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 Pine City, - - Minnesota.

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 Soft drinks constantly on hand. Ice cream every Sunday.

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I have just added to my stock a first-class and complete line of Groceries, which I will sell as Cheap as the Cheapest.

JOS. VEVERKA.

future, such drawbacks to trade will be done away with, as President McKinley will insist that the United States be given every commercial advantage possessed by the "most favored nation."

"Corporal" Tanner, who has been personally intimate with Secretary Alger for twenty years, said, while discussing Gen. Alger's record and his resignation which takes effect next week: "Whatever measure of failure could be charged to him as secretary of War—and, in my opinion, it is not by one thousand degrees as great as many seem to think—is justly more chargeable to the system in vogue at the War Department, that of bureaucracy and divided responsibility, than to Alger. The historian who sums up Alger's career dispassionately with full knowledge of events, must put him down as a truly great man. He will be known as a man who fell a victim to the infamous assaults of sensationalism. In all the great crises in the history of this government, there has been developed a selfish side in the nature of the American people. This quality, when things do not go to suit the crowd, makes them demand a human sacrifice. They want to read and hear. I speak with full knowledge and memory of the days when a portion of the press lampooned Abraham Lincoln as a baboon and clown, and derided Gen. Grant as a drunkard and butcher."

Mr. E. N. Higgins, of Columbus, Ohio, who is always posted on the politics of his state, said: "This will be a Republican year in Ohio. We will elect our state ticket by at least fifty thousand plurality. The democrats haven't a ghost of a chance, and would have, even if they were not split into factions. No man the democrats can put up will be able to defeat Judge Nash. He is not only strong in his own right, but the popularity of President McKinley will bring out a very full vote in the coming election. Our people are enjoying a satisfactory measure of prosperity, and that makes the average republican very well pleased to continue to cast his ballot for the party of his choice."

Assistant Secretary Vanderlipp, of the Treasury, thinks that the Dewey Home Fund, which now amounts to about \$15,000, will reach to at least \$100,000 by the time the Admiral reaches the United States. He thinks there are quite a number of persons who will soon make large contributions. Treasurer Roberts and other members of the committee are equally confident.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24, 99.—In selecting Hon. Elihu Root, of New York, to succeed Gen. Alger as Secretary of War President McKinley has added another to the long list of appointments he has made that even his opponents cannot criticize. Mr. Root's reputation as a lawyer stands second to that of no man in the country. And it was for that reason he was chosen. President McKinley wanted the best lawyer he could find at the head of the War Department to handle the legal questions that are constantly arising in connection with the military government of our new possessions, and which are likely to be still more numerous and more complicated in the near future. He will get him in Mr. Root. No change in the Philippine policy is foreshadowed by the change in the head of the War Department. The organization of the volunteer regiments is being pushed with great rapidity—already more than four thousand men have enlisted—and the ten regiments are expected to be completed by the middle of August, and on their way to Manila very soon after that date, as present plans are to have them all over there by the close of the rainy season, so that a campaign aggressive enough to crush out the revolt before the next rainy season rolls around can be waged.

For the benefit of Mrs. McKinley's health, which continues to be poor, the President will take her to Lake Champlain near Plattsburg, N. Y. How long they will remain there will depend on the amount of benefit Mrs. McKinley may derive. There will be no delay to any public business of importance, by this vacation, as the President will be connected with the White House by long distance telephone, and will be able to give the same attention to important business that he does while in Washington, and all matters requiring immediate attention will be disposed of before his departure.

The war with Spain abrogated all treaties with the United States and the treaty of peace, which ended the war, does not deal with commercial matters. Consequently, United States trade with Spain is now more or less handicapped. For instance, Consul Sprenger, at Gibraltar, has just called the attention of the Department of State to the existence of a differential duty of two pesetas—a fraction more than thirty-eight cents—between United States and British goods entering Spain, in favor of the British goods. The Consul added: "The matter is of some importance, as at present American flour can under-sell other foreign importations in this line." When a new commercial treaty is negotiated with Spain, as one doubts will be in the near

WANTED.

Live correspondents in every neighborhood in the county, to send news regularly to THE PIONEER. Write to or call on us for stamps, stationery, and general information.

LIST OF PATENTS

Granted to Minnesota inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.:

T. P. Flynn, St. Cloud, cartridge-loading machine; C. P. Gostinger, Duluth, rail-joint; P. Henretty, Belgrade, water wheel; C. N. McLaughlin, Winona, corn sheller; C. Moulton, Minneapolis, honey box machine.

For copy of any of the above patents, send ten cents in postage stamps, with date of this paper, to C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

WHOOPIING 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 bottle cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house.—J. L. Moore, South Bergetstown, Pa. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge, Druggist, Pine City, Minn.

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JAMES C. POSE,
 Gen'l. Pass. Agt.,
 Milwaukee, Wis.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

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. CURRY, Red Creek, N. Y.

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

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

My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right leg 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 SNIDER, Freed, Calhoun county, W. Va. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge, Druggist, Pine City.

List of Letters,

Remaining unclaimed in the post office at Pine City, Minn., for month ending May 31st, 1899.

LETTERS.

Lumber, Miss Louise Krueger, Barham, OSTEENEN.
 Lager Rev. Geo. Benson, E. Eng.
 Beach, Fred Y. Lakeland, Chas.
 Davidson, Arvid Melbye, Dr. C. H.
 Terwilliger, C. H. Thompson, Matti

Persons calling for the above, will please say "Advertised" and give the date of this list.

J. Y. BRECKENRIDGE,
 Postmaster.

FAIRM FOR SALE.

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

Hot Tired Perspiring Played Out
 That's What Ails You!
 You Need Something
 Cool Healthful Refreshing Invigorating
 You Will Find it at Our
SODA FOUNTAIN
 We are not stingy with our ice, therefore our Soda Water is always as cool as ice can make it. We use the best natural fruit juices, consequently our drinks are delicious.

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Pine City Milling Co's High Grade Flour.
 Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction.

The above premium is offered by the Minnesota State Horticultural society for the production of a seedling apple tree as hardy and prolific as the Duchess, with fruit equal to the Wealthy in size, quality and appearance, and that will keep as well as the Malinda. This offer is open to all.

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 eating 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

A. W. LATHAM, Sec.,
 267 Kasota Block,
 Minneapolis, Minn.

German Singing Contests.
 The German emperor has devised a new scheme for the encouragement of vocal music in the German empire. It will be put into operation in 1899, and it consists of a singing competition to be held in a different town every year. Contest has been selected for the first competition, the chief condition of which is that each choir taking part will receive an unpublished musical composition about an hour before the contest takes place. There will be no accompaniment. The winner's prize is a valuable jewel.



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Cures Stomach and bowel troubles. An excellent tonic.

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

Mrs. Anna Lahodny,
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Millinery
 AND
Dressmaking,
 PINE CITY, MINN.

Mrs. W. Charley, a prominent dressmaker of St. Paul, is now with me, and we are able to do all the work that comes to the best of satisfaction.
 Mrs. A. Lahodny.

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PIONS
 IN ADVANCE
 JULY 20
 AVINCE
 Arrived at
 of Pine City

Binding Wine, at Smith's Hardware
 The Payne sent the first of the wine to Sandstone.
 Services at the usual hour Sunday morning at the Lutheran Church.
 Farm wanted—Send full particulars, price etc. at once. A. H. Russell, Akron, O.
 The circus given here Wednesday was as a whole a rank swindle.
 FOR SALE—The steamboat Florence B. Inquire of Douglas Greeley, Pine City, Minn. 1614
 Geo. J. Johnson, the veteran railroad man, of St. Paul, is visiting for a few days with his old friend, Col. J. F. Stone.

The Misses Turner and Cornwall, who have been visiting at the Sloan residence, departed this (Friday) morning for Minneapolis.
 Money to patent good ideas may be secured by our aid. Address THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.
 I Adam Bede, of this place delivered his lectures, "This Yankee Nation," at Sandstone last Wednesday evening.
 For Sale—A set of Universal Dictionaries—will be sold at a low rate. Apply at the PROSEUR office.
 Ed. Kendall has the contract for the erection of the lower story of the block which is being built by F. E. Smith and the R. P. Lodge, and is pushing the work as fast as possible.

For Sale—A good farm of 227 acres within one mile of this village. A snap for some one. Enquire at this office for particulars.
 All orders against town of Chagwanta will be paid whenever presented. J. F. HOLTZ, Treas. Pine City, June 21, 1899.
 Lost—Lady's gold watch, hunting case, at Pine City or Hinckley, July 21st. Five dollars reward will be paid to finder for return to Robert C. Saunders.
 Louis Kline came down from Duluth Saturday and spent Sunday with parents and friends. He was accompanied by Miss Leslie, of West Duluth.

Money—to loan in large or small amounts, on real estate security, 7 and 8 percent, long or short time. C. A. WIXSON, Pine City, Minn.
 Will Lambert, who is at work for Weiler & Wade of Duluth, came down on the early train Sunday and spent the day visiting with parents and friends in this place. Will is doing well in the Zenith City.
 We can do your eave-sputting iron and tin roofing at the lowest prices. P. E. SMITH, Hardware.

The little shower of rain which fell Sunday night did a world of good to the crops in this vicinity but still more is needed.
 For sale—Smith Premier No. 2 typewriter and case, cost new, one hundred and five dollars fifty dollars takes it. MacLean.
 The Photographer.
 E. A. Jesmer will be at Gottry's lively stable every Saturday. Anyone having veterinary work to do should call on him at the above-named place.

WANTED—A good cook, willing to go to White Bear Lake for the summer. Small family and good wages. Write immediately. T. W. Inger, 50 E. 6th St., St. Paul, Minn.
 Services in the M. E. Church as usual next Sunday Morning, at 10:30, evening. Young People's meeting at 7 o'clock, preaching service at 7:45. All are welcome.
 Base Ball, Sunday July 30, Pine City vs Hinckley.

Lime, Brick, Cement, Plastering Hair, Everything in Building Material, Smith's Hardware.
 Remember when in need of job work, that the PROSEUR competes with the cities.
 Detective Murphy, of the St. Paul & Duluth railroad was in town the first of the week looking after the interests of the company.

The "life-line" is out, extending the "glad hand" of life hope and happiness. Beaches round the globe. This Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cents—Breckenridge.
 It will pay every economical buyer to take advantage of our special sales. B. H. HARRIS, Rush City, Minn.
 Make cash offer for NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec. 27, T. 38, R. 22 Title perfect. For further particulars address W. W. Cole, 1707 Linden avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

Maud—Last night Jack told me that he wouldn't marry the best girl living, unless—what—unless she took Rocky Mountain Tea. Bright fellow—Breckenridge.
 In another column we publish an "Ad" from the Burlington Northern, in which they offer to send a map of the United States, printed in four colors, mounted on a roller, for the small sum of 15 cents. Read the "ad," and act accordingly.
 Come down and see what bargains we offer in our sale beginning Monday. B. H. HARRIS, Rush City, Minn.

Quite a crowd of our citizens took in Sands & Astleys circus Wednesday and all report having been badly taken in. Considerable trouble was experienced with the "bunco" men and it kept the local police forces busy getting back the money which the swindlers took from the "rubes."
 It's like a "dip in the fountain of youth." Touches the cheek so gently that "youth lingers on the face of old age." That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does—Breckenridge.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough remedy in my family for years and always with good results," says Mr. W. B. Cooper of El Rio, Cal. "For small children we find it especially effective." For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge & Co., Druggists.
 Miss Florence Bacon, who lives with her parents on Pokogamacreek, about nine miles north west of this place, tarried for a few hours in the county seat, while on her way to St. Paul where she will visit relatives and friends.

STEADY EMPLOYMENT for a good reliable salesman, handling our Lubricating Oils, Belting, general Mill and Thresher supplies from catalogue and samples. Liberal terms and profitable commissions. Ad Dress—Crown Supply Co., Cleveland, Ohio.
 Rev. S. W. Simonds, wife and son Chester, visited at the residence of W. P. Gottry for a couple of days this week. Rev. Simonds was the pastor in charge at the time the M. E. church was built. They departed on Thursday's limited for North St. Paul.

W. A. Borquin, of North Branch was in this place Monday, delivering to Ramgren Bros. of Brunswick and Peter Stroinsky, two new "Advance" threshing machines. This make of machine is one of the best on the market and their owners can not fail to do good work.
 T. W. Schaub, brother-in-law of Jake Jungbauer, has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past two weeks. Mr. Schaub is an old-time Pioneer Press job printer in St. Paul, and while in town found time to call at the PROSEUR office and look the place over.

J. A. Ennor, visited this place the first of the week in his studio car. Mr. Ennor and wife are from Stevens Point, Wis., and were neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gottry, during their residence in that city. Mr. Ennor expects to open a studio in St. Paul about September 1st.

John Madden takes the cake for putting up buildings in a hurry, as his buildings are all enclosed and lathed and by the first of next week will be ready for plaster. He commenced the foundation a week ago last Monday and in just a week's time he had the buildings enclosed and lathed. How is that for speed?
 Monthly Pains cured by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

The speech of Father Abraham in the last number of Poor Richard's Almanac, published by Benjamin Franklin in 1857, "Contains the Wisdom of many ages and nations assembled and formed into one connected discourse." When first published it attracted world wide attention and was copied in all of the newspapers in America and England and translated into many foreign languages. Would you not like to read it? Get a copy free of charge at J. Y. Breckenridge's drug store.

July is the photographer's off month. For the balance of July I will make cabinet size photographs, glossy finish for two dollars per dozen, and the dull "platin" finish cabinet size, for three dollars per dozen.
 MacLean.
 The Photographer.
 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 store which he is selling at great bargains. Do not go to the cities to buy before you look over his stock and get prices.

Ladies, I have for sale plain and stamped linens, silks, wools, cottons, braids, hoops, rings, needles, etc., for fancy work, sewing machine needles, tissue papers, and notions, and solicit your patronage. Ready-made work on hand. Orders by mail promptly attended to.
 SUSAN SHEARER, Pine City, Minn.

During hot weather last summer I had a severe attack of cholera morbus, necessitating my leaving my business," says Mr. C. A. Hare, of Hare Bros., Findlay, Ohio. "After taking two or three doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy I was completely relieved and in a few hours was able to resume my work in the store. I sincerely recommend it to any one afflicted with stomach or bowel trouble." For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge & Co., Druggists.

A game of baseball will be played between the Hinckley and Pine City teams, at the ball park on the north side of the river Sunday afternoon. This will be the fourth time that these two teams have met this season, Pine City taking two of the three games played, and Hinckley will come down with "blood in their eyes" and will make a hard fight for the game. Everybody interested in the national game should be on hand Sunday to "root" for the boys. Our team has played six games this season and lost only one which is not a very bad showing for a team that does no more practicing than our boys do.

Our baby has been continually troubled with colic and cholera infantum since his birth, and all that we could do for him did not seem to give more than temporary relief, until we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy. Since giving that remedy he has not been troubled. We want to give you this testimonial as an evidence of our gratitude, nor that you need it to advertise your meritorious remedy.—G. M. Law, Keokuk, Iowa. For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge & Co., Druggists.

Persons troubled with diarrhoea will be interested in the experience of Mr. W. M. Bush, clerk of Hotel Dorrence, Providence, R. I. He says: "For several years I have been almost a constant sufferer from diarrhoea, the frequent attacks completely prostrating me and rendering me unfit for my duties at this hotel. About two years ago a traveling salesman kindly gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy, which I took, to my surprise and delight it effected a cure immediately. Whenever I get symptoms of the disease I would resist myself against this attack with a few doses of this valuable remedy. The result has been very satisfactory and almost complete relief from the affliction." For sale by J. Y. Breckenridge & Co., Druggists.

NOTICE.
 The Ladies of the M. E. Church will give an excursion on the Steamer "Stowe" next Wednesday afternoon, August 2nd. Steamer will leave the dock promptly at 10:00 a. m. Refreshments will be served on board the steamer. In case of rain the excursion will be given the day following.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills stop headaches.

MARRIED.
 Crowley—Madden.
 Monday, July 17th, 1899, in St. John's Catholic Church, Arthur Ont. Miss Francis Madden, the organist of St. John's Church, and Mr. Geo. Al. Crowley of Detroit Mich. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Doherty, assisted by Rev. Father O'Leary, and also celebrates the Nuptial Mass.
 The bride was led to the altar by her brother-in-law, Mr. Joe. Roach, Miss Julia Madden of Detroit—cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Joseph Driscoll, performed the duties of groomsmen. At the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Jos. Roach, a wedding breakfast was partaken of by the immediate relatives and friends of the happy couple.

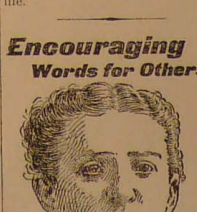
Mr. and Mrs. Crowley who are both well and favorably known in Arthur, received many heartfelt congratulations and the large and valuable assortment of presents of which the bride was the recipient testified to the high esteem in which she is held. The happy couple drove to Guelph in the afternoon and will take a wedding tour embracing interesting points before settling in their future home in Detroit.

The above was taken from the Arthur Enterprise, of Arthur Ontario, of July 20th, and will be of interest to a number of our readers as the bride is a sister of John, Nellie, Maggie and Frank Madden, who are all well and favorably known to a majority of our citizens.
 ENGEL—McLAUGHLIN.
 In St. Paul, at St. Agnes Catholic Church, by Rev. Father Hompesch, July 25th 1899, Miss Nancy McLaughlin, to Peter Engel both of this place. The bridesmaid was Miss Dodo McLaughlin, sister of the bride, and the groomsmen was Mr. John McLaughlin of Rush City, cousin of the bride. The happy couple came up on the 4:30 train and were met at the depot by a crowd of young people who showered them plentifully with rice and good wishes.

Miss Nancy McLaughlin was born in this place and was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McLaughlin and was brought up and educated in the schools of this village. She is a pleasant and genial young lady and all who know her are her friends. She will make the man of her choice a good wife.
 Peter Engel, the groom, is not so well known as the bride, he having lived here but a little over a year, but during his residence here he has made many warm friends who wish him joy and happiness in his new life. Peter came here from Rush City where he has a great many friends who wish him success.

A very pleasant dancing party was given in Hetzenekers Hall, in the evening which was enjoyed by a goodly crowd of young people until an early hour. Supper was served at the McLaughlin home after which all departed for their homes after wishing the happy couple a pleasant voyage down the river of life.

Encouraging Words for Others.



"My gratitude for the benefit received from Dr. Miles' Nervine prompts me to write, that others may learn of the efficacy of this grand medicine. I suffered extreme nervous exhaustion, which rendered me unable to work. My nerves seemed to be 'on edge' and I had much lassitude. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and steadily improved and now am enjoying good health."
 Mrs. Rev. F. M. Lacy, Fortville, Ind. 99
 DR. MILES' Nervine

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THE STORY TELLER

think of that! Naturally, when he had a hope, we would say: 'It's enough for you with all these houses!'

THE ENDURING.

A misty memory—faint, far away
And vague and dim as childhood's long-out-
Faded gold and haunts me with a spell
Of awe and wonder, and a thrill
A tiny old engraving tucked upon
A shagreened, worn, and ancient temple,
Drawn
Of crumbling granite, marbled portico
And gray, forbidding gateway, grim as
war.
And o'er the portal, cut in antique line,
The words—cut likewise in this brain of
mine.
"Wouldst thou have a friend—'Wouldst thou
know what friend is best?"
"Have God thy friend; He passeth all the
rest!"

Again the old shoe-maker pounds and
pounds
Resolutely, as the loud laugh resounds
And the coarse jest is bandied round the
throne
That smokes under the smoldering stove,
And long,
Temperament disputes arise, and then—
Even as all like discord—dissonance
The while a barefoot boy more gravely
bores.
The quaint old picture, and taping reads
There in the rainy glow of the lamp
The lowering portal of the old church door
"Wouldst thou have a friend—'Wouldst thou
know what friend is best?"
"Have God thy friend; He passeth all the
rest!"

So older—older—older year by year,
The boy has grown, that now, an old man
here.
He seems a part of Allegory, where
He stands before Life as the old print
there.
Still awed, and marvelling what light must
be
Clear by the door that bare Futurity.
Though ever hindered by what eyes of
youth,
He reads with his old eyes—and tears for-
noth.

"Wouldst thou have a friend—'Wouldst thou
know what friend is best?"
"Have God thy friend; He passeth all the
rest!"
—James Whitcomb Riley, in Scribner's
Magazine.

Appetite Comes with Eating

By Eugene Chavette.

"WELL, are my books ready, Mme. Colmand?"

"Look, sir, there you are, still in the
press." Colmand made sure he'd have
them finished for you, but in the mid-
dle of his work, all of a sudden, he was
sent for to a lawyer's."

"So you have had something left, eh?"
"Upon my word, sir, it's like a dream
we can hardly believe it, it's unex-
pected! Not that they are looking for
anything much, just, perhaps, a token,
some trifle or other. If he left an ap-
ple * * * just one apple * * * we
ought to think ourselves lucky, for
after all, the poor dear departed owed
us nothing."

"He was no relation, then?"
"No nearer than Adam. Ah, it's quite
a story. You know Colmand always
works in the front shop, to get the
light he can for his gawfing. Well,
every day, from twelve to two, an old
gentleman used to pass the shop taking
his constitutional. I suppose he must
have had a fancy for binding, for he
would always stop at the window, and
take a look at my husband working. Col-
mand didn't like it, having his light
taken from him; so one day he said
in my little boy's hearing: 'I wonder
if that old skeleton are you waiting
for the undertaker!'"

"If that old skeleton is waiting for the
undertaker at my window?" You know
you never can be too careful what you
say before children. No sooner had
my husband said that than what does
Daddy do but fly out of the shop, run
after the old gentleman, and shout:
"Old skeleton, are you waiting for the
undertaker?"

"He must have been dreadfully im-
pacted."

"Not a bit. He burst out laughing,
patted the child's cheek, and gave him
a sweet. Next day, of course, Daddy
was on the lookout for him run to him
to get another sweet, and got a hard
long story short, at last the old gen-
tleman took to coming into the shop,
and spending a quarter of an hour every
day—see, there is his chair still, poor
old old man!—talking to Colmand at
his work, and getting the little one.
He took us, too, for he never let a day
pass without asking:
"How are you getting along?
And he would tell us to keep our cour-
age up, and never despair of the fu-
ture."

"You found out who he was, I sup-
pose?"

"Of course, we made inquiries. We
found that he was the rich M. de Bam-
brout, owner of all this block of
houses; 17 houses, all his own, just

PITH AND POINT.

"Can't you get Higgs in our other-
club?" "He's not an able one." "I know it;
but he pays his dues promptly!"
—Town Topics.

Manly and kindly believe that we
should love our enemies." Jack—
"In that case I declare war upon you at
once."—Brooklyn Life.

"There is a rumor that Miss
Passay is engaged." "May—indeed?
She has been a long time looking for a
junior partner?"—Puck.

"Did he gather a fortune in the
Klondike?" "Yes; but it cost him the
whole pile to get back to civilization."
—Philadelphia North American.

A Boston artist is reported to have
painted a bottle of ginger ale so natu-
rally that the cork flew out before he
was quite through with it.

"Close Quarters."—Satanstoe—"What
sort of a hammock do you want, miss?"
Fair Customer—"I want the kind that
will get me out of here before I get
enough for two."—N. Y. Journal.

"The greatest evil, perhaps," said the
land passenger, "of profanity is its
inconspicuity." Intermittently, the pas-
senger, who had discovered his pas-
sage at home in his other vest—Indian-
apolis Journal.

"My dear," he said, in a mildly re-
proachful tone, "I have no doubt at all
that you are a good bargain hunter and
that you always get really excellent
things, but you get too good a bargain
of them."—Chicago Evening Post.

OUR TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA.

The Total of Exports from the United
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RAISING PHEASANTS.

Experience of a New York Farmer,
Who Has Been Engaged in the
Business Some Time.

We usually count on a 90 per cent
hatch of pheasant eggs. They can be
set in ordinary bins. The young
chicks are raised to 20 days. We put the
old hen in a coop in the field and let the
young pheasants run at large in the
grass. They scurry away and keep out
of sight until feeding time, when they
all come back. We let them stay here
until they become so large that they
won't go into the coop, then let them
get a little hungry until they are will-
ing to go inside, then shut them up and
clip one wing. After that they can be
kept within bounds. The field in which
they stay is surrounded with six-foot
wire netting and contains three acres
of alfalfa mentioned.

The food of the pheasants is the
same as that of the common fowls, ex-
cept in breeding season that we give
them some barley meal. I estimate
that it costs about one dollar each to
raise the pheasants to six months of
age. The males weigh 2 1/2 pounds, fe-
males two pounds, and they have little
trouble with hawks or other pests.
There is no shade in the field and we
provide during hot weather a artificial
shade by means of boards. Pheasants
are very hardy and we never keep them
confined because of wet weather or wet
grass. The young pheasants are fed
largely on potato meal obtained from
the mill, and they are raised in Eng-
land, made especially for pheasants.
They could be raised on maggots,
but these are offensive to have on the
place where they are raised. There
is a good demand for pheasants for
stocking parks, game preserves and
private grounds, the lowest price being
\$10 per dozen. When the pheasants get
sway they make for a hole or run-
ning water, hence we usually manage
to catch them, although with some
difficulty.

During the blizzard of November, in
which the aviaries were drifted full of
snow up to the very top, under all this
snow were 50 breeding pheasants. Men
generally say that a hen will sit under
a number of days, and the sixth day they
supposed they had them all, but it
turned out they had not a few of
them left. We were told that the
snow after 11 days and lived through
the winter. Ability to stay snowed under for 11
days without food or water, and to come
out bright and in good order, is a good
proof of the hardiness.—American
Agriculturist.

Fresh Lime is Dangerous.

It is not advisable to leave fresh lime
where the poultry can get it, or even
lime that is slacked but yet remains
sour in its character. Old plaster
is safe, but it is hard to tell what
point lime ceases to be danger-
ous. We have seen some that was in
reach of poultry that was so strong
it could hurt a hen in the mouth. It
is possible that the poultry would re-
fuse to eat such, but the good sense
of fowls cannot be depended on. It is
generally well known that lime
plaster, and not it is easy to mix lime
and gravel and allow it to form plaster.
The progressive poultryman, however,
can afford to pay something for oyster-
shell grit, which is a fine preparation.
A man can prepare it, but the trouble
is not men cannot "get around to it."
—Farmers' Review.

Stimkalm Good for Chicks.

Recent experiments have shown that
stimkalm is a very valuable food for
young chicks, but becomes less valuable
as the chicks get older, though there is
no doubt that stimkalm is always valua-
ble as a food. But for young growing
chicks it is a most valuable and ordi-
narily valuable. When added to the
ration for chicks it increases the con-
sumption of other foods given. The
winter months are the best time for
supply of stimkalm, least so far as
the demand for a feed for the chicks is
concerned. Meat and milk as part
of the ration of the chicks will cause a
small growth, but the great im-
portance when we are trying to get full
layers.—Farmers' Review.

Bees That Do Not Swarm.

A paying feature in breeding bees is
to produce a nonswarming strain, or at
least breed out of them to a great ex-
tent. The swarming instinct is a defect,
with the apiarist is usually objection-
able, since the profit is in the honey
crop, and not in the increase of bees.
Little if any surplus honey will be ob-
tained from a colony that turns its at-
tention to swarming, so that it is very
desirable to have colonies continue to
store honey right along without at-
tempting to swarm. Good swarming
strains are not so readily obtained and
the swarming notion largely bred out
of some of the most carefully-bred strains.
—Journal of Agriculture.



SYMPTOMS OF CHOLERA.

Many Poultry Diseases Caused by This
Name Are Merely Cases of
Intoxication.

Cholera frequently prevails in sum-
mer, but many diseases are ascribed to
cholera through ignorance of the sym-
ptoms. The first symptoms of the dis-
ease are, in the majority of cases, a
yellow coloration of that part of the
excrement which is usually white,
quickly followed by violent diarrhea
and rise of temperature. Other com-
mon accompanying symptoms are
drooping of the wings, stupor, lessened
appetite and excessive thirst. Since
the disease is due to a specific germ
it can only be introduced into the flock
by fowls from infected premises. When
the symptoms of the disease are no-
ticed the fowls should be separated as
much as possible and given restricted
quarters, where they may be observed
and where disinfectants can be freely
used. As soon as the peculiar diar-
rhea is noticed with any of the fowls
the birds of the flock should be changed
to fresh ground and the sick ones
killed. The infected excrement should
be carefully scraped up and burned and
the incubator to which it has been
seraped should be thoroughly disinfect-
ed with a one-half per cent. solution
of lye and, which may be applied
with an ordinary watering-pot. Burn
the dead birds. The germs of the dis-
ease are taken into the system only
when the fowls are fed. For this reason
the watering-troughs and feeding-fades
must be kept free from contamination
by frequent disinfection with the so-
lution mentioned. Treatment of sick
birds is of but little advantage under
any circumstances. The disease runs
its course, as a rule, in one, two or
three days, and it can only be checked
with great difficulty. The majority of
supposed cases of cholera are really
due to indigestion.—Farm and Fire-
side.

GOOD HOUSE FOR HENS.

Large Enough for Forty Birds and
Yet Not Too Expensive for the
Average Farmer.

P. S. W., of Flanders, N. J., sends illus-
tration of a henhouse which he has
tried several years and likes very well.
Indeed, it is a 24-foot long and about
eight feet wide. The two closed sheds at
each end and the open shed, each occupy
eight feet of the length of the building,
which rests on three feet posts, hav-
ing a scratching place underneath the
whole affair.

One of the closed sheds is fitted up
for a roosting place and the other
divided by lath partition to make a
place for layers and another for sit-
ting. When a hen wants to sit, her
nest can be shoved into the latter

apartment out of the way. These sit-
ters have a run at all themselves
under the closed sheds. The boards
with cleats nailed upon them serve as
steps to the closed sheds. These steps
are taken down at night to make the
coops comfortable for the birds. The
litter and the open space is floored with
plaster and has a door or curtain (not
shown) in front for severe weather.
Three days and it will only be checked
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AMONG THE POULTRY.

You cannot clean the coop too often.
A hen pays in proportion to the eggs
she lays.

Push earth for scratching and dust-
ing is indispensable.
In shipping poultry now be careful
not to crowd the coops.

It is always best to darken the place
selected for the nesting, and to have
it warm. If corn meal must be fed bala
and crumble it in sweet milk.
Too much stimulating food often
causes over egg production.

White Leghorns are the best of lay-
ers, they are small in size.
Pekin ducks can be raised with only
sufficient water for drinking.
Put coal oil on the roosts and air
slaked lime about the building.

Young cockrels often prematurely
disfigure themselves by fighting.
Feel sulphur sparingly as it will
cause rheumatism or leg weakness.
Fowls that fatten easily should have
plenty of opportunity to exercise.

As soon as the young turkeys get
strong enough give them a free range.
Keep the dust bath always ready.
Use dry earth, or sifted coal ashes, add-
ing a little lime.
If the most prolific hens are retained
and the worthless ones marked a de-
cided improvement will soon result.
Young and old fowls require suffi-
cient nutritious food to keep them in a
thrifty, growing condition.—St. Louis
Republic.

Chicks Must Have Grass.

The custom of feeding grain only to
poultry is one which is difficult to alter.
Grass in summer is desirable for young
birds. If a small plot is wired off for a
large flock of chicks that are able to
care for themselves it will be found that
they will pick off the grass so close as to
leave the ground bare, and in a few
days. Grass is the cheapest food that
can be allowed in summer, and where
adult fowls and chicks have an unlim-
ited range they will need no other food
except a light meal of grain at night, to
induce them to come to the farmyard
regularly.

"A Good Name at Home"

Is a Token of Strength Abroad."
In Lowell, Mass., where Hood's Sarsaparilla
is made, it still has a larger sale
than after blood-purifying
and cures and sales have spread abroad,
and it is universally recognized as the
best blood-purifier and tonic they can buy.
Be sure to get Hood's, because

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Never Disappoints.

NICELY TAKEN IN.

He Knew the Ways of the
World But Got Caught
Napping.

The man in question used to say he knew
the way of the world as a cat knows its
own kitten, and laughs at the wiles of those
who live by their wits.

Now, one day he happened to see a
man for a long time, saving all that could
be done to get him out of the trap. He
left his station the other night in the tenth
hour of the day, and he had stopped
running, and he had been his coat collar
with his neck with a determination, that
he would not be taken.

"I'm nearly tight," said a tall, imposing
man, as he tapped our friend on the shoul-
der. "Get into a carriage, and I'll see you
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station after his bag. It was no longer
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An Intellectual Test.

"Your name is Van Praken, is it not?"
"Yes, that is my name."
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storm which was blowing, and going."
"Here," cried the driver, "you've forgot-
ten something." "What is it?" as he hurried
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PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.
 "What is raised mostly in damp climates?" asked the teacher. "Malaria," replied Johnny—"He-His."
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 —Detroit Free Press.
 "For my part, I don't believe that Eve was happy, even before the advent of the serpent." "Why?" "There were no neighbors' children to criticize."
 —Chicago Daily News.
 Mrs. Gruber—"I called on Mrs. Dosz-to-day. It must be terrible to be such a confirmed invalid." Mrs. Schimz—"I don't know. She always has a topic for conversation."—Boston Transcript.
 Reporter—"I wasn't aware his family is one of the first families." City Editor—"Well, it is. Why, we've paid as high as ten dollars a column for scandals about his family!"—Detroit Journal.
 Friend—"Do you approve of the idea that each company should have a cook with the rank and pay of corporal?" The Veteran—"Of corporal? Why, a good cook deserves the rank and pay of a major general!"—Puck.
 Amenities—Uncle Sam and John Bull beamed upon each other affectionately. "Let's take something!" urged Uncle Sam, as is his custom when his heart is full. "By all means!" replied John Bull, cordially. "I suggest territory!"—Puck.
 "I want some men to go to work at once," exclaimed the excited inhabitant of a state capital. "It's a big case. A diamond robbery involving thousands of dollars!" "I'm sorry," answered the chief, "but a little thing like that'll have to wait. All our detectives are busy watching the legislature to prevent somebody from getting away with a senatorship!"—Washington Star.

DEATH OF A NOTED FOX.
For Many Years the Old Fellow Has Been a Faithful Standby of the Eager Hunters.
 George Washington, the hoary and sporty old fox that has lived in the South Valley hills at Valley Forge for so many years, and has figured in a score or more of hunts, met with a tragic and a few days ago by being torn to pieces by a pack of hounds.
 About a dozen members of the Perkiomen, Port Kennedy, Washington and Black Rock hunts, with a pack of 20 hounds, turned out one morning for a hunt. After beating around the valley hills for an hour, the hounds succeeded in "jumping" old George Washington, and a lively chase followed. Foes did some pretty lively running among the hills for half an hour, and then made a break across the open country toward New Centerville, with the hounds in close pursuit. From Cedar Hollow, the fox made a good run through Charlestown township, and then headed for Valley Forge, where the hounds were very close to his heels. Finding that he was likely to be picked up in the open stretch of country that lay before him, he popped into a groundhog hole when he was halfway back, and none too soon, for the hounds were close on him. The hunters got picks and shovels, and as the hole proved shallow, they uncovered him after an hour's digging.
 The fox was muzzled, and Dori Davis, of the Black Rock hunt, secured him on the pommel of his saddle and started off for Valley Forge, surrounded by the pack. He had not proceeded far, however, when the old fox made a wild leap and went bounding among the hounds. He had scarcely touched the ground before a dozen of the dogs were on him, and before Mr. Davis could alight from his horse the old fox had been nearly torn to pieces. The hounds were driven away, and when the hunters came up and saw what had happened they almost cried for they would rather have lost a horse or cow than lost old George. Mr. Davis secured the brush.
 Old George was a great runner, and had figured in many big hunts. He was frequently captured and kept for big drop-hunts, and while he often made narrow escapes, he always managed to save himself by some trick or good stroke of luck. All regret that he was fated to meet such an un sportsmanlike end.—Philadelphia Times.

—Hinkle vs Pine City at
 the Ball Park, Sunday July
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