

## Warren Sheaf

J. P. MATTSON, Editor and Proprietor.

Legal advertisements at legal rates.  
PRICE, \$1.50 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

Oldest, newest and most widely circulated paper in Marshall County.  
Publishes all official proceedings of the County.

Thursday, December 14, 1899.

## Grain and Chaff.

### Lindberg & Lundgren.

The firm of Lindberg & Lundgren have surely contributed their share toward the upbuilding of Warren. For several years the two members, John Lindberg and Aug. Lundgren, were together in the brick manufacturing business, which was started by Aug. Lundgren in 1883. In 1887 they entered the farm machinery business, in which they have been very successful. They handle such standard machines as the McCormick Binders and Mowers, Advance Threshers, Flying Dutchman Plows, Stoughton Wagons, etc. During the past summer they have erected the handsome and substantial farm machinery depot shown in the illustration on another page.

### BLOOMER.

John Kittelson has been appointed chairman of the town board, in place of J. L. Gooler, who resigned and moved into Argyle.

George Douglass had four more horses condemned and one colt killed with the Glanders, and if they are killed it will take every horse he has got, eight in all; he had three killed last spring. George is unlucky, and has the sympathy of his fellow townsmen.

Miss Ettie Brady gave a school entertainment in Dist. No. 10, which was a grand success. It was a good program and was well rendered, and enjoyed by a full house.

John Kittelson has bought eighty acres of land of Peter Lonner.

The Middle River had gone too dry to please the settlers along the river. They made a dam across the mouth of it and our town board was called upon to have the same removed, but found, upon investigation, that it was just across the line in the town of Parker.

### Warren Flouring Mills.

#### A New Enterprise.

A new enterprise is the Warren Flouring Mills that just commenced doing business. The mill was erected the past summer and fall, and Hilleboe & Johnson are the proprietors. It is a modern mill in every respect, is run on the plan sifter system, and has four double stand roller mills, with a capacity of 80 bbls. daily. Having the latest improved machinery, it is capable of turning out the very best quality of flour that can be put on the market. Its brands are Grand Union, Warren Flouring Mills's Best and Baker's Choice.

L. M. Johnson, one member of the firm, has long experience in the business, and is the head miller, while the business end is looked after by J. S. Hilleboe, the other member of the firm. The other employees are: Gust Johnson, who tends the exchange business; P. O. Erickson, who runs the feed mill; P. A. Peterson, oiler and machine tender, and John Stromberg, who is the engineer. The mill will help to attract trade to Warren, and will doubtless prove a profitable investment to the enterprising proprietors.

### Towns 153-154, Range 46.

News from the townships in Polk Co., Minn., called "Norge."

On the 22nd day of November, some young people in this neighborhood got together and organized an Anti-tobacco union, which received the name "Fram." The whole union consisted of 15 members. Of course there were many people pressed while those 15 organized their union, who prophesied that it would not last a week. That they were mistaken is proved now, for on Dec. 2nd the union met again. They had a very interesting meeting, made some resolutions in regard to the future work of the union, put up a program for the next meeting and received nine new members. Thereupon the president of "Fram" made a speech in which he pointed out what a great and noble cause we were working for and proved his words by referring to

the statistics in regard to the amount of money spent for tobacco. There were also made some short addresses by some other members of Fram, whereupon the meeting was dismissed and all went home happy and well satisfied with the way they had spent the evening.

### GERMANTOWN, MINN.

Dec. 11, 1899.

#### EDITOR SHEAF:

Jack Frost has at last come, a welcome guest he was. People living out beyond Germantown, across the big floating bogs welcome Jack Frost with delight. It has been about impossible for us to come to town after anything on account of the bogs. Four horses have been killed in the bogs, and nearly all horses have fared more or less badly. Two years ago a corduroy was laid partly across the worst floating bog, but now that has sunk down so it is about useless.

Settlers are moving in every day and the land is going very fast.

D. M. Crozier has just opened up a grocery store at Germantown and John Olson, the blacksmith, has commenced hotel keeping.

A party from near Liner P. O. went to Thief River Falls last week. They partook freely of all strong drinks, and on the way back had a lively scramble with the Indians. Chief Moosedung had a couple fingers broke in the fight. Too bad that people have so little respect for themselves and others as to fill up on bad whiskey. It is rumored that the settlers will be arrested.

CORR.

### MARSH GROVE ITEMS.

We do not remember when we have had such a pleasant winter before. Farmers seem mostly employed in hauling grain to town, and in doing little odd jobs on their farms.

On Dec. 6, 1899, Mr. Morris Lein and Miss Allie Weibjornson were united in marriage by Rev. Ostgulen, of Warren. They were married at the home of the bride. Many friends were invited, and a splendid dinner was served. All joined in wishing the new couple all the joys and blessings of a matrimonial life. The young folks amused themselves in the evening with music and social games. On the evening of Dec. 9, the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Lein, were given a pleasant surprise, and presented with a new cook-stove, a bed, and a large glass mirror by a large number of young folks of West Valley and Marsh Grove. The party spent the evening again in playing social games and with music. Breaking up the entertainment early next morning all started for home a happy, cheerful group.

Mr. Axel Swanson has returned home from Argyle where he has been staying most of the summer. John Notvick has gone to Argyle where he will be in the employ of Mr. Westlin this winter. Mrs. E. Rockey has accompanied her brother, Rev. Nels Lund, to his home in Waverly, Minn. She expects to visit friends and relatives there for some time. Mrs. John Olson has returned from her visit to Fosston, Minn.

### School Report.

Report of school, District No. 37, Marshall Co., Minn., for the term ended Dec. 8, 1899:

Scholars enrolled.....	31
Total attendance in days by all.....	1001
Total days of school in term.....	50
Average daily attendance...	20
Average number of days attended by all.....	32
Perfect in attendance: Gerda Stad.	

Visitors: School Board: Messrs. Peter Erickson, T. T. Loge and John Branson; Mr. and Mrs. Flodstrom, and Misses Christina Engen, Anna Peterson, Helen Peterson and Ellen Turnquist. BRUCE STALLBERG, Teacher.

### LAUNDRY.

I have purchased a new ironer and full equipment of laundry machinery, and am now prepared to do first class work. Bring your laundry work to me, and I will try to give you satisfaction. A. TANEM.

The texture of our textiles we ask you to test. Double texture machine-toshes at \$7.75.

At WINCHESTER'S.

Storm Sash and Storm Doors. Having bought our stock before the recent advance, we are able to make extremely low prices.

THE ROBERTSON LUMBER CO.

If you want the best tinware on earth go to POWELL'S HARDWARE.

### THE OBELISK IN DANGER.

Ancient Egyptian Monolith in New York is Falling to Decay.

One of the chief attractions of Central park, in the city of New York, is the Egyptian obelisk erected opposite the Metropolitan Museum of Art. This ancient monolith was erected in Central park in 1881, having been transported from Alexandria, under charge of Lieutenant Commander Goring. It was asserted that the severity of our climate would cause disintegration, and steps were taken to prevent this, or to reduce it to a minimum. A careful examination made recently proves that in spite of the care taken to prevent it the process of disintegration has been going on. The ravages of the weather are particularly noticeable on the west face of the obelisk, which has a scaly appearance in certain places. This is the side upon which the shaft rested when partly buried in the sands of Egypt, and the hieroglyphics on it are much fainter than on the other three surfaces. Then, the crack which extends from the base to the south side of the obelisk has been gradually spreading, although it was filled with a wooden plug covered with cement when the stone was erected on its present site. The authorities who have charge of the obelisk will make a thorough investigation, and if it can be shown that the monument is in danger of destruction by being exposed to the inclement elements, it will probably be removed and exhibited under cover.

### DEADLY SEASONINGS.

They Are Sometimes Used in the Orient to Assassinate Objectionable Persons.

The ways of the east are devious, and an intelligent anticipation of coming events is a marked feature in Indian palace rule. The dreaded cholera is an ever present disease, but more men die "officially" of it than is actually the case. The cholera morbus kills its tens of thousands, no doubt; but powdered glass, finely cut up camel's hair and bamboo chips assist in the fell work, says the New York Journal.

Is a resident inconveniently active? Then in his curry he may discover pulverized glass, which, once swallowed, imitates the disease sufficiently closely to account for death. The papers the other day announced the attempted assassination of a well-known Indian resident by this method; but, happily, enough, the deadly plot failed. The camel's hair and minute portions of bamboo are equally efficacious, and are exceedingly difficult to discover when cunningly mixed by a suborned cook.

These facts sufficiently explain the elaborate precautions against poisoning taken by all oriental monarchs. The sultan of Turkey actually has each dish sealed so as to avoid any tampering with the food in transit from kitchen to the dining hall.

A taster partakes of each dish before the autocrat and lord of millions can safely eat from it, and even then the haunted dread of death waits ever upon him.

### VENDETTAS OF THE PRESENT.

They Differ But Slightly from the Sanguinary Feuds of Other Days.

It is through lack of information that the vendetta is referred to today as an institution of the past. Vendettas—blood feuds—exist to-day not only in Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, but in Kentucky and other of the southern and western states, and also at times in England, Ireland and France, Italy and the east, says the New York World. It has happened recently that an Albanian whose relative had been killed by a Turkish vizier shot the vizier's son—which is at least a partial exemplification of the vendetta. In Arabia the system is to-day in full operation, a fact which is so well understood that offenses sufficient to start a train of killings are rarely committed, and a considerable degree of order is thereby preserved.

As it is generally understood the vendetta originated in the following practice: An assassin was never allowed to escape. The responsibility of punishment was assumed by the nearest blood relations of his victim. There must be blood for blood, a death for a death.

Try the Acorn Brand of Flour. Best in the market. For sale by The People's Trading Co.

Yes, we can make both of you, you and your wife, happy, if you will buy our Home Brand goods.

At WINCHESTER'S.

J. B. Clark, Peoria, Ill., says, "Surgeons wanted to operate on me for piles, but, I cured them with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve." It is infallible for piles and skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. Ware's drug store.

Call and see the Perkins Self-basting Steel Roaster at POWELL'S HARDWARE.

REMEMBER! The Bank of Warren sells Railroad Lands at lowest prices.

The State Bank of Warren is the place where you can get a Loan on your Farm without delay.

"I was nearly dead with dyspepsia, tried doctors, visited mineral springs, and grew worse. I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. That cured me." It digests what you eat. Cures indigestion, sour stomach, heartburn and all forms of dyspepsia. Ware's drug store.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers purify the blood, clean the liver, invigorate the system. Famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles. Ware's drug store.

For first-class dental work call on G. A. PENNEY, Dentist.

### City Lots and Farms For Sale.

#### A BARGAIN.

Askelson's farm in Viking at \$800. 60 acres cultivated. House, stable and barn. A. GRINDELAND.

Esculapius will cure that awful pain called Headache. 25 cents at Ware's Drug Store.

I can make a few first-class farm loans of from \$1,000.00 and up at a low rate of interest. S. COOKE.

We are no hardware store, but we sell boys' shoes that wear like iron. Only \$1.25. At WINCHESTER'S.

Mrs. R. Churchill, Berlin, Vt., says, "Our baby was covered with running sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her." A specific for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. Ware's drug store.

The Fergus Falls Bob Sleighs are pronounced by the farmers to be the best. A car load of them at LINDBERG & LUNDGREN'S.

Lisk's Anti-Busting Tinware at POWELL'S HARDWARE.

Q. What do you know about Dr. Parker's Remedies? A. Everybody who have used them say they're all right. Ware's drug store.

DR. WESTEEN, of St. Luke's Hospital, Grand Forks, has just returned from his European trip. Special list in diseases of women.

The shortest road to success is to G. C. WINCHESTER'S. Suits for the most stylish at \$11.50.

Storm windows and storm doors cheap at THE ROBERTSON LUMBER CO.

### ATTENTION!

I guarantee to cure all Festulus Withers and Poll Evil in horses, or no charges for treatment.

D. BERNARD, V. S.

Miss Annie E. Gunning, Tyre, Mich., says, "I suffered a long time from dyspepsia; lost flesh and became very weak. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure completely cured me." It digests what you eat and cures all forms of stomach trouble. It never fails to give immediate relief in the worst cases. Ware's drug store.

IF you wish First-Class Insurance go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to buy City Property go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to Sell a Farm go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to Rent a Farm go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to buy Railroad Land go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to Buy a Farm Cheap go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want a Farm Loan go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you want to borrow Money go to the BANK OF WARREN.

IF you have a good Note, Town or School Order to sell, go to the BANK OF WARREN.



A Carload of the well-known FERGUS FALLS SLEDS just received. 2- and 4-horse sizes.

## "Jack of All Trades."

Is the name of a small Fairbanks & Morse gasoline engine. 15 cents worth of gasoline will run it all day. Just the thing for sawing wood, pumping water, grinding feed, etc. See it at LINDBERG & LUNDGREN'S.

## Stoughton Wagons.

ALL SIZES.

Agents for New Home Sewing Machines.

## LINDBERG & LUNDGREN.

K. J. TARALBETH, Vice-President. H. L. MELGAARD, President. ANDR. MELGAARD, Cashier.

## State Bank of Warren,

WARREN, MINN.

INCORPORATED UNDER THE STATE BANKING LAWS. TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

LOANS, REAL ESTATE, and COLLECTIONS. FOREIGN EXCHANGE, and Passage Tickets by all lines. INSURANCE written on Farm and City property in the best companies. HIGHEST PRICES paid for County, Town and School orders.

## Our Abstract Department

In charge of A. GARBORG, Official Abstracter, contains the only complete set of

ABSTRACT BOOKS IN MARSHALL COUNTY. Prompt attention given to all orders. Deeds recorded and taxes paid for non-residents.

## LOANS.

We are now making loans on good farms at the very lowest rates, and can make you a loan that you can pay a part each year when the interest is due if you wish to do so. Why take a loan for five years when you may not be able to pay it when it is due? Try our plan of making the loan so that you can pay it in small payments if you wish. We do not charge you a big bonus for this privilege and when you make a payment it stops that much interest. Before getting a loan elsewhere come in and talk over the matter with us. We can make you a straight five year loan if you wish it, on the usual plan, and at the lowest rates. Yours truly,

## FLANDERS & WOOD.



C. J. PIHLSTROM DEALER IN

FRESH & SALT

MEATS

of all kinds,

GAME, FRESH FISH and

Poultry.

Fresh Smoked Hams, Dried Beef and Bacon  
Cash paid for Hides, Pelts and fat stock.

## Farmers:

If you are going to buy

### HARNESSES

or other Horse Furnishing Goods, then go to your old friend

CARL I. SVENNING.

He can sell you anything you want in this line.

Whips from 10c upward. Horse blankets from 90c to \$5.50 each. Sweat Pads from 35c to 75c.

Maybe you know from experience that factory made harnesses are no good. MY HOME MADE HARNESS BEATS THEM ALL.

Dr. Parker's Herbs and other valuable preparations for sale at Ware's drug store.

Gents' neckties that will cause a mute to articulate. Only 25 cents. At WINCHESTER'S.

## ANDREW LODOEN, BLACKSMITH AND WAGON-MAKER

HORSE-SHOEING and PLOW REPAIRING a Specialty.

All kinds of WOOD WORK and WAGON REPAIRING done.

Good Wood Stock constantly on hand.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Shop on West Side, South of People's Trading Co.

WARREN, MINN.

GOOD SHELTER, GOOD CELLAR, Good Artesian Water, is what you get when you buy a lot in Wentzel & Grindelands addition.

Those who suffer the untold miseries of that awful pain Headache try H. W. Barker's Esculapius. 25 cents at Ware's Drug Store.