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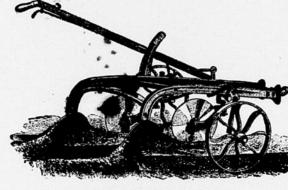
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The bird is singing on the tree
Like all get out.
Again appears the festive flee,
And hops about. For summer's come again, you see,

P. S. My name is

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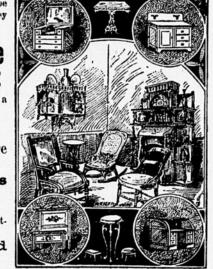
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Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Ole Christopfson, of Riverside, June 30, a son. Attorney J. P. McMahon was at the county

seat on Monday on land business. Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Rugg visited Mr. D. V. Baldwin, Sherbrooke, Friday and Saturday

Good showers fell Saturday in various localities in this section, doing much good to the

crops.

The wife of Chris Musselman is quite seriously ill of brain fever, at the Nelson House,

Steele county sent a representation of seveneen to the alliance convention held at Farge,

A special school meeting is called at the school house for Wednesday evening, July 10, at 6 p. m.

Mr. E. D. Wallace left Monday for Clifford en route to Bismarck to attend the constitutional convention

District Attorney Paul was at Sherbrooke Monday and Tuesday attending the meeting of the board of county commissioners.

During the thunderstorm Monday afternoon George Vandusen living in Pickert township, had a team of horses valued at \$400 killed by

lightning. The International Cyclopedia advertisement will appear in its summer dress next week, as it would have this had we had the time to

make the change. Capt. Flint came up on the Manitoba train esterday, remained over night, the train leaving before his oration was delivered, and returned to Fargo by team to-day.

A telegram received from Bismarck states that Fancher was chosen temporary chairman of the North Dakota constitutional convention at its opening session in that city yesterday.

The many friends of Charley I. Wales in Hope will be glad to learn that he has been recently promoted to the responsible position of contracting freight agent of the Soo Line at Dr. Dupuis, dentis, of Mayville, will be in

prepared to perform all operations pertaining to modern dentistry. Difficult cases solicited. Office at hotel. A party consisting of H, I. Smith, J. W. Wheeler, Bert Shaw and Geo. Lang, started

days fishing, and expect to return loaded with Don't ruin your month and health by wearing a rubber plate, when you can get a good metal plate for the same price. Dr. Dupuis is the only dentist in North Dakota that makes a

specialty of metal plate work. Ed Hammond while engaged in playing the great national game, yesterday, was so unfortunate as to get a joint of one of his fingers displace. It is safe to say that he does not place the same estimation on a game finger

that he does upon a lively game of B. B. Nature, as if to demonstrate that it is useless to undertake to out rival her in pyrotechnic display, opened up with some sharp flashes of light ning while our Fourth of July display was just being gracefully closed out. At a later hour peals of thunder were to be heard accompanied by a fall of rain of short dura-

A terriffic hall storm passed over a portion of Steele county Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock, doing a good deal of damage in its track. At Sherbrooke nearly all the glass in the upper story of the county buildiding was broken, as well as in many private houses. Crops in its path were leveled to the ground. The hailstones were unusually large, some of them measuring eight inches in circumference. Oscar Cummings had the most of the glass in

his house broken. During the thunder storm Monday afternoon the Hope school house was struck by lightning. The fluid struck the cupola, ran along the cone of the roof, then down one of the valley gutters and entered the building on the west side, tearing off one of the window casings and part of the siding, and passing down to the first story through the floor. In the Masonic hall the plastering was badly damaged, being torn off from a considerable space and scattered over the floor. At one time it was thought the building was on fire, but fortunately this was not the case. The damage to the building and the Masonic fraternity will probably reach \$150. It is lucky that it happened during the vacation of the school, when no one was in the building, as otherwise the result would have been serious.

Who Was He?

During court week a man brought over from Steele county what was considered one of their fast horses, and was spoiling to demolish the justly earned fame of our Griggs county trotters. Ri Robinson obliged him by taking 'Old Gold' down to the track, and in spite of the Steele county man's premature exultations the Griggs county trotter knocked his horse clean out, coming in easily five lengths ahead and making the mile in less than three minutes. They may think they can out trot our horse but they can't beat our driver .- Coopers. town Courier.

> By the Lakeside. For every wave with dimpled face, That leaped upon the air, Had caught a star in its embrace, And held it trembling there.

Have you ever ridden along the shore beautiful lake Pepin, in a moonlight night? If you have you can realize the full meaning of the stanza above. If you have not made the trip, you should embrace the first opportunity to view the enchanting scene, by purchasing a ticket on "The Burlington's" vestibuled train either north or south, and gliding swiftly and smoothly along the beach, within sight and hearing of the soft ripple of the waves. Minnesota, within a few miles of either St. Paul or Minneapolis, is full of lovely lakes, to all of which "The Burlington" is the quick, safe, and popular line from all points south and east For further information as to summer resorts, address W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass. Agent, C. B. & N. R. R., St. Paul, Minn.

The dining car attached to the Northern Pacific train, due at Fargo last Saturday morn-Jamestown during the night.

THE FOURTH OF JULY.

How the Day was Celebrated in Hope. The morning of the Fourth broke bright and clear. Old Sol had on his war paint, and the

early hours of the day betokened that it would be a screecher. All the stores and business houses were decorated with flags and bunting, also many private dwellings, and presented a bright and gay appearance. At 6 o'clock a salute of guns was fired, awakening the echoes of the hills, and our

people hardly finished their matin meal before the country folks began to arrive. They came in carriages, buggies with tops and buggies without tops, vans, wagons and on horse back-and some by the still more primitive means of personal transportation, where the distance to be traveled was not great. By nine o'clock the streets were filled by a happy, good natured crowd of people, determined to lay aside for one day their cares and seek relief in forgetfulness.

The first thing on the programme was the calithumpian parade. Into this was pressed a heterogeneous lot of farming impliments, drawn by a large traction engine, and each nounted by a grotesque character. There were clowns, negroes, Indians, warriors, monkeys and whatnot. The pleasing thing of the procession was a number of young ladies dressed in white, each representing one of the states of the Union.

Immediately following the parade came the aces, which attracted the entire crowd.

The first race was a running race, free for all, mile heats, two best in three, for which there were the following entries: Warrey's Ike and Soley's Topo. The first pulled out; Topo took second money. The second race was a trotting race, free for all, one mile, for which there were entries, viz: Scollard's Black Dan, Luce's Queen, Farlow's Susie. Black Dau 1st, Susie 24. The other hurt herself in first heat and pulled out. The third race was a running race for two year olds, half mile dash, for which A. Gilman entered his bay filly, W. A. Williams his brown filly, and Fred Pope his brown gelding. The race was won by Pope's gelding. Williams first, Pope 2nd. In the pony race were entered Henche's Deacon, Grant's Dan Jones, Algeo's Capt. Clay. Dan Jones 1st, Deacon 24.

After dinner the crowd assembled around the band stand and listened to an oration by Hope July 9th to 16th. The doctor will be | Capt. M. R. Flint of Fargo, who was introduced by Mr. J. P. McMahon, Capt. Flint made a brilliant address, and at the close was loudly applauded, and we regret that time and space does not permit to give a synopsis

of his remarks. Then followed a game of base ball between this morning for Spiritwood Lake, for a few Broadlawn and Pickert, which was won by the Pickert club, the score standing 14 to 5.

During the afternoon and again at night the Hope dramatic club gave performances in the Opera house of the "Soldier of Fortune," which were attracted by a large number of people. All the ladies and gentlemen who took part did remarkably well, and those present showed their appreciation by generous and well timed applause.

The festivities of the day closed with grand display of fireworks, which were the most brilliant ever seen in this section, followed by dancing at the Opera and Hope House by those not too wearied to indulge in that light and airy pastime.

NOTES.

The G. A. R. boys fed a large number of people and their exchequer was replenished with an agreeable amount of legal tender. The Ladies' Relief corps dispensed lemonade, ice cream and fruit, and their receipts were

quite satisfactory. Booths were erected at different points and were patronized by many who didst hunger

No disturbances of any kind occurred to mar the pleasure of the day, and all our guests returned home feeling well satisfied with their

DAKOTA GLEANINGS.

North Dakota will form one district for taking the census, and South Dakotu will form two districts. Boston detectives write that "Gen." A. B.

Ward is in New York, living with his eighth wife, a rich divorced woman. A preminent banking house in Boston, Mass., old \$546,000 werth of Dakota territory four, four and a half and five per cent. bends one

day last week. In the case of Brown & Passmore vs. Benjamin Potter, tried at Fargo last week, the defendant failed to appear and judgment was given for plaintiffs.

Camp Ben Harrison broke July 1st. In point of members, discipline and favorable weather, it has been the most successful encampment yet held in Dakota.

Aberdeen's appeal in the famous Brown

county seat has been allowed by Judge Crofoot, and the county records will remain there pending a decision of the supreme court of the United States. The Scandinavians of North Dakota have organized at Fargo under the name of the Scaudinavian Union of North Dakota, for the pur-

pose of securing for themselves a more equal distribution of offices. A suit for breach of promise has been begun at Grand Forks. Gunnie Assland sues Knud Flaskrud, a prosperous Norwegian farmer for \$7,000 damages, claiming she was seduced by

him under promise of marriage. Prof. Homer B. Sprague, Grand Forks, has addressed a circular letter to the county superintendents and teachers of graded schools of North Dakota, asking for a conference of educators at Bismarck on July 12 and 13. The question, "What ought the constitution to contain on the subject of education?" will be con-

Judge L. E. Francis of Hillsbero, died at his residence in that town, on Friday afternoon last, from a relapse of pneumonia. The deceased has long been judge of probate in Traili county, was an influential citizen and enjoyed the confidence and esteem by all who knew him. The announcement of his death will be received with sorrow by a large circle of friends.

Dr. Collins, territorial veterinary, has been t Jamestown quarantining glandered horses. He killed two animals. In Wells county two were also killed and several quarantined. It is said that a thorough inspection of Eddy county would bring to light therty cases. Montana and Washington territory wild horses, if ing, was burned a short distance west of is said, have brought the disease with them, and spread it to several localities.

by President Loncks, Ira Lampman, of Barnes, Fancher of Stutsman, Johnson of Nelson, and others. President Loucks in his opening address advocated the control of the railroads and all public necessities by the general government, dwelt upon the evils of the spoils system, and of the policy of hoarding vast sums in the national treasury. He fully discussed the matters of most vital interest to farmers, saying: There are three cardinal principles, as stated by the organizers of the alliance nine years ago. They are social, financial and political. To the first educational should be added. The necessity of education and the forming of closer social ties require no discussion. As to the financial part,where local dealers handle machinery on a fair margin, support them. But when they charge too much (as has often been the case) we farmers have a perfect right and necessity compels us to buy direct. In the insurance department a very great saving has been made, besides keeping the money paid as premiums in Dakota, where it is needed. As to wheat raising, we have stopped where the profit begins. We have been producing at cost and often at a loss. Still immense sums have been nade in wheat raising, but our brother farmers who ship the wheat, who store it and who grind it, are the ones who are making the money. These men raise it-from just where the producer drops it. If we are to profit by our work we must come nearer the consumer. Politicians give us lots of advice saying, "The alliance is doing a grand work, only leave poltics alone. Politics is a dirty pool not fit for you; leave it to us!" In all seriousness, if politics are degraded to that level, is it not ime that we should purify them. Haven't we, farmers, a right to engage in politics? This is a government of the people, of the majority, and we are four-fifths of the people. Why then shouldn't we have our say? We have allowed the other one-fifth to rule us and to make laws for us. Is it any wonder they have made laws favoring themselves and against us, though we are a large majority of the peo! ple. In the early days of the republic we had farmer presidents, a majerity in the national senate and house of representatives and in nearly every state legislature. Then the farmers owned three-fourths of tee wealth, now considerably less than one-fourth, and very little representation in congress, not having a single senator and but few representatives. Of late we have been poor citizens, not seeing to it that the welfare of the people is subserved. This work we must take up again. Shall we form an alliance party? No. Let it be distinctly understood that the policy of the National alliance and of the Dakota alliance is to work through the present parties. We farmers are a large majority of both parties, and the majority of course should say who should have the offices and what the legislature shall be. We are accused of "wanting the earth." Well, what of it? Who uses the earth more than we do? There are certain of these offices that we must have, but we are broad gauged and will not ask all that our number us to. In the matter of representation he claimed for the farmers both of the United States senators, congressman, governor, lieutenant governor, and the majority of both houses of the legislature and of the railroad commissioners. He conceded to the newspapers the auditorship; to school teachers, superintendent of schools; to businesss men commissioners of public lands, and to lawyers judgships and attorney generalship.

Farmers' Alliance Convention Representative farmers to the number of about 250 met in convention in Fargo last

week and remained in session two days. President Loucks presided. Speeches were made

A central committee consisting of F. B. Fancher, D. S. Dodds and Walter Muir were and were given authority to appoint county and precinct committees. It was determined to invite the co-operation of labor organizations in the work of political reform. The fellowing resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the farmers and laborers of

North Dakota, believing that God belps those

who helps themselves, pledge our most earn-

est effort to assist in laying the foundation of

our new and grand state on a broad and generous plan, and our most earnest effort to secure a full representation at all primaries and elect such delegates as will, at the various conventions to which they are accredited, place in nomination men who are identified with our interests. That every legitimate interest is entitled to representation in all legislative bodies proportionate to its numbers. That it is the sentiment of this alliance that our object can be best attained through the machinery of our respective parties, as we are in a large majority in both of them, and we have only to make systematic effort to possess them. That the use of proxies should be minimumized; that in the interest of good government we favor something similar to the Australian system of balloting; that we are in favor of equal rights and justice to all; that we demand of the republican and democratic ceutral committees that they call state conventions not earlier than Sept. 1 nor later than Sept. 12, so that the farmers may be able to attend. That we regard with unfeigned displeasure efforts of certain of the press to defame the known, honored and trusted character of our officers and leaders. That the Jamestown Capital is the official paper of the alliance, and commend it to the farmers, expresses entire sympathy with the sentiments expressed by Powderly to Loucks read before the convention, reaffirms prohibition resolutions adopted at Jamestown, endorses president Loucks, recognizing in him an able, wise, and conservative leader, who has not been debarred from a conscious discharge of his duties by fear, flat-

The following platform was adopted: All public necessities so far as practicable, should be owned and controlled by the government and managed in such a way that no class shall be allowed to exact unjust rates for the use thereof. Our railroads should be controlled by the government, so as to be run in the interests of the people upon an actual cost basis. We reaffirm the principles of the alliances as laid down in the former national and territorial alliance platform and pledge our renewed allegience and fidelity to those principles. We advocate equal and just taxation of property, a prohibition state, and the electing of United States senators by a direct vote of the peo ple of each state; courts of arbitration that justice not precedent, may govern; the Australian system of voting, and the abolition of the contract system on national, state and municipal works. Also that the criminals of the state be made self supporting; that the school lands be leased to the highest responsible bidder until sold; that the constitutional convention be requested to submit separately the question of granting full suffrage to women, and that of the public officer as many as possible should be elected and few appointed. Dakota for Dakotans, our friends to the front, carpet baggers to the rear. The official oath as set forth tn the Sioux Falls constitution. That the pay of the members of the legislature should be \$500 and mileage.

tery or threats.

Secretary Richardson went to Sioux Falls to arrange for the opening of the South Dakota constitutional convention. South Dakota has \$20,000 to spend on the convention, but it is not believed that it will continue in session over a week or ten days.