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LOCAL RESUME

The Doings of Yourselves and Others Weekly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mastud and daughter of Hatton, and who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Smeasted for the past few days, left Monday, on No. 8, for Norma, to visit relatives for a few days. Mrs. Smeasted accompanied them as far as Ellmersack and returned on Tuesday.

Hans Anderson, formerly of this place, and now of Sheridan, Ore., returned to Almont last week to visit relatives and also to look after some business matters. He was agreeably surprised to see the fine fields of grain waiting the thrasher and he also stated the crops very good in the section where he is living.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Silvernail are entertaining the former's parents of Taylor, for a few days.

"Goetzlienset hunt!" is one of the most frequently asked questions nowadays. Most of the local nimrods have been able to answer affirmatively and also add, "I've a gun and dog too."

Hjalmar Anderson whose grain was threshed last week yielded 26 bushels of 61 lbs to the bushel of wheat to the acre. And tho this is enough to make one think only in big figures, yet one his first acts on getting the grain marketed, was to remember the Arena in a substantial way and have his subscription marked up for another year.

Among the officials who were in this place this week, was state inspector O'Gorman, and, it is

unnecessary to say he found the hotel and restaurant in A1 condition. It is, however, stated that he found a certain business that for cleanliness of appearances, was not complying with the law and he reported the matter to the board which has the matter in charge.

Your Opportunity to secure the Dakota Farmer and the Almont Arena for \$1.75 is here and will last for only three weeks, or until September 20th.

Insurance companies are urging on the people to plough firetrakes early this year on account of the amount of vegetation that will soon be dry and highly combustible. It is also urged that before the various heating apparatuses are put up for the winter, a rigid examination of all flues and cond victors be made. The foregoing is good and timely advice and if heeded will be the means of saving millions of dollars worth of property and in a measure reduce the cost of insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Anderson who have been spending a three weeks' vacation in Minnesota, Illinois and Iowa, visiting the points of greatest interest, getting a near-by view of the great metropolitan commercial and industrial centers in their everyday workings, as well as visiting relatives in Iowa, returned home, Thursday afternoon. They said that every minute of the trip was thoroughly enjoyed.

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Old Tom Peas	20 c
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Preserved	25 c
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Dried Fruit

Peaches	per pound 15 c
Apricots	18 c
Raisins	10 c
Apples	15 c
Seeded Raisins 2 pound	25 c
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Victoria Cross Stories

by Allen Stephens

It is simply a bit of brown cast in the shape of a Maltese cross, one and one-half inches in diameter, and is worth money—often included. And yet, up to date, five hundred and fifty-two subjects have counted what seemed to be "certain and sudden" death in order that they might wear one of these bits of brown and become privileged to append the letters "V. C." to their names; and of these, one-third died to win.

When Queen Victoria instituted the Order of the Victoria Cross by her Royal Warrant of January 29, 1856, it sprang by the immortal charge of the Light Brigade at Balaklava some two years before. At any rate, the fall that a new and beautiful order was necessary in order to distinguish those brave men who, by their valor, particularly exemplified themselves during the Crimean war.

Nothing save the merit of conspicuous bravery gives claim for the decoration, and it must be earned by some signal act of devotion or valor in the presence of the enemy.

It would be a hard matter to decide which particular deed out of the five hundred and twenty-two was the noblest. In fact, it is impossible to judge of the actions of the individual gallant, each act worthy of a V. C. It is difficult to find a single instance of a selection. True, some of the more spectacular ones have been mentioned in the papers, and some who earned a V. C. during the brief Brigade at Balaklava will, in all probability, be better known to posterity than the civilian clerk "Lucknow" in Rangoon, the brave Irishman who earned a Victoria Cross by his wonderful daring in leaving Lucknow in dispatches and plans, picking his way through a country infested by 60,000 vigilant, murderous Sepoy troops, that all might be summoned to the beleaguered city.

The Indian mutiny was in full swing. Early in 1857 the mysterious chapatis of unlabeled bread had passed from village to village, together with the sinister message, "Everything will become red." Misted by treacherous and designing native princes, the Sepoys had turned upon the British.

Fresh from Hongkong after the news of the outbreak at Meerut, H. M. Shonnon disembarked at Allahabad. He was made to the relief of the English garrison at Lucknow. Sir William Peel, who had gained distinction as a V. C. during the Crimean war, was in command of the blue-jackets; and among the latter was one William Hall, a negro captain of the Liverpool who had seen service in the Crimea.

During their 25-pounds over the rough roads, the British brigades joined Havelock's retreating column, and Havelock's nerve was strained to reach Cawnpore in time, for it was known that about six hundred Sepoys were cooped up in the city, including many English women and children.

Cawnpore was reached upon the 16th of July, and a crushing blow dealt the bloodthirsty hosts of the speakable Nana Sahib. But the performance was in the main, for scarcely twenty-four hours before, while Havelock's column was on the way, the massacre which had perpetrated. Four hundred men had surrendered, owing to the blunder of a gentle and weak-kneed general, and more than two hundred women and children had been left to the mercy of the fiendish foe under Nana Sahib.

The men of the garrison had been cruelly ordered to their deaths—wantonly shot down to the last. After the surrender, several weeks before the arrival of General Havelock and his men. The women and children had been immured in a room, and Nana Sahib had then locked up in a gloomy chamber. There they were kept for some time, during which their numbers were swollen by the arrival of fresh prisoners to a total of two hundred and six. The Nana had been in no hurry to slaughter them, the forces huddled in the building on the 15th of July had set out for the massacre.

sheltered angle to drag back his gun. He called upon them to remember that they were British soldiers, and to bear a charmed life. He was a brave man, and his name is on the list of the Victoria Crosses.

At a house, perhaps, the British soldiers were gathered, and the British soldiers were gathered. The British soldiers were gathered, and the British soldiers were gathered.

By this time other men had reached the spot and torn the doors open. The brave act, Mukarrab Khan was awarded the Victoria Cross.

Meanwhile other serious work had been cut out for William Hall and the other blue-jackets, for a thousand men, surrounded by high walls of solid masonry, with the high walls of the roofs of the surrounding area, and drove the Sepoys before them like sheep.

And with "Hobbs" well in the vanguard, the 9th Lancers led the pursuit. When within three hundred yards of the Sepoys the "charge" was sounded, and within another minute came the shock. Seven guns were taken within five minutes.

The men thundered on, overflew groups of the enemy, who were few and far between, and finally the British. Finally the last body was overrun. The Sepoys halted and Lieutenant Venning, riding near "Hobbs", fell; but the future hero could not ride to his assistance.

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A Picture of Contentment

All men look pleased when they smoke this choice tobacco. It is of the highest quality and true natural flavor of the best tobacco.



Got a Camera with the Camera. The camera is a very important part of the camera.

To Reproduce Riot Scenes. The reproduction of riot scenes is a very important part of the camera.

50,000 FARM LABORERS. This advertisement is for farm laborers and is a very important part of the advertisement.

Don't Persecute Your Bowels. This advertisement is for bowels and is a very important part of the advertisement.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES. This advertisement is for W. L. Douglas shoes and is a very important part of the advertisement.

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SIMS' SIDELIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holts and son Freddie were Mandan visitors one day last week.

Mrs. Inga Ims returned home last Sunday, after spending a week with her brother George on the homestead.

Theo Fokko conducted business all through the first of the week.

Threshing is on in full swing in this vicinity. We have not been able to what the average yield per acre of the different kinds of grain is yet, but feel sure that it will be more than expected.

A. M. Anderson shipped a car of cattle from here, last Monday. The stock was in fine condition and will undoubtedly net him a nice little sum.

O. F. Behrenfeld of New Leipzig, shipped three carloads of fine cattle out of here last Friday.

Mrs. Louis Larson of Miles City who has been visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Tobine Larson for a week, returned home a few days ago.

John Timmerman took in the dance at Almont, last Saturday night and also spent Sunday at his parents' home.

Kenyon Klippings.

Mrs. Kennedy was the guest of Mrs. A. M. Johnson Wednesday.

Ole Jacobson was an Almont visitor last Friday.

See Templeton—He will get those collections in!

Albin Peterson returned home last week after a spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Minnesota. His sister, Mrs. T. Rauer, accompanied him to this place.

Edna Larson made a trip to Almont the first of the week.

A number of the young people took in the dance at Strupmann's, Saturday. All report a very good time.

J. H. DeLang was the guest of H. Bjornum, Sunday!

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Meals at all hours—Short Order Service is our specialty

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Fred Vollrath, Prop

Mr. and Mrs. G. Lehn and family were guests at A. M. Johnson's Sunday.

Anna E. Johnson called upon friends at Caron, Sunday.

Charles Pashman of Caron called at the home of A. M. Johnson at Sunday evening.

Harve Bellmore was a business visitor in this section, Monday.

Miss Tina Johnson is visiting friends near Almont this week.

Master B. Billing of Dickinson who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tibben very last visitors, Sunday.

Additional Local

"A Hunting We Will Go" is a popular strain in Almont today.

All kinds of collections made by T. E. P. S. S. T. O. W.

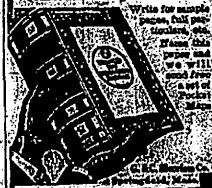
Rev. R. Alexander closed his work as pastor of the Almont charge, last week, and left for Chicago the middle of the week to take up his studies in a theological seminary.

A message was received here on Wednesday, announcing the death of Mrs. John Tischler, which took place early that morning. Heart disease was given as the cause. A husband, four children, a brother and other relatives survive to mourn her loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogen Anderson are the proud parents of a fine girl which arrived at their home the first of the week. Both mother & child are doing well.

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3 crown raisins	9c a lb.
Fancy Muir peaches	14c a lb.
Choice "	12c a lb.
40 to 50 prunes	13c a lb.
70 to 80 "	10c a lb.
Fancy apricots	13a a lb.
Choice "	13c a lb.
Choice dried apples	12c a lb.
Seeded raisins	10c a lb.
Full Cream brick cheese	" American "
Summer sausage	" "

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The Corrector of Destinies

Dublin, Ireland, Randolph Mason as Hero of The Interrupted Exile

By Melville Davidson Post

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When the invitation to Emily Cruger's wedding at her father's... When we were met at the little station... When we were met at the little station...

but I await the destiny of the... He reached out his arm, crossed some papers on the library table... He took up the paper and heaped it over to me...

But women are not to be taken with a chain of fete... The man was carrying on his face a courteous unconcern... I had no opportunity to speak with him...

There is a fragment of unbelievable history about that debt... He turned over the key to a little building... "There is a fragment of unbelievable history about that debt..."

Three months later the railroad went into the hands of a receiver... The woman had been heartily and I was entering a carriage... The servant took me to a quiet chamber...

"General," he said, "before we discuss this, let me see if Mr. Gray... The man who had been heartily and I was entering a carriage... The servant took me to a quiet chamber...

"I will," I said, "if one were lacking sense, I think he might be safely said a wolf."... He took my answer with a slow nodding of the head...

He was an earnest, earnest, earnest... He looked at him in wonder... "I followed the trail," he said...

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"You will observe," he said, "that the old form of acknowledgment for mortgages was checked by this act... The man who had been heartily and I was entering a carriage...

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