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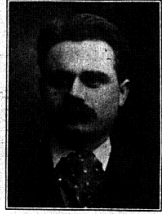
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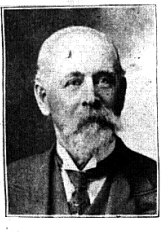
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NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS OF CROW WING COUNTY.

An interesting lecture, The Rev. Isidore A. Mooney, in compliance with the request of a great many of the people of the city irrespective of church or creed will deliver his famous lecture on "Ireland" in Gardner Hall. The lecture will be illustrated by a powerful stereopticon which will throw a picture 20 feet square. The following press notices speak for themselves: Boston Herald: The illustrated lecture on Ireland by Rev. Isidore Mooney was a great treat. He is an elegant and fascinating speaker. The pictures were very fine. New York Times: Rev. Mr. Mooney is a fine speaker, blessed with a voice clear and distinct. He is master of his subject. The lecture was well received. Tacoma Ledger: Rev. R. J. Mooney is one of the most eloquent lecturers or preachers in the Northwest. His lecture on Ireland was an intellectual treat. The pictures were very fine. On the whole it will rank with the very best of the illustrated lectures we have heard.

CHEAP RAFFS

To Montana, Washington and Oregon via the Northern Pacific.

You can buy tickets to Helena and Butte via the Northern Pacific. By \$20 one way and \$30 round trip; or to Spokane, Tacoma or Seattle, Wash., and to Portland, Ore., for \$25.00 one way and \$40 round trip. Correspondingly low rates are made to other western points.

Tickets are on sale on November 6, 13, 20 and 27th. Call on your local agent of the Northern Pacific. For information and tickets. One way tickets are good for continuous passage; round tickets are good for stopover going.

Chas. S. Fox, G. P. & T. A. N. P. R. St. Paul, Minn.

Get the best for your money. Lake Park Creamery Butter, the best in the land, at E. C. Kane's.

The oldest installment house in the city. Household furnishings and bicycles on easy payments. A. L. Hoffman & Co.

Leave your orders for storn ash with D. M. Clark & Co.

Home Heater go to D. M. Clark & Co.

The Youth's Companion in 1901. The ends of the earth will be laid under tribute for the 1901 volume of The Youth's Companion. Statesmen, Diplomats, Travellers, Trappers, Indian Fighters, Cow-Punchers and Self-Made Men and Women of Many Vocations will contribute to the entertainment of young and old in Companion homes. Theodore Roosevelt will write upon "The Essence of Heroism." The Secretary of the Treasury will answer the question, "What is Money?" Frank T. Bullen, the old sailor who spins fascinating yarns of life at sea, will contribute a story. W. D. Howells will describe the relations between "Young Contributors and Editors." Paul Leicester Ford will write about "The Man of the Dictionary." Noah Webster. There is not space here to begin to tell of the good things already provided for readers of the new volume of The Youth's Companion—interesting, instructive, inspiring—from the pens of famous men and women.

Illustrated Announcement of the 1901 volume and sample copies of the paper sent free to any address. All new subscribers who send in their subscriptions now will receive not only the 52 issues of The Companion for 1901, but also all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription, besides the beautiful "Puritan Girl" Calendar for 1901, lithographed in 12 colors and gold.

The YOUNG'S COMPANION, Boston, Mass.

The do-not-leave-Swelled Face. Swollen face is the characteristic epidemic symptom this year of a Cold or Grip. Humphreys' Specific '77 cures it. 25c.

If your children are fretful, peevish, and cross, mother the same, dote the less, it would seem proper to give 'em all Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. For sale by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

Elegant pieces of silverware at Houghton's, suitable for wedding presents.

For a nice juicy roast, get Kansas City beef at the City Meat Market.

August Flower. "It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houghton, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I find for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feelings from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottles free at McFadden Drug Co., H. P. Dunn & Co., Johnson's Pharmacy, and The New Corner Drug Store. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

We wish to close out a large quantity of slightly used Hectors and Cook Stoves that we have traded new ones for, at Hoffman's.

Three better calves. Owner can recover property by establishing ownership and paying charges. ANKOR LANSBURY, Deerwood, Minn.

For Sale by Owners

Lots 1, 2 and 3, in block 6, Sleepers addition to Brainerd. Also lot 3, in block 47, Farrar & Forsyth's addition to Brainerd. J. C. Oswold & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Taken Up. A bay horse with four white feet, weight about 900, with a scar on left side of neck. Leave word at Garrison P. O., Minn., or enquire of A. Huseby, Garrison.

Watch and clock repairing a specialty at E. S. Houghton's, the new jeweler.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontotender, at Dr. Ribbel's.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

(Continued from page 12)

Wholesale shoe supplies store	\$1 95
C. E. White's repair store	10 00
Millie's tailor	10 00
From National Bank returned on equity notes	41 41
McFadden Drug Co. interest on equity notes	30
Western Pacific Bank dividend on equity notes	28 86
From National Bank returned on equity notes	802 40
Interest on equity notes	25 00
From National Bank returned on equity notes	11 73
H. Walker interest on equity notes	74
L. J. Case interest on equity notes	17
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W. J. Lane interest on equity notes	102 67
H. Walker interest on equity notes	80
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H. Walker interest on equity notes	27 00
H. Walker interest on equity notes	22 50
H. Walker interest on equity notes	15 00
H. Walker interest on equity notes	22 50
Total	\$27,800 00

ASSETS

Court House and jail erected by the State	\$27,800 00
Court House and jail erected by the State	300 00
Lot 4 block 6 old jail lot	400 00
Office buildings	400 00
Four farm buildings, stock and machinery	15,000 00
Two road machines	500 00
Facilities from the State, 1908 and provisions	8,070 00
Land	100,000 00
Total	\$232,000 00

LIABILITIES

Court House bonds at 8 per cent.	\$20,000 00
Court House bonds at 7 per cent.	5,000 00
Bridge bonds at 6 per cent.	5,000 00
Railroad bonds at 6 per cent.	1,000 00
Certificates of indebtedness against construction of Mississippi river bridge	2,000 00
Traveling bonds at 6 per cent.	5,000 00
Total	\$27,800 00

Dr. H. F. Simmons, osteopath, No. 31 Eighth street north, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 2 to 5, and 7 to 8 p. m. All chronic diseases successfully treated after all other forms of treatment have failed.

Bicycles rented at Hoffman's. Your blood goes through your body with jumps and bounds, carrying strength and vitality to every part of your body, if you take Rocky Mountain Tea.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC BANK.

Capital \$25,000.

WERNER HEMSTEAD, President. J. P. McGINNIS, Vice Pres. H. D. TRIGLAWNY, Cashier.

Special attention given to City Collections, Accounts of Corporations, Firms and Individuals, rendered on the most Liberal Terms consistent with Sound Banking.

Necessary



For the Frolic Ladies Twenty-Four Bottles of Satisfaction in Every Case

HAMM'S BEER

Supplied by Agents Everywhere, of THE HAMM BREWING CO., St. Paul, Minn.

A LITTLE GOSSIP

We have been looking for you. And thinking about your feet for months and have provided a stock of fall and winter foot wear that will please every woman and child in Brainerd.

Good Leather, Good Workmanship. And Right Styles, with lowest prices is our motto. In men's shoes we have Box Calf, Enamel Calf, Vici Kid and Winter Tans. Every man should see our HIGH TOP Shoes for Fall and Winter in Black and Tan.

"Lest You Forget." We want to call your attention to our Ladies Fall and Winter Shoes, among them are the "BOSTONIAN," the best \$3.50 shoe on the market. Box Calf, Enamel Calf and Vici Kid. Our \$2.50 shoes are unsurpassed for style and wearing qualities.

For your boy's Feet. We have a varied line of good, honest, solid leather shoes, among them are the Seamless shoes which appeals so strongly to mothers because of no seams to rip.

School Shoes. We have the best in the market, and at lowest prices. A scholars Companion is given with each pair of school shoes.

Rubbers, Rubbers and Overshoes. For everybody, Light and Heavy, Good and Best, the good cost a trifle, the best a little more, and are the cheapest.

R. F. WALTERS, Sixth Street.

HOW CAN YOU STAND IT? Dress Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, half washed with hardly any starch in them is a bad looking thing. Another class of work may be so hard that it could cut your neck off. That is too hard. Hair washed underwear is unhealthy with no comfort in it. We can give you Up-to-Date Work in every respect if you let us do it for you. It don't cost you any more than you pay elsewhere. Special rates for family washing. Lace curtains 30 cents per pair. LAUREL STEAM LAUNDRY, I. EDSTROM, Prop. Telephone 47-3.

Farm Lands for Sale... 600 ACRES OF LAND located in Sections 18 and 20, T-44, R- 29, and in Sections 24 and 26, T-44, R- 30, on Long Lake, Crow Wing county. I will sell the whole tract or any portion of it, cheap on long time.....

J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block.

FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO. ST. PAUL, MINN. FROST MFG. CO.'S AUTOMATIC AND THROTTLING STEAM ENGINES. FAIRBANKS-MORSE GASOLINE AIR COMPRESSORS. STEAM PUMPS -- BOILERS. FAIRBANKS AND CHIEF INJECTORS. VALVES, BELTING, PACKING, ETC.

The Brainerd Greenhouses have moved their office to what was formerly the Arena office, and is ready to serve the public better than ever before. A trial order will convince you that our prices are right. Special attention given to design work. Short order coupons a specialty. Brainerd Green House. Finest line of jewelry and silverware in the city at E. S. Houghton's, corner 6th and Laurel. O, beauty! what a powerful weapon thou art. The bravest men fall at thy feet. No wonder women take Rocky Mountain Tea to prolong that joyous spell. For sale by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. We pray thee, heed him not who saith thee to take something, said to be the same as Rocky Mountain Tea made by the Madison Medicine Co. 35 cents. For sale by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.



The Brainerd Dispatch.

W. B. BRADSHAW, P. M. WELLES, INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

Official Paper of Crow Wing County.

Published at the Post Office at Brainerd, Minnesota, at second class matter.

Legal Rates for Legal Notices. We, the undersigned, hereby agree to accept...

FRIDAY, NOV. 9, 1900.

TWELVE PAGES.

TEXAS remains democratic.

Free silver—but let that pass.

It can hardly be paid of Truelsen 'he also ran.'

The people were fooled by the imperial cry—

Four more years of prosperity—that was the verdict Tuesday.

The sham reforms of the political orphan will no longer burden the people.

Orphan will no longer burden the people.

SENATOR NELSON will again be returned to Washington by the republican legislature just elected.

This election seemed to be an abandonment of ruinousness—Pettigrew and Lentz were both defeated.

CHARLES TOWNE in a well of desperation says "the American people have sold their liberty for the full dinner pail."

As a vote getter Ole Erickson can give some of his know-it-all demagogues a great many pointers.

Ole just saw wood and lust for Ole, and that is why he holds his job.

It is useless to speculate at length on what caused the landslide.

The reason is simple. The people were not willing to change from prosperity to the free soup houses of democratic times.

The election of Hon. W. S. McClellan, as district judge, was one of the most gratifying results of the contest.

Mr. McClellan one of the ablest jurists in the state and the judge will remain in Brainerd.

The Dispatch considers itself very much endorsed by Mr. McClellan's triumph.

Morris Wins Hands Down.

Congressman Morris has been elected for the third time and this year by over 7,000 votes in the district, as against 436 in 1898.

No man in congress ever represented his district in a more faithful manner, and his increased vote in every county is but a just reward to a valuable public servant.

Crow Wing county contributed to his success by increasing his vote of two years ago, giving him 791 over Truelsen, as against 373 over Towne in 1898.

Stearns county, which was claimed by the democrats by 2,000, gave Truelsen less than 1,800 over Morris. It was a decisive victory.

A Fine Contract.

L. W. Burrell returned on Monday from the Twin Cities, where he took contracts from Farwell, Osmann, Kirk & Co., Jenney, Seiple & Co., and other wholesale houses, for the manufacture of about \$2,500 worth of fish plates, and other structural iron.

Mr. Burrell will put in additional facilities for doing work of this character, including a five horse gas engine or power of some character. This is a pretty good order and will keep Mr. Burrell and his force of men busy until after the holidays.

If your children are fretful, peevish, and cross, mother the same, tithe the loss, it would seem proper to give 'em all Rocky Mountain Tea.

35 cents. For sale by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

D. M. Clark & Co. carry a complete line of Harness goods.

THERE WAS A ROBIN REDBREAST.

BY W. S. GALLAGHER. There was a robin redbreast that, whose song was in my chimney pipe, I heard him sing...

A MOTHER.

It rained all day the day she died, and yet she thought it wrong and fair to see the sunlight kiss her hair...

YOUNG MRS. MAYNARD

A Leap Year Story.

The late Joshua Maynard was good enough to accumulate a considerable fortune and considerable enough to leave the bulk of it to his widow...

COMPLETE RETURNS OF CROW WING COUNTY, 1900.

Table with columns for CANDIDATES, VOTES, and various political categories. Includes names like BAKER, HAYES, and various party affiliations.

WHY SMITH LEFT HOME



The All-Absorbing? WHY SMITH LEFT HOME FROM BROADHURST'S. Gleeful Plentitude By George H. Broadhurst, author of "The House that Jack Built," "What Happened to Jones," "The Wrong Mr. Wright," "The Speculator," Etc.

ONE NIGHT ONLY, WED. NOV. 14

"I don't know it until today." "She had guessed at all this, yet a flush came into her cheeks and for a moment she was silent. Then she said, "Oh, why?"



Table with multiple columns listing names, addresses, and amounts. Includes sections for SPECIAL ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, SPECIAL POOL FUND, and GENERAL COUNTY FUND.

Table with multiple columns listing names, amounts, and categories. Includes sections for 'SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS', 'MUNICIPAL COURT - WINNERS', 'MUNICIPAL COURT - LOSERS', 'MUNICIPAL COURT - PAID IN FULL', and 'ELECTION RETURN'. The table is organized into several vertical columns, each containing a list of names and corresponding numerical values.

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Professional Cards.

W. S. McLENNAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office, Room 1, Bank Block.

W. H. MANTOR, ATTORNEY AT LAW. First National Bank Building, Brainerd, Minn.

T. C. BLEWITT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office, Room 8, First Nat. Bank Bldg.

J. H. WARNER, ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFER BEARD'S STORE SIXTH ST. Brainerd, Minn.

W. H. CROWELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Lead Office Practice and Collections a specialty.

CLIFTON A. ALLBRIGHT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Room 15, First National Bank Bldg.

JBS. CAMP & THABES, Physicians and Surgeons. Office in First National Bank Block.

DR. S. C. REIMSTADT, PHYSICIAN and SURGEON. Office in Hartley Block, Front St.

J. L. FREDERICK D. M. D., DENTIST. Rooms 2 and 3, First National Bank Bldg.

DR. A. F. GROVES, Physician & Surgeon. Office on Park Street, Brainerd, Minn.

N. C. BAUDETTE, TONSORIAL ARTIST. Corner Front and Fifth Streets.

R. K. WHITELEY, CIVIL ENGINEER and SURVEYOR. Office, Room 5, Bishop Block.

A. P. RIGGS, Real Estate & Insurance. First Class Companies Represented.

Free of charge. Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles...

For Sale by Owners. Lots 1, 2 and 3, in Block 47, Block 6, Steepers addition to Brainerd.

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

Interesting Local News of the Surrounding Country.

OAK LAWN GRMS. Senator Woods, of Breckenridge, is once more venturing the vicinity of Crooked Lake with his genial smile...

Eagle Lake. Senator Woods, of Breckenridge, is once more venturing the vicinity of Crooked Lake with his genial smile...

Mr. Edith Borden and Vandoren made a flying visit to our neighborhood one day last week. She is looking well and hearty since she submitted matrimony.

Mr. Charles Heath is manipulating the ribbons over both U. S. Butterfield's steeds for the logging season of 1900 and 1901.

There were three fine beefers poisoned to death on Henry Cunningham's farm last week, one of which belonged to Mr. Greenman.

The Salvation Army. Still the good work goes on. Crowds gather at the Salvation Army hall, on 4th street...

Report says that Mr. R. E. Hoeman is back again on his homestead. We understood he went to Minneapolis to spend the winter.

Mr. M. L. Butterfield has gone to Brainerd to bring up his much respected semi-neighbor, Messrs. Phelps and Smith.

Board of Education. The regular monthly meeting of the board of education was held on Monday evening.

Reports of the text book clerk and superintendent were submitted and accepted.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles...

Proceedings in Bankruptcy. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA.

Dr. Rea, founder of the Southern Medical and Surgical Institute, Brainerd, Minn.

Notice of Cancellation of St. P. and N. P. Contracts. Northern Pacific Railway Company.

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DR. REA, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Catarrhal and Nervous Diseases.

Specialist of National Reputation. Waiting Professionally the Principal Cities of the Northwest.

BRainerd, MINN., WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28, For One Day Only, Returning Every Four Weeks for Six Months.

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BY CHARLES M. SHELDON.  
 Author of "The Big Game," "Madden Kib," "The Football of Philip Sheno,"  
 "Robert Hardy's Seven Days."

**COLLEGE STUDENT.**

When he went into the library office, the president greeted him cordially, and Edward felt encouraged by his look.

"How's your shoulder? Very badly hurt?" the president asked heartily.

"No, sir; I'm sore and lame, of course, but nothing serious. I've come here to make that report about the 'big game' and I want to say first of all that so far as I am concerned it is the best football trip I shall ever take away from college."

"That's a frank beginning. Go on," said the president as Edward paused.

Edward went on, giving a detailed account of the trip, not omitting any incidents, even that of the lockers being standing Sunday morning.

"I heard you coming back," said the president slowly, Edward continuing giving an account of his Sunday. When he was through, the president asked a few questions.

"Then, in summing up the week's experiences, Blake, will you tell me if I put down the arguments about it as they are entitled to your own mind?"

"First, the trip took time out of your college studies that you will have difficulty to make up. The amount of time was out of proportion to any gain on the side of necessary athletic development."

"Second—Five men on the team received serious injuries, the result of an enforced absence from regular college classroom work for several weeks. These were serious injuries, even though they might have happened, however, in any game played at home, and we will not consider them as more than incidental to football playing to general."

"Third—The coming home of the team late Saturday night and early Sunday morning took time from the rest and health of the team, but also of every member of the college, both of the many families on College Hill, whose rights we as a college ought to respect."

"Fourth—The Sunday itself was destroyed largely as a day of rest and worship, especially for the members of the team, because they were in proper physical or mental condition to go to church, to study religious truths, or talk about any things except the exciting events of the week before. It certainly is a very unfortunate circumstance that all the big football games in the colleges are scheduled for Saturday. Thousands of college students in this country practically spend all the forenoon of Sunday during the football season in discussing the results of the game played on Saturday. This is not what Sunday was made for, and it is demeriting to the best use of the day."

"Fifth—According to your report, I understand the team is badly in debt, owing to the failure of the team that you were to contract. How much did you say the indebtedness would amount to?"

"I don't know exactly. Andrew, the manager, thought it would figure about \$150 in the neighborhood of \$150."

"Is there any money in the association to pay this?"

"No, sir; I don't think so," said Edward reluctantly.

"How will it be paid?"

"By subscription, I suppose. And it will come hard. For the 'Yobas' are down on the team for failure to win the two games we lost."

"The president was silent a moment.

"Do you think, Blake, that any other members of the team, just as you do about the unwisdom of making these long trips?"

"I'm sure they do, sir," Blake mused one or two of the boys who had expressed themselves strongly on the subject. "It is going to be hard to hold the team together for the last two college games scheduled for the end of the month."

"Do you still feel like playing football?"

"Yes, sir; I feel willing to play in a reasonable manner. But I've made up my mind I can never go off on one of these long trips again."

Edward rose to go, and, as the president said nothing, he walked to the door, saying as he put his hand on the knob, "No, that all, sir."

"No, please sit down again. That matter that Mr. Rankin came to see me about came before the trustees last week. One or two statements in your account of the interview were called into question. I want you to verify them."

"The president pointed out the places in the typewritten copy, and Edward verified for their correctness.

"How is the matter corrected, sir?" he ventured to ask.

"It is under correction now. I think a majority of the trustees will see the matter as I do. There will be a dividend of sentiment, however. Several of the trustees and professors are fearful of being money if we retain Clark, and the final decision on the matter will result in a possible serious difference of opinion among the college authorities."

"There was a pause, and Edward, supposing the president was through, made another movement to go, when the president called him back.

"Blake, I want to talk with you on another matter. Won't you please sit down a minute?"

Edward had been obliged to add to the feeling of respect for him that was now rapidly being stirred in all the students. The president was inquisitive about the best kind of scholarship. He was becoming noted for several contributions he had made within the year to educational reviews. He was much more than an average teacher. His scholarship and classroom abilities were of a very high order. That this man, at the head of a growing and famous school, should care anything personally for a raw, inexperienced, undeveloped student like himself, struck Edward forcibly and compelled him to give special weight to what the president said. About the Christian life.

And still, in spite of all that, Edward was deeply proud of one thing in his life, and that was his morality. As he looked back on the incidents that already marked his college life he found himself unconsciously putting himself on the level of the great man before him.

The very next day the football manager called together the members of the team and had a long talk with each about the remaining games of the season.

"The manager took a gloomy and anxious view of the financial situation."

"Part to fellows, we've a good \$200 in the hole. The only way out of it that I can see is in making a long trip."

"We can contract games with Rowland, Quincy and Lafayette teams. They are anxious to play and offer good terms. Remember, last season we cleared \$150 on the last long trip of the season. That nearly let us out. If we do as much this time, it will be a good thing for the college. But let us over the last trip, and it would pay about \$150 on the last long trip of the season. If you will let me, we will give you two out of three games, even if we don't clear ourselves, the money will come over by contribution."

"There was a significant silence as the manager gazed. Edward took in by saying quietly:

"I've done with those long trips away from home. I sincerely feel so again."

"The other members of the team said the same thing. A storm of indignation rose from the rest of the team.

"That was a fair offer," the manager's voice finally rose over the angry clamor, and he was as angry as the others. "See here, Blake. We can't stand a show of a show as about the others. You know how low shall we make up the deficit, if we don't play these games?"

"I don't know," replied Edward, with his degree of reluctance. "The one thing I do know is that I will not go on any such trip. If you want to keep my reasons, I can give them."

"Until the team angrily declared they didn't care to hear any reasons."

The manager, however, said that they didn't care to hear any reasons, and he did so, summarizing up the whole matter just as the president had done.

"But the president advised you to go on last week's trip."

"No condition that I give him a fair and honest account of the result of it, as I did. And there's no question in my mind that he is opposed to these football trips and will say so very soon in one of his chapel talks."

"I don't believe it," said the manager roughly. "The president is an old football player himself. I was looking over his record at Fairfax the other day. He was captain of his team when he was a junior. Besides, the president has no right to say what the team should do."

"I guess you'll find out that he thinks he has some rights," said Edward, calling to mind certain expressions the president had made.

"The college authorities are under the management of the association. The president has never interfered with it herebefore, and I don't believe he will now. But all this is aside from the question that faces us. It looks to me like a mighty mean, sneaking kind of a proposition for a college man to back up a proposition like the one that faces us now."

"The manager looked directly at Edward as he spoke, and Edward felt his temper and belief over.

"Do you refer to me as a 'mean and sneaking'?" he shouted, walking up to the manager and stretching out his hands toward the fingers of which were trembling as it with eagerness to take the manager by the throat.

"The manager was not an athletic man and he was a good deal shorter than Edward, but he was a woman. He had no fear of physical injury, and he looked into Edward's inflated face and said:

"Any man is a mean sneak who backs a college as such a time as this."

For a second time the incident that this man saw, deliberate and intentional, to a white heat of wrath. "He suddenly drew back and said abruptly, 'You're too small to kick any way. He looked at the rest of the boys who had not ventured to interfere either way, and then, turning around slowly, he went out of the room without a word."

"When he was gone, the team had a stormy meeting. The managers were mad at Edward, and at the same time they were not slow to withdraw altogether his reasons for refusing to play. They had the afternoon raised by Edward at first at last, yielded and consented to go on the proposed trip. But the bitterness caused by Edward's refusal was stirred by a great many of the students, and it made him sore to see and hear evidence of this bitterness in very many ways that fall and winter.

It was Friday of that week that president Joyce gave the college his first plain talk on athletics. One week in chapel alone his induction into office he had given the students a chapter of talk. These talks were beginning to receive good attention, although it was not even the president's general popularity could sweep away a great deal of the reverence that had become a habit at Hope college during chapel exercises.

"Even this morning, after several months of the president's masterful administration of affairs, Edward was impressed as he never had been before by the talk of respect and reverence shown to the president during the reading of the Scripture, the prayer and the singing. Something in the president's face and manner had reminded him of a state that he had often seen in the mind was directed especially to the college exercises.

He was impressed during the reading by the sight of a dozen members of his own class kneeling in prayer and during the Bible reading, but also during the brief prayer. At least half the students seemed to kneel in prayer, were either sitting with their clasped hands in prayer or whispering together while the exercises were going forward. It made him hold his breath for the first time in chapel, not from any religious reverence he himself had for the president, but from the fact that he had never seen it all before.

But if the student body had paid little attention to the religious exercises of the hour there was no lack of excited interest on the part of every one when the president announced his intention for the chapel talk to be "The Religion of College Athletics to the Best of the College Development."

He did not definitely put himself on record as he now studied, and on the faces of many of the students were visible a shade of repression deemed as the president went on and made his own position very clear.

"I believe in athletics," he said after a few minutes, "but it is applicable to college, and every football player in college could not help admiring the really fine stuff that flowed up on the platform. During my college life I myself football and baseball and enjoyed the game. I believe in encouraging the athletic spirit in Hope college because I believe healthy, vigorous physical life must always go hand in hand with a vigorous mind and spirit."

"After I have said all this heartily and gladly I must insist on a definition of college athletics that puts it in its proper place in a college course. It ought to be evident to every young man that a man who plays football and other athletic sports, and who is not a member of the team, is not a member of the team. It is my frank opinion that development could probably go on just as satisfactorily if football were not played here at all. We could easily find and use other forms of physical development that would take its place. But it would be impossible to find anything to take the place of the intellectual, intellectual Christian training that you are here to get. In other words, you are not in this college to play football as the first or even the secondary purpose of a college course. You are here to make of yourselves men and women such as the world needs to do it a better world."

"This definition of the object of a college course puts athletics in a subordinate place, and rightly so. The minute the sport side of a college becomes so emphasized that the intellectual side is neglected or underestimated that it amounts to an out of proportion. It is strange to hear more than its share of a student's time and thought. So whenever a game like football gets college becomes a means of money making to exert on athletics it is demoralizing. Or again whenever the game demands too much time from a student's studies or neglects to break into his Sunday rest by his worship it is harmful, and should be changed and modified if not altogether dropped."

"Here the president summarized the points of the recent trip made by the college team, calling attention to the same points he had made in Edward's account.

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Parley for garnishing at any time during fall and winter.

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### LIBERAL VICTORY

Parliamentary Elections in Dominion of Canada Favorable to Laurier.

Party in Power Retained Office With a Good Working Majority.

Best Known Leaders of the Conservative Party Fail of Re-Election.

MONTREAL, Nov. 9.—The latest returns from the parliamentary election held throughout the Dominion Wednesday show the following results, with five districts to be heard from.

Lith. Con. Ind.	1
Quebec	1
New Brunswick	1
Prince Edward Island	1
Manitoba	1
British Columbia	1
Alberta	1
Saskatchewan	1
Ontario	1
Western Provinces	1
Conservative	1

Opposition Leaders Out.

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—The results of the election show that the government has been successful in securing a majority of from 40 to 70 members, with five districts to be heard from.

### NOT AT DENVER.

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### MINNEAPOLIS, NOV. 9.

According to the Northwestern Miller the flour output at Minneapolis last week was 187,400 barrels, against 170,000 barrels for the corresponding week of 1909. Superior-Duluth last week ground 11,200 barrels against 10,000 barrels for the corresponding week of 1909. Mills last week managed to sell about as much flour as usual, chiefly domestic, but prices were very close. Advance in wheat brought in many orders at \$1.00.

### CHICAGO, NOV. 9.

The national irrigation congress is to meet in this city on Nov. 31 for a four days' session. Central Middle East and the National Irrigation Congress have been secured for this month. Some of the most prominent men of the country have been secured for attendance on irrigation and forestry, including a number of Western United States senators and members of congress.

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An order in council empowering the governor to appoint any person from the militia to be judge-advocate has been promulgated. Judges and other military officers are required to register at the police office and must take an oath.

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Local News Condensed.

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Lost—White fox terrier dog with black ears. Finder return to Hawkins & Baker and receive reward.

BRUNS, the Optician, will be at the Arlington Hotel November 19, 20 and 21. Eyes examined free.

Arthur Wicklund, the 3-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Wicklund, of Long Lake, died on Tuesday, Nov. 4th, of bowel trouble.

All next week I will make the celebrated Minnette photos at 50¢ per dozen.

Cor. Laurel and 7th street.

The lease of Watts and Nutting of Walker Hall has expired and Mr. Walker now has charge, and all applications for rent of hall should be made to him.

No matter how long you have had the cough, if it has already developed into consumption, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure it.

Mrs. S. F. Alderman and Mrs. J. M. Elder entertained a party of their friends at progress on Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Alderman.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. A. H. Carver, Newwood street, next Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30, Nov. 14th.

Ernest Jones had the misfortune to have his right eye injured in the N. P. blacksmith shop last Saturday, and has been receiving treatment at the Sanitarium since.

THERE is nothing gained by overtaxing your eyes. If you need glasses consult Prof. Bruns, the Optician, at Arlington Hotel, November 19, 20 and 21. Free examination.

General Foreman H. A. Laddson, of the N. P. machine shops, is at the Sanitarium receiving treatment for an injury to his leg sustained some time ago by falling from his bicycle.

A decree of divorce was filed by Judge Holland on November 1st, legally separating Arthur S. Bothj and Grace M. Bothj. The decree was granted to Arthur S. Bothj, who is a barber in Lajin's shop.

Martin Naddy, of Walker, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, in this city, on Sunday, Nov. 4th, of typhoid fever, aged 36 years. The funeral occurred in this city Tuesday morning at St. Francis church, Rev. Lynch officiating.

Lelah Avooni, the popular and renowned clairvoyant, has arrived in Brainerd for a short stay, and can be consulted by any persons who are desirous pertaining to their past, present and future. Office, Palace Hotel, south Sixth street. Hours, 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Joe Jensen had the misfortune to so badly injure his eyes while out dog hunting on Wednesday that he may lose his sight. The cartridge exploded in the magazine while shooting at a dove, badly burning his face and injuring his eyes. He was brought here and is receiving treatment.

Mrs. Elizabeth Corrigan, wife of John Corrigan, died on Monday at the family home on east Front street, of lung trouble, aged 69 years. Deceased has been a resident of this city for many years. The funeral services occurred Wednesday morning at St. Francis church, Rev. Father Lynch officiating. Her husband and several grown sons and daughters survive her.

Fair and Supper. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Second Congregational church, of East Brainerd, will give a fair and supper at the old Lumberman's Hospital building, corner Third and Second avenues, on Tuesday evening, November 22nd. Extensive preparations are being made to make the fair a great success financially. All invited to come.

Annual Literary Balf. The annual entertainment and ball of the N. P. Library Association will be held at Gardner's Hall this Friday evening. As the association is maintained during the year principally by the receipts of the entertainment and ball, every citizen should assist by purchasing a ticket. Shoppers are entitled to a year's membership in the association by the purchase of a ticket in addition to the entertainment. Let every body attend.

The general meeting of the Seventh Day Adventists will be held from Nov. 14th to 19th, in their church in Brainerd. There will be Bible study every morning and afternoon and preaching at 7:30 evenings, Elder Mead officiating.

The subject of Rev. G. W. Gallagher's subject next Sunday morning is "Through Christ and Touching Christ." In the evening his topic will be "Christ Weeping over Jerusalem." The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church is quite busy rounding up everything for their fair and supper to be held in the Walker Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 21st and 22nd. Quite a variety of useful articles will be on sale at prices very reasonable. Supper and rice cream will be served each evening.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's.

PERSISTENT PERSONAL NOTES.

Mrs. Gemmel went to St. Paul on Tuesday.

G. M. Walker is now conducting a meat market at Missoula, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bean were Twin City visitors on Monday.

Mrs. R. E. Berry and daughter left Brainerd on Wednesday for their home in Waukesha.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ingersoll left for McGregor, Iowa, last night to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. P. Schumaker.

W. J. Davenport, formerly a resident of this city, is now located at Kaslo, B. C., where he is secretary of the Imperial Mining Co., limited.

Will and Guy Bean, Earl Mallory and W. W. Bain came up from the University on Sunday to cast their votes for McKinley and prosperity on Tuesday.

Dr. Courtney returned on Monday from a hunting trip to Dakota to collect the vote for the prosperity candidate. The doctor's party succeeded in bagging seven deer.

Altkin Age: Mrs. James Orr departed on Monday for Brainerd with her children and intends to spend the winter there with relatives. The best wishes of her many friends in Altkin will accompany her.

President Merrill, of the B. & N. M. Ry., accompanied by Mrs. Merrill, arrived in the city on Saturday and were the guests of General Manager and Mrs. Gemmel over Sunday, returning home on Monday.

AN ESTIMABLE LADY DEAD. Mrs. W. W. Campbell, of Ada, Mother of Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll, Dies This Morning.

Mrs. W. W. Campbell, of Ada, mother of Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll and Frank G. Hall, of this city, died at her home in Ada, Minn., at 4:25 this morning, from the shock of a surgical operation. Deceased was not a resident of this city, but she has visited here frequently, and had many acquaintances here who will be pained to hear of her death. She was 50 years of age and had lived at Ada, Minn., for many years, where she had a circle of friends numbered by her acquaintances. She was a member of the Methodist church of her home city, and was an earnest Christian lady, given to works of charity and love for the poor and unfortunate. A dutiful wife and loving mother, she will be deeply mourned by her surviving husband and children, who have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

A motion was made that Mr. Page be discharged, which was lost. His resignation was then accepted.

The street committee reported that the stone crusher had been leased to Mr. Swartz for \$3.00 a day and that a railing had been placed at west end of Mississippi bridge.

A resolution was passed fixing the city tax levied at 10 mills, which is the limit, and will produce \$17,500 revenue.

A resolution was adopted requiring the water company to lay a four inch water main on 6th street south from Rosewood street 600 feet south.

A sidewalk was ordered laid along the south side of lot 1, block 41.

Residents of the Third ward petitioned for the extension of the water main on 4th avenue. It was referred to the city attorney, as was also a petition asking for an extension on 10th street north.

George Thayer was granted a liquor license.

The city engineer submitted estimates showing work on 4th street to be completed to the amount of \$1,248.88, and that amount was ordered paid to Mr. Swartz.

On motion, Mr. Higgins, electric light engineer of the Brainerd Lumber Company plant, was placed temporarily in charge of the electric light plant.

FOR SALE. 40 acres of land adjoining the corporation of Brainerd, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, town 45, range 30, \$500. Big discount for cash. Address Bank of Richmond, Torii, Minn.

Notice of Final Proof. Last Office at St. Cloud, Minn. Notice is hereby given that the following named parties having taken the oaths prescribed by law, and the same being duly certified, the same will be made before Registrar of Records at St. Cloud, Minn., on the 19th day of November, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m. David Stewart, H. E. Witt for the N. P. Ry. & N. W. Ry. Co. If it appears the following witnesses to serve the said land, viz: Elmer Skowland, and William G. Gorman, Elmer G. Gorman and George Bakker, of Vesting, Minn. J. P. TAYLOR, Register.

SOFT. PAGE RESIGNS.

Tax Levy Made, and Other Business Transacted by the City Council.

The council met in regular session on Monday evening. The city clerk and chief of police submitted reports showing \$24,122 in fines collected, and electric light collections were \$1,117.44.

The clerk was instructed to ascertain from Mr. Gronslungen if hydrants had been fixed.

The claim of Mr. Shoberg was referred to street committee, to report next Thursday night.

Chas. Swanson was given a permit to construct a brick veneer barn back of his block on Laurel street.

A large number of claims against the city were allowed.

The electric light committee submitted the following report: To the Honorable City Council. The following is the report of the electric light committee, showing the condition of the electric light system and plant, at the present time, with a condensed review of work done the past ten months, under the supervision of your committee.

After careful consideration the necessity for a reconstruction of the plant at the power house, water wheels and dynamos, was considered the proper course to take in order to preserve the efficiency of the whole system, with the following results:

Under the management of a practical engineer, two water wheels were placed in the new flume, with a combined capacity of 500 horsepower. Two new general electric incandescent light dynamos complete, with a capacity of 2,500 lights each, were purchased and are now in running order.

A new line shaft and pulleys were placed, concrete foundation built under dynamos, a new floor built in power house, a 60 inch light dynamo machine was exchanged for the old one, giving the city 30 additional arc lights, which has been placed in position. New cedar poles have been placed throughout the whole system, and new wire on main lines.

Receipts prior to the present improvement averaged \$750 per month. From the first of November receipts for lights will show an income of \$1,200 per month, with indications of continued increase.

It is estimated on the present rate of operating expenses, and the income from plant, that the improvement will be paid for out of the profits in three years.

The report was on motion, accepted that the committee also reported that they had held an investigation of the cause of the break down in the arc light machine, and found that a difference of opinion existed between the superintendent and other employees as to the cause, and submitted the evidence taken and reported Superintendent Page's resignation.

A motion was made that Mr. Page be discharged, which was lost. His resignation was then accepted.

The street committee reported that the stone crusher had been leased to Mr. Swartz for \$3.00 a day and that a railing had been placed at west end of Mississippi bridge.

A resolution was passed fixing the city tax levied at 10 mills, which is the limit, and will produce \$17,500 revenue.

A resolution was adopted requiring the water company to lay a four inch water main on 6th street south from Rosewood street 600 feet south.

A sidewalk was ordered laid along the south side of lot 1, block 41.

Residents of the Third ward petitioned for the extension of the water main on 4th avenue. It was referred to the city attorney, as was also a petition asking for an extension on 10th street north.

George Thayer was granted a liquor license.

The city engineer submitted estimates showing work on 4th street to be completed to the amount of \$1,248.88, and that amount was ordered paid to Mr. Swartz.

On motion, Mr. Higgins, electric light engineer of the Brainerd Lumber Company plant, was placed temporarily in charge of the electric light plant.

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