

Thoreson, 42, Once Of Fargo, Killed In West

Harold P. (Buck) Thoreson, 42, of Los Angeles, a former Fargoan, was electrocuted Sunday when he accidentally touched a bare wire on a Malibu lake boat dock.

Thoreson, a former Fargo high school, Concordia and NDU football player, had returned with his family from a fishing trip when the mishap occurred.

The dock had been wired by an amusement company for night boat racing.



Thoreson

Thoreson was born in Hannaford, N. D., June 30, 1907, and as a boy moved to Fargo with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. A. Thoreson.

He was graduated from the University of North Dakota and in 1929 moved to California where he served as state relief administrator for San Bernardino county.

He spent several years in Washington as a congressional secretary and later became postmaster in San Bernardino, Calif.

He served in the army air corps in England in World War II, reaching the rank of major.

At the time of his death Thoreson was an official in a firm of commercial builders in Los Angeles.

Surviving are Mrs. Thoreson; three children, David, Eric and Barbara; three sisters, Mrs. J. K. Mickelson, Harwood, N. D., and Mrs. R. C.

Mrs. Thingstad, 94, Aneta, Dies

Mrs. Iver (Kristina) Thingstad, resident of North Dakota since territorial days, died Saturday at Northwood, N. D.

The mother of Mrs. John (Clara) Erickson, 70 Fourth st N, she would have been 95 years old Feb. 22. A long time resident of Nelson county, she had resided in Aneta the last 30 years.



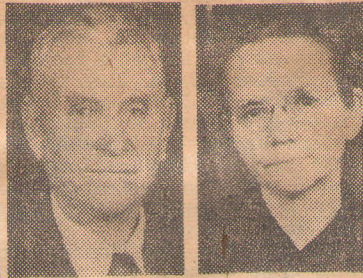
Born in Valdre, Hedemarken, Norway, Feb. 22, 1855, she was married in Norway in 1875. Seven years later they came to Dakota Territory and after two years in Hillsboro they homesteaded in Nelson county. Mr. Thingstad died 35 years ago.

Besides Mrs. Erickson she leaves three sons, Peter Thingstad of Minot, Carl of Aneta, and Lars of Jamestown; 22 grandchildren and 43 great-grandchildren.

A son, Martin, died at Hillsboro Nov. 3, 1949. Another son, John, and two daughters, Karen and Mrs. Andrew (Julia) Rugstad, also preceded her in death.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Trostads Observe Golden Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Trostad of rural Aneta will be honored Sunday at an open house in the West Prairie church in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Attending will be the couple's seven children, 16 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. The children are Ralph of Coopers-town; Olger of Aneta; Mrs. Howard (Ida) Seeburger of Phillips, Wis.; Mrs. Oscar (Thelma) Olson, Kloten; Mrs. Nels (Ella) Hillesland, Aneta; Mrs. Earnie (Clara) Ronningen, Binford, and Mrs. Charles (Gladys) Rafferty of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Trostad were married in 1900, in Cooperstown and have been residents of Griggs county since that time.

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Gladys Trostad, Rafferty Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Trostad of Aneta, N. D., announce the marriage of their daughter, Gladys, of Chicago, to Charles Edward Rafferty of Pontiac, Ill. They were married in St. John's Lutheran church in Phillips, Wis. The bride is a graduate of Concordia college.

Mr. and Mrs. Earny Ronnigen of Binford, N. D., brother-in-law and sister of the bride, were the attendants. A reception followed in the home of another sister, Mrs. Howard Seeburger.

They will make their home in Phillips.

Mrs. P. R. Trubshaw, Of Valley City Dies

Valley City, N. D.—Mrs. P. R. Trubshaw, 80, widow of a former publisher of the Valley City Times-Record, died Monday. A daughter and two grandchildren survive.

Knudt Thompson, 76, Griggs Farmer, Dead

Cooperstown, N. D.—Services for Knudt M. Thompson, 76, who died Monday in his Dover township farm home, are tentatively set for Saturday in Eidsjord Lutheran church west of Walum, N. D. Rev. Roy W. Gilbertson will officiate with S. J. Quam funeral home in charge.

Born in Norway June 13, 1873, he came to the U. S. in 1892 and to Griggs county in 1906. He married Martha Jacobson Nov. 17, 1907.

Surviving are Mrs. Thompson; two daughters, Mrs. Raymond Walks of Courtenay, N. D., and Mrs. Gordon Mickelson of Wimbeldon, N. D.; five sons, Morris of Revere, N. D., Casper and John at home, Albert of Cooperstown and Oscar, with the army in Louisiana; three sisters, Mrs. Abelone Myshaug of Hannaford, N. D., Mrs. Cornelius Englestad of Townsend, Mont., and Mrs. Margaret Williamson of Newfield, N. Y., and 14 grandchildren. A son, Clarence, was killed in France in 1944.

Mrs. Tharaldson Of Aneta Dies

Aneta, N. D.—Services will be Saturday at 2 in the Ottawa Lutheran church for Mrs. Obert A. Tharaldson, 43, of Aneta, who died Thursday in a Northwood hospital following a five-months illness.

Rev. C. W. Holm will officiate. Burial will be in the Ottawa church cemetery.

Mrs. Tharaldson, the former Gilma Pladson, was born in Lenora township, Griggs county, Sept. 27, 1907. She had lived in this vicinity all her life.

Surviving are Mr. Tharaldson; a daughter, Shirley; two sons, Owen and Burton, all at home on the family farm; three sisters, Mrs. David Palmer and Mrs. Sophie Taylor, both of Sharon, N. D., Mrs. Joseph Forberg of Aneta, N. D., and two brothers, Nels Pladson of Finley, N. D., and Theodore of Cooperstown.

Ringstad funeral home of Aneta is in charge of arrangements.

Tufteland, Once Of Griggs, Dead

Services will be held today at Odell, Ore., for Gustave Adolph Tufteland, 61, former Griggs county resident who died April 24.

Mr. Tufteland was born April 14, 1889, at Binford, N. D., and moved to the west coast about five years ago. He was a carpenter and a veteran of World War I.

He is survived by two daughters, one son, one brother and four sisters including Mrs. Bertha Feiring of Cooperstown, N. D., and Mrs.

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Dronen Weds Ruth Tande At Aneta

Ruth Alice Tande, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Tande of Aneta, and Maurice C. Dronen, son of Mrs. Chris Dronen of Finley, N. D., were married Sunday in the new Sundahl Lutheran church in Aneta. Rev. Harold Dordahl of Moorhead officiated, assisted by Rev. C. W. Holm of Aneta.

The bride, former NDAC student, was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin gown, trimmed with lace, with a fingertip veil. Her flowers were talisman roses in a horseshoe design.

Mrs. Luella Lee, matron of honor, wore lavender net. The bridesmaids, Mrs. Woodrow Langhaug of Chicago, Mrs. Ronald Boddy of Farmington, N. M., and Mrs. Iver Tande of Springfield, Mass., sister-in-law of the bride, wore blue, pink and yellow, respectively. All carried white carnations and white daisies in bouquets styled like that of the bride.

Janet Tande and Mary Langhaug, nieces of the bride, were flower girls and wore yellow and white, respectively. Jimmy Lee, a nephew, was the ring bearer. He wore a white linen suit.

Ronald Holter of Finley was the best man. Ushers were Ervin Gruneth and Dennis Mickelson of Finley and Iver Tande.

The bride attended St. Olaf college before going to NDAC where she is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority. She has taught near Lakota.

Mr. Dronen is deputy county auditor of Steele county. Upon the return from a wedding trip the will be at home in Finley.

MBDA DELTA SIGMA literary society at Concordia recently held forty-four in spring meeting. Bottom row, left to right, Delores Skatvold of Mahan, Minn.; Lois Johnson of Aneta, Mont.; Anne Hartmann of Burn, N. D.; Janine Hanson of Aneta, Minn.; Gladys Lewis of Bridges, Mont.; Anita Reid of Mountain Lake, Minn.

Second row, Marjory Ann Johnson of Stephen, Minn.; Marlyn Olson of Ryder, N. D.; Delores Olson of Hawley, Minn.; Avis Reimer of New Ulm, Minn.; Betty Brown of Nome, N. D.; Reiquam of Choteau, Mont.

Third row, Mary Ellen Borstad of Devils Lake; Patricia Gelder of Fargo; Betty Lou Rasmussen of Fargo.

Fourth row, Margart Paulson of Fergus Falls; Margart Paulson of Langford, S. D.; Barbara Braseth of Mahanomen; Rosemary Olson of Cloquet, Minn.; Yvonne Willard of Plentywood, Mont.

Fifth row, Donna Reitan of Minneapolis; Marilyn Rude of Devils Lake; Iliia Mae Stevens of Oriska, N. D.; Marilyn Haugrud of Fargo; Ingrid Larson of Gwinner, N. D.; Delores Tang of Cooperstown, N. D.

Sixth row, Ila Mae Hjelle of Spring Grove, Minn.; Ina Mitling of Watson, Minn.; Doris Thorson of Towner, N. D.; Frances Klai of Galesburg, N. D.; Phyllis Sanden of Sisseton, S. D.; Janet Stenson of New Effington, S. D.

Miss Turner's Rites Thursday

Courtenay, N. D. — Services for Miss Jennie Bradford Turner, 54, of Courtenay will be at 2:30 Thursday in Courtenay Presbyterian church. Eddy funeral home of Jamestown is in charge.

Miss Turner died Monday. She was born at Fort Totten, N. D., Oct. 29, 1895, the family moving to the Courtenay area soon afterwards. A graduate of Jamestown college, Miss Turner took post graduate work at University of Southern California, NDU, NDAC and University of Minnesota.

After teaching at Courtenay, Lisbon and Tioga, N. D., she taught as held at the home of Mrs. Hillesland's parents Sunday afternoon. A very nice lunch was served and cash collection taken up for the poor guest.

She leaves a brother, Robert of Kensal, N. D.; an uncle, Thomas Bradford, Courtenay, and an aunt, Mrs. John Bradford, Bremerton, Wash.

Fargoan Buys Interest Washburn Leader

Mervin A. Tuntland, 1209 Thirteenth st S, Fargo, has purchased a half interest in the Washburn Leader, weekly newspaper at Washburn, N. D., from Fred Jefferis. Jefferis will remain with the paper as mechanical superintendent while Tuntland will be editor and business manager. Tuntland has resigned as an NDAC instructor in agricultural economics.



Tuntland

Thompsons Home In Missoula

Miss Rosella Aarestad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Aarestad of rural Cooperstown became the bride of James Thompson, son of



states Attorney and Mrs. O. J. Thompson of Cooperstown, at a recent ceremony with Rev. O. A. Jonson officiating.

Miss Darlene Finney of Crookston, Minn., played the wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Lloyd Nelson of Cooperstown, pianist, and Misses Carole and Louella Engeness of Finley, N. D., who also sang.

Mrs. William Hammer, Jr., of Cooperstown, attended her sister's matron of honor. She wore a white satin gown and carried pink bouquets.

John Thompson of Minot, N. D., brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. Ushers were Everett Aarestad and Clair Watne.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are at home at Missoula, Mont., where the bridegroom, a former NDAC student, attends the University of Montana. Mrs. Thompson is a graduate of St. Luke's school of nursing.

Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Trost of Hope, N. D., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorraine Marie, to Donald L. Sussex, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sussex of Hope.

Miss Trost and Mr. Sussex are graduates of Hope high school. She attended Valley City State Teachers college and for the past two years taught school near Cooperstown, N. D. At present she is teaching in the Buffalo special district. Mr. Sussex attended NDAC and is now in the navy.



Miss Trost

Adolph Tufteland Of Pekin Dead '52

McVile, N. D.—The American Legion will be in charge of military rites for Adolph Kristian Tufteland at the Sheyenne church near Pekin Tuesday at 2:30. Rev. T. K Spande will conduct the services.

Mr. Tufteland died Tuesday in a Grand Forks hospital. He was a veteran of World war I.

He was born in Nelson county May 4, 1891, and spent his life as a farmer in Bergan township, Nelson county. He married Julia Falomson at Finley March 26, 1930.

Other survivors are a son, Kenneth and a daughter, Clara, both at home; a brother, Hogan, Pekin, and three sisters, Mrs. John Rickford, Pekin, Mrs. Mary McCulloch, Burbank, Calif., and Mrs. Serina Falomson, Jamestown.

The body is at the Wonder funeral home.

TROSETH ONCE STAR PITCHER

By a Special Correspondent
Cooperstown, N. D.—When Ole A. Troseth of Cooperstown bowled his 300 at the 16th annual tournament at Jamestown last Sunday, it wasn't the first time fans and friends have stood on the sidelines cheering him.

Troseth, a few years back, was known to sport fans of this area



OLE TROSETH

chiefly as a baseball pitcher. In 1930 and 1931 he was a St. Olaf college ace. A few years after he graduated, his arm went bad.

Troseth has a remarkable, retentive memory. He knows players and their records in any sport you want to name. He is the walking fund of sport knowledge in this community.

As a bowler, he is among the best in the Cooperstown league. This winter his average is 180, but friends say he has been a little below form.

He has an intense love of bowling, too. He has been known to roll 24 lines without interruption. He says the 300 score in the Jamestown tournament is "Just one of those things."

He is serving his third term as register of deeds of Griggs county. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Troseth of Hannaford.

In his work as registrar, his retentive memory is helpful also. When he has looked up a record once he rarely has to use the index a second time.

Sports runs in the Troseth family. His brother, Lloyd, is an athlete and plays basketball with NDAC in Fargo. Another brother, Eugene, at home, was also a baseball pitcher. He has one sister, Viola, a supervisor at St. Luke's hospital in Fargo.

Roberta Thorson



Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Roberta Thorson and William G. Gellner, son of Mr. Phil Gellner, Langdon, N.D.

Miss Thorson is the daughter of Mrs. Cynthia Thorson, 1437 12th St. S., Fargo, and Leonard V. Thorson, 1117 11th Ave. N., Fargo. She is a graduate of Central High School, Fargo and NDAC and is a member of Kappa Delta Sorority. She teaches home economics at Langdon.

Mr. Gellner operates the Gellner Jewelry at Langdon. He is a graduate of St. Alphonsus High School at Langdon.

FARGO FOLIO



Elaine Tweed Cooperstown

Darlene Trost



Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Trost of Hope, N. D., announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Darlene Carol, to Robert A. Schmidt.

Miss Trost is a graduate of Hope High School and attended Interstate Business College. She is employed by the Clay County Agricultural Service Conservation office in Moorhead.

Mr. Schmidt graduated from Hope High School and attended NDAC. He has been employed in Fargo by Northwestern Telephone Co. for the past two years.

Oct. 4 has been chosen as the date for the wedding. It will be in Trinity Lutheran Church.

Hanson-Trostad Vows Spoken

Phyllis Hanson and Richard C. Trostad were married at a ceremony in the home of the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hoel of Cooperstown, N. D. The Rev. Tidemann officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. T. R. Hanson of Aneta and Mr. Trostad the son of Mr. Ralph Trostad of Cooperstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoel were the attendants.

A reception followed.

Mrs. Trostad graduated from McVile High School and Mr. Trostad from Cooperstown.

REV. TAXDAHL SPEAKER

The Rev. Albert Taxdahl will be the speaker and also will sing at a meeting of the Bethel Missionary Society of the Evangelical Free Church Thursday at 8 in the church. Miss Oline Egge and Miss Selma Teigland will be the hostesses.

Aneta Woman Has 94th Birthday ⁴⁹

Aneta, N. D.—Mrs. Christine Thingstad, oldest resident in Aneta, celebrated her 94th birthday.

Mrs. Thingstad was born in Norway Feb. 22, 1855, and was married to Iver Thingstad, who died about 35 years ago. She came to the United States at the age of 27 years and lived at Hillsboro for two years before homesteading in Field township, near Aneta.



Mrs. Thingstad has resided in Mrs. Thingstad Aneta for more than 30 years.

She has one daughter, Mrs. Clara Erickson, 70 Fourth st N, four sons, Carl, Aneta; Martin, Hillsboro; Peder, Minot, and Lars, Jamestown; 22 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren.

W. G. Tweed, Once Griggs Sheriff, Dies ⁴⁸

William G. Tweed, 67, Cooperstown, N. D., contractor and one-time sheriff of Griggs county, died late Wednesday in a Fargo hospital.

Born in Norway April 30, 1881, Mr. Tweed came to North Dakota as a boy, living at Binford until 1922. He married Anna Sorvik of Cooperstown in 1908. Elected sheriff in 1922, he had lived in Cooperstown since.

He leaves his wife; four sons and daughters, Donald of Bismarck, John of Vancouver, Wash., Mrs. Don Clark of Wimbledon, N. D., and Bernette of Seattle; seven brothers, Joseph of Pekin, N. D., Lewis B., of Tolna, N. D., Alfred of Cooperstown, Carl of Corinth, N. D., Oscar of Jessie, N. D., Toralph of Finley, N. D., and Maynard of Minneapolis, and two sisters, Mrs. R. W. Frazier, Binford, and Mrs. Dina Johnson, Miami, Fla.

Services will be at 1 p. m. today in Bethany Free church of Binford, Rev. G. Melby officiating. Burial will be at Binford with S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown in charge.

Name Tufte To School Post At Cooperstown

Cooperstown, N. D.—Oswald Tufte will be the new superintendent of Cooperstown schools to replace E. T. Mark who resigned to go to Williston, N. D., as high school principal.

Tufte has been science instructor and coach at Cooperstown high school for seven years. He is a Cooperstown native and holds a masters degree from the University of North Dakota. He is a former news editor of the Griggs County Sentinel-Courier published here.

Louis Trostad, Early Griggs Resident, Dead ⁴⁹

Cooperstown, N. D.—Louis Trostad, 77, resident of Griggs county since 1884, died in his home here Thursday. Born Feb. 8, 1872, in Gudbrandsdalen, Norway, he came to Dakota Territory with his parents, who homesteaded in Pilot Mound township.

He was married in a log cabin there Feb. 13, 1899, and homesteaded north of Jessie. The couple had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last month.

Mr. Trostad moved here after retiring from farming. He had been a director of the Jessie Farmers Elevator company, and a member of the school board.

Surviving are Mrs. Trostad; two sons, Oscar of Cooperstown and Theodore of Aneta, N. D.; two daughters, Mrs. Manley Torgerson of Aneta and Mrs. Martin N. Johnson of Cooperstown; two brothers, Gundar and Guy of Aneta; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Simenson of Binford, Mrs. Maline Odegaard of Aneta and Mrs. Clara Solberg of Carnation, Wash., and six grandchildren.

Services will be Tuesday, at 12 in the home here and at 2 in West Prairie church north of Jessie. Rev. Marcus Tufte will officiate, with S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown in charge.

Mrs. Fanny Thompson, Griggs, Dead At 83 ⁴⁹

Cooperstown, N. D.—Mrs. Fanny Thompson, 83, resident of Broadview township 47 years, died Saturday night in a Cooperstown hospital. She had been ill since March, 1948.

Born May 13, 1865, in Quarn, England, she was married to William Thompson March 31, 1891, in England. They came to America in May, 1901, settling on a homestead in Griggs county south of here. Her husband died Oct. 2, 1942.

Surviving are two children, Willie of rural Cooperstown, and Mrs. Connie Harris of Bluffton, Ind.; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services will be Wednesday at 1 p. m. in Trinity Lutheran church here, Rev. Corliss R. Rasmussen officiating. Burial will be in the Cooperstown cemetery. S. J. Quam funeral home is in charge.

Mrs. Guy Trostad Of Griggs County Dead ⁴⁹

Cooperstown, N. D.—Mrs. Guy Trostad, 68, died Tuesday in her home in Pilot Mound township, Griggs county. Born Sept. 2, 1880, in Hedemarken, Norway, the former Maria Lundsten came to the United States in 1901. She was married to Mr. Trostad Jan. 21, 1904.

Surviving are Mr. Trostad; five sons, Oswald, Leonard and Allen, at home, Gerhard of Carnation, Wash., and Roy of Binford, N. D.; four daughters, Mrs. Melvin Olson of Moorhead, Mrs. Walter Paulson of Kloten, N. D., Mrs. Bert Dibley of Minneapolis and Gerda, at home, and five grandchildren.

Services will be Saturday, at 1 in the home and at 2 in West Prairie church, Rev. Marcus Tufte officiating. S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown is in charge.

Knute Thune, 61, Binford Native, Dead ⁴⁹

Binford, N. D.—Knute Thune, 61, native of Binford, died in his home here Wednesday. He was born here March 20, 1888, and married Annie Hegland Dec. 28, 1918.

Surviving are Mrs. Thune; two sons, Wallace, 2824 Eleventh av N, Fargo, and Richard of Binford, and three sisters, Mrs. Ole Knutson of Hannaford, N. D., Mrs. Lewis Trelstad of Dazey, N. D., and Mrs. Oscar Ongstad of Manford, N. D.

Services will be at 3:30 Sunday in the Lutheran Free church here, Rev. George Melby officiating and Quam funeral home of Cooperstown, N. D., in charge.

THUNE RITES SUNDAY

Binford, N. D.—Services for Knute Thune in the Lutheran Free church here will be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday. The time previously was reported at 3:30.

Mrs. Arthur Thompson Of Cooperstown Dead ⁴⁹

Cooperstown, N. D.—Mrs. Arthur (Bertha) Thompson, 54, died Friday in her farm home near here. Born at Stavanger, Norway, Feb. 24, 1895, she was married to Mr. Thompson here Nov. 22, 1916.

Surviving are Mr. Thompson; a son, Trygve, of Cooperstown; three daughters, Mrs. Arlan Hanna of Pasadena, Calif., and Mrs. Esther Unruh and Gladys of Oakland, Calif.; two grandchildren and a sister and brother in Norway.

Services will be at 2 Wednesday in Wesley church southeast of here, Rev. Andrew Monson officiating and S. J. Quam funeral home in charge.

Mrs. Taxdahl, 71, Cooperstown, Dead

Mrs. Jesper Taxdahl, 71, of Cooperstown, N. D., died Monday in a Fargo hospital. Services will be at 2 Thursday in Saron church south of Cooperstown, with burial in Wesley cemetery. Rev. R. S. Lunde will officiate, assisted by Rev. K. Wufstad, with S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown in charge.

The former Aadot Johnson was born Dec. 12, 1877, at Stavanger, Norway. She came to Minnesota in 1882 and to the Cooperstown area in 1883. She was married to Mr. Taxdahl Dec. 12, 1900.

Surviving are Mr. Taxdahl; three sons, Ernest of Revere, N. D., Orville of Hannaford, N. D., and Rev. Albert of Grafton, N. D.; three daughters, Neva and Mrs. Roy Wathe of Revere and Mrs. A. M. Selness of Rugby, N. D.; 15 grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Serina Holland of Binford, N. D., Mrs. Dorothea Larson of Hannaford, Mrs. Inge Anderson of Langdon, N. D., and Mrs. Chris Seldal of Cooperstown, and a brother, Hans Froiland, of Cooperstown.

Rasmus Thu, Sutton Cafe Operator, Dead

Sutton, N. D.—Rasmus B. Thu, 52, proprietor of a restaurant and confectionery store here, and resident of the community 35 years, died Saturday. He had been ill six weeks.

Born in Norway March 14, 1897, Mr. Thu came to Sutton in 1914 and had been in business here 30 years. He married Ethel Hewitt of Sykeston, N. D., at Carson, N. D., in 1928.

Surviving are Mrs. Thu; five sons and daughters, Robert, Norman, Loren, Sylvia and Margaret Ann, all at home, and two sisters, Mrs. Bertina Hopwood, Courtenay, N. D., and Mrs. E. H. Wold, Long Prairie, Minn.

Services will be in Mabel Lutheran church of Sutton at 2 Wednesday, Rev. C. M. Rasmussen officiating. S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown is in charge.

Thorson-Riste Vows Are Taken In Idaho

Miss Mildred Thorson of Richland, Wash., daughter of G. Thorson of McIntosh, Minn., a Milo Riste, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Riste of Cooperstown, was married at Coeur d' Alene, Idaho on July 14, according to information received by friends and relatives in the community.

Miss Thorson has made home with Mr. and Mrs. Es Olson of Cooperstown. The couple are at present making their home in Richland, Wash.

Sgt. C. A. Thompson Rites At Hannaford

Hannaford, N. D.—Reburial services for Sgt. Clarence A. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Knute Thompson, will be at 2 Thursday in Eidfjord church in Dover township, Rev. Ralph Christopherson officiating. Military rites will be by the American Legion. W. D. Sinclair funeral home is in charge.



Sgt. Thompson was killed in France Nov. 1, 1944, while serving with the field artillery. He was born here April 14, 1920, and entered service in July, 1942, going overseas in July, 1944.

Besides his parents he leaves five brothers, Casper, John and Albert of Hannaford, Morris of Revere, N. D., and Oscar with the army stationed in Kansas, and two sisters, Mrs. Raymond Walks, Courtenay, N. D., and Mrs. Gordon Michaelson, Wimbledon, N. D.

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MRS. DOROTHEA TOBIASON

Mrs. Dorothea Arneson Tobiason passed away at Hatton, N. D., Tuesday after a long illness. She was the sister of Mrs. Anna McDermott, 406 Fourteenth st S, and Mrs. W. D. Hartman, 630½ First av N, both of Fargo.

Born Feb. 5, 1866, near Decorah, Iowa, she went with her parents, John and Kristi Arneson, to Granite Falls, Minn. In 1881 the family moved to Steele county.

She was married Oct. 28, 1896, to Tollef Tobiason and the couple settled in Beaver Creek township in 1897. In 1907 they moved to their home near Hatton.

Of the seven children born to them, three died in infancy and a son, John Richard, passed away in 1936.

The husband, three daughters, Emma and Marie of Hatton and Alice of Arnegard, survive, as do a brother, Nels Arneson of Cooperstown and four sisters, Mrs. Ella Bergstrom of Cooperstown, Mrs. McDermott and Mrs. Hartman and Mrs. B. W. Hazard of Valley City.

Services will be Saturday at 1:30 in the home and 2 in St. John's Lutheran church at Hatton. Rev. O. L. Jensen will officiate. Mrs. Tobiason was a member of the St. John's church.

OSCAR TOPPEN

He worked at several North Dakota points, including Sheldon, before enlisting with Co. B in the national guard for service on the Mexican border. Later he served overseas in World war I with B company. He was discharged as a second lieutenant in 1919 and returned to Cooperstown.

In 1921 and 1922 he was in partnership with R. M. Still, operating a print shop in Fargo.

He returned to Cooperstown and was with the Sentinel Courier save for the Idaho break until his death.

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Thompson was married Aug. 16, 1929, in St. Paul, to Genevieve Parson of Enderlin. In addition to her he is survived by a daughter, Miriam; one brother, Smith Thompson, Elbow Lake; and four sisters, Mrs. Carl J. Peterson, 606 Third st N, Fargo; Mrs. Tina Bloomquist, Velva; Mrs. Peter Gunderson, Valley City, and Mrs. John Rugrusden, Elbow Lake.

Masonic services will be held in the Masonic temple here at 2 p. m. Friday. The S. J. Quam funeral home is in charge.

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Genevieve Farley

Harry L. Thompson Dies; N. D. Newsman Since 1910

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been editor-manager and later publisher of the paper since 1925 when he succeeded Gerald P. Nye upon Nye's appointment as United States senator. For a few months in 1938 he operated a mercantile establishment in Idaho but returned to the paper here.

He was a past master of the Cooperstown Masonic lodge and was a member of the American Legion. He was chairman of the Griggs county draft board for six years and served one term as representative from the Griggs-Steele district in the 1945 session.

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MRS. DOROTHEA TOBIASON

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Of the seven children born to them, three died in infancy and a son, John Richard, passed away in 1936.

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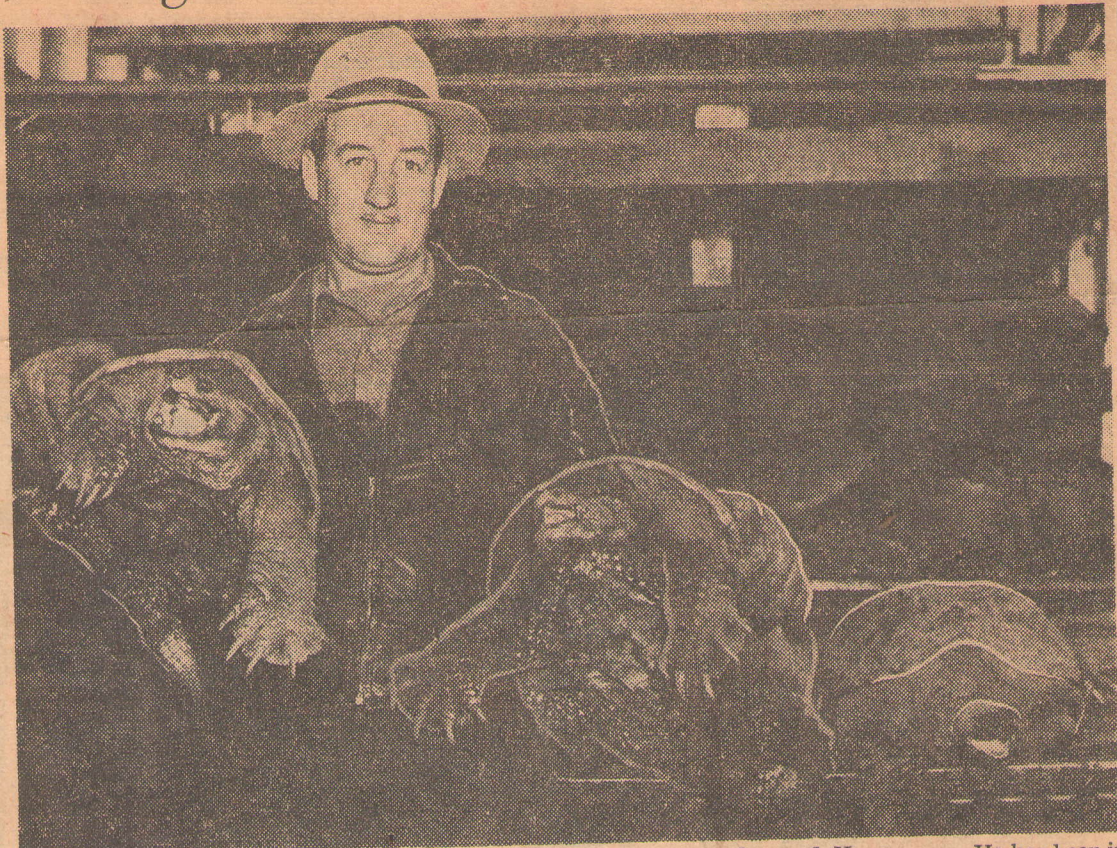
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SNAPPING TURTLES, 4½ tons of them, were shipped from Jamestown, N. D., to a cannery at St. Henry, Ohio, last week. Shown above is Ernest Keener of Union City, Ohio, holding two 35-pound snappers with a truck in the background holding the rest of the shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Keener ranged the Jamestown and Pipestem river banks north of Jamestown for the turtles. The largest weighed 53½ pounds. Keener says snappers gain about a pound a year and eat one-third of their weight in fish every day.

The market price is 18 cents a

pound, Keener says. He has been in the turtle business many years but this is his first trip to North Dakota. "North Dakota snapping turtles are larger than South Dakota or Wisconsin's," he says. (Photo by King's Studio, Jamestown.)

18 Congregations

June 13, 1951

THE FARGO



A CLASS OF 18 ALIENS, including six Fargoans, became American citizens Tuesday at a naturalization hearing in U. S. district court before Judge C. J. Vogel. Clifford W. Milburn, immigration and naturalization officer, was in charge of the class. Miss Catherine Cater of MSTC faculty addressed the group. Following the exercises the class attended a luncheon in the Graver hotel sponsored by the Kiwanis club. Front row (left to right), Johanna Helene Wendt, Wahpeton; Rosalie Mary Jacobson, Valley City; Pia Bankers, Page; Marjorie E. Troseth, Hannaford; Gusta Overson, Davenport. Standing (left to right), Gilbert Braaten, 815 Second st N; Annaliese H. Andring, 220 Eighth st N; Muriel Marian Ankerfelt, 1337 Twelfth st N; Anne Marie German, 615 Fifteenth st S; Rose Mary Zimprich, Casselton; Anne Pederson, Oakes. Not pictured are Katherine Uthus, 1012½ First av S; May Breivik, 815 Tenth av N; Oscar J. Johnson, Mayville; Carl Hanson, Amenia; Sigrud Haga, Valley City; Christen A. Christensen, Nome. (Fargo Forum Photo)

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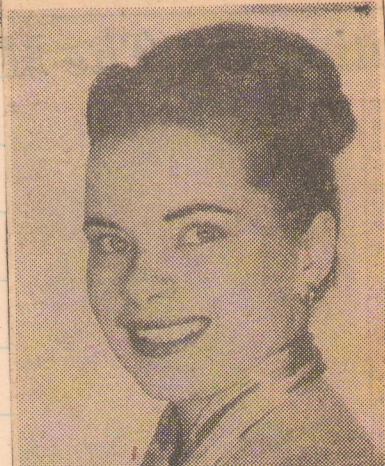
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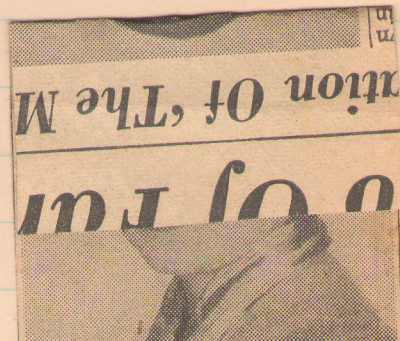
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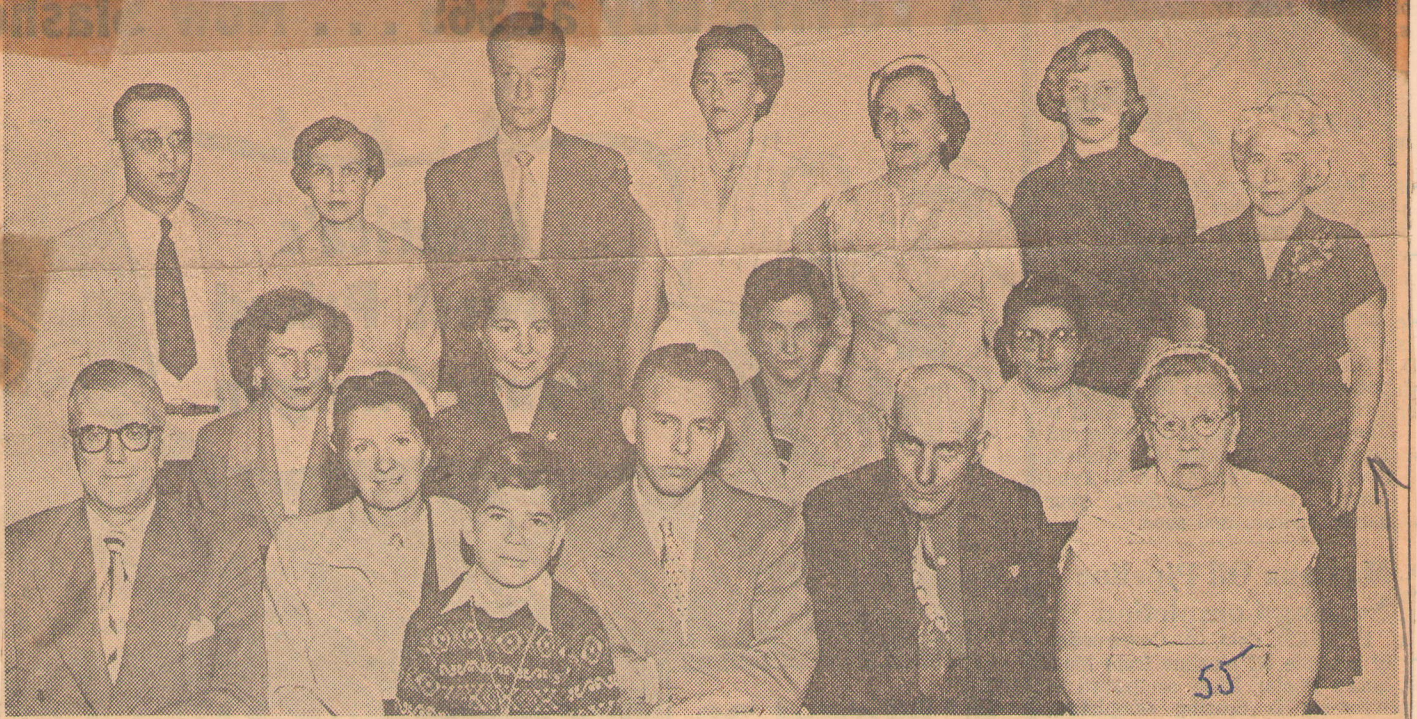
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NEW AMERICANS naturalized Tuesday in U. S. court also included this group. Left to right (front row): Dr. Paul E. Cukurs, Jamestown, Latvia; Mrs. Vilma Sjerslee, Hazelton, Hungary; Frigyes Sjerslee, who attended with his mother; Olav G. Gardebring, Fargo, Sweden; John O. Anderson, Buxton, Norway; Olga

Running, Forman, Norway. Second row, Mrs. Ellen H. Keifert, Valley City, Lithuania; Mrs. Victoria Arcimovics Zusmanis, Fargo, Latvia; Mrs. Eudokia Mischenko, Jamestown, The Uk-

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34 Take Oath As Citizens

Thirty-four new citizens took the oath of allegiance to the United States at ceremonies in U. S. District Court here Tuesday before Judge Ronald N. Davies. The Rev. C. Maxwell Brown of

the First Methodist Church gave the address of welcome in place of Dr. George W. Starcher, president of the University of North Dakota, who was unable to come because of the death in an automobile accident of Miss Eleanora Skon, assistant business manager of the university.

The Rev. Mr. Brown pointed out that the culture of the United States is made up of the cultures of many countries, among them those represented by the new citizens.

"Whatever we have in physical well being in this country," he said, "is just ours to use. Freedom is as abundant as the measure of your self control and as limited as your lack of self control."

Gunder Trostad Funeral Tuesday

McVILLE, N. D.—Gunder O. Trostad, 80, area resident more than 50 years, died in a local hospital Thursday following a long illness.

Funeral service will be at 2 Tuesday in the West Prairie Lutheran Church in Pilot Mound Township, Griggs County, of which he was a member. The Rev. Marcus Tufte-land will officiate with T. A. Wonder Funeral Home of McVil-
 le in charge.

Mr. Trostad was born Feb. 21, 1874, in Lom, Gulbrandsdalen, Norway. He came to the United States in 1884 with his parents, who settled in rural Cooperstown, Dakota Territory. He married Bertha Odegard at Cooperstown Dec. 29, 1900. They moved to a farm in Pilot Mound Township in 1901, where they lived until retiring to McVil-
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He leaves his wife; two sons, Olger of Aneta, N. D., and Ralph of Cooperstown; four daughters, Mrs. Oscar (Thelma) Olson and Mrs. Nels (Ella) Hillesland of Aneta, Mrs. Earny (Clara) Ronning of Binford, N. D., Mrs. Charles (Gladys) Rafferty of Chicago; three sisters, Mrs. Louie Simonson of Binford, Mrs. Malina Odegard of McVil-
 le, and Mrs. Clara Solberg, in the state of Wash-
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Taxdahl-Frappier Vows Are Spoken

The wedding of Joann Ella Taxdahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Taxdahl of Cooperstown, N. D., and Alfred John Frappier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frappier Sr., of McHenry, N. D., took place recently in the Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church at McHenry.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by Miss Regina Hughes of Omaha, Neb., maid of honor, and Mrs. John Taxdahl, Cooperstown, a sister-in-law, bridesmaid. Linda Frappier, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Bernard Feland, Westhope, N. D., and Joseph Westerhausen, McHenry, nephews of the bridegroom, were ring-bearers.

Paul Frappier Jr., McHenry, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Milo Taxdahl, Bartlesville, Okla., brother of the bride and Floyd Westerhausen, McHenry, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and John Taxdahl, Cooperstown, the bride's brother, the other attendants.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Frappier will be at home south of McHenry where he farms with his father.

G. O. Trostad, 75, Dies At McVil- le

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Service for Guy O. Trostad, 75, who farmed in Pilot Mound Township, Griggs County, for about 50 years, is tentatively set for 2 Monday in the West Prairie Lutheran Church north of here. The Rev. Marcus Tufte-land will officiate.

Mr. Trostad died Friday in a McVil-
 le, N. D., hospital. The S. J. Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown is in charge.

Born in Norway on Oct. 25, 1877, Mr. Trostad came to the U. S. when 7 years of age, and had lived in North Dakota since. He married Marie Lunsten on Jan. 21, 1904. His wife died in December of 1948.

Survivors include five sons, Gehard of Oregon, Roy of Binford, N. D., Leonard of Tolna, N. D., and Oswald and Allen at the farm home; four daughters, Mrs. Melvin Olson of Moorhead, Mrs. Walter Paulson of Klotten, N. D., Mrs. Bert Dibley of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Gerda at home; 3 sisters, Mrs. Sever Odegard of Aneta, Mrs. Louis Simonson of Binford and Mrs. Carl Solberg of Carnation, Wash., and a brother, Gunder, of McVil-
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Berniece Trostad Bride Of Samuelson

Announcement is made of the marriage of Berniece Trostad daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olge Trostad of Aneta, N. D., and Sam E. Samuelson of rural Hamar, N. D. The Rev. Marcus Tufte-land officiated at the ceremony in the parsonage of the Norway Lutheran Church of Aneta.

The couple was attended by Miss Arlene Drake of McVil-
 le, N. D. and Marvin Anderson of Hamar.

The ceremony was followed by a luncheon in the home of the bride's parents.

The couple will make their home near Hamar where the bridegroom farms.

Attorney Tufte, Dead After Brief Illness

The news of States Attorney Tufte's death in a Fargo hospital, Monday, where he had been a patient since the previous Wednesday, came as a shock to this community and the county. Cause of death was a tumor in the chest cavity, an ailment which had bothered him for some time.

Prominent in Cooperstown civic life and a Griggs county official at intervals for more than 25 years, Mr. Tufte was buried Wednesday after services in the First Lutheran church of Cooperstown.

Benjamin Tufte was born in Norway August 23, 1861. As a boy he worked on his father's farm, received the elementary and preparatory education of his community and was confirmed in the Norwegian Lutheran church. Later he attended the University of Christiania, working his own way through. In the '80s he decided to go to America and left his homeland before his course at the University was completed.

After a brief period of farm labor in the state of New York he came west, found employment in the lumber camps of Minnesota and Wisconsin and worked in the northwood for three years. In his spare time he studied mechanics and steam power and eventually was licensed by the state of Minnesota as an engineer. In this work, he stayed only a short time and in 1892 he secured a position in the law office of John W. Asctander, Minneapolis lawyer. He began immediately to study law at the University of Minnesota, attending the night school for a period of three years.

In 1895 he was graduated with honors by the Minnesota law school and after a short practice in Red Wing, came to Cooperstown, North Dakota. Two years after the turn of the century he was elected States Attorney of Griggs county which position he held continuously for twenty years.

On January 1, 1908 he was married to Miss Clara Feiring and to this union was born one son, Oswald. His wife passed away on December 1, 1933.

In 1932 he was states attorney's office after a retirement of ten years and was serving his 24th year in that office when taken by death.

In 1905 he made a visit to Norway. Later, he was listed in an American directory of famous lawyers. For several years he served on the city council and school board.

His blood relations who survive are his son and a sister, Mrs. Britha Ramsey of Binford. His other relatives live in Norway.

Rev. A. O. Jacobson officiated at services.

Pall bearers were N. M. Lunde, Thos. Boe, Sven Olgaard, John Berg and Edwin Bolkan. Honorary pall bearers were Peter E. Nelson, John Fosholt, H. Hanson, Will Carleton, P. A. Melgard and Seval Frisvold.

Mrs. Turnquist Died At Home Here On Sunday

Funeral Services for Cooperstown Lady Held at Lutheran Church

Mrs. Chas. Turnquist, 73, passed away at her home in Cooperstown on Sunday, March 22, from a cerebral hemorrhage which followed an attack of influenza with which she had been ill for more than a week. Funeral services were held from the Cooperstown Lutheran church on Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, with Rev. I. O. Jacobson officiating. Burial was made in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Hanna Jacobson was born in Holland, Sweden, on June 12, 1863. She immigrated to the United States in 1885, living in Illinois and southern Minnesota for more than thirty years. On March 28, 1890, she was united in marriage to Charles Turnquist, to which union nine children were born, one passing away in infancy. In 1916 the family moved to this county and have made their home here ever since.

Surviving her are her husband, five sons and three daughters: Karl Turnquist of Center City, Minn., George Turnquist of Ambrose, Theodore Turnquist of Chicago, and Martin and William, living at home; Mrs. Helen Parker of Hannaford, Mrs. Hanna Perchert of Cooperstown, and Miss Hulda Turnquist, who teaches in Hebron, this state. Besides the children fourteen grandchildren also survive. All of the children were present for the funeral.

Tang Rites Are Held In Church Here On Tuesday

Familiar Local Business Man Passes Away Suddenly In Fargo Hospital

Peter J. Tang, Cooperstown business man and one of Griggs county's most widely known characters, was carried to his last rest Tuesday afternoon following funeral services in the Cooperstown Lutheran church. Rev. I. O. Jacobson of this city preached the funeral sermon.

For the past several years, Mr. Tang, always genial and uncomplaining, had been suffering from a heart ailment and sought medical assistance on several occasions. Last Friday evening he was taken to a Fargo hospital when his condition seemed to find a sudden climax of more than usual distress. He died as dawn was breaking Saturday morning.

Peter John Tang was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tang, born October 1, 1875 at Sogen, Norway. He came to America with his parents at the age of eleven years, the family making their home on a farm near Cormorant, Minn.

Ten years later he came to North Dakota to homestead on a farm near McHenry and worked for several farmers through the Cooperstown-Binford territory.

In 1902 he went into business in Cooperstown where he has since resided. He was united in marriage to Elizabeth Loge in 1904 and to this union seven children were born.

Surviving him are his wife; two daughters, Josephine and Selma; four sons, Arthur, Ernest, Oscar and Palmer, all of Cooperstown; and two sisters, Emma Tang and Mrs. Josephine Stark of Oregon; three brothers, Lewis of Oregon, John of Pardsi, Sask., and Martin of Iowa. A daughter, Jeanette, died 12 years ago.

Less Than Two Weeks Ago -



July 18, 1940
Shown above are Mr. and Mrs. Tollef Tweed on the occasion of the commemoration of 60 years of wedded life, an honor tendered them

in Binford by friends and relatives on Sunday, July 7. This picture was taken for the Sentinel-Courier for publication in this issue; Mr. Tweed died suddenly Tuesday morning.

Tollef Tweed Is Taken By Death

July 18, 1940
Succumbs Tuesday Morning In Binford; To Hold Rites Friday

Tollef Tweed, 81, pioneer Griggs farmer who homesteaded here in territorial days, died at his home in Binford Tuesday morning following a stroke.

Funeral services are scheduled to be held in the Lutheran Free church of Binford at 2 p. m. Friday, following services in the Tweed home at 1 o'clock. Officiating pastors will be Rev. J. Loland, Rev. L. M. Halling and Rev. Ingvald Norum. Burial will be made in the Binford cemetery.

Less than two weeks ago, on Sunday, July 7, Mr. and Mrs. Tweed were honored by friends and relatives in a commemoration of 60 years of wedded life. (A picture of the couple, taken on that occasion, is reproduced above) The event took place in the church from which he will be buried Friday.

Mr. Tweed was born in Norway March 25, 1859. On August 15, 1880, he was married to Dortha Lardater Eidsvoog at Walstrand, Norway, and four years later the couple came to America.

After three months in Wisconsin, they moved to Belgrade, Minn., where they resided for three years before coming to Griggs county to settle on a farm near Binford. In recent years they have made their home in Binford.

Survivors include eight sons and two daughters, William of Coopers-town, Louis of Pekin, Alfred of Glenfield, Carl of Corinth, Joseph of Pekin, Oscar of Jessie, Maynard of Minneapolis, Thoralph of Thief River Falls, Minn., Mrs. R. W. Frazier of Cooperstown and Dina Tweed Johnson of Miami, Florida. There were 43 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Sept 30

John E. Trovatten Dies September 9

Pioneer, Resident of Binford For 20 Years, Dead at Age of 86

John E. Trovatten, a North Dakota pioneer who emigrated to this state in a covered wagon in 1882, died at the Old People's Home at Northwood, where he had been for the past five months after living for 20 years in Binford, on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Mr. Trovatten was born in Telemarken, Norway, April 5, 1850 and was

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Territory Pioneer Dies In California

Mrs. Julia Thoreson, 78, pioneer Dakota territory resident and one-time Fargoan, died Saturday in Glendale, Calif., where she had resided the past six years.



The former Julia Sletten was born Oct. 11, 1867, in Kenyon, Minn., and was graduated from Mankato, Minn., Normal school. She was married to Rev. P. A. Thoreson in 1888. Mrs. Thoreson They moved to Dazey, Dakota territory, where Rev. Mr. Thoreson had accepted a call as pastor. Mrs. Thoreson assisted her husband in organizing new congregations in nearby communities.

They came to Fargo in 1920, where Mrs. Thoreson was active in all church activities of First Lutheran church. Her husband died in 1926. A son and a daughter also preceded her in death.

She leaves four sons, Dr. J. O. Thoreson, Bismarck, Mark A., Beverly Hills, Calif., Harold P., San Bernardino, Calif., and Walter J., Ogden, Utah; three daughters, Mrs. J. K. Mickelson, Harwood, N. D., Mrs. Sverre Oftedal, Glendale, and Mrs. R. C. Henka, Kent, Wash.; two brothers, Rev. O. H. Sletten and Gilbert Sletten, both of Minneapolis; a sister, Mrs. C. M. Roan, Minneapolis; 16 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday in Glendale. The body will be brought to Hannaford, N. D., where services will be next Monday afternoon in Hannaford Lutheran church. Burial will be in Walum, N. D., cemetery.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Truscott Held in St. Paul

Prominent Binford Woman Died at Rochester, Minn., on August 17.

Funeral services for Mrs. J. R. Truscott, Binford, who died at Rochester, Minn., on August 17, were conducted from the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Rudberg in St. Paul on Monday. Interment was in Oakand cemetery, St. Paul.

Mrs. Truscott has been a resident of Binford since coming there from her home in St. Paul as the bride of Dr. Truscott in 1902, 26 years ago.

Taken sick with jaundice while visiting at Moosovin, Sask., on July 25, Mrs. Truscott was taken to Moosovin in the Mayo hospital at Rochester, where she died last Friday afternoon from acute inflammation of the liver.

Mrs. Truscott was born at Afton, New York, on June 10, 1877 and moved with her family to St. Paul in 1886. She was married to Dr. Truscott there in 1902 after which they moved directly to Binford which has since been their home.

Surviving her besides Dr. Truscott are two sons, Robert and Donald Truscott, her mother, Mrs. E. M. Johnston, St. Paul, and three brothers and two sisters. They are Milo Johnston, Levi Johnston, and Harry Johnston, all of St. Paul, and Mrs. A. Stewart and Mrs. T. Rudberg, also of St. Paul.

Former Resident Dies On Coast

Word was received here this week of the death of Mrs. J. M. Taylor, former Cooperstown resident, at her home in Pasadena, Calif., Sept. 6.

Mrs. Taylor came to this county as a young woman and taught schools in and around Cooperstown for a number of years. She was born Thirza J. Gilmett at Bowmanville, Ont., on Aug. 13, 1856.

On June 30, 1895, she was married to Rev. J. M. Taylor. For many years she had made her home in the west.

Surviving are Mr. Taylor and three children, Mrs. H. A. Rudd of Grand Forks, Mrs. Oliver Smith of Minneapolis and Warren of Los Angeles, Calif. Two sisters, Mrs. Grace Hall of this city, and Mrs. George Newberry of Jamestown, also survive.

Edward Thorsgard Dies After Illness

Born In Norway, Early Settler Filed Homestead in Mabel Township in 1884

Special to Sentinel-Courier

Edward Thorsgard, pioneer farmer of Mabel township, died at his home on Wednesday of last week after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were held from his home on Friday with Rev. V. E. Boe, Lutheran pastor of Finley, officiating.

Mr. Thorsgard was born on January 4, 1857, at Faaberg, Norway. His parents were Martha and Andreas Thorsgard who both died about 30 years ago.

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Mrs. Sophia Trost Services Today

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Mrs. Trost was born in Ontario, Canada, March 9, 1878, and was married to William Trost here in October, 1895. Mr. Trost died in October, 1930.

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John E. Trovatten Dies September 9

Pioneer, Resident of Binford For 20 Years, Dead at Age of 86

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He leaves a daughter, Mrs. O. A. Trovatten of Binford; a son, E. J. Trovatten of Peryallup, Wash., three grandchildren, Misses Ella and Bertha Trovatten and Mrs. G. A. Tufte-land, all of Binford, and three great-grand children. His wife passed away in 1921.



Decided On Jap Attack

Funeral Services For Mrs. Truscott Held in St. Paul

Prominent Binford Woman
Died at Rochester, Minn.,
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Funeral services for Mrs. J. R. Truscott, Binford, who died at Rochester, Minn., on August 17, were conducted from the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Rudberg in St. Paul on Monday. Interment was in Oakand cemetery, St. Paul.

Mrs. Truscott has been a resident of Binford since coming there from her home in St. Paul as the bride of Dr. Truscott in 1902, 26 years ago.

Taken sick with jaundice while visiting at Moosovin, Sask., on July 25, Mrs. Truscott was taken to Moosovin to the Mayo hospital at Rochester, where she died last Friday afternoon from acute inflammation of the liver.

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Surviving her besides Dr. Truscott are two sons, Robert and Donald Truscott, her mother, Mrs. E. M. Johnston, St. Paul, and three brothers and two sisters. They are Milo Johnston, Levi Johnston, and Harry Johnston, all of St. Paul, and Mrs. A. Stewart and Mrs. T. Rudberg, also of St. Paul.

Former Resident Dies On Coast

Word was received here this week of the death of Mrs. J. M. Taylor, former Cooperstown resident, at her home in Pasadena, Calif., Sept. 6.

Mrs. Taylor came to this county as a young woman and taught schools in and around Cooperstown for a number of years. She was born Thirza J. Gilmett at Bowanville, Ont., on Aug. 13, 1856.

On June 30, 1895, she was married to Rev. J. M. Taylor. For many years she had made her home in the west.

Surviving are Mr. Taylor and three children, Mrs. H. A. Rudd of Grand Forks, Mrs. Oliver Smith of Minneapolis and Warren of Los Angeles, Calif. Two sisters, Mrs. Grace Hall of this city, and Mrs. George Newberry of Jamestown, also survive.

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Special to Sentinel-Courier

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People in attendance from outside of the vicinity were: Mrs. Ella Brathall, Baldwin, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thorsgaard, Moorhead; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Simenson and Glen Willson and Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Thorsgaard and family of Courtenay.

For Long Wear!
Good Looks!

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A partner in the firm of Aarestad Brothers and Troseth from 1903 to 1925, he had been in business independently from 1925 until his retirement in 1944. He married Anna Louise Forsberg here in May, 1908.

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Other officers, not pictured, are Alfred Nelson, architecture student, junior steward; Richard Post, entomology instructor, tyler; Oscar Nessel, agriculture extension division, secretary, and F. F. Skinner, college secretary-treasurer, who is treasurer.

The new organization, Sunrise lodge, expected to become a permanent part of the college and north Fargo, will meet at the college YMCA on alternate Thursdays. Membership is to be comprised of college personnel and members of the masonic order not already associated with present organizations here.

Encouragement has been secured from the two active masonic lodges here and from college department heads. Helping to activate the organization from the college are Alfred H. Parrott, Dr. Harlow L. Walster, Alfred G. Arvola, Dr. J. A. Munro and Dr. P. J. Iverson. Ralph Miller of the Grand Lodge is also advising.

Rites Wednesday For Mrs. Anna Thompson

Final rites will be held in Cooperstown, N. D., Wednesday at 2 p. m., for Mrs. Anna Thompson, 91, who died in Fargo Sunday. Rev. W. Ray Radiff will officiate at services in the Presbyterian church. The body is at the Quam funeral home in Cooperstown.

She was born in Gubransdale, Norway, Oct. 22, 1853 and was married to Knud Thompson at Herron Lake, Minn., in 1873. They came to Cooperstown in 1882, she being the first woman in that frontier town and Mr. Thompson starting the first general store. Her husband and a son, Theodore, preceded her in death.

She leaves two sons and a daughter, Mrs. Grace Seekins, Fort Worth, Texas; Adolph, Kallispell, Mont., and Oscar at Cooperstown.

B. H. Tande, Griggs Farmer, Dies At 60

Cooperstown, N. D.—Bernt H. Tande, 60, lifelong resident of Willow township (Griggs county), died at his farm home Saturday.

Surviving are three sons, Joel, Conrod, and Bernard, all at home. His wife died June 5, 1946. Funeral services will be at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the West Prairie church north of Jessie, N. D., Rev. Marcus Tufteland officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery with S. J. Quam funeral home, Cooperstown, in charge.

Rites Held Saturday For Iver Thompson

Funeral services for Iver Thompson, 89, pioneer of Enger Township, who died at his home there last Tuesday, were held July 7th at 1:30 p. m. in the Thompson residence and at 2 p. m. in the Little Forks Lutheran church, Rev. K. C. Grundahl officiating, and burial was made in the Lutheran church cemetery.

Iver Thompson was born in Hedalen, Norway, Sept. 12, 1855 and came to the United States in 1866, settling in Blue Earth, Minn., and later moving to Iowa. In June, 1881, he came in a covered wagon to Dakota territory and settled in what is now Enger Township.

A member of the Concordia college board for several years, he was also a director of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Hatton and of the Hatton Farmer's Elevator Co. Surviving are his wife, two sons, Carl Thompson of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and Theodore Thompson of Hatton; two daughters, Mrs. Melvin Arndts of Bemidji, Minn., and Amelia at home, four grandchildren, and a brother, Christ Thompson of this vicinity.

Mrs. Tufte Is Buried After Rites Monday

Funeral Held at Lutheran Church; Burial In Local Cemetery

Dec 4, 1936

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Rev. I. O. Jacobson officiated at the services. Musical selections were given by the church choir and a mixed quartet composed of Mrs. I. O. Jacobson, Miss Kathryn Tweeten, Otto Johnson and A. M. Reierson.

Pall bearers were Nels Lunde, John Fredrickson, Robert Thorn, R. J. Howden, Axel Simonson and Edwin Bolkan. Burial was made in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Born in Wisconsin

Clara Pauline Feiring Tufte was born June 1, 1877, at Pigeon Falls, Wis. Her parents moved to North Dakota while she was still a young girl. She received her first public school education at Valley City. Later, she attended school at Cooperstown while staying with Superintendent Hodge and with Rev. Oscar D. Purinton, Baptist minister here at that time.

Mrs. Tufte began her higher education at the Valley City Normal, changed to the University of North Dakota at Grand Forks, and completed her work there in the spring of 1899.

At the age of 22 she was elected to the office of county superintendent of schools of Griggs county, which office she held for six years. As superintendent, she attended two meetings of the National Education Association, one at Louisville, Kentucky, and the other at Portland, Ore.

On January 1, 1907, she was married to Benjamin Tufte, at that time states attorney of Griggs county.

Lived Here Since

The remainder of her life she spent in Cooperstown. After a long illness which dated back some 20 years, she passed away on the morning of December 1, being at that time 56 years and six months of age.

She leaves to mourn her loss her widower, Benjamin Tufte; one son, Oswald; a sister, Mrs. Ida Hoff, and two brothers, Melvin Feiring of Cooperstown, and Oscar Feiring of Regent, N. D.

Tufte, States Attorney, Dies Sunday Night

Came To Cooperstown at the Turn of Century from Minnesota

Oct 1936
Served Office 24 Years

Rites Held Wednesday For 75-Year-Old Resident of Cooperstown

Benjamin Tufte, 75, who had served Griggs county as states attorney 24 years and who held a place prominent in North Dakota law circles, died Sunday night at a Fargo hospital of an ailment that suddenly grew serious.

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Here 36 Years

Mr. Tufte came to Cooperstown at the turn of the century after he had lived for a short while in New York state and in Minnesota.

He was born in Norway, August 23, 1861, the son of a farmer-school teacher. Beginning early a full career, he found employment as a harbor pilot. He entered the University of Christiania, working for his own support.

With a year left, however, he went to America in the 80's.

Licensed Engineer

In Minnesota he tried his hand in a lumber camp, then studied engineering and became a licensed engineer. In that capacity he was employed in a Minneapolis factory.

It was then his interests turned to law. He studied in the office of John W. Arotander, prominent Twin City attorney at that time.

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Career Is Ended



BENJAMIN TUFTE

Elected in 1902

Two years after his arrival he ran for states attorney and was elected. He held the office 20 years, retiring to private practice for a decade and being again elected in 1932. He was a candidate for re-election at the time of his death.

During his legal career in North Dakota, Mr. Tufte tried several cases famous in law circles.

Most prominent was the case of Power versus Kitchen which was decided by the state supreme court and which is known for the principle it established.

Tufte won the case by contending if a state adopts a statute of another state it also adopts the interpretation which the courts of that state have given it.

Influential Figure

In Cooperstown, Mr. Tufte was an influential figure. He served as a member of the board of education and of the city council.

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MRS. O. E. THORN DIES SUDDENLY AFTER ACCIDENT

Auto Spill Sunday Cause of
Heart Trouble and
Death.

REMAINS TO WISCONSIN

Accident Itself Brought No
Noticeable Injury to Mrs.
Thorn.

Aug 6, 25
Mrs. O. E. Thorn died very suddenly Sunday noon, the cause of her death being heart trouble which was aggravated by an automobile accident that morning in which she, Mr. Thorn and Miss Olga Koloen figured. The death was so sudden and under such unusual circumstances as to be most shocking to the whole community.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorn and Miss Koloen, who was working at the Thorn home, had set out in the Ford coupe Sunday morning for the home of Miss Koloen's parents, Syver Koloen, in Willow township. Within a mile of the Koloen place and just beyond the Hogan Smogaard farm the autoists encountered very rough roads and Mr. Thorn was driving very slowly, not over five or ten miles an hour, according to Mr. Thorn and Miss Koloen, when they struck a slight bump in the road which forced the car to the side of the road and onto a slight bank, from which the car turned onto its side. The fall was not enough to injure anyone within it and the only break to the car was that of one of its windows.

No one seemed to be injured and Mrs. Thorn, when asked if she was hurt, laughing replied that she was not. Mr. Thorn got out of the car, assisted Miss Koloen and then Mrs. Thorn out. Upon getting out Mrs. Thorn complained that it was hard for her to breathe and that she felt strange. She appeared very weak and had to be assisted. Mr. Smogaard happened along immediately following the accident and with Mr. Thorn assisted Mrs. Thorn into the car and to the Smogaard home. She died as they were laying her upon a bed at that place.

Dr. Almklov was summoned but could find no injury about Mrs. Thorn. For some time she had been complaining of heart trouble and it is believed that the shock and excitement which the accident caused was too much for the heart to stand.

The remains were taken on Monday to Amherst, Wisconsin, the former home of Mrs. Thorn. She had been a resident of Griggs county for only two years, coming here shortly after her marriage, which was her second, to Mr. Thorn in Wisconsin two years ago. Yet, in that short time she had come to be very well known and highly respected in her community near Jessie and her death is counted a personal loss to many. The sympathy of the whole community goes to Mr. Thorn whose sorrow at this hour is most deep.

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PIONEER LADY PASSES AWAY

The people of Binford and vicinity were again saddened by the death of one of our oldest and beloved members, Mrs. J. C. Thingelstad, who passed away Sunday after an illness of a week with pneumonia.

Lena Krogfoss was born in Ulsaker, Norway, on August 26, 1857. When four years of age, she came with her parents to America, making their home in Fillmore County, Minnesota. On March 1, 1881, she was united in marriage to Jens C. Thingelstad, and with him moved to Griggs county, where he had filed on a homestead in Pilot Mound township, in 1885. In 1897 they moved in to Cooperstown where they lived for five years, going from there to Jessie where they made their home for six years, coming to Binford from Jessie. Three girls were born to this union, two of whom survive, Mrs. Aibert Alfson and Mrs. Arne Granheim, both of Binford. One girl passed away in Pilot Mound when 8 years old.

Mrs. Thingelstad was taken ill on Sunday morning, July 4th, with pneumonia. All that human skill could do was done for her, but her advanced years and weakened condition were such that she was beyond medical aid, and she passed out peacefully on Sunday, July 11, at 10:50 o'clock. Throughout her suffering she displayed a spirit of fortitude with a mind and soul utterly clear and responsive to both God and man. She had been brought up religiously in the Lutheran faith and teachings, and in the early days was one of the organizers of the West Prairie church, where she has ever since been an active and interested member in the different activities. She was also an active member of the Binford ladies aid society, where her absence will also be keenly felt.

Brief funeral services were held at the home Monday at 1:00 o'clock, and at 2:30 impressive services were held in the West Prairie church, which was filled to overflowing with friends of the departed. The many floral offerings that covered the casket also attested the esteem and love for her who had been called to her rest. Rev. Tuffeland and Rev. Halling spoke in the Norwegian language, and Rev. Tollefson in the English, all three pastors speaking eloquently of the virtues of the deceased and of her fine Christian character. The Binford male quartette and the West Prairie choir furnished special music at the funeral in the church. Those who officiated as pall-bearers were O. E. Thorn, Tollef Tweed, Alex Osmundson, Mathias Rorvig, Peder Rorvig, and K. H. Olson. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us during the illness of our beloved wife and mother, and for sympathy expressed in word and deed at the funeral. Especially do we thank L. P. Larson and Mrs. C. E. Peterson for the song rendered at the house and the Binford male quartette and the West Prairie choir for the songs at the West Prairie church. We also thank those who brought the lovely flowers. To Rev. Tuffeland, Rev. Halling and Rev. Tollefson our sincere thanks for the comforting words spoken at the funeral.

J. C. Thingelstad and Children.

Trask, Injured In Run-away, Is Daed

Several Bones Are Broken
When Wagon Rolls Over
Lower Back

Oct 1926
Injuries suffered when his horses ran away last Wednesday proved fatal to Frank Trask who died the following day at a Valley City hospital.

Several bones had been broken when the wagon to which the horses were hitched rolled over the lower part of Mr. Trask's back.

Born in Verndale, Minn., July 30, 1869, Mr. Trask spent his early years in that vicinity.

He was married to Mary Frame November 26, 1893. Two children were born. They are William Henry, now residing in Spokane, and James Willard of Hathorne, N. Y.

Mr. Trask came to Cooperstown 30 years ago and resided here until his death.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Lutheran church with Rev. I. O. Jacobson officiating. Burial was made in the Cooperstown cemetery.

In addition to his two sons, there remains a brother, Walter Trask, and a sister, Mrs. Lydia Ludrick, Junction City, Ore.

O. W. Tweed, Binford, Dies

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BINFORD, N. D. — Oscar Waldemar Tweed, 63, who farmed near here, died Friday after a heart attack while attending an REA meeting in Minot, N. D. The funeral will be at 2 Monday in Binford Lutheran Free Church. Mr. Tweed was born June 21, 1896, on the farm near Binford where he spent his life. He married Helga Johnson Oct. 12, 1923, at Belgrade, Minn. Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Mrs. Arnold Sola, Cooperstown, N. D.; a son, Orville of Binford; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Frazier, Binford, and Mrs. E. A. Johnson, Miami, Fla. Six brothers, Joseph and Lewis of Tolna, N. D., Alfred of Cooperstown, Carl of Crosby, N. D., Thoralf of Lake Park, Minn., and Maynard of Minneapolis, and three grandchildren. Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown will have the service.

Dr. J. R. Truscott Dies At 88; Long A Binford Physician

BINFORD, N. D.—Dr. Joseph Robert Truscott, 88, who had been a physician here 54 years, died in his sleep in Northwood, N. D., Saturday.



The funeral was in St. Paul Monday, with burial there.

Dr. Truscott came here in 1901 and served continuously until his retirement in 1955. He then resided several years in St. Petersburg, Fla., with a son, but returned recently to North Dakota to be near his friends.

He was honored Aug. 3, 1947, at a recognition day. Besides his medical work, Dr. Truscott had been interested in early history in the state and had a large collection of war relics.

He was an honorary life member of the North Dakota Historical Society and had contributed to the society publications articles on his personal research. He also had written two novels.

Born in New York City Sept. 9, 1870, he moved with his parents to Dakota Territory (what is now South Dakota) when he was 12. He also had resided briefly in Canada, returning to the States and being graduated from high school in St. Paul.

After teaching school several years in Minnesota, he entered the school of medicine at the University of Minnesota and was graduated in 1901 in the first 4-year class.

That same year he married Eleanor Martha Johnston in St. Paul. They came here and he began his practice.

Dr. Truscott was president of the Binford School Board and also was active in the Red Cross, the county welfare board and the Odd Fellows Lodge. For services during World War I and World War II, he received presidential citations.

He also was a member of local, state and national medical societies. An amateur astronomer, he owned several telescopes.

Mrs. Truscott died in 1928. Dr. Truscott leaves two sons, Dr. Donald L. Truscott, a dentist in St. Petersburg, and Robert of Bismarck, and a brother, Charles, in Saskatchewan, Canada.

Nels J. Thune, Binford, Dies

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Nels J. Thune, 61, of Binford, N. D., former Griggs County commissioner and sheriff, died Saturday afternoon in a Cooperstown hospital.

He had been hospitalized with a heart ailment for nearly a week.

Service will be Wednesday at 2 in the Trinity Lutheran Church at Binford, the Rev. A. O. Borlaug of McHenry, N. D., officiating. Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown is in charge.

Born on Oct. 9, 1891, in Addie Township, Griggs County, Mr. Thune was married to Agnes Dahlen at Hawley, Minn., on June 28, 1938. There were no children.

Mr. Thune was sheriff of Griggs County from 1939 to 1943, and was appointed county commissioner to fill the unexpired term of Otto Pritz of Binford, who died. In 1948, he was elected to a term as commissioner. During World War II, he was a defense worker at Tacoma, Wash. He was a trustee of the Trinity Lutheran Church at Binford and past noble grand of the IOOF there.

He is survived by Mrs. Thune, a sister, Mrs. Theodore Ethan of Binford, and five nephews and two nieces.

Nels Torgerson Of Binford Dies

BINFORD, N. D.—Nels Torgerson, 79, resident of this community 31 years, died Monday in a hospital at Valley City, N. D.

Service will be at 2 Thursday in Quam Funeral Home, Cooperstown, N. D.

Born in Norway May 28, 1873, Mr. Torgerson migrated to Grant County, Minn., at the age of 12. He married Annie Peterson Oct. 19, 1894.

He leaves his wife; five sons, Bernhard, Norman, Anton, Perry and Morris, and a daughter, Bertha, all of this community; a niece, who was brought up by the family, Mrs. Chris Overby; three sisters, Mrs. Mina Johnson, Binford, Mrs. Eric Johnson and Mrs. Alfred Knutson, both of Alberta, Canada; five grandchildren and a great-grandchild. A son, Theodore, preceded him in death.

Cooperstown To Honor Torgerson

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. (AP)—Carrol Torgerson, new department commander of the North Dakota American Legion, will be honored at a program here tonight.

On the program, sponsored by the Legion and the Cooperstown Commercial Club, are an open house, banquet and program.

About 200 persons are expected, including Gov. John E. Davis, National Vice Commander Willard W. Brandt of Linton, N. D., and Legion dignitaries from throughout the state.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Lura of Cooperstown, N. D., announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise Earline, to Orville S. Tweed.



Miss Lura is a graduate of the high school at Cooperstown. Mr. Tweed farms near Binford.

Mr. Tweed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tweed of Binford, N. D.

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Two Men Found Suffocated In Bunkhouse At Glenfield

Six persons died accidentally in North Dakota over the week end and six in Minnesota.

In North Dakota, two suffocated in a mattress fire, two drowned and two were killed in traffic.

Two men were found suffocated from a mattress fire Sunday afternoon in a Great Northern Railway bunk house at Glenfield, N. D., in Foster County, about 75 air miles north of Jamestown.

They were Walter Taylor, 49, of Hannaford, N. D., a Great Northern section hand, and Gordon O'Hara, about 40, of Hamilton, N. D., who had been working as a carpenter for the Peavey Elevator Company.

Raymond Olson, who came to meet the men Sunday afternoon, broke down the door and found the bunk house full of smoke and the floor smoldering, according to H. M. Knott, Foster County coroner.

Knott said O'Hara, working on an elevator repair job at Glenfield, apparently was spending the night with Taylor.

He said the fire was caused when a cigaret ignited a mattress some time Sunday morning.

Knott ruled the deaths accidental and said there would be no inquest. Taylor's body is at the Knott Funeral Home in Carrington. O'Hara's body was taken to the Pico Funeral Home at Cavalier.

Cooperstown Rites For Walter Taylor

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Military service will be at 11 today for Walter Nelson Taylor in the Quam Chapel, the Rev. James Henderson officiating.

Mr. Taylor was born March 4, 1903, in Rosehill, Iowa. He was a veteran of World War II and leaves his mother, Mrs. Jacob T. (Florence) Taylor of Little Fork, Minn.; four brothers, Clifford of Little Fork, Arthur of Rapid City, S. D., John of Wadena, Minn., and Carl of Hannaford, N. D.; five sisters, Mrs. Oscar Denka of Wells, Minn., Mrs. Ruben Lowden of Cooperstown, Mrs. Clarence Sanvold of Graceton, Minn., Mrs. Ingmar Sjkqvist of Hannaford, N. D., and Mrs. Reinhard Wohlsdorf of Bovey, Minn.

Mr. Taylor died Sunday in Glenfield, N. D.

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chair directly in the way of the Fargo.

Kids' Dreams Are Shattered! Cooperstown Schools To Open

In view of the editorial which appeared in last Sunday's Fargo Forum implanting new hopes in the kids against the opening of school, I feel it incumbent upon me to advise you that our system will open at 9 a. m. Monday, Sept. 8.

To The Editor:

These hopes—alas!—were short-lived. Whether your editorial had

anything to do with it or not, the fact is that in the days following its appearance, the housing shortage collapsed, accommodations were found for the teachers and the grind will resume on schedule.

The time element strongly suggests that now the kids will have The Fargo Forum to blame for having taken a hand and astutely solved the problem for us. And having once exhibited your influence, it is possible that the kids, who contrary to most opinion, learn remarkably fast when an issue of this magnitude is at stake, will see in The Fargo Forum's capabilities a power to be enlisted in their side when the next term rolls around.

Kids' Dreams Come True: No Homes For Teachers

Dreams may come true in Cooperstown next month—school kid dreams anyway.

Unless somebody comes to the rescue with a house, Supt. Oswald Tufte said, the school won't be able to open because the teachers won't have any place to live.

It is a situation any child could enjoy, even the most pure. It involves nothing drastic such as the teachers' getting sick or the place burning down—the wistful, if a little guilty, dreams we recall from the old school days.

We didn't harbor any grudge against the teachers as a group and probably would have been sad had they suddenly been stricken. Nor was the thought of the old school destroyed particularly appealing—the basketball gym would go down with it.

But the end sought—no school, no more homework—outweighed the means and we continued to harbor dark thoughts of pestilence and violence.

What these guilty but appealing thoughts did to our psyches was something bad, no doubt.

But thank goodness today's generation can grow up unwarped, their little minds untrammelled with the guilt of the past.

When they wish that school would close or wouldn't open they turn harmlessly and innocently to the housing situation. If you hope the new math teacher or the English prof can't find a place to live it harms nobody because they always can stay where they are and it costs the taxpayers nothing as replacing a burned school would. It probably would save them money in the cost of salaries that otherwise would need to be paid. And it is nobody's fault—you can always blame the government for the housing shortage.

We think it's a perfect setup, another advantage that today's children have.

I foresee for you a position of delicacy, besieged at once by desperate administrators and hordes of innocent little faces with method in their madness.

I feel, too, that some criticism of your stand is in order. While I confess in my time to have harbored certain ugly thoughts as you brought into print on ways and means to delay the opening of school, I never at any time contemplated a situation where my teacher would have to sleep in the street without a roof over her head with the mercury at 40 below.

I assure you that the heartlessness of childhood has its limits. While I am aware you suggested the teachers stay wherever they are, I should like to point out that such a view is entirely inadequate inasmuch as they had taken a house or apartment for the summer only while—dear me—attending school themselves! Thus the ramifications of this problem multiply as one examines it.

At any rate, the school will open as slated. Knowing kids, I think they can stand the explosion of the hopes you nurtured for them better than I could stand a delay.



Tufte

OSWALD TUFTE, Superintendent, Cooperstown, N. D.

District Legion To Meet Here

Fargo's Gilbert C. Grafton Post No. 2 will be hosts to the fall meeting of the American Legion First District here Oct. 9.

District Deputy Carrol Torgerson of Cooperstown, N. D., will preside. The meeting is at 8 p. m.

Department Commander Palmer J. Sougstad, Northwood; Vice-Commander L.

E. Duffy, Enderlin, and Service Officer George W. Rulon, Fargo, are the state Legion officials who will appear on the program.

Other speakers include Grant H. Morgan, national field representative of the Legion, Sioux Falls,

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S. D.; Floyd E. Henderson, North Dakota commissioner of veterans affairs, Fargo; Carl P. Reimringer, Veterans Administration contact representative, Fargo, and H. E. Edlund, chairman of Legion's department child welfare committee, Fargo.

Mrs. H. A. Lieberg, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary, Devils Lake, will extend greetings to the First District Legionnaires on behalf of the Auxiliary.

Twenty-eight American Legion posts will send representatives to the meeting: Arthur, Binford, Bufalo, Buxton, Casselton, Clifford, Cooperstown, Dazey, Fargo, Fingal, Galesburg, Gardner, Hannaford, Hatton, Hillsboro, Hope, Hunter, Kindred, Leonard, Mayville, Nome, Page, Portland, Sanborn, Sharon, Valley City and Wimbleton.

Post Commander A. L. Lantz and Post Adjutant Glen Rott of the Fargo post are in charge of local arrangements.

Dean Thompsons Wed In Aneta 59

Vows were spoken recently in the Ottawa Lutheran Church, Aneta, N. D., by Miss Janice Solvig Trostad and Dean M. Thompson. The Rev. Quentin Quanbeck officiated at the candlelight ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Trostad, Aneta, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson, Finley, N. D.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Marvin Hildre, McVile, N. D., sister of the bridegroom. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Sid Hauge, Finley, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Truman Trostad, McVile. The flowergirl was Stephanie Hildre, McVile.

Best man was Marvin Hildre, and groomsmen were Sid Hauge and Albert Trostad, brother of the bride. Ushers were Duane Trostad, brother of the bride and Terry Ellefson, Aneta.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will make their home in McVile.

Mrs. Thompson Of Sutton Dies 59

SUTTON, N. D. — Mrs. Tolof (Regina) Thompson, 95, died here Monday.

The funeral will be at 2 Thursday in Sutton Lutheran Church, the Rev. A. P. Tidemann officiating. Burial will be at Glenfield, N. D.

Born in Norway Jan. 29, 1864, Regina Thue came to the United States to Dakota Territory at the age of 18. She was married to Mr. Thompson at Lisbon Feb. 17, 1885.

Surviving are seven children. They are Thorval of Bremerton, Wash.; Mrs. Lewis (Clara) Henning and Raynard, both Glenfield; Mrs. Inga Hoffman, Stanton, N. D.; Mrs. Eugene (Elizabeth) McDaniel and Mrs. Arnold (Evelyn) Anderson, both Sutton, and Norman of Honolulu. There also are 28 grandchildren, 46 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown, N. D., will have the funeral.

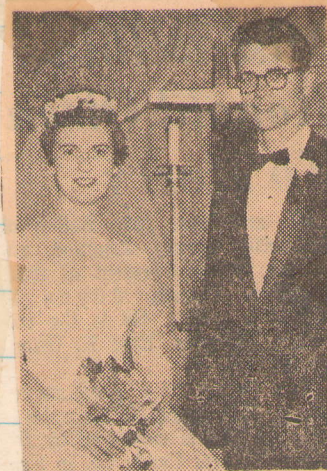
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Miss Trostad is a graduate of the high school at Cooperstown, N. D., and is employed at the Johnson Store in McVile, N. D.

A graduate of Michigan (N. D.) High School, Mr. Thompson has served two years in service and is employed by the McVile Creamery.

The wedding will be April 25 in the Ottawa Lutheran Church, Aneta.



Betty R. Topp
Grace City,
N. D. 59

Miss Thompson, Fedje To Wed 59

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Thompson of Binford, N. D., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilee, to Bernell W. Fedje of Fargo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fedje of Milnor, N. D.

Miss Thompson is a graduate of Oak Grove Lutheran High School in Fargo and attended Augsburg College in Minneapolis. She will be a senior at Concordia College.

Mr. Fedje, also a graduate of Oak Grove High School, attended Lutheran Bible Institute in Minneapolis and Moorhead State College. This fall he is enrolled as a pre-seminary student at Concordia College.

The wedding will take place Sept. 18 in Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead.

MARRIED RECENTLY in Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead, were Mr. and Mrs. Bernell W. Fedje (Marilee Joan Thompson). Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Thompson, Binford, N. D., and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fedje, Milnor, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Fedje are making their home at 430 7th St. S., Moorhead.

Tang New Postmaster At Cooperstown, N. D.

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. — Oscar Tang, a native of Cooperstown, is the new postmaster here succeeding Clarence Stone who had held a temporary appointment since the retirement of T. A. Marquardt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

(Clay Applications)

John E. Thompson and Ruth E. Somerville, both Minot. 59

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Trostad-McCardle Vows Said ⁵⁵

The wedding of Miss Bebe A. Trostad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trostad, Cooperstown, N.D., and Curtis R. McCardle, son of

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCardle of Aneta, N. D., took place at a ceremony Saturday in the Trinity Lutheran Church of Cooperstown. The Rev. A. Palmer Tidemann officiated. Mrs. Carl Johnson was the organist and Myron Nevland soloist.

Mrs. D. Bruce Hall of Fargo, was her sister's matron of honor. Other attendants were Mrs. Osborne Brekken, McVile, and Miss Jesslyn Tweed and Mrs. Herman Haugen Jr., both of Cooperstown, with Kathy Hoffmeyer, also of Cooperstown, flower girl. Rodney

Koloen, Carrington, was ring bearer.

Roger McCardle attended his brother.

The bride wore a gown of white slipper satin with cathedral length train and veil of imported silk illusion held by a pearl and sequin half hat. She carried red roses. The attendants wore waltz length dresses, the maid of honor lilac, the others in purple, forest green and olive green. Their flowers were tinted carnations.

A reception followed the ceremony. Assisting were Mmes. W. E. Hoffmeyer, Clarence Larson and Ludvig Gronass of McVile and Pekin, N. D.

The couple will make their home on a farm near Aneta.

THE 50th ANNIVERSARY of and Ole E. Johnson, Bismarck, Park Region. Concordia College's class of 1905 brought a group of 32 to attend the 1955 graduation exercises.

In the front row, left to right, are Mrs. C. A. Quarve (Alma Thompson), Fessenden, N. D.; Mrs. Julius Thorn (Clara Hitterdal), Cooperstown, N. D.; Mrs. E. N. Hedahl (Clara Berge), Bismarck, N. D., and Miss Emma Norbryhn, Moorhead.

Second row, left to right, are Mrs. Nicholas A. Peterson (Mathilde Mortenson), Conrad, Mont.; Mrs. L. F. Rice (Gertrude Martineson), Bismarck, N. D.; Miss Gertrude Oien, Shelly, Minn.; Miss Mathilde Z. Askegaard, Fargo; Mrs. Julius Johnson (Olga M. Johnson), Moorhead, and John O. Hellerud, Twin Valley, Minn.

All are 1905 graduates of Concordia College Academy except Mrs. Quarve, who is a graduate of Park Region Academy, Fergus Falls, Minn., which united with Concordia in 1917.

Others of the 1905 class who were present for alumni events but not pictured were Mrs. Olga Peterson (Olga Natwick), Harrisville, Mich.; Gilbert N. Hagen, Fargo, Cobbers.

COOPERSTOWN — Carrol Peterson has been elected president of the Toastmasters club. Other officers are Bob Mack, Roger Bakken, G. E. Appel, J. D. Erickson, Leon Sayer and Myron Erickson.

Around 100 Academy graduated and former students attended. J. H. Hjelmstad of Moorhead, Concordia Academy graduate and former college instructor, was master of ceremonies at the alumni program. Mrs. Alice Polikowski is alumni director. (H. S. Gillespie Photo)

Mrs. Trostad ⁵⁵ Funeral Today

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. today in West Prairie Lutheran Church for Mrs. Louis (Jennie) Trostad, 75, of Cooperstown. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mrs. Trostad died Wednesday in a local hospital. She was born June 18, 1880, in Norway and came to the U. S. with her parents in 1884. She was married to Mr. Trostad north of Cooperstown where they farmed until retiring to Cooperstown. Mr. Trostad died March 17, 1949.

Surviving are two sons, Oscar of Cooperstown and Theodore of Aneta, N. D.; two daughters, Mrs. Manley (Josephine) Torgerson, Aneta, and Mrs. Martin (Regina) Johnson, Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Nelson, Grafton, N. D., and Mrs. Julia Boyer, Bismarck, N. D., and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Andrew Tweit ⁵³ Of Hannaford Dies

HANNAFORD, N. D. — Mrs. Andrew Tweit, 70, of Hannaford, died Tuesday in a hospital at Valley City, N. D. Service will be at 2 Saturday in the Eidsjord Church near Hannaford. W. D. Sinclair Funeral Home is in charge.

Wed At Sutton ⁵⁵

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Thu will make their home at Hull, N. D., where he will teach. Their marriage took place Sept. 1 in Trinity Lutheran Church at Sutton, N. D.

Mrs. Thu is the former Marion Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rhodes, and Mr. Thu is the son of Mrs. Ethel Thu, all of Sutton.

Announce 12 School Head Appointments

BISMARCK, N. D. (AP)—With less than two weeks of school left for most North Dakota communities, 12 new superintendent appointments have been announced for the 1953-54 term.

Communities announcing the appointments include:

Hastings—Ernest Janisch, former principal; Oberon—Raymond Beaver, former New Rockford coach; Stirum—James L. Thompson, former Pomona, Calif., principal; Hazelton—F. L. Oamek, former Max superintendent; Des Lacs—Clifford A. Nelson, former Souris superintendent; Souris—A. O. Lee, former Norma superintendent; Dazey—Wayne Wilkins, former principal.

In addition, five North Dakota superintendents have said they are taking posts at schools in Minnesota or South Dakota. They are: Edwin Kval, Wildrose, to Fisher, Minn.; Oswald Tuft, Coopers-town, to Big Lake, Minn.; Bernard James, Napoleon, to Erskine, Minn.; B. J. McGuire, Manvel, to Odessa, Minn., and W. D. Marshall, Bucyrus, to Harrold, S. D.

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All superintendent vacancies will be filled by May 28, according to A. W. Larson, teacher placement specialist with the North Dakota State Employment Service. Thus far about 10 per cent of the state's high schools have announced full staffs for next term. High schools generally are more complete than grade schools, Larson said.

Eleven schools have said they will need more teachers because of increased enrollment.

Most schools in the state will close the Memorial Day weekend. A few will close a week earlier, and some a week later.



Young Hero Gets Bike:

Kenneth Thorne, 10, beamed his approval of a bicycle he was awarded at Sutton, N. D., for saving a Great Northern train from a possible serious wreck. Kenneth also got a \$100 savings bond and

a letter of commendation from the railroad's president. Presenting the bike to the youngster are R. W. Downing (left), superintendent of the GN's Minot division, and C. O. Hooker, general manager of GN Lines East. (AP Wirephoto direct to The Fargo Forum)

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Mrs. Ina Thorberg Hurt In Accident

Mrs. Ina Thorberg of Cooperstown, executive secretary of the Griggs county welfare board, was seriously injured in a traffic accident in the Miami, Florida, vicinity February 24.

Mrs. Thorberg is hospitalized with fractures of both legs, a severe scalp laceration and bruises to face and hands.

She had just recently gone to Florida for a vacation. She was a passenger in a car driven by her traveling companion, Mrs. J. B. Meyer of Bismarck. Mrs. Meyer was unhurt but Mrs. Thorberg was thrown from the vehicle.

Friends may get in touch with her by writing care of North Shore Hospital, Miami, Florida.

Rev. Thompson Rites At Binford

BINFORD, N. D. — Funeral service for the Rev. John Thompson, 69, will be at 2 Friday in Binford Lutheran Church, the Rev. M. E. Helland officiating. Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown, N. D., is in charge.

The Rev. Mr. Thompson died Sunday at Henning, Minn. He was born in Norway in 1890. He had retired from the ministry because of ill health. He married Inga Peterson who died in 1951 and in 1952 he married Elizabeth Keltoff at Henning.

Other survivors are four sons, Jennings and John Jr. of Mt. Horeb, Wis., Bernard of Waco, Texas, and Norman of Kankakee, Ill., and two daughters, Eleanor, in Illinois, and Irene of Albuquerque, N. M.

To Marry Jan. 22

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trostad of Cooperstown, N. D., announce the engagement of their daughter,

Bebe, to Curtis McCardle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCardle of Aneta, N. D. Both are graduates of Cooperstown High School. The wedding will take place Jan. 22 in the Trinity Lutheran Church of Cooperstown.

Miss Trostad Attendants will be Mrs. Donald Bruce Hoel, sister of the bride, Mrs. Osborne Brekken of McVille, N. D., Miss Jesslyn Tweed and Mrs. Herman Haugen Jr. of Cooperstown.



MARRIAGE LICENSES

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George W. Foster, Athens, Ga., and Barbara I. Power, 1841 5th St. N.
(Clay Applications)
Oscar W. McCann, South Milwaukee, Wis., and Ethel E. Thu, Sutton, N. D.

Jesper Taxdahl Rites Wednesday

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. — Funeral service for Jesper Taxdahl, 83, of rural Cooperstown, will be at 2 Wednesday in Christian Fellowship Church, the Rev. Arvid Nyquist officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mr. Taxdahl died Saturday in a local hospital. He was born May 10, 1872, in Norway. He came to South Dakota in 1892 and moved to Griggs County, N. D., in 1898. He married Aagot Johnson Dec. 12, 1900 and they farmed in Helena Township, Griggs, County. She preceded him in death.

Surviving are six sons and daughters, Ernest and Neva, at home, Mrs. A. M. (Hilda) Selsness, Topeka, Kan., Albert of Wilson, Wis., Mrs. Roy (Judith) Watne and Orville, Hannaford, N. D.; a sister and a brother in Norway; 18 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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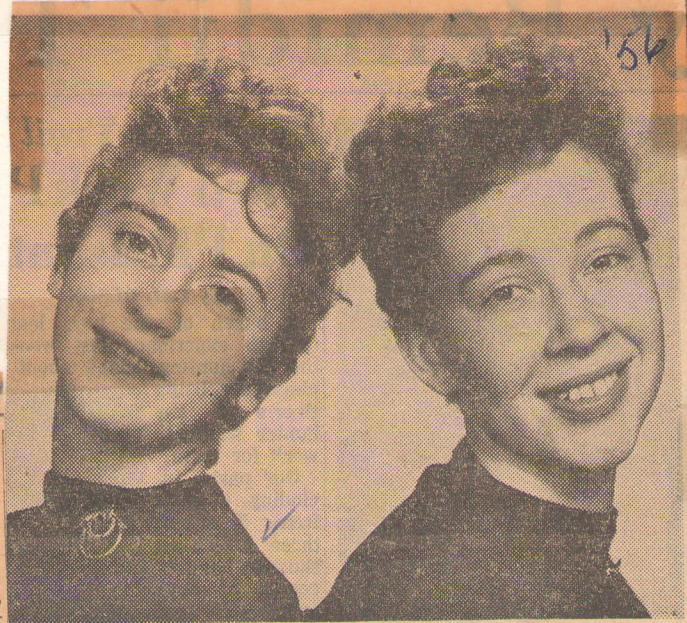
Mrs. Trostad Rites Saturday

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Funeral service will be at 2 Saturday in West Prairie Lutheran Church

for Mrs. Louis (Jennie) Trostad, 75, of Cooperstown. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mrs. Trostad died Wednesday in a local hospital. She was born June 18, 1880, in Norway and came to the U. S. with her parents in 1884. She was married to Mr. Trostad north of Cooperstown where they farmed until retiring to Cooperstown. Mr. Trostad died March 17, 1949.

Surviving are two sons, Oscar of Cooperstown and Theodore of Aneta, N. D.; two daughters, Mrs. Manley (Josephine) Torgerson, Aneta, and Mrs. Martin (Regina) Johnson, Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Nelson, Grafton, N. D., and Mrs. Julia Boyer, Bismarck, N. D., and six grandchildren.



Young In Heart:

These two girls play the lead roles in "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," to be presented by the senior class of Oak Grove Lutheran High School at 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday in the school auditorium. They are Marilee Thompson (left), Binford, N. D., who plays Emily Kimbrough in the comedy, and Bodil Christensen, Barnum, Minn., who plays Cornelia Otis Skinner. Clark Tutte directs the play, with Kathryn Tweeten advisor.

(Fargo Forum Photo)

Mrs. Thime Dies At 80

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. — Mrs. Abraham (Elizabeth) Thime, 80, long time resident of this community, died at her home here Saturday after a long illness.

The funeral will be at 2 Wednesday in Zion Lutheran Church near here, the Rev. Sanford Soma officiating.

Born in Stavanger, Norway, on Aug. 21, 1877, she came to the Cooperstown area in the spring of 1889. She was married to Mr. Thime at Cooperstown on Feb. 22, 1902.

She had resided in the Cooperstown area since 1889 except for six years, from 1913 to 1919, in Norway, when World War I broke out preventing her return home.

Surviving besides her husband are a daughter, Anne, at home and a brother in Norway.

She was preceded in death by three brothers. The body is at S. J. Quam Funeral Home.

Thu-McCann Vows Spoken In Moorhead

Mrs. Ethel Thu of Sutton, N. D., and Oscar McCann of South Milwaukee, Wis., were married May 4 in Our Savior's Lutheran Church of Moorhead. The Rev. L. M. Larsen officiated.

Mrs. McCann has operated a lunch room in Sutton for several years and Mr. McCann is superintendent of the South Milwaukee Street Department. Both are natives of Wells County. They will make their home in South Milwaukee. Mrs. McCann will remain in Sutton until the close of school.

TRUBSHAW RITE SET WEDNESDAY

Several Fargoans including representatives of the newspaper and printing trades and long time personal friends, will go to Valley City

Valley City, N. D., Aug. 8.—(AP)—The Valley City Times-Record will suspend Wednesday's issue of the paper in honor of its publisher, the late Percy R. Trubshaw, for whom funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Wednesday to attend funeral services for Percy R. Trubshaw, publisher of the Valley City Times-Record.

Among Fargoans who have indicated they expect to attend are Norman D. Black, publisher of The Fargo Forum; James Maresh, representative of Western Newspaper Union; A. J. McInnes of Northwestern Bell Telephone company and probably A. L. Nelson, manager of Western Newspaper Union.

The funeral is to be at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in the Congregational church.

DELAY MEETING

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Torfin-Kroke Vows Spoken

In the Valley Grove Lutheran Church of Klotten, N. D., Maxine Ellenore Torfin and Murville Ochsaire Kroke spoke marriage vows Saturday.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Torfin of Klotten and Mr. Kroke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Obert Kroke of McVile, N. D.

Mrs. Joe Solberg, Aneta, N. D., was organist and Marvin Arlien, Pekin, N. D., soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white taffeta and chantilly lace and a fingertip veil held by a crown of seed pearls.

Mrs. Robert Galde, Klotten, was matron of honor. Miss Ruby Ann Omlid, Klotten, was bridesmaid and the bride's sister, Marilyn Louise Torfin, junior bridesmaid. Mrs. Galde and Miss Torfin wore pink chiffon and Miss Omlid, blue chiffon.

Loyl Kroke, McVile, was his brother's best man. Groomsman and ushers were Duane Grotte and Sanford Hoge, Aneta; Patrick Torfin, Klotten and Frank Franklin.

Katherine Helgeland was flower girl and Bruce Larson, Klotten, was ringbearer.

Mothers of the bride and bridegroom wore navy blue dresses with white accessories.

A reception followed the ceremony.

The couple will be at home in Aneta, where he is employed.

Betrothal Told

The engagement of Miss Rhoda Mae Trostad and Donald Bruce Hoel is announced by her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trostad of Cooperstown, N. D. Mr. Hoel, airman first class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Hoel of Cooperstown.

Miss Trostad is a student in a business college at Minneapolis.

Mr. Hoel is stationed in England and will resume his studies in the school of pharmacy at NDAC after his discharge in November.

To Wed In October

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tweed of Pekin, N. D., announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Muriel Evangeline, to George W. Vigesaa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Vigesaa of Cooperstown, N. D.

Both are graduates of Oak Grove Lutheran High School in Fargo. Miss Tweed is employed by Fairmont Foods Co. in Moorhead and Mr. Vigesaa farms near Cooperstown.

The wedding will be Oct. 23 in the Gethsemane Lutheran Church near Tolna, N. D.



Miss Tweed



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Getting close to home

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Santa Comes Early for Lad Who Saved

SUTTON, N. D.—(P)—Santa rode into this small prairie community by rail Thursday with a

shiny new bike and a \$100 savings bond for a 10-year-old boy whose alertness prevented a possible serious railroad wreck.

The chain of events that led to Santa's early stop for Kenneth Thorne runs like a movie thriller.

Kenneth and his mother, Mrs. Erwin Thorre, were seated in



Kenneth

the living room of their small home near the Great Northern main line through Sutton.

It was late afternoon, Dec. 10. The eastbound fast mail from Seattle, Wash., to St. Paul had just thundered through the small community of 150.

But Kenneth and his mother noted the familiar rhythmic clickety-clack of wheels on rails was punctuated by a discordant note. The beat was off.

Kenneth decided to investigate. He walked the track a distance. Then he spotted the trouble. An 8-inch length of

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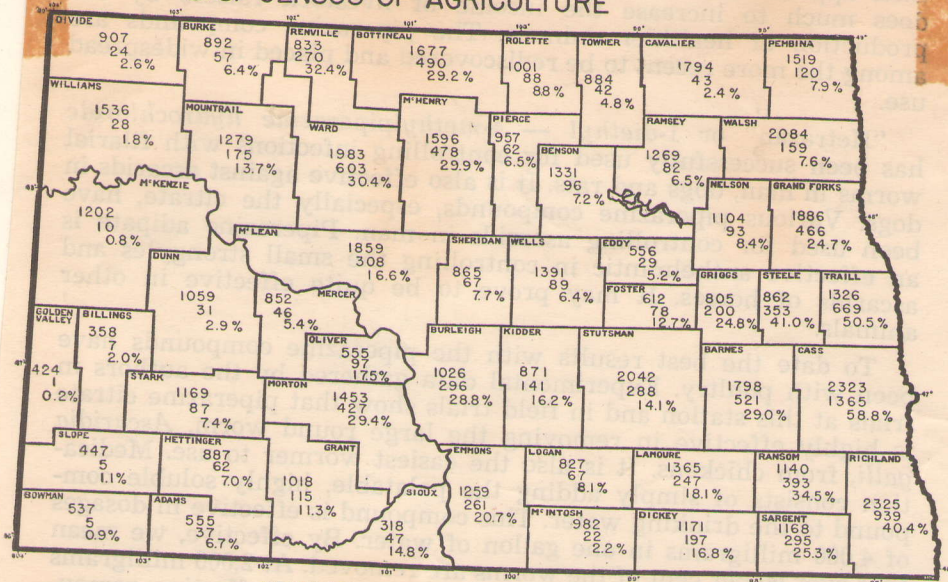
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NORTH DAKOTA TOTAL: 61,939 FARMS
11,178 FARMS TV
18.0% TV FARMS

Source: U. S. Census figures as compiled by Broadcasting-Telecasting Magazine. In North Dakota there are currently four television stations in operation, and figures in the above map should be scanned with a knowledge of when and where these stations went on the air. The stations: KCJB-TV, Minot, on the air in April, 1953; WDAY-TV, Fargo, on the air in June, 1953; KFYZ-TV, Bismarck, on the air in December, 1953, and KXJB-TV, Valley City, went on the air in July, 1954.

Christ Thompson Of Portland Dies

Christopher (Christ) Thompson, 90, of Portland, N. D., died Tuesday in an Ada, Minn., hospital.

Born July 22, 1865, in Hedalen, Norway, Mr. Thompson was brought to the United States when he was a year old. His parents, five brothers and sisters and a grandfather made the trip in a sailboat.

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Funeral service tentatively is set for 2 Saturday in the Bang Lutheran Church, 11 miles northwest of Portland. Skarperud Funeral Home of Mayville, N. D., is in charge.

Rites At Pekin For Kenneth Tufteland

PEKIN, N. D.—Kenneth B. A. Tufteland, 23, of Pekin, died Saturday in a Grand Forks hospital. He had been ill for a long time. He was born April 14, 1932, at McVille, N. D. Surviving is his mother, Mrs. Adolph Tufteland, Pekin. Funeral service will be at 2 Wednesday in Sheyenne Lutheran Church of which he was a member. The Rev. Clifford Ritland will officiate with T. A. Wonder Funeral Home of McVille in charge.

Mrs. Thorberg Takes Griggs Welfare Post

LAMOURE, N. D. — Mrs. Ina Thorberg, who has been executive secretary of the LaMoure County Welfare board since 1942, has resigned to accept a similar assignment with the Griggs County Welfare Board at Cooperstown. Mrs. Thorberg expects to attend the regional meeting of the American Public Welfare Association in Lincoln, Neb., April 25.

Andrew Thompson Dies In Valley City

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—Andrew Thompson, 76, of Valley City, retired Hannaford, N. D., farmer, died in a hospital here Thursday. Born in Norway Dec. 30, 1879, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole S. Thompson. He had farmed at Hannaford many years and had never married. Nearest surviving relatives are cousins. The funeral will be at 2 Monday in Hub Peterson Chapel with burial here.

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Great Northern officials played Santa by formally presenting Kenneth with the bike, a streamlined 24-incher, and the savings bond.

There was a letter of commendation, too, from John M. Budd, Great Northern president. It said:

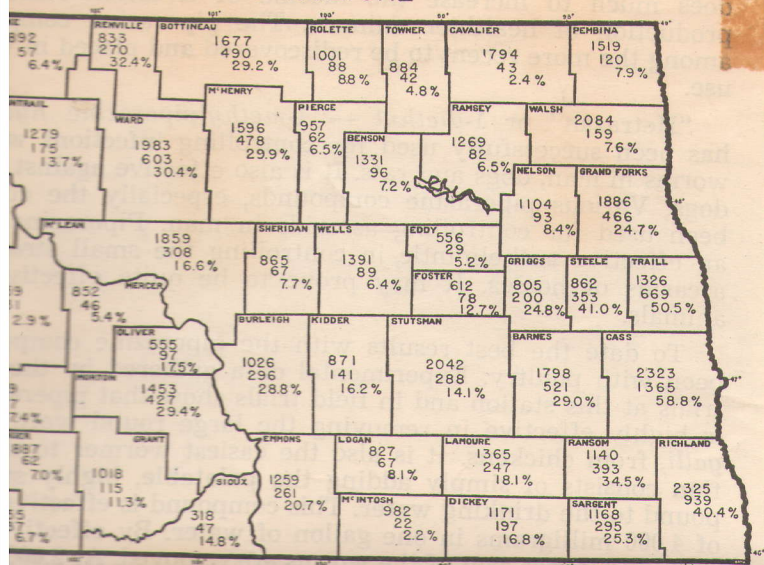
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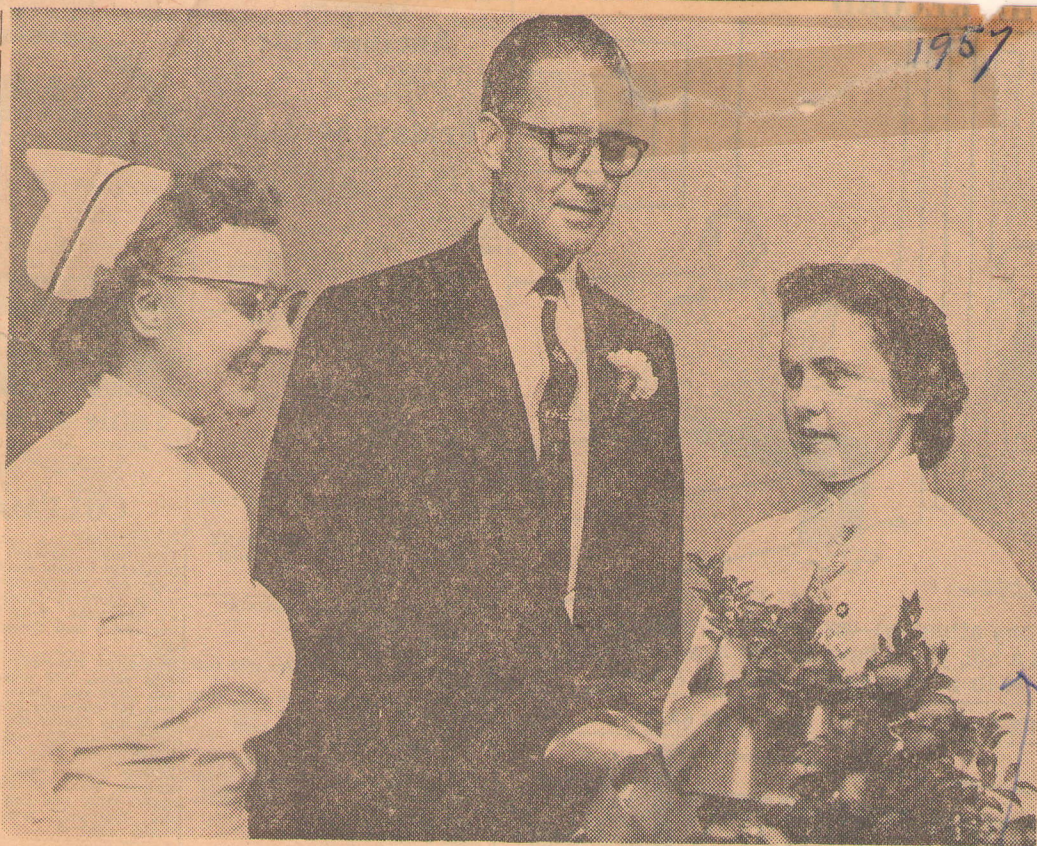
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1,000th Nurse: A bouquet to Elaine Ruth Tweed of Cooperstown, N. D., the 1,000th graduate of St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing, was presented at the graduation exercises Monday evening. This was the 47th class to graduate. Pictured with Miss Tweed are Miss Mary Hauck, director of the school of nursing, and John L. Gunkelman, president of the board of trustees. (Forum Photo)

Miss Tweed Is Bride Of Vigesaa

Miss Muriel Evangeline Tweed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tweed of rural Pekin, N. D., is the bride of George Vigesaa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vigesaa of Cooperstown, N. D. The wedding was Saturday evening in the Gethsemane Lutheran Church near Tolna, N. D. The Rev. M. E. Helland of Binford, N. D., officiated at the double ring service. Mrs. Melvin Hasen played the nuptial music. David Vigesaa sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "I Love Thee" and Monroe Tweed and Gene Wulfestad "O Perfect Love." The church was decorated with white pompons.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white nylon tulle and Venetian lace cut on train. A lace crown held her full length veil and she wore pearl earrings, gift of the bridegroom. She carried a white testament topped with deep pink roses.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Al Steinke of Bismarck, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Arvid Hedstrom of Tolna, her cousin, wore wineberry-colored net over taffeta gowns and velvet jackets. Their pearl and rhinestone earrings were gifts of the bride. They carried white carnations.

Ted Vigesaa of Fargo attended his brother with Spencer Loge of Cooperstown, the other attendant. Ushers were Monroe Tweed of Pekin, brother of the bride, and David Lunde of Cooperstown.

The mothers of the bride and bridegroom both wore blue and their corsages were of pink carnations.

The church parlors was the scene of the reception. Mrs. L. B. Tweed of Tolna and Mrs. Karl Krummel of Denver poured. Mrs. Ted Vigesaa and Mrs. Lawrence Tweed cut the cake. The guest book was in charge of Mrs. David Lunde and the gift table, Mrs. Monroe Tweed of Pekin, N. D., and Miss Donna Kraal of Fargo.

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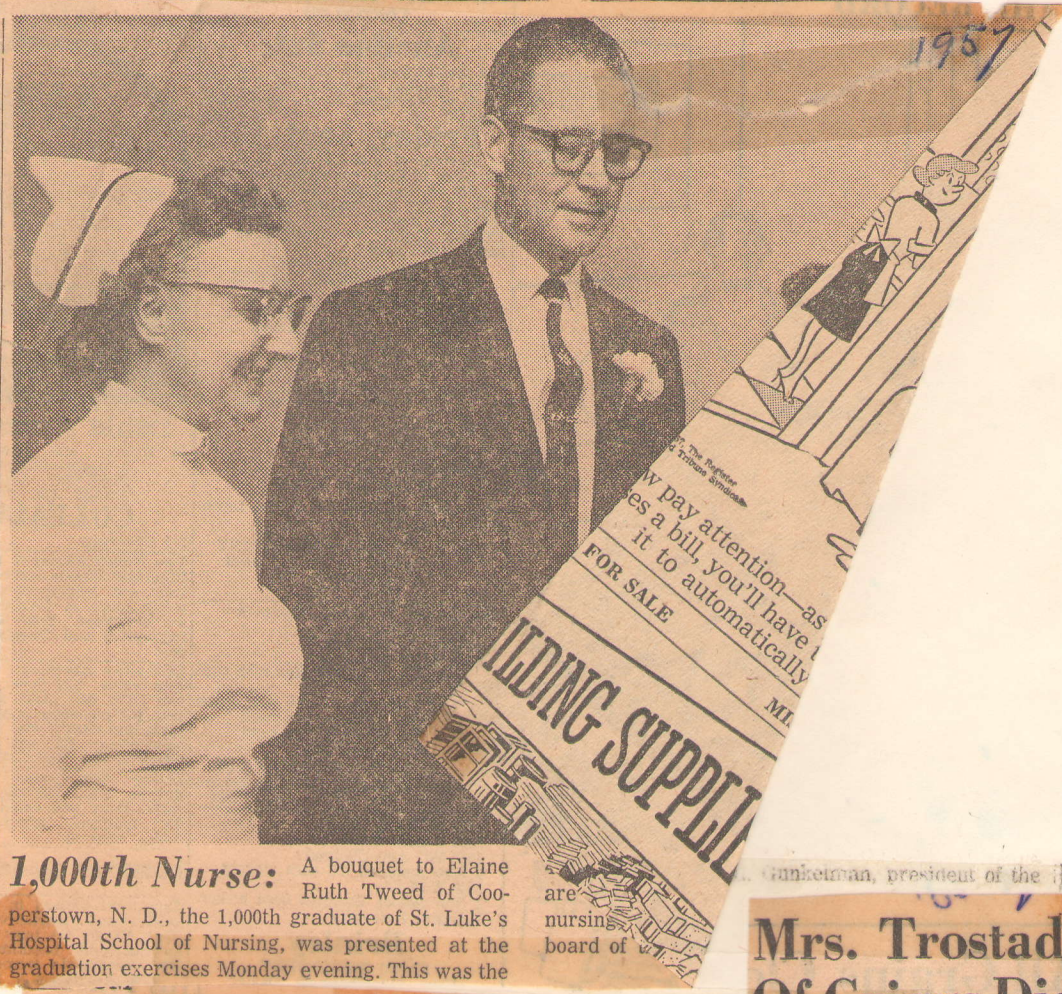
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Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Topp of Janita, N. Dak., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Marie to Mr. Gaylon Griffey, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rorvig of Binford, N. Dak. Miss Topp is presently working in the Lack Building in Fargo, and Mr. Griffey is farming near Binford. A fall wedding is planned.

Man Elected By Legion

Thompson, 54, Former N. D. Teacher, Dies

BUFFALO, N. D.—Mirl Thompson, 54, former North Dakota teacher, died Thursday at Bremerton, Washington, where he had resided since the close of World War II.

He had served aboard the aircraft carrier Lexington in World War II, with the rank of lieutenant commander.

The body will be brought to Carrington, N. D., where the funeral will be in the Federated Church at 2 Wednesday. The Rev. Burton D. Connerly will officiate, with Knott Funeral Home in charge.

Born March 15, 1899, at Glenfield, N. D. Mr. Thompson was graduated from the University of North Dakota and began his teaching career in 1924. He taught successively a year at Hope, five years at Grace City, three years at Brantford and nine years at Buffalo, being superintendent here.

In 1942 he entered navy service and after his retirement from service in 1945, he had resided in Bremerton, where he was widely known as a "ham" radio operator. He had been in the hospital since last July.

He married Helen Carlson at Carrington in June, 1920. Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Malcolm (Dorothy) McDonald, in Missouri, and Mrs. Jean Cullen, Alameda, Calif.; three brothers, Thorval of McHenry, N. D., and Norman, in Hawaii; four sisters, Mrs. L. (Clara) Hennings, Glenfield, Mrs. E. (Elizabeth) Daniels, and Mrs. A. (Evelyn) Anderson, both Sutton, N. D., and Mrs. Inga Hoffman, Stanton, N. D., and four grandchildren.

Mr. Thompson had been president of the North Dakota High School Basketball League 10

Maxine Torfin, 57 Kiefert To Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Torfin of Klotten, N. D., announce the engagement of their daughter, Maxine Ellenore, to Maynard Gordon Kiefert, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kiefert of Aneta, N. D.

Miss Torfin is a graduate of the Klotten High School and is employed at the Griggs County Hospital at Cooperstown, N. D.



Mr. Kiefert is stationed in Cuba with the U. S. Navy.

Howard Weds Agnes Twedt Of McHenry

At a candlelight ceremony in Gethsemane Lutheran Church near Tolna, N. D., Saturday evening, Agnes Sylvia Twedt became the bride of Charles Henry Howard Jr. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Knut Twedt of McHenry, N. D., and the bridegroom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard of Lake Crystal, Minn.

The bride graduated from Oak Grove Lutheran High School. Both graduated from Augsburg College in Minneapolis. White gladioli and tapers in candelabra decorated the church.

The Rev. M. E. Helland officiated at the double ring ceremony. The Rev. Arthur Rimmerid gave the sermonette. Miss Swanee Tweet played the nuptial music and accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Arold Marohn, sister of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of peau de soie and carried a bouquet of shattered carnations with a white orchid.

Her sister, Isobel, was her maid of honor, and her bridesmaids Agnes Tweet of Rugby and Carol Howard of Lake Crystal. Shirley Eidoon of McHenry, N. D., was the junior bridesmaid. The maid of honor wore a baby blue polished cotton gown and the other attendants identical gowns in copen blue. They wore matching hats and white gloves and carried peach gladioli and white carnations.

Barbara Solee of Cooperstown, cousin of the bride, was flower girl and wore baby blue. Tommy Marohn was the ringbearer.

Donovan Roberts of Lake Crystal was the best man and the groomsmen and ushers were Ron Main, Procter, Minn.; Terry Falk, Lake Crystal, Marcus, Gordon and Arthur Twedt, all of McHenry.

The bride's mother wore dusty rose taffeta with gray lace and a pink rose corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore light blue with white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

A reception followed in the church parlors.

For her wedding trip the bride is wearing a powder blue knit dress with navy accessories and an orchid corsage.

The couple will make their home at Ashby, Minn., where both will be on the high school faculty.

Convention In 1960 To Be At Williston

BISMARCK, N. D. (AP)—North Dakota American Legion members wound up their 41st convention Tuesday

afternoon by naming Carrol H. Torgerson, Cooperstown, their new state commander.

He succeeds Willard Brandt, Linton. The new Legion chief is a businessman at Cooperstown and a veteran of World War II.

He's a former commander of the Cooperstown post, former district deputy, former eastern regional vice commander and was twice a delegate to the national convention.



Torgerson

A speaker Tuesday afternoon was Lynn U. Stambaugh, Washington, D. C., only North Dakota veteran to attain the national commandership.

Resolutions adopted by the Legionnaires called for:

★ Congress to take action to speed completion of the Missouri River diversion program, with construction starting no later than 1963.

★ Adequate psychiatric facilities for children in the state.

★ Proper observance of Veterans Day, with closing of schools, business places and government offices.

Torgerson defeated Charles H. Rodewald, Tioga, only other candidate.

An expected fight over the site of next year's convention failed to develop and the honor went to Williston on a voice vote.

The site committee recommended the western city and its nomination was seconded by James Brodigan of Fargo, which also had been in the running.

Only a scattering of no votes greeted the choice.

Mrs. Walter L. Dougherty, Park River, was elected department president of the Legion Auxiliary

Lester H. Paulson, LaMoure, was named vice commander for the eastern region in a four-way race. He was opposed by Dale Luick, Fairmount; Ron Weber, Havana, and Stan Gilbertson, Grand Forks.

Bob Hennessy, Minot, defeated Lloyd Nelson, Stanley, for vice commander of the western region.

Unopposed for vice commander in the central region was Clarence Michels, Dunseith.

Jack Williams, the first and only adjutant the North Dakota Legion has had, went through the formality of being re-elected without opposition. The Fargo man has held the post since 1919.

Central region delegates recommended the reappointment of Perry Goss, Carrington, for a three-year term on the state executive committee.

Another veteran re-elected was William Jones, Lisbon, starting his 40th year as historian. The Rev. John L. McHugh, Cando, was re-elected department chaplain.

Renamed department finance officer was Arthur J. Rulon, Jamestown.

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Thompson, 54 Former N. D. Teacher, Dies

BUFFALO, N. D.—Mirl Thompson, 54, former North Dakota teacher, died Thursday at Bremerton, Washington, where he resided since the close of World War II.

He had served aboard the aircraft carrier Lexington in World War II, with the rank of lieutenant commander.

The body will be brought to Carrington, N. D., where the funeral will be in the Federal Church at 2 Wednesday. The Rev. Burton D. Connerly will officiate with Knott Funeral Home in charge.

Born March 15, 1899, at Glenfield, N. D. Mr. Thompson was graduated from the University of North Dakota and began his teaching career in 1924. He taught successively a year at Hope, five years at Grace City, three years at Brantford and nine years at Buffalo, being superintendent here.

In 1942 he entered navy service and after his retirement from service in 1945, he had resided in Bremerton, where he was widely known as a "ham" radio operator. He had been in the hospital since last July.

He married Helen Carlson Carrington in June, 1920. Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Malcolm (Dorothy) McDonald, in Missouri, and Mrs. Jean Cullen, Alameda, Calif.; three brothers, Thorval of McHenry, N. D., Reynard of Glenfield, N. D. and Norman, in Hawaii; four sisters, Mrs. L. (Clara) Hennings of Glenfield, Mrs. E. (Elizabeth) Daniels, and Mrs. A. (Evelyn) Anderson, both Sutton, N. D., and Mrs. Inga Hoffman, Stanton, N. D., and four grandchildren.

Mr. Thompson had been president of the North Dakota High School Basketball League 10

Maxine Torfin, 51 Kiefat To Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Torfin of Kloten, N. D., announce the engagement to their daughter Maxine Ellen Torfin, 51, of Kloten, N. D., to Maynard Gordon Kiefat, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kiefat of Aneta, N. D.



Miss Torfin is

Prevented Possible Train Wreck

GN Railway Plays Santa To Alert N. D. Boy, 10

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. (T) — Santa rode into this small prairie community by rail with a shiny new bike and a \$100 savings bond for a 10-year-old boy whose alertness prevented a possible serious railroad wreck.

The chain of events that led to Santa's early stop for Kenneth Thorne runs like a movie thriller.

Kenneth and his mother, Mrs. Erwin Thorne, were seated in the living room of their small home near the Great Northern Railway Surrey Cutoff that passes through Sutton. (Sutton is in Griggs County about 30 miles north and 10 miles west of Valley City.)

It was late afternoon, Dec. 10. The eastbound Great Northern Fast Mail from Seattle to St. Paul, had just thundered through the small community of 150.

But Kenneth and his mother noted the familiar rhythmic clickety-clack of wheels on rails was punctuated by a discordant note. The beat was off.

Kenneth decided to investigate. He walked the track a distance. Then he spotted the trouble. An 8-inch length of steel broken from the end of a rail lay beside the track.

Kenneth raced a quarter mile down the track to where a brakeman, Joseph Lordemann, Breckenridge, Minn., was inspecting a freight train on a siding.

Kenneth yelled about his discovery. The brakeman fairly leaped into action.

The westbound Fast Mail was

due through Sutton in a matter of minutes!

Lordemann telephoned the Great Northern dispatcher at Minot to stop the Fast Mail at Hannaford, 14 miles southeast of Sutton.

But the fast train had just cleared Hannaford when operator Dean Jensen got the message. Quickly, Jensen turned to his two-way radio and in a moment had contact with engineer Harry Jones, Breckenridge, at the Fast Mail's throttle.

Jones brought his speeding train to a safe stop.

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Great Northern officials played Santa Claus by formally presenting Kenneth with the bike, a streamlined 24-incher, and the savings bond.

There was a letter of commendation, too, from John M. Budd, Great Northern president. It said:

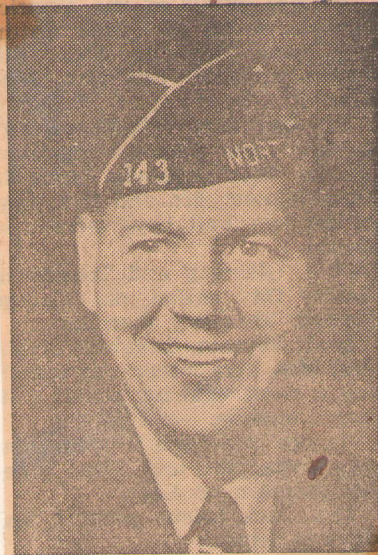
"A great many people are thankful for what you did. . . By telling the brakeman. . . you prevented what could have been a serious accident. I am very happy to thank you, Kenneth, for being so alert and helpful to us, and hope that you have a nice Christmas with your family."

The letter and the savings bond were presented to Kenneth by C. O. Hooker, general manager of Great Northern's Lines East.

The big surprise—the bike—was a gift of officers of the road's Minot division. Robert W. Downing, Minot, division superintendent, played Santa.

Legionnaires Endorse Torgerson

by G. J. Frigaard



At a special meeting Tuesday evening, Carrol Torgerson was endorsed for state Legion commander by the members of Gordon Lindgren Post 143 in Cooperstown.

Several committees were set up to help with the campaign.

Carrol was commander of the local post at the time the new building was constructed in 1951. He has also held the office of district deputy and eastern region vice commander.

The fact that many Legionnaires from other towns have urged him to run speaks well for him.

With whole hearted support from the local post and the town, I am sure he can be elected to this office.

Turnquist-Taylor Vows Are Spoken

Miss Irene Elaine Turnquist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Turnquist of Cooperstown, N. D., and Raymond Taylor, a 1c, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Cleveland, Tex., were married Saturday in the Turnquist home.

The Rev. A. Palmer Tidemann officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was attended by Miss Raechel Skjelset of Revere, N. D., and Airman James Pitts of the Finley Air Base attended Taylor.

The couple will be at home at Finley.

Dear Fellow Americans:

On June 12, 1951, I became a naturalized American citizen. Before receiving this honor, I took a fairly stiff course in American form of Government, the Constitution, and the responsibilities of American citizenship, I was proud of the straight A average which my teacher considered I earned, but proudest of all when I was admitted to full United Ctate Citizenship.

On February 16, 1959, I attended a meeting on School District Reorganization. It lasted a very long time, and I can only say, that there was nothing like it in my citizenship course. Neighbor hurled verbal insult at neighbor, private grudges were publicly aired, and sneering, angry comments filled the Hall. The valid arguments, both supporting and opposing, were lost in a sea of angry accusation.

I left the meeting with a sense of pity. Pity for those who had abused one of the Four great freedoms, Freedom of Speech, and pity for those who listened, and would remember the harsh words long after time has resolved the problem of School Reorganization. Yes; the meeting was for me an education, but I sincerely hope I never witness a repeat performance.

Marjorie Troseth

Mrs. Andrew Tweit Rites Set Today

HANNAFORD, N. D.—The Rev. Roy W. Gilbertson will officiate at the services for Mrs. Andrew Tweit, 71, resident of this area more than 45 years.

Services will be today at 1 in the farm home in Dover Township, Griggs County, and at 2 in Eidfjord Church with W. D. Sinclair Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Tweit died Tuesday. The former Helen Lagried, she was born in Norway March 9, 1882, and came to the U. S. in 1905. She was married to Mr. Tweit at Cooperstown, N. D., Oct. 12, 1907.

Besides her husband she leaves five sons, Theodore, Olaf and Harold of Hannaford, Einar of Walum, N. D., and Noralf of Grand Forks; three daughters, Mrs. Ray (Valborg) Venhuizen, Hannaford, Mrs. John (Hjordis) Paulson, Oberon, N. D., and Mrs. Ernest (Anna) Kloster, Seattle, and 10 grandchildren.

Mrs. Thorn Dies At Cooperstown

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Mrs. Robert Thorn, 71, of Cooperstown, died Sunday in a hospital here.

Funeral service will be at 2 Thursday in Trinity Lutheran Church here, the Rev. O. I. Jacobson of Detroit Lakes, Minn., officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mrs. Thorn was born Jan. 28, 1883, in Nelson County near Klotten, N. D. She was married to Mr. Thorn Dec. 28, 1904, at Jessie, N. D., where they lived until coming to this community about 30 years ago. Mr. Thorn is a retired elevator operator.

Also surviving are a son, Erving of Breckenridge, Minn.; two daughters, Mrs. Adolph (Muriel) Frigaard, Anaconda, Mont., and Mrs. W. W. (Eunice) Wichmann, Hannibal, Mo.; a sister, Mrs. O. C. Lybecker, 623 3rd St. N., Fargo; a brother, Henry Groven of Alberta, Canada, and five grandchildren.

Mrs. B. O. Tande, Aneta, Dies At 66

ANETA, N. D. — Mrs. B. O. (Marie Elise) Tande, 66, of Aneta, died Tuesday in a hospital at Northwood, N. D.

Funeral services will be Friday at 1 in the farm home and at 2 in Sundahl Lutheran Church, the Rev. Ralph Johnshoy and the Rev. W. J. Madson officiating. Ringstad-Wonder Funeral Home is in charge.

Mrs. Tande was born June 18, 1887, at Aneta. She was graduated from Aneta High School and attended Mayville State Teachers College. She was married to Mr. Tande Feb. 24, 1916, and they moved that year to Montana, returning in 1936 to this area where they farmed. Mrs. Tande was a member of Sundahl Lutheran Church and ladies aid.

Surviving are Mr. Tande; a son, Iver of Aneta; three daughters, Mrs. Luella Lee, Aneta, Mrs. W. T. (Eunice) Langhaug, Chicago, and Mrs. Maurice (Ruth Alice) Dronen, Finley; a sister, Miss Louise Swenson, Long Beach, and eight grandchildren.

Quanbeck-Twedt Vows Said At Ceremony In McVille 56

Miss Ardis Quanbeck and Gordon Twedt spoke wedding vows Saturday evening in the New Lutheran Valley Lutheran Church, McVille, N. D. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Quanbeck, McVille, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Knut Twedt, McHenry, N. D.

The Rev. J. T. Quanbeck officiated at the double ring ceremony. The Rev. Paul Ronning gave the sermonette. Mrs. Melvin Hagen played the nuptial music and accompanied the soloists, Mrs. Dennis Rorvig and Mr. Lee Quanbeck.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of Alencon lace and nylon tulle over slipper satin. Her fingertip veil was of silk illusion and was held in place with a lace bonnet. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and feathered carnations.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Kent Quanbeck, sister-in-law of the bride. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Don Miller, Miss Donna Quanbeck, and Mrs. Dale Quanbeck. The maid of honor wore a yellow embroidered taffeta gown and the bridesmaids wore identical gowns in light green. They carried fan arrangements of daisy pompons.

Arthur Twedt, McHenry, was best man and the groomsmen and ushers were Rev. Arthur Rimmerid, Bisbee, N. D., Marcus Twedt,

McHenry, and Lee, Kent and Marvin Quanbeck, all of McVille.

The bride's mother wore a light blue dress with navy accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore dusty rose taffeta with gray lace. They both wore corsages of sweetheart roses and white feathered carnations.

A reception followed in the church parlors. For her wedding trip the bride is wearing an avocado suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage.

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O. J. Thompson Service Today

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Service for Oscar J. Thompson, 67, Griggs County states attorney many years, will be at 2 p. m. today in the Cooperstown Masonic Temple.

The Rev. James Henderson will officiate with Quam Funeral Home in charge.

A native of Cooperstown, Mr. Thompson died here Sunday. He was a past master of the Cooperstown Masonic Lodge.



Thompson

Halling-Dahlberg Vows Announced

The Covenant Church in Minneapolis was the scene of the wedding of Miss Carol Halling to the Rev. David Dahlberg. The bridegroom has been pastor of the church for the past year.

The Rev. Arthur Fretheim, Brookdale Covenant Church in Minneapolis, officiated at the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Thompson of Binford, N. D., and is home economist with Northern State Power Co. in Minneapolis. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dahlberg, New London, Minn.

Attendants were Marilee Thompson, Binford; Mrs. Del Anderson, Chicago and Lois Mackay, Minneapolis. Laurie Dahlberg was flower girl.

The bridegroom was attended by Wellington Nelson, New London; the Rev. David Sandquist, Chicago and the Rev. Jerome Johnson, New London.

The couple left for a trip to Canada and the New England states and will attend a Covenant Young Peoples' Convention in Speculator, N. Y., before returning to Minneapolis to make their home.

ber 3, 1957

Mrs. Torgerson, 74, Binford, Dies

Mrs. Thomas (Anna Marie) Torgerson, 74, Binford, N. D., died in a Cooperstown, N. D., hospital Thursday.

The funeral will be in High Prairie Lutheran Church at Benson Corners at 3 today. The Rev. M. E. Heland will officiate.

Mrs. Torgerson was born Dec. 21, 1882, in Hadeland, Norway. She was married to Mr. Torgerson in LaMoure County, Nov. 28, 1912. He died in 1949.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Leonard (Clara) Long, Nome, N. D.; Mrs. Kenneth (Ruth) Rorvig and Mrs. Monroe (Pearl) Gilbertson, both Binford; a sister, Mrs. Garfield (Mabel) Anderson, LaMoure, N. D.;

Seven brothers, Peter and Emil Lere, Seattle, Louis and Martin of LaMoure, Arthur of Rapid City, S. D., Carl of Jackson, Minn., and Hans of Whittier, Calif., and nine grandchildren.

The body is at Quam Funeral Home, Cooperstown.

Oscar Thompson, Cooperstown, Dies

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Oscar J. Thompson, 67, Griggs County states attorney many years and native of Cooperstown, died here Sunday.

Service will be at 2 Wednesday in the Cooperstown Masonic Temple, the Rev. James Henderson officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Born April 29, 1886, Mr. Thompson was graduated from Cooperstown High School and attended the NDU Law School. Later he was graduated in law from the University of Montana at Missoula and practiced law eight years in Montana.

He married Florence Topping at Delavan, Wis., July 18, 1918. They came to Cooperstown in 1921. He had practiced law here since.

Besides his wife he leaves two sons, John of Minot and James of Cooperstown; a daughter, Mrs. Ray (Carolyn) Pfeifer, Buffalo, N. D.; a brother, T. A. Thompson, Pomona, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Grace Seekins, Los Angeles, and seven grandchildren.

A past master of the Cooperstown Masonic Lodge, Mr. Thompson was a member of Knight of Pythias and was active in civil defense during World War II.

Mrs. Thompson, Cooperstown, Dies

COOPERSTOWN, N. D.—Funeral service for Mrs. Theodore G. (Helga) Thompson, 73, long time resident of this area, will be at 2 Wednesday in the Presbyterian Church, the Rev. James Henderson officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mrs. Thompson became ill at Miles City, Mont., where she was visiting a daughter, Mrs. Earl (Mary Helen) Seekins, and died Saturday. She had planned to go on to Helena, Mont., to visit a son, Kenneth.

Helga M. Hammer was born Oct. 13, 1881, at Lakeville, Minn., and came as a child to the Cooperstown community with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hammer. She was married in June, 1906, to Mr. Thompson who died in 1943.

Surviving besides the son and daughter in Montana are three sisters, Mrs. Anna Cowen, Cooperstown, Mrs. Emma Grangaard, Minneapolis, and Mrs. M. T. Houghton, Evanston, Ill., and three brothers, W. P. and H. G. Hammer of Cooperstown and R. A. Hammer of Cando, N. D. A daughter also preceded her in death.

85 At Tweed Family Reunion Near Binford

Eighty-five persons attended the first family reunion of descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tollef Tweed of Binford, N. D. It was held at the Oscar Tweed farm near Binford.

Attending from outside the Binford area were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Johnson, Miami, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Tweed and Sandra, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. William Thudium and family, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tweed, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wolfgren, Crosby, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tweed, Halstad, Minn.; Mrs. Annie Tweed and Mrs. Adeline Clark, Carrington, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Al Steinke, Bismarck, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Larson, Larimore, N. D., and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tweed, Wimbledon.

The reunion will be held annually in the future with the following officers elected: Mrs. Arnold Sola, Cooperstown, president; Mrs. Al Steinke, Bismarck, vice president; Mrs. Arvid Hedstrom, Tolna, treasurer; Laurence Tweed, Hamar, secretary, and historians, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Frazier, Binford.

Sister To Attend Agnes S. Twedt

Miss Isabel Twedt of McHenry, N. D., will be her sister's maid of honor when Agnes Sylvia Twedt, becomes the bride of Charles Henry Howard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard of Lake Crystal, Minn., Saturday.

Bridesmaids will be Miss Agnes Tweed of Rugby, N. D., and Miss Carol Howard of Lake Crystal, sister of the bridegroom.

Shirley Eidoon of McHenry, cousin of the bride, will be junior bridesmaid, and another cousin, Barbara Solee, of Cooperstown, N. D., will be flower girl.

Mrs. Warren Etchells and Miss Tweed were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in the Etchells home in Minneapolis, and Miss Howard and Mrs. Stanley Childs were hostesses at a shower in the Charles Howard home in Lake Crystal.

A community shower was held in the Gethsemane Lutheran Church near Tolna, N. D., with several hostesses.

BENJAMIN TUFTE

THE loss to Cooperstown and Griggs county of Benjamin Tufte, a resident and leader here during the greater part of its recorded history, is great. Mr. Tufte typified all those rugged virtues which made his race dominant in the up-building of this section. He was a distinct credit to the times, the community and to the profession which he graced.

His name and his reputation is one familiar to everyone in this county, and to many outside. He came to this country with the fundamentals of a splendid education, received in Norway, and after being here for a time entered the University of Minnesota to take up the study of law. Two years after his graduation he came to Cooperstown to establish his practice, a year later being elected states attorney for the first time. He has held that office for several periods.

His reputation as a lawyer exceeds the boundaries of the county. He was a deep student, and his opinions on legal, political and sociological questions were well founded and commanded respect wherever and whenever propounded.

He was honest and sincere and a warm friend to many. His reputation within the legal profession was high.

Mr. Tufte made for himself an honored place in the county's history and all of its residents sincerely mourn his passing.

FRANK TRASK

WHEN word of his passing was known, children cried. It is difficult to write a better eulogy than is contained in those words. They sum up the kind of man who was Frank Trask.

Frank had a great deal more time to visit and make friends than he had to accumulate this world's goods, but his legacy to society today is larger because he chose the former way.

He was a man of eccentricities, but in his bosom beat a heart of purest gold. He was generous to a fault to those more fortunate and more unfortunate than he, and would graciously share his last dime with those in need.

A familiar character in Cooperstown for these many years his presence will be truly missed. Not only by his little friends, whose eyes tears dimmed at his passing, but by most citizens of Cooperstown, to all of whom he was a friend.

Kvaal-Tweed Vows Spoken In Rothsay

Mr. and Mrs. Gilaine Tweed were married in a recent ceremony in Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rothsay, Minn. Mrs. Tweed is the former Donna Kvaal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kvaal, and Mr. Tweed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tweed of Tolna, N. D.

Following an extended trip through the East and South, the couple will be at home in the spring on the bridegroom's farm near Tolna.

Lura-Tweed Vows Are Exchanged

Wedding vows were spoken in Ottawa Lutheran Church recently by Miss Louise Lura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erling Lura of Cooperstown, N. D., and Orville Tweed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tweed of Binford, N. D., The Rev. R. W. Gilbertson of Hannaford, N. D., officiated. Miss Florence Loge was organist and George Vigesaa, soloist.

Mrs. Eugene Schober of Fargo, attended her sister as matron of honor. Mrs. Arnold Sola, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Ralph Olgaard, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. Flower girls were Nancy Larson and Wanda Kay Ellefson. David Sola was ring-bearer.

Arnold Sola attended the bridegroom. Ushers were Paul Tweed and James Lura. Ralph Tweed and Robert Lura were groomsmen.

Upon their return from a trip to the Black Hills and Yellowstone National Park, the bridal couple will be at home on the Oscar Tweed farm.

Mrs. Peter Tang Dies At Age 80

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. — Funeral service for Mrs. Peter (Elizabeth) Tang, 80, longtime resident of Cooperstown, will be at 2 Saturday in Trinity Lutheran Church, the Rev. A. Palmer Tidemann officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Tang died Tuesday.

Elizabeth Loge was born Feb. 13, 1875 at Bryne, Norway. She came to the U. S. in 1902 and was employed in the Cooperstown area. On Feb. 13, 1904, she was married to Mr. Tang. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, the ladies aid and a life member of the Woman's Missionary Federation.

Her husband and a daughter preceded her in death.

She leaves four sons, Arthur of Eugene, Ore., Ernest of Jamestown, N. D., Oscar of Cooperstown and Palmer of Minneapolis, Minn.; two daughters, Mrs. Josephine Rothert and Selma of Cooperstown; one sister in Norway; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Roberta Thorson Maid Of Honor

Miss Joann Grimes has named Miss Roberta Thorson of Fargo as her maid of honor for her wedding Saturday.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo G. Grimes, 410 4th Ave. N., she

will become the bride of Lt. Iryin A. Meyers, son of Mrs. Douglas Martin of Rugby, N. D., in a ceremony in the chapel of the First Methodist Church.

Several showers have been held to honor the bride-elect. Employees of the General Electric Co. in Schenectady, N. Y., where Miss Grimes was employed, entertained at a dinner and presented a group gift.

Mrs. Cynthia Thorson, 1437 12th St. S., and her daughter, Roberta, were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in their home for members of a high school pot luck group.

Mrs. S. N. Gordon, 1006 12th St. N., entertained a group of friends in her home. A group gift was presented to the bride.

Pastor To Be Installed At Hannaford

The Rev. Alexander Thompson of Moorhead will be installed as full time pastor of the Hannaford, N. D., Lutheran parish at 8 p.m. today in Hannaford.

The Rev. A. P. Tidemann, Cooperstown, circuit president, will conduct the installation.

Mr. Thompson, who resides at 1203 3rd Ave. S., Moorhead, has served as interim pastor of the Christine - Hickson Parish of the Evangelical Lutheran Church while attending Concordia College. He formerly was pastor of the Esmond, N. D. parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and some of their eight children will move to Hannaford. Several of the children will attend college here. The family home in Moorhead will be maintained.



Thompson

Rites Friday For William J. Trost

COOPERSTOWN, N. D. — Funeral service for William John Trost, 59, lifelong resident of this area, will be at 2 Friday in Trinity Lutheran Church, the Rev. A. P. Tideman officiating. Quam Funeral Home is in charge.

Mr. Trost died Sunday. He had been ill most of his life. Born at Jessie, N. D., July 10, 1896, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Trost.

He leaves five brothers and a sister, Frederick and Bernard of Jessie, Edward of Hope, N. D., Mrs. Thomas (Sophia) Dahl, Hannaford, N. D., Albert of Wilcox, Neb., and Herman of Seattle.

Rites Wednesday For Mrs. Trelstad

DAZEY, N. D.—Funeral service for Mrs. Louis Trelstad, 65, of rural Dazey, will be at 2 Wednesday in Trinity Lutheran Church, Cooperstown, N. D. The Rev. A. P. Tidemann will officiate with burial at Cooperstown. Quam Funeral Home of Cooperstown is in charge.

Mrs. Trelstad died Saturday in a Cooperstown hospital. Emma Thune was born Jan. 31, 1890, in Griggs County. She was married Dec. 1, 1908 to Mr. Trelstad at Binford, N. D. They farmed in Griggs County a number of years before moving to a farm near Dazey.

Surviving besides Mr. Trelstad are three sons, Carl of West Concord, Minn., Clarence of Sheridan, Ore., and Norris of Dazey; a daughter, Mrs. Fred (Marion) Merseeth, Zumbrota, Minn.; two sisters, Mrs. Ole Knutson, Hannaford, N. D., and Mrs. Oscar Ongstad, Manfred, N. D., and seven grandchildren.