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SIVER SERUMGARD, a prominent attorney of Devils Lake, is the senior partner of the well-known real estate firm of Serumgard & Moen, of Devils Lake. He was born in Lesje parish, Norway, December 11, 1859.

Mr. Serumgard came to America with his parents in 1868 and settled on a farm in Watonwan county, Minnesota, where he was reared to manhood and where he lived until 1882. He was educated in the high school in Mankato and at the State University at Minneapolis, where he graduated in the literary class of 1890 and from the law department the same year. He was admitted to the bar at Devils Lake in July, 1890 and began the practice of his profession at Cooperstown, North Dakota, where he remained one year and then located at Devils Lake in the spring of 1891. He has since followed practice there and is largely interested in real estate in Ramsey county. He came to North Dakota in 1882 and taught school for some time in Fargo and also taught in Cooperstown until he was admitted to the bar. In August, 1892, in company with Mr. L. D. McGohen, he established the paper published in Devils Lake known as "The Free Press." This was a Democratic paper and had a wide circulation.

Our subject was married, in Covington, Kentucky, February 12, 1894, to Miss Grace E. Kirker, a native of Manchester, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Serumgard are the parents of three children, named as follows: Arthur K., Grace B. and Dorothy D. Our subject was appointed by Governor Shortridge, in 1893, as regent of the North Dakota State University for four years. He has been city attorney for Devils Lake three terms and has also been alderman in the city and is one of the public-spirited men of that locality. He is a member of the Presbyterian church and in political sentiment is Democratic, with which party he has been identified since 1888. Mr. Serumgard formed a partnership with Egild T. Moen, October 1, 1898, and this well-known firm conducts an extensive real estate, loan and collection business.

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Siver Serungard was born in Lesje Norway, Dec 11, 1859. His parents were Sever and Anne O. Hage. He attended the public schools of Norway, and of Brown and Watonwan counties Minn. Later he graduated, from Mankato High School in 1883 and in 1890 graduated from U. of Minn, and in 1881 as LL.B. His first residence in the U.S. was at Riverdall Minn. In 1883 he moved to Cooperstown and lived there for about eight years. He was admitted to the bar in N.D. in 1890, and in 1891 began practicing law at Devil's Lake N. Dak, and made it his home until his death. He was married Feb. 12, 1894 to Miss Estelle Kirker of Covington Kentucky.