Com. Haldi that the following bonds for depositories of county funds be accepted, approved and placed on file:

Bond of Douglas State Bank with the Northwestern Trust Co., for \$5,000.

Bond of the Bank of Berthold with the Dakota Trust Co., for \$5,000.

Bond of the First State Bank of Burlington with the Dakota Trust Co., for \$5,000.

lington with the Dakota Trust Co., for \$5.000.

Motion carried.
Moved by Com. Toftner seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the board adjourn until 9 a. m., February 26, 1921.

Motion carried.

The Board met as per adjournment at 9 a. m., on above date, with all members present and Com. Krantz in the chair.

Moved by Com. Toftner seconded by Com. Haldi that Com. Spicher be authorized to take necessary steps to collect from the elevator at Burlington \$1781.82 due Ward county for, seed oats and hay sold by them in the spring of 1920.

Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Haldi seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the following application for rebate of taxes in general form of J. W. Rode as to the NW4 Sec. 36, Twp. 153, Range 86, be accepted and approved and the auditor instructed to forward same to the Tax Commissioner at Bismarck for their approval.

Motion carried.

Motion carried.

The Board spent the forenoon in looking up rebates of taxes, and at 12 o'clock adjourned to meet again at 2 P. M.

The Board met as per adjournment 2 P. M. on above date, with all mem-ers present and Com. Krantz in the

at 2 P. M. on above date, with all members present and Com. Krantz in the chair.

Moved by Com. Spicher seconded by Com. Toftner that all the banks in the county now operating and doing business, namely:

First National Bank, Kenmare.

Kenmare National Bank.

Des Lacs State Bank.

Farmers' State Bank of Des Lacs.

State Bank of Berthold.

Bank of Berthold.

Hartland State Bank.

Farmers' & Merchants' State Bank of Niobe.

Bank of Berthold.
Harttand State Bank.
Farmers' & Merchants' State Bank of Niobe.
First State Bank of Lone Tree.
First National Bank of Ryder.
Scandinavian American Bank of Minot.
Citizens Bank of Minot.
First International Bank of Minot.
Union National Bank of Minot.
Second National Bank of Minot.
First State Bank of Surrey.
First National Bank of Carpio.
First State Bank of Burlington.
Foxholm State Bank.
First National Bank of Makoti.
State Bank of Aurelia.
Sawyer State Bank.
First State Bank of Sawyer.
Douglas. State Bank.
Citizens' State Bank of Douglas.
Reservation State Bank of Burlington.
who furnish the Ward County Treasurer with surety bonds, will be designated \$5,000 each as sinking fund for one year, bearing 6 percent interest, and the Treasurer is hereby instructed to notify all banks of the designation and is instructed to file such depositories as funds become available, and bonds are furnished and approved by the Board.
On roll call the members voted as follows: Com. Vandenoever, yes. Com.
Toftner, yes. Com. Spicher, yes. Com. Haldi, yes. Com. Toftner seconded by Com. Vandenoever that the Second National Bank and the Union National Bank and the Union National Bank and First International Bank, all of Minot, be designated \$40,000 each additional, as checking account; and the Scandinavian American. Citiens Bank and First International Bank, all of Minot, be designated \$40,000 each additional, as checking account; provided surety bonds duly executed and approved by the Board are furnished.
On roll call the members voted as follows: Com. Vandenoever, yes. Com. Toftner, yes. Com. Spicher, yes. Com. Toftner, yes. Com. Spicher seconded by Com. Toftner that the following application of the provided by Com. Spicher seconded by Com. Toftner that the following application of the provided by Com. Spicher seconded by Com. Toftner that the following application of the provided by Com. Spicher seco

follows: Com. Vandenoever, yes. Com. Toftner, yes. Com. Spicher, yes. Com. Haldi, yes. Com. Krantz, yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Com. Spicher seconded by Com. Toftner that the following applications for abatement of hall tax be accepted, approved and the Auditor instructed to forward same to the State Tax Commissioner, at Bismarck, for approval:

proval:
Application of Martin Anderson as to the NE4 Sec. 33, Twp. 153, Range 84.
Also application of W. S. Gronninger as to the NE4 Sec. 31, Twp. 155, Range 84.

84. Motion carried.
Moved by Com. Toftner seconded by Com. Haldi that the requisition of A. P. Scofield, sheriff of Ward County, for \$25.00 of revenue stamps be accepted, approved and placed on file.
Motion carried.
Moved by Com. Vandenoever seconded by Com. Haldi that the following bills be allowed and the Auditor instructed to issue warrants upon the proper funds in payment of same:
Mrs. Mary Smith, care of insane
patient 15.00 patient \$ 15.00 Fred W. Nelson, mileage Moth-

Alfred Haldi, com. serv. and 70.20 W. Toftner, com. serv. and 47.60 Vandenoever, com. serv. and 126.25

J. W. Noble, road work.
Scandinavian American Bank, telegram and expense sending money 4.12 District Court Orders

County Court Orders Emily Zuzulin, steno. services____ 10.00 Motion carried. Moved by Com. Haldi, seconded by Com. Toftner, that the board adjourn until Monday, March 7th, 1921, at 2 P. M.

Motios carried. R. W. KENNARD, County Auditor

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