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The Methodists are making arrangements for a rummage sale to take place in the near future.

James White has rented B. R. Watrous's farm, recently vacated by George Travis, and will soon move his family there.

S. E. Sanderson called on Hudson friends Tuesday.—Observer.

Afton.

Richard Siebolds, a respected citizen, passed away at his home last Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock. He had been suffering from diabetes several years until it ended his life at 43 years of age. He had been married twice and had three children by his first wife and four by his last. The funeral service was held Friday, the 18th, at 2 p. m. at the Congregational church.

Rev. Le Roi Tibbits left Afton last Thursday and went to Iowa to take the pastorate of a church. Mr. Allen, a student of Hamline University, will take his place as pastor of the Methodist church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson went to St. Paul and returned last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ann Bennett has been ill at Mr. Davis's, her son-in-law, but is recovering and will be back in a few days.

Rev. Olaf Nelson, of the Swedish Methodist church, will give a series of sermons Sunday evenings on the following themes: God our Father, Christ our Savior, The Holy Ghost our Comforter, Evil Angels, Good Angels, and Man. The first of these was given last Sunday evening. Services are held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 12.

Albert Norton, who formerly lived here and worked for Lammers Bros., was accidentally shot while out hunting at Leech Lake. The bullet broke a thigh bone and he is in a serious condition at the Brainerd hospital. Mr. Norton is a brother of Mrs. Alfred Rich of this city. He died shortly after being taken to the hospital and his remains will be brought to this city for burial.

place and planting cowpeas. will grow heavily by fall, when will be plowed under, and rye will be sown, which will also be plowed when green next spring. This provide a uniform fertilizer for whole place and give a foundation for future work. Next fall the fruit shade trees will be set out, and something will be done as soon as possible that the farm may take the least possible time.

The six acre lot in the center professor Corbett intends to make a of beauty. It will be a park about main buildings, and all around will be planted typical ornamental trees and shrubbery. It will be an object lesson in landscape gardening. Which and shrubs and how to plant what kinds of grass to use for turf and the hundred other things the experiment has taught will be a service of those who aim to beautify and improve their homes.

As a central experiment plant the great farm will have its highest value. The state agricultural stations are not able to maintain such farms, and to this national one the horticulturists will be able to come in soft of postgraduate course in study of their science. Within its confines they will find the most extensive variety and largest collection of trees in America, and this will include the small fruits, grapes, currants, gooseberries, etc.

A principal feature will be experiments in the cultivation of every fruit or vegetable now imported from foreign countries with a view to determining what can be raised here and the method of cultivation. This branch will include vegetables of all kinds, fruits, hops, muskmelons, watermelons, squashes, grasses, forage crops and imported cereals, such as wheat and corn, etc.

The cultivation of fruit and experiments to discover what are the best of each variety will be studied. The value of fertilizers and cross fertilization will also be studied. Culture tests will be made of such crops as are planted cover the ground after cereals have been reaped, such as vetches, clover and new leguminous plants.

The farm will be devoted exclusively to horticultural demonstrations and experiments. Within five to seven years it will be complete.

The Coatless Man.

The shirt waist is all right, says Slater (Mo.) Rustler. It is practically the garment long ago adopted by men and boys who preferred comfort to style, and it gives the clerk and business man an opportunity to keep

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