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Horses! Horses!

HORSES!

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Of the firm of Hammel & Co, has purchased another carload of horses, which arrived the latter part of May, at the Pioneer House Barn. Call and see them.

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JOS. VEVERKA.

FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON.

Pine City and Hinckley Base Ball Teams Cross Bats on Sunday, June 11, at Hinckley.

On Sunday last fifteen of the ball players and fans boarded the 10:54 train for Hinckley to see the home team play the first game of the season. The weather threatening rain kept a great many at home who would have gone up had it been a fine day, but those who did go were amply repaid for the time and money they spent. The game was called at 1:20, and Pine City went to bat and got a goose-egg. In Hinckley's half they got one score. In the second inning Pine City made three scores, and Hinckley got shut out. In the third inning Pine City got three and Hinckley three. In the fourth Pine City got three more, one being a home run by Peter O'Brien. In this inning Hinckley also got a goose-egg.

In the fifth and sixth innings Pine City was shut out, not a single man reaching the initial base. In the fifth Hinckley got three scores, but in the sixth and seventh Pine City served them with two ciphers, in the seventh the home team lit on to the Hinckley twirlers for four runs. In the eighth Pine City got another goose egg, and Hinckley made two scores, which finished the run getting for the Hinckley ball tossers. In the ninth the home team got four more.

The features of the game were the double play of M. Hurley twice, and the putting out of Newton by Will Hurley, while running from second to third. Following is the score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Hinckley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pine City	0	3	3	2	0	0	4	0	4

Stanchfield—Newton. Newton—Carrier. Lambert—Glasow. Edwards—Lambert.

—G. A. Carlson, of Rush City, has the largest and finest stock of Clothing, Dress Goods, Ladies' and Gent's Furnishings, Carpets, Rugs, and in fact everything that comprises a first-class dry goods stock, which he is selling at great bargains. Do not go to the cities to buy before you look over his stock and get prices.

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WHOPPING COUGH.

I had a little boy who was nearly dead from an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did not think that any medicine would help him, but after giving him a few doses of that remedy I noticed an improvement, and one box cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house.—J. L. Moore, South Berestown Pa. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge, Druggist, Pine City, Minn.

Drowned at Mora.

James Edwin Guy, who was drowned in the Snake river about a half mile east of the bridge that spans the river one mile south of Mora, a week ago last Wednesday, June 7, 1899, was born at Bennington, Minn., 1873, and was therefore in the 26th year of his age. He came with his parents to Rock Creek in 1885, and lived there until moving to this place about a year ago. He was a fine young man, beloved by all who knew him. He left this place on the early morning train Wednesday, and proceeded straight to Mora, where he went to get a position on the log drive. He was accompanied by Will McCormack who sent the telegram conveying the sad news of his death to his loving father and mother.

His parents were both opposed to his going away on the drive, his mother following him down to the gate, entreating him not to go, but he would not be reasoned with, and went at the above mentioned time, and did not even get a chance to put in a day's work, as he was drowned while trying to cross the river to the wagon, in order to hire out.

The funeral was held from the Presbyterian Church at this place, with interment at the Rush Saba cemetery, where he was buried by the side of his sister, Mrs. Cary Enos, who died a little over a year ago.

The PIONEER extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

GOOD-BYE.
The mother sending forth her child
To meet with cares and strife,
Breathes through her tears, her doubts and fears.
For the loved one's future life,
No cold "adieu," no "farewell" lives
Within her choking sigh,
But the deeper sob of anguish gives
God bless thee, boy, go, do—
—MARY GARBER.

Two Weeks More.

There remains but two weeks more for you to reply to the offer made by the International Drug & Chemical Co., of Boston, on their remedies, "Berlin Discovery." After the time is up the medicines will be sold as other medicines, at one dollar per bottle, take it—or leave it, with no guarantee and no forfeit. The object of the company in pledging itself to cure some dozen different diseases or present their patients with a watch or diamond ring, was to awaken interest, and induce people to take hold of the remedies quickly. The plan has worked like a charm all over the country. Orders are pouring into the Boston office by thousands every week. "Berlin Discovery" does great work. The formulas are the latest, most thorough and practical of anything now being used or prescribed by the best physicians. If "Berlin Discovery" doesn't cure, no medicine on earth will cure.

They Make it a Holiday.

The excursion advertised by the St. Paul & Duluth Railroad for the 17th it seems will be more of an affair than most people realize. The many roads running to the Head of the Lakes are all advertising a very low rate from all points on their systems. Elaborate preparations for the reception and entertainment of the guests are being made by the people of Superior, where the principal attractions for the day will take place, among which will be a free stamboat ride around the harbor and on Lake Superior, Baseball and Athletic games, but the feature of most interest to visitors will be the launching of the big steel stamboat, "John Smeaton," now being built at the Superior yards of the American Steel Barge Company. A Special train has been secured to take the visitors around the city to see the industries.

The streets will be fittingly decorated, and committees will see that everybody has comfortable quarters both day and night.

Midsummer Social Club dances—Pine City—Friday evening, June 23.

BROOK PARK.

The bridge crew have arrived. The barber shop has a new sign. L. H. Williams was doing the city of Pine a few days ago.

R. Hoiland has been making some needed repairs to his residence.

Miss Bertha Bellknap, of Minneapolis, is visiting her uncle S. L. Myers. Mrs. Forkey, of Grand Forks, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Boucher. A man from the Twin cities is talking of starting a hotel in this village.

Miss Roger, of Mora, was visiting Mrs. William Woodbeck one day last week.

The shrill voice of the "Bob White" (known as the quail) is to be heard around this place.

The editor of the Pine County Courier was making the grand rounds one day last week.

The engineers have set the stakes for the foundation of the water tank to be erected at this place.

During the past week Seymour Bros., have been doing quite a business in handling fresh meats.

The closing exercises of our school took place last Friday night. It was a swell affair for Brook Park.

There are quite a number of men in this locality looking upland, with a view of making Pine county their future home.

Our post master has a fine display of fancy goods in his window. We are in duty bound to give Mrs. B. the credit of it.

Chester Gorman had his head badly lacerated by a stone falling from a moving train, while he was at work near the bridge east of town.

Building and repairing houses has been all the rage for the past few days, and our happy blacksmith has fallen in line and has his nearly completed.

Our genial operator, Mr. Parson, has several new instruments in his office, which he will use as soon as the wires are up to Snake river, which will be in a few days now.

Clark Kelsey boarded the morning train Friday for Minneapolis. He is on his way to his home in South Dakota. He thinks the air of Pine county very invigorating, and he may return to make Brook Park his home.

Of Interest to Inventors.

C. A. Snow & Co., one of the oldest and most successful firms of patent lawyers, whose offices are opposite the United States Patent Office in Washington, D. C., and who have procured patents for more than 17,000 inventors, say that owing to the improved conditions in the United States Patent Office, patents may now be more promptly procured than at any previous time in their experience of twenty-five years.

Grand Excursion to West Superior and Duluth, June 17.

Upon the occasion of the launching of the grain carrier "John Smeaton" at Superior, June 17th and the Grand Military Parade in honor of Secretary Alger at Duluth at 10 a. m. the same day. The St. Paul & Duluth railroad will sell excursion tickets from Pine City, to Duluth or West Superior and return for \$2.00. Tickets on sale June 16th, and 17th, good returning June 18th. In addition to the launching the citizens of Superior will give two free excursions on the steamer "Bon Voyage" about the harbor and on Lake Superior, base ball game, grand wrestling match at ball grounds by the world's champions, Hall Adli, Carkeek Cannon and McMillan.—Exhibition run by Superior Fire Department and free special train to the factories and shops by the terminal railway company. Remember the date, June 17th, and call upon local agents St. Paul & Duluth railroad for full details regarding tickets and limits.

C. E. STONE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Farm wanted—Send full particulars, price etc. at once. A. H. Russel, Akron, O.



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This happened to Maud Muller, but our Prices on

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Quite likely the seed to produce this tree may not yet have been planted even. Select a corner of your garden or orchard for a seedling nursery, and plant seed of the hardiest varieties of apples. You will find the work of growing and testing seedlings an interesting one, and it promises much for the future of pomology in the northwest.

For full particulars as to the Horticultural Society, Fruit List for 1899, terms of membership, premiums offered, sample copy of its monthly publication, etc., address

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INSURGENTS DRIVE OUT

The American Troops Clear Out the Country South of Manila to Paranaque.

LAWTON'S ADVANCE A GREAT SUCCESS.

The Hardest Fighting Our Army Has Seen Ends in the Capture of Important Coastal Towns - Filipino Provs That They Are Skilled in the Art of Fighting.

Manila, June 12.—The Filipino occupation of the province of Cavite has been broken and, as the result of the present movements, the Americans are to control the important coastal towns of Paranaque and Las Pinas, while a long line of insurgent trenches facing our south line has been cleared.

Artful Dodgers.
The insurgents have again proved their facility as dodgers. Between 2,500 and 4,000 warriors, who seemed destined to be captured, having disappeared, the majority sliding away under cover of the night, after fighting the Americans all day. Some others came to meet our troops, with protestations of friendship.

Our Losses.
The Thirtieth Infantry lost one man killed and six wounded; the Ninth Infantry, one man killed and five wounded; the Fourteenth Infantry, three wounded; and the First Colorado volunteer regiment, 11 wounded.

Saturday's work was the hardest our army has seen. The battle stretched out across the entire isthmus, from Laguna de Bay to the harbor. While the troops were advancing, the army guns opened up, and the firing was unrelenting, the enemy killing several of them. The monitor *Monadnock* and the gunboat *Helena* shelled Paranaque and Las Pinas all day with the full power of their batteries. Capt. Henry Nichols, commander of the *Monadnock*, died from the effects of a sunstroke.

Stripped to the Waist.
The whole country is to be a succession of small hills, with boggy ground between the high, thick grass, and bushes in the hollows, which greatly aided to the success of the advance, but gave shelter that saved many from the enemy's bullets. Our men threw away their blankets, coats and even bayonets, stripping to the waist and trusting to their luck for food. Water could not be obtained, and there was much discomfort after the cantons were emptied.

Losses of the Enemy.
So far as can yet be ascertained the Filipino loss is about 50 killed, about 250 wounded, and 2,000 taken prisoner. The whole country is networked with trenches, and the enemy secured from trains to shelter.

Tuesday long trains of commissary wagons are carrying provisions to the United States troops along the road, which only Saturday was the strongest of the army. It is reported that on Saturday were probably carrying guns and other military stores, and were now doffing their hats and groveling before the Americans with effusive greetings of welcome.

The Colorado regiment returned to barracks in Manila Sunday. As the rugged and dusty men marched past the Luneta, the men were greeted and placed for Manila, they were heartily cheered.

Old Reports.
Washington, June 12.—The war department on Sunday received a report from Maj. Gen. Otis, of the military movement Saturday to the south of Manila for the purpose of clearing out the rebels in that section. It shows that the movement was a great success, and that the enemy's resistance was much greater than stated in the press dispatches. Gen. Otis' cablegram is as follows:

"I have June 11.—Terrible heat yesterday did not permit troops to reach positions on the morning of the 12th. The force of the insurgents to escape in scattered organizations south and westward, which they effected during the evening. Heavy rain prevented further movement. Our troops resting today at Las Pinas and Paranaque. No further advances are made along shore by day, but many important detachments retired in that direction, preceded by women and children, whom they drove along with them. Our loss four killed and some wounded. Reports of casualties later. Conservative estimate of enemy's loss about 50."

Post Office Reformers Outraged.
Paris, Ill., June 12.—Deputy United States Marshal Tripp on Saturday arrested J. S. Richards, aged 14, Henry Averill, 16, and Arthur H. Haggard, 18, charged with robbing the post office at Peru, Ill. The boys confessed and will be tried in the United States court at Chicago.

Caval Commissioners.
Washington, June 10.—President McKinley has named the commissioners who are to determine the most feasible and practical route for a canal across the Isthmus of Panama, Admiral Walker being at the head.

New President Chosen.
Philadelphia, June 10.—At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad Friday afternoon J. A. Cassatt, of this city, was elected president to succeed the late E. F. Johnson.

Loss of a Veteran.
Boston, June 10.—Gen. Leonard Wood, military governor of Santiago province, has been killed by a bullet across the forehead in order that he may bring his family back to the United States.

Eight-Ten Years.
Boston City, June 10.—Annual Robert's club that killed his wife and her mother, Mrs. George Lewis, and then shot his own brains through the forehead was the case.

THE VICTIMS OF WAR.

Surgeon General Sternberg Says 5,418 Soldiers Died of Sickness and 908 in Battle.

Columbo, O., June 9.—Thursday was the big day of the American Medical association convention. The interest centered in the presence of Surgeon General Sternberg, of the United States army. Gen. Sternberg was accorded the closest attention and he was warmly applauded. The subject of his address was "Sanitary Lesson of the War." He said in part:

"It is well known to sanitarians and military surgeons that as a general rule more soldiers succumb to disease than are killed by the bullets of the enemy. In the present war has not been an exception in this regard. The total number of deaths reported on our army, including reserves, was 6,326, as follows: Of these 5,418 died of disease, injuries, or accidents. During the civil war the number of deaths from disease was 188,000. Of these 120,000 were due to battle or the effect of wounds, or about one-half of the deaths from disease. The number of deaths from disease in the present war is about 5,400, and in the confederate army during the same period, 112,000."

ON THE BALL FIELD.

How the Clubs Stand in the National and Western Leagues in the Championship Races.

The following table shows the number of games won and lost and the percentage of the clubs of the National and Western leagues up to date.

Club	Wins	Losses	Per Cent.
Brooklyn	11	7	60.9
Cleveland	10	6	62.5
Chicago	9	5	64.3
Philadelphia	8	4	66.7
Pittsburgh	7	3	70.0
St. Louis	6	2	75.0
St. Paul	5	1	83.3
Washington	4	0	100.0
Los Angeles	3	0	100.0
San Francisco	2	0	100.0
San Diego	1	0	100.0
Western league	1	0	100.0
St. Paul	1	0	100.0
Detroit	1	0	100.0
Indianapolis	1	0	100.0
Pittsburgh	1	0	100.0
Washington	1	0	100.0
Columbus	1	0	100.0
Kansas City	1	0	100.0

PAID THE PENALTY.

Four Murderers Die on the Gallows in Various Places for the Taking of Human Life.

Lancaster, Pa., June 8.—Ralph W. Wireback, the murderer of D. B. Landis, was hanged here yesterday.

Princeton, Mo., June 8.—Peter Kindred, who had been convicted of murdering Mercer on February 1, 1898, was hanged here.

Bethany, Mo., June 8.—Freeman Godwin, who killed George Stanbrough in 1897, was hanged here.

Westchester, Pa., June 8.—Jonas Preston, Jr. (colored), was hanged here for the murder of his wife in February, 1898.

DEATH OF A JOURNALIST.

Philadelphia, June 8.—Vincent McLaughlin, publisher and editor of the Philadelphia Times and one of the best known men in this city, died at two o'clock this (Thursday) morning. Mr. McLaughlin was 34 years of age and succeeded to the ownership of the paper on the death of his father, Frank McLaughlin, about 18 months ago. Mr. McLaughlin has been suffering for several months from pulmonary tuberculosis, and he died at his home here, where he was married. He leaves a wife and two children.

INURED IN A WEEK.

Kansas City, Mo., June 10.—Forty-seven passengers were more or less seriously injured, three perhaps fatally, by the derailment of train No. 4, south bound, on the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad, three miles south of Grandview, Mo., at 9:30 Thursday night. The passenger train, which was running at a slow rate of speed, on account of bad condition of track, occasioned by heavy rains.

Tragedy in Colorado.
Gaines City, Colo., June 8.—Samuel Roberts shot and killed his wife and her mother, Mrs. George Lewis, and then blew out his own brains at the home of his mother-in-law. Mr. Roberts and his wife, who had been married about 18 months, had recently separated, and it is understood Roberts killed his mother-in-law for his troubles.

Monument to Fred Douglas.
Rochester, N. Y., June 10.—Rochester paid homage Friday to the memory of Frederick Douglass, who, dying in Washington February 20, 1895, was buried in this city, of which he had long been a resident. The occasion was the dedication of a monument to him.

A Fertile Fate.
Waterloo, Ia., June 9.—Mrs. Samuel C. Walker was killed Thursday morning in a runaway at Cedar River park. Driving with two daughters, she was frightened, throwing all out. Mrs. Walker's hair caught in a wheel almost severing the entire scalp from the head.

Spanish Prisoners.
Madrid, June 10.—According to advices received here from Manila twenty-five of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos are dead, and of the survivors more than 200 are sick and starving.

Can Import Skilled Labor.
Milwaukee, June 8.—The United States court of appeals handed down a decision holding the alien laws to apply solely to common laborers, excepting clerks and all kinds of skilled workers.

Honored.
New York, June 8.—At the one hundred and forty-ninth anniversary meeting yesterday of Columbia university, which the honor society had organized, Mr. Bennett and Carl Seeger, college president, were honored.

College President Resigns.
Springfield, Ill., June 9.—Dr. John B. Bradley has resigned as president of Illinois college, and will be succeeded by Dr. Bennett to take effect January 1, 1900.

HONORS FOR DEWEY.

Entire Nation Will Unite in Welcoming the Brave Admiral.

The People to Present Him with a Beautiful Residence to Be Erected in the Home City.

(Special Washington Letter.)

Admiral Dewey is coming home on the first-rate protected cruiser Olympia. He will take several months to make the trip, because it is a trip for recreation, for health and for business trip. He has earned a right to four months of leave; and the American people would probably vote him perfect leisure for the remainder of his lifetime. If he desired it, the Spring of the "first-rate protected cruiser" reminds us that, outside of men of the navy, probably few people understand what are meant by the terms "battleship," "armored cruiser," "protected cruiser" and "gun vessel," or "gunboat," as used in describing types and classes of naval vessels. They are not strictly limited in their scope of significance. Generally speaking the term "battleship" is applied to a type or class of vessels which are protected by its heavy armor and armed with its heavy guns as they can be on a given displacement and at the same time have sufficient flotation to enable them to carry machinery powerful enough to drive them at a fair speed usually about 12 knots per hour, with a good supply of coal and stores.

The "armored cruiser" is a vessel also protected by armor and having its guns mounted on armor or shields. The essential difference between battleships and armored cruisers is that in the latter the armor is much thinner and the guns are lighter and the hull of the ship itself is much more highly protected for greater speed, and also has

already scores of real estate agents

"HOMEBARD BOUND."
I have begun besieging the committee, offering sites and complete houses; and each of them expects to profit by the law. The law is to be passed in the vicinity of the Dewey residence will immediately increase in value.

One member of the committee today said: "We have decided to receive and file all these applications, but we will not buy or build until the admiral arrives. The value of many parcels owned already completed, but we will buy and give him the deed. If he wants a suburban place near Arlington, or on the Maryland Heights, we will buy such ground as he indicates, and build such a house as may meet with his approval. We are simply the custodians of the money, machinery, magazines and the larger part of the coal bunkers. The thickness of the protective deck varies in different ships, but usually is about four inches thick on the slopes and about one and one-half to two inches thick on the flat or horizontal part."

A gunboat, or gun vessel, is simply an armed steamer of comparatively small dimensions, with no protection on its hull, but usually is water-tight deck of ordinary ship plate, which is worked over the boilers, machinery and magazines.

Under each of the above heads there are again wide diversities of type and model. In most navies battleships are divided into two, or sometimes three, classes. The first class are the largest, and the first-rate being represented by such ships as the Indiana, Iowa and Oregon, and the five new ones now building and also the three new ones just contracted for; the second rate being represented at present only by the Texas. Armored cruisers are similarly classified. At present we have but two armored cruisers, strictly speaking, in our navy, the Dolphin and Brooklyn. Protected cruisers are also classified in most navies into three different rates. Under the French rating we have only two rates, the first-rate being the Columbia and Minneapolis are the only protected cruisers we have which would be classed as water-tights in the British navy. The Olympia, which is the next largest, would be rated as a second-class protected cruiser in the British navy. She is generally considered a first-rate protected cruiser by our naval authorities.

The tendencies of more recent design is to reduce the displacement while the armor and speed, in the latter the armored cruiser type. It is to be noted in the design of battleships within the last two or three years naval architects have reduced the thickness and weight of armor and also the number of the guns and increased the engine power and speed, in the latter the armored cruiser type. It is to be noted in the design of battleships within the last two or three years naval architects have reduced the thickness and weight of armor and also the number of the guns and increased the engine power and speed, in the latter the armored cruiser type.

Injustice of Fate.
"A man can't do much without money," and when he has money he doesn't need to do anything."—Uncle Sam's Enquirer.

She Merely Retained.
Paterfamilias—Nelly, I want an account of the party that I saw you kiss young Johnson this evening.

Nelly—Well, papa, he kissed me first, I return his kiss.

Don't Swear!
"Don't swear, don't swear, don't swear," the anxious doctor said.

And promptly fell dead.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Climate and Crop Bulletin.

Except in Kilton county there have been very heavy rains during the showers, which fell for the most part on May 30th and June 2d. There was hail in many sections, but it was severe only in few limited areas, in which many grains, fruits and vegetables were badly injured. In the Red River valley the wet weather of previous weeks has retarded work so that all the barley, oat, fax and potatoes are not yet planted. In other sections on the high lands small grains are growing very vigorously, and in some places they are too heavy. Barley is beginning to shoot in Waubesa county, and winter wheat and winter rye are heading. The wet weather has made some corn look badly, but it has prevented cultivation, so that the weeds are getting a strong hold. Potatoes are growing fast. Fruit prospects are good, but there will be little wild fruit.

Adulterated Lard.
Through the efforts of the state dairy and food department it is now improbable that the use of adulterated lard, in the manufacture of bread, hard biscuits and crackers, may be done without the department finding out. The American biscuit company was using adulterated lard in making its product, and an investigation revealed the fact that a large quantity of the stuff was being sold under the name of "compound lard." This is strictly in violation of the law which specifies that such lard must be labeled "adulterated" or "substitute. It is as much against the law to use this stuff as it is to sell it, and the American Biscuit company at Minneapolis was fined \$25. The manager of the company assured the department that the law would be strictly complied with in the future.

Section 16 and 36.
Legal proceedings will at once be instituted by the state against the interior department at Washington enjoining the secretary from issuing patents to land in section 16 and 36 of Indian reservations. This was the decision reached by State Auditor Dunn, Attorney General Douglas and ex-Auditor General Childs at a recent conference, and resulted from the determination of the Washington department that the two sections in every township for school purposes did not apply to land situated in the Red Lake Indian reservation. The state demands the right to dispose of these lands under the laws of the state, and the organization of the state government out of the Territory of Minnesota. The department of the interior means the loss of a million and a half of dollars to the school fund of the state.

Postal Notes.
The postoffice department has authorized the allowance of three carriers and 21 letter-boxes to the postoffice at Crookston. Carriers go into effect Oct. 1. W. T. Cooper has been awarded a contract of \$820 to carry the mail from Cooperville to Horton.

Annual Examination.
Pursuant to orders issued by adjutant General Lambert, the national guard of the state will go into camp at Lake City as follows: Second regiment, Col. Blodgett, June 22 to July 1; Third regiment, Col. Van Duzee, July 5 to July 17; First artillery, Maj. Lobb, July 17 to July 26; Fourth regiment, Col. Hamlin, July 17 to July 26. There has been no encampment for two years and the great majority of the men are so rusty that this year will be strangers the place and service.

A Savage Roar.
The one-and-a-half-year-old son of C. C. Fowler, living four miles west of Danvers, was killed by a peculiar animal. While playing in the yard he was assailed by a big Plymouth Rock rook, which punctured the boy's scalp twice with his beak and then left one of them imbedded in the skull in the back part of the head. The injuries are proving quite serious for the little one.

News in Brief.
An attempt is to be made by the directors of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce to have the government monthly crop report abolished. An effort will be made to interest the Chicago board of trade in the matter.

The next Minnesota conference of farmers and corporations will be held at Duluth, Sept. 6, 7 and 8. The attendance is expected to be large.

Three thousand six hundred acres under contract to supply beef to the St. Louis Park factory, and the beefs are already up on half the acreage. Many farmers are getting more than contracted. The company expects to erud about 45,000 tons of beefs. They will run the factory about 125 days.

The 3-year-old son of Mr. Swenson, of Tilt, was seriously if not fatally injured while playing with matches.

J. S. Hillier, of Duluth, has secured English capitalists to finance the Alice mine in the Seine river country. During the past school year 31,519 scholars were enrolled in St. Paul with a daily average attendance of 18,398.

The board will meet at St. Paul on June 20 to consider the question of a state organization.

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THE IMPERATIVE MANDATE.

He struts around about the farm and plans what he will do...

The next year after that, he says, he'll show 'em he'll blow up the garden patch and the...

That Beard of Thompson's

By Auguste Prescott

IT WAS just like that terrible O'Toole to come out in his blundering way...

Now, in the course of that earlier volume of this history of Thompson's beard...

He was not the sort of a man, however, to let the experience of his animal spirits become mingled with those that inebriate...

On reaching the street into which the Carsons had just moved, he began to smile to himself...

Now, thought Thompson, "here's a chance to surprise the boys. I'll place the door and go and sit down quietly in her reception room..."

wonder where I've dropped from. Great deal!"

"Eli!" he heard, sounding in a masculine voice from the next landing...

"My name is Thompson," the innocent intruder began.

That really sealed poor Thompson's lips. He did not want to tell this police inspector all about his innocent little plot for surprising the Carsons.

But, after a moment's reflection, he had neglected to shave his newly-revised hair, hoping that that beard would quickly reappear...

ONE ON CEBELI! SLICK BURGLAR, CAUGHT IN THE ACT, SAYS HE IS 'MIL' THOMPSON"

"Now, what is a man to do in a case like this?" Thompson pitifully asked his friend who had laid 'il him out.

FARM GARDEN HANDY POST LIFTER

During the slack of work I have been doing some fine building, changing the boundaries of a large field...

UNIQUE FLOUR SCOOP

Many a unique and serviceable device for lightening the household work can be made at home...

IDEAL FLOUR SCOOP. Shown cut, which will delight any housewife...

INTENSIVE FARMING. A Few Acres Well Cultivated Are Better Than a Large Farm Superficially Tilled.

FACTS FOR FARMERS. It is rarely safe to risk going through the summer without a good forage crop.

Making Sweet Soap Grease. In many farmhouses all the scraps of fat are saved and mixed...

WHEN TO CUT HAY. No Rule Can Be Laid Down That Will Not Be Subject to Important Modifications.

As a general proposition it is best to cut hay just as it is blooming; but this rule may be subject to modification...

THE UNITED STATES A POWER FOR GOOD. A distinguished historian writes, with referring to the past...

A Dainty Summer Bath. For a refreshing summer bath use soft water. Make a dozen or more these cloth baes...

An Irritating Phrase. "Are you seriously ill?" asked the well-meaning friend...

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Whiskers Dyed. Natural Black by Buckingham's Dye. Price 50 cents of all druggists or R. H. & Co., N. Y. N. Y.

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Agents: THE DEWEY CO., 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Pine City, Minn., May 1, 1899. To the Residents and Property Owners of Pine City: Notice is hereby given that before June 1st, 1899, all filth that is a public nuisance, or deleterious to health shall be buried, buried or removed to the village 'dumping ground' continued in the same place as last year—i. e.—between the Railway right of way and the Fairgrounds—south side of the road only.

The fact of the existence of any infectious or contagious disease of domestic animals should be immediately reported to the local health officer.

By order of the Board of Health. E. E. BARNUM, Health Officer.

Rules of the State Board of Health Prohibiting the Keeping of Swine at Slaughter Houses.

After April 1, 1898, no hogs shall be permitted to be kept or fed at or about slaughter houses, nor shall the offal from slaughter houses be fed to hogs. These rules are established.

1.—To prevent the transmission of certain infectious diseases to mankind.

2.—To prevent the spread of certain infectious diseases among animals.

3.—To avoid the creation of a public nuisance.

H. M. BRACKEN, Sec. and Executive Officer. Approved and adopted Jan. 11, '98.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right limb until he was unable to walk. After using one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was able to be about again. I can heartily recommend it to persons suffering from rheumatism.—JOHN SIDER, Freed, Calhoun county, W. Va. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge, Druggist, Pine City.

FARM FOR SALE.

We have for sale a farm three and one-half miles from the postoffice, seven acres under cultivation, 12 acres of good hay meadow as in this part of the state, and sixty-one acres of good timber land. This is a snap for anyone wishing a good farm near this village. For further particulars, apply at this office.

—Having been appointed General Agent for Pine County for the "HOUSEHOLD" SEWING MACHINE, I can offer you the lowest prices and the best of terms. There is no better Sewing Machine made than the Household. Every machine warranted for ten years. Sold on monthly payments.

F. E. SMITH, Hardware Store.

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My Wife had used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable.

W. J. CUYLER, Red Creek, N. Y. Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading citizens of this village, and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.—W. G. PHIPPIN, editor Red Creek Herald. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge, Pine City.

United States Map, 15c. A copy of our handsome map, 4 1/2 x 7 inches, printed in four colors and mounted on a roller, will be sent to any address on receipt of 15c. in coin, postal or express money order. We cannot sell newspaper stamps. GEO. F. LYMAN, General Passenger Agent C. & N. R. R., St. Paul, Minn.

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SUEAN SHEARER, Pine City, Minn.

Nursery Stock For Sale.

If intending to plant any trees or plants the coming spring, you will save money and get No. 1 stock by buying from Geo. W. Strand, Taylors Falls Minn. Write for prices on any nursery stock desired. Strawberries, 75 cents per 100; Raspberries \$1.00 per 100; Apple-trees, \$1.50 per dozen.

Nobody need have Nostrils.—Get Dr. Miles' Pain Balm from druggists. "Ointment is a dose."

Dr. Cady's Condition cures are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are good food, but medicinal, and also use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 25 cents per package. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge & Co.

DON'T BLEED! We call for trade marks. We call for trade marks. We call for trade marks.

For Sale. Imported English shire Stallion, for sale cheap. Inquire of A. H. Lambert, Pine City, Minn.

First publication June 2, 99. 11 Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

State of Minnesota, ss. County of Pine. In Probate Court, Special Term, May 27th, 1899.

In the matter of the Estate of Emily J. Stone Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Emily J. Stone deceased late of the county of Pine and state of Minnesota, being granted to Lizzie E. Breckenridge. It is ordered that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of the granting of the said letters of probate court of said county, for examination and allowance of the foregoing claims and demands.

And it is further ordered that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing the order on a in each week for three successive weeks in the Pine County Pioneer, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Pine City the 27th day of May, A. D. 1899. E. VEENHOVEN, Judge of Probate.

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