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## FIRST STATE BANK PINE COUNTY.

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Drafts on domestic points sold cheaper than express or postoffice money orders.  
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PINE CITY, MINNESOTA.

### TUXEDO TOPICS

Preparations for Winter Going on at this Popular Resort—Prominent Guests Present During Past Week.

H. S. Krassin, of Minneapolis, was at the Club on Sunday, as was also James Joe and Mike Hurley and Master Vaughan, of Pine City.

E. S. Dickinson, of St. Paul, reports that he is enjoying his visit immensely, and can see a daily improvement in his general health.

Answering several inquiries as to the omission of this column in our last week's issue, will say that he scribe was unable to go to the club to secure the happenings of the week.

Hon. Fred A. Hodge and son were at the club early in the week. During their stay Webster shot a large bird that measured about six feet from tip to tip, which was pronounced to be a black eagle.

We found Major Cooley a very busy man. Already many of the tents had been taken down and the other Fall work was in progress. This week most of the fleet of row boats will be taken out of the water, thoroughly cleaned and put away for the winter.

The old "Victoria" still lies upon the sands. The manager has in view the transferring of this "eyesore" into a thing of beauty and utility by setting it on cradles near where it now rests, and making a screened lookout and lounging place of it. It is a cold day when the Major can't evolve an idea of value for the betterment of the Club.

Lola Cooley, the baby daughter of the manager, caught the first black bass taken on Tuxedo Bar this season. The following day the major landed another. This sets at rest the oft asserted statement that black bass are unable to ascend the dizzy heights of the Chagratana dam. Possibly these two came up through the new fishway recently built by Mr. Munch.

The "Tuxedo Belle" is high and dry upon the beach, her engines dismantled and cleaned, and valuable parts stored. It is more than likely that she will not be used again by the Club, being too clumsy and expensive to handle, for her carrying capacity. It is probable that she will be sold and lighter, swifter boats be substituted. Or, her engines may be sold and the hull converted into a houseboat.

Louis E. Cavalier, northwestern editor of the St. Paul Dispatch, and wife were at the Club on Sunday. Mr. Cavalier is probably the best posted man on shooting, fishing and outfitting in the newspaper field of Minnesota. He has visited every known resort with rod, gun and camera, and in company with his wife, often invaded the unknown. This was his first visit to the Club. Referring to the name he said, "Yes, this is my first visit, and I am delighted! I shall tell the boys that the Major did not exaggerate when he pictured the natural beauty of the place. It is truly ideal—and when the new club houses and cottages are built and contemplated improvements made, it will exceed anything I have seen."

This question occurred to the writer, during his visit to the Club, "How many people in Pine County, and vicinity have ever taken the

### CUPID CUTS CAPERS.

Three Weddings Credited to the Little Archer This Week, and More to Follow.

JOHNSON—SCHNEIDER.  
At about nine o'clock Tuesday morning, Oct. 3d, 1905, at St. Mary's Church, Rev. Fr. Kroener conducted the ceremony that united Mary Schneider, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schneider, to Frank Johnson, both of Rock Creek, in the holy bonds of matrimony.

The bride was attended by Miss Kate Thiry and her sister, Lena Schneider. The bride and bridesmaids were attired in blue, and presented a very pretty appearance before the altar. The groomsmen were Nick Thiry and Mike Resch.

After the wedding ceremony the happy couple and their friends drove to the home of the bride's parents, where a bountiful dinner was served to those present. In the evening the young people danced the hours away until twelve o'clock, when another supper was served, after which, all, wishing the bride and groom success, left for their homes.

The happy couple will be at home to their friends at Mr. Johnson's farm about four and a half miles southwest of this place.

The PIONEER joins with the friends of the newly wedded pair in wishing them a pleasant and prosperous married life.

### ANOTHER SUMMER RESORT

The Island at the Head of Pokegama Lake to be Converted into a Park—Cottages and Pavilion to be Built.

Joseph Wilkie has purchased the W. A. Hayden island and will clear it of underbrush and build cottages. He will have a gasoline launch to take patrons from the island to this place. Among other improvements he will put up an addition to the Hayden house 24x40 feet, two stories high, and will in the near future build a pavilion and institute a genuine summer resort. Mr. Wilkie has already commenced clearing the island and will immediately commence the erection of the addition contemplated. The island is one of the finest places on the road for a summer resort, and Mr. Wilkie informs us that he will spare neither time, labor nor money in making the garden spot of Pokegama one of the best places in the state in which to spend the summer. The island is situated at the head of Lake Pokegama, and can be reached easily by team or boat from this place, as a good road runs to within about a mile of the place, and Mr. Wilkie says he will have that fixed up so that there will be a good road directly to the summer resort.

Heralded from Meadow Lawn.  
Mrs. Sam Heath, of Beroun, visited with relatives here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Orson Schofield called on friends in Beroun this week.  
Irvin Holler started Wednesday on a three month's trip selling medicine.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gibson, of Huletown, called here Saturday evening.  
N. J. Edridge came down from Superior to spend Sunday with his family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Peahter and Mrs. Guyman were county seat callers Wednesday.  
Those who attended the social at Mr. Smith's Friday evening report a very pleasant time.  
J. W. Purdy's separator had a narrow escape from being burned last Monday while threshing at Elmer Smith's.  
Little Joe La Blau, who has been spending months at N. J. Edridge's, returned to his home in Superior, Wis., Monday.

# Hot Soda.

At a good deal of expense we have put in a Modern Hot Soda Apparatus, and hope to please our customers through the winter as well as summer, Opening on

## Saturday, Oct. 14th, 1905.

- ### MENU.
- Hot Beef Tea
  - Hot Tomato Bouillon
  - Hot Celery Bouillon
  - Hot Clam Bouillon
  - Hot Chocolate
  - Hot Tea
  - Hot Coffee.
- And a full list of all the Cold Sodas, and Ice Cream.

All Drinks on this opening day at one-half price, to make it easy for you to taste. All 10c drinks, 5c, all 5c drinks, two for 5c.—On Opening day only. Come!

### Our Diamond Ring Contest

Will close at 9 o'clock p. m. on this day, and remember, you get a vote with each drink. Come in, have a pleasant evening, and be at "The Winning," and boost your favorite young lady from now on.

Votes will be counted and posted each day by us under the supervision of Mr. Claggett, who is an entirely fair, disinterested party.

Votes must be cast as the drinks are taken, and on the last day will be counted and posted in the morning, at 9 o'clock a. m.; at 2 p. m.; 6 p. m., and at 8 p. m., and the one having the most votes at 9 p. m. wins the Diamond Ring.

## You Know the Place,

# Breckenridge's Pharmacy,

MAIN STREET, PINE CITY, MINN.

# Flour.

Lightest And Best



Pride of Pine City

is the lightest and best Flour and makes the lightest and best bread. Not the chalky kind but good light, wholesome bread, the kind that satisfies the appetite and builds up the system.

For Sale Everywhere.  
Pine City Milling & Electric Co.

### THE COPPER MINE TO BOOM

A New Engine and Blower Installed at the J. Bennett Smith Mine at Chagwatana—Night Shift Employed.

Last Monday the J. Bennett Smith Copper Mine Co. put on a night shift and will continue to operate the mine during the winter. They have installed a new engine and a large blower for removing the gas and smoke of the blasts, and hereafter will be enabled to sink their shaft just as fast again as they have been going. Mr. Smith informs us that he thinks they are not a great way from the under-current of water for which he has been looking for the past twenty-five years. The fore part of last week they struck a different kind of rock, something that is much harder, and full of seams from which the water spurts in streams. The rock just encountered is white quartz, and it is impregnated with the virgin copper. A specimen shown us by Mr. Smith was very fine. The red tray rock through which they have been digging ever since the shaft was opened was entirely separate from the milk-white quartz in which the virgin copper was imbedded in large quantities, and Mr. Smith informed us that he only brought up a small piece—just what he could carry handily, but that the mine was yielding the same kind of quartz in large quantities, and he expects to strike it rich before the first of January.

There is no one whom we would rather see make a paying success of an enterprise than the J. Bennett Smith Copper Mine Co., as Mr. Smith, the president, has spent twenty-five years and a small fortune in the several shafts he has sunk, and if anyone ever deserved to see the fruits of their labors realized, it is certainly Mr. Smith.

### Blak Headache

"For several years my wife was troubled with what physicians called sick headache of a very severe character. She doctored with several eminent physicians and at a great expense, only to grow worse until she was unable to do any kind of work. About a year ago she began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and today weighs more than she ever did before and is real well," says Mr. Geo. E. Wright of New London, New York. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

Foley's Honey and Tar is positively adapted for chronic throat troubles, and will positively cure bronchitis, hoarseness and all bronchial diseases. Refuse substitutes. Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

### FURSEMAN—NEWEL

Thos. E. Furseman, of St. Paul, and Josie E. Newel, of Pine town, were united in marriage at St. Mary's church Wednesday Oct. 4th, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. by Rev. Fr. Kroener.

The bridesmaid was Miss Lucy Newel, a sister of the bride, and the groomsmen Mr. Frank Daley.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Newel, and is an estimable young lady, she was born and raised about a mile and a half south of town, and as well known to a majority of our readers, having received her education in the Pine City high school.

The groom is not as well known, he having only come to this county a couple of years ago in the capacity of school teacher. It was during his stay here that he became acquainted with the young lady that is now his wife. He is a young man of exemplary habits, and will make the lady of his choice a good husband.

After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride's parents where dinner was served, and the happy couple received the congratulations of friends until time to catch the south bound limited, which they boarded for St. Paul, where Mr. Furseman has a position with the street railway Co.

The DIXON extends congratulations.

### Clinnie Wins the Race.

For the past three months there has been a rivalry between several sisters to see which one would get a certain young man in the town of Pokegama, and on Thursday, Sept. 23, Miss Alvina Hempel succeeded in landing the prize, being married on that day to Henry Schmidt.

The ceremony took place at the German Lutheran parsonage in this place, Rev. Huebner performing the ceremony. The witnesses were Miss Edith Hempel, a sister, and Herman Hempel, the father of the bride.

The happy couple will be at home in the house at the corner of the Jarvis Bay and Cornell roads. The Pioneer joins with their many friends in wishing them joy.

### Best For Children.

Mothers be careful of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Contains an opiate. Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

### Only Did His Duty as He Saw It

"I deem it my duty to add a word of praise for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says J. Wiley Park, the well known merchant and post master at Wiley, Ky. "I have been selling it for three or four years, and it gives complete satisfaction. Several of my customers tell me they would not be without it for anything. Very often to my knowledge, one single dose has cured a severe attack of diarrhoea, and I positively know that it will cure flux (dysentery)."

You are at liberty to use this testimonial as you please." For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

# Five Co. Pioneer.

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PINE CITY, MINN.

During last year 86 of the municipal bodies in the British Isles which supply electricity showed a deficit total of \$7,501.

It is now thought that about half will grow in California, and some need to be taken there from Mexico and an attempt made to grow them.

Seventy-five years ago the first regular news boat to intercept packet ships for foreign intelligence was put in commission in New York.

An English judge recently altered a sentence to 15 months of hard labor to five years' penal servitude because the prisoner chewed a bottle at him.

A prominent Hartford (Conn.) firm of automobile builders has found it necessary to establish a chauffeur's school in order to get competent men to drive its various cars.

A small new planet of between the ninth and tenth magnitude has been discovered in the constellation Aquarius by Prof. Goetz, at the Koenigsberg observatory, near Heidelberg.

In Japan ships are loaded with coal by women and girls, but the work is made comparatively easy by putting the coal in small baskets, which are passed on from one end of a line to the other.

It has been found that 70 to 80 percent of the consumptive patients at one of the Swiss sanitariums remain for several years in the country and die there during several months' treatment.

The recently constructed bridge over the Zambezi river at the Victoria Falls is the highest in the world, crossing the gorge below the famous falls at a height of 490 feet, 250 feet in length, and consists of a main span of 500 feet and two side spans. There are two lines of rails, and the weight of the structure is 1,670 tons. Work was commenced in October, 1914, and the bridge was linked up on April 1, this year.

Concealed somewhere in the old Presbyterian church at Fairton, Pa., there is said to be a bottle of wine at least 100 years old. When the edifice was being built, it is said, the workmen struck for whisky, which in those days seemed to be a necessity. A quart was furnished them, but according to Hoses Husted, then an apprentice, the liquor was so "ornery" that the men couldn't drink it, and they buried it in the wall. Robert Westcott, who relates the incident, says the bottle is still there.

Automobile manufacturers in this country made a fine showing during the fiscal year 1915 in the volume of foreign trade, the export trade being a high-water mark of \$2,481,243. Last year the exports were valued at \$1,856,605, and the year before at \$1,207,965. The greatest foreign shipment in any one month in the history of the American automobile export trade were those in June last, when the value reached \$314,042. In June of this year the value was only \$131,758.

In discussing ways and means to increase our trade with South America, Special Agent Lincoln Hutchinson, writing to the state department from Rio de Janeiro, expressed his opinion that the mail service with that country is in urgent need of improvement. This, he declares, is very inadequate, and its improvement is a preliminary to our sales. Many of the larger dealers send their orders by cable, and are thus independent of the mails. But the smaller firms are not able to do this.

The picture-card craze has struck this country hard. Every town and village has come to have its "set" of views, and this is a large country with many communities. We are a rich and free-peopleing people, and purchase of cards figures as a trifle. In consequence the mails are crowded with them, and the government does not mind, so long as the cards are decent, for it gets about one dollar and twenty cents a pound for carrying them, whereas the average payment for all other sorts of matter is but eight cents per pound.

It seems practically certain that in the provisions which he has announced for a new legislative assembly in Russia, time will prove that the czar has builded better than he knew. The constitution of the Duma, as this assembly is called, is not more remarkable for what it grants to the people than for what it expressly withholds. It actually deprives the emperor of Russia, if any of the czar's new proposals are still the beginning and the end of all law and authority. The Duma may be dissolved at any time by the emperor.

It is estimated that an ounce of radium contains enough power to drive 10,000 lamps a mile above the earth's surface. Another way of stating the same estimate was that the energy needed to lift a ship of 15,000 tons a distance of 1,000 miles with it in 100 days is contained in 23 ounces of radium. Now we have learned that earth contains radioactive elements, and it was not to assume that it formed in some degree a sample of the materials of the solar system. Hence it was almost certain that the sun is radioactive also.

# YOUTH CONFESSES TO \$359,000 THEFT

## TRUSTED BROKERAGE CLERK ADMITS ROBBERY OF NEW YORK BANK.

**CRIME KNOWN ON A BET, HE SAYS**  
Culprit Declares He Wanted to Show Fallacy of System and to Get Rich by Gullible Hack on Extract—Tells in Detail of His Scheme.

New York, Oct. 3.—Henry A. Leonard, who was employed by the Siegelitz, a prominent firm of brokers, as a clerk, made a confession Monday that it was he who robbed the National City bank of securities worth \$359,000. Leonard had been for some years a trusted employe of Halle & Siegelitz and lived quietly with his mother in Harlem. He is about 25 years old.

Leonard told the police Monday that he conceived the idea of the theft some three or four months ago and had been planning during that time to execute it and know how easy such a scheme could be practiced on the banks of New York. On the 25th of September, he said, he found four blank checks on the Hanover national bank that was in the forenoon. Later in the same day, he said, he was in the corridor of the National City bank, and among the men waiting in line he observed how easy it was to get an envelope marked "300,000—44 percent" on the envelope. He said he heard the loan clerk tell the messenger that the interest on our one-half percent, not four and one-quarter. Then, he said, the messenger departed.

Takes Cue and Departs.  
Leonard then hid his cue and went to the Bowery and before a rubber certification stamp, but before doing so he cut out the certification of the stamp which he stamped and carried to be copied. After he secured the stamp he filled out the body of the check drawn on the Hanover national bank. There he saw how easy it was to get a check from the bank, and he called a passing boy and asked him if he knew where the National City bank was. The boy said he did.

Leonard said he told him: "Take this check to No. 52 Wall street and hand it to the loan clerk." Leonard made a story to keep the count down and saw the boy take the package and come out with the securities. Leonard said he took the securities to that the man couldn't drink it, and he buried it in the wall. Robert Westcott, who relates the incident, says the bottle is still there.

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# THIRTY PERISH IN STORM.

## Five Officers, Six Passengers and Many of Crew of Philippine Cutter Are Lost.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The governor-general of the Philippines notified the war department Monday that five officers, one passenger, six passengers and 27 of the crew of the cutter Leyte were lost by the wrecking of that ship off Samar by the destructive storm of September 26. The cutter was Captain John H. B. Smith, officers lost were William Fisher, near est relative Martin Fisher, near est Western avenue, Seattle, Wash.; Frederick Heideberg, nearest relative to the cutter was notified by R. B. Cheney, Rochester, Pa.; C. J. Olson, person to be notified by J. G. Ganau, Rainok, Brasen, Sweden, and George Gardner, names of relative not given.

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Chicago, Oct. 3.—John Alexander Doris, founder and chief of perhaps the greatest independent religious movement in recent times, has been stricken with paralysis and is now on his way to the new Zion in Mexico. So serious is his peril that he himself says he may never return to Illinois. Officials in Zion City, who admit the gravity of the situation, are hopeful that the trip to the south will serve to stay a fatal termination of the illness.

# ENGINE JUMPS THE TRACK

## DISASTER IN RAILWAY YARDS AT BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Three Men Killed—Collision Between Trains at St. Paul—One Life Lost—Nine Persons Injured.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 3.—A switch engine in the yards of the Louisville & Nashville railroad jumped the track at an early hour Sunday morning, and two men were instantly killed and a third died in the hospital a few hours later. The dead are: T. P. Bibb, Belle Mina, Ala.; Joseph Aaron, Bessemer, Ala.; and L. M. Gias, Columbia, Ala., all well known young men. They were standing on the front running board of the switch engine, which was going at a high rate of speed, when suddenly the front wheels jumped the track. The front of the engine struck two cabooses on the adjacent track and rolled over on its side. The bodies of the men were frightfully mangled.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 3.—A Chicago Great Western stock train running about 30 miles an hour and rolled over on its side. The stock train early Sunday morning, struck the middle of a Soo line passenger train which had just left the station. The collision hurled two Pullman sleepers over a retaining wall to the bottom of a gully 20 feet below. One sleeper landed bottom side up and the other fell on its side. Both were so badly crushed that one man was so badly injured that he died in St. Joseph's hospital shortly after being taken there, and nine others were seriously injured. There were more or less seriously hurt. The Soo train had arrived from Montreal 30 minutes late and was bound for Minneapolis, running so well except for a few miles an hour. At it neared Fourth street the track on which it was running leads to an inside double track. Here the engineer of the Soo train sighted the Great Western cattle train going for the South St. Paul stockyards, and heading for a split switch which connects the outside and inside tracks. The engineer of the Great Western train whistled for brakes, showing that his air brakes were not working, and as a result the Soo train struck it.

The engine and first sleeper of the Soo train got safely across the switch, but the second and third sleepers were hit. The end of the fourth sleeper was partially wrecked.

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Takes Life on Train.  
Dallas, Tex., Oct. 3.—A passenger whose name is supposed to be Michael Blomfield, was killed by a train at Portland, Ore., committed suicide on Texas & Pacific train between here and Fort Worth. Blomfield had locked himself in the toilet room, and the train reached Fort Worth the door was broken open and it was found that he had cut his own throat. He was about 45 years old.

# DEATH AND RUIN IN PATH OF TYPHOON

## GREAT LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY IN PHILIPPINE AND SOUTHERN ISLANDS.

# THOUSANDS HOMELESS IN ISLAND OF SAMAR

Loss on Hemp Plantations Estimated at \$1,000,000—Report from Gen. Corbin Tells of Heavy Damage to Government Property.

Manila, Sept. 30.—Reports now coming in from places along the path of the typhoon, in the island of Luzon and the southern islands, indicate great loss of life and property. In the waters surrounding Samar and other islands, many sea vessels and island transports have been wrecked. The coast guard cutter Leyte is a complete wreck and 11 Americans and 21 natives were drowned. The loss on hemp plantations is estimated at \$1,000,000. The army transport Juan Rodriguez is ashore at Legaspi.

Thousands of the island of Samar thousands of natives are homeless and the same report comes from many other islands. The Samar army posts in the southern islands have been destroyed. The civil and military authorities are rushing aid to the suffering people in the form of supplies of food and clothing. Owing to the destruction of the telegraph system, reports received from other points are very meagre.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Gen. Corbin, commanding the division of the Philippines, Friday called the war department for details of the damage done to government property here by the recent typhoon. He says that "temporary shelter posts at Hariborne, Tabalar, Tabalar, Tabalar, Gansara and Bulao were destroyed. Camp Connell was injured. Launches Hercules and Lorcha, with railroads, all for Gandara, were destroyed. All the Tarangan, the Lorcha was distributing coal ashore near Tarangan.

"Basilan reports the Carmen ashore on the coast of Samar and the island government coast guard vessel Leyte wrecked on the west coast near Allen. All officers and six passengers on the Leyte were killed. Joseph B. Rulon, company twenty-first infantry, was killed, and several officers and men injured at Hariborne. The damage to property in and around the central ship Leyte at Manila, including buildings, can be repaired, Manila and Molinae about \$3,500, the latter not more than \$700. Land telegraph system destroyed."

The Leyte was in Gen. Corbin's dispatch is one of the 15 steamers received in October, 1913, from the Shanhaiguan, which are in service in the Philippines. She was 148 feet long, officered by Americans with Filipino petty officers and crew. It would appear, therefore, that a curious coincidence two vessels of the same name have been simultaneously wrecked at different points in the Philippines, the central ship Leyte at Manila, and the coast guard ship Leyte, on the west coast of Samar, near Allen.

# Many Die in South Seas

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 3.—Mail details of a disastrous typhoon and tidal wave in the Marshall group, causing the loss of many lives. A large steamer was wrecked near the island of Jalut. The schooner James Brothers was dashed to pieces near the coast, and a large fishing boat was driven ashore and crushed.

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# Four Lined to Pieces.

Elkins, W. Va., Sept. 30.—Camp No. 3, on the C & O railway, sustained the reputation of that unlucky number Wednesday, when four Italians employed on construction work were lined to pieces. The Italians were within a few feet of a dynamite car, ready to set off at noon, when one took a fall by bumping one of the cars, and being bound one of the cars.

# Man Who Made the Attack Says He Was Going to See President Roosevelt.

Pittsburg, Oct. 4.—Hugh Hamilton, a prominent member of a gang of Greensboro, Greene county, Pa., was perhaps fatally shot yesterday in a crowded dining room on Smithfield street by one of his men, well-placed against Sweden, who had been seen in Hamilton before. Last night the police were of the opinion that he is the same Oleson who on Oct. 5, 1914, entered the White House with evidently murderous intent, shot an officer and made his escape, and that Oleson came from Minneapolis, having lived in 343 Cedar avenue, in that city. The Minneapolis police have been asked concerning him.

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Oleson is in the central station, where he was taken only after the greatest trouble by a squad of policemen. An infuriated crowd of spectators gathered around the Swedish after the shooting and would have lynched him had it not been for the overwhelming number of police.

# TRIAL POSTPONED.

## Will Move to Quash Indictments of Vesley and Fournier, Suspects in Dahl Murder Case.

Bemidji, Minn., Oct. 4.—James Vesley and Paul Fournier, indicted for the murder of August Dahl, a 23-year-old farmer, at Bemidji, Minn., Sept. 17, at a father, of the young woman's husband at Quiring, this county, will not be tried at the present term of court. County Attorney McDonald has admitted that the evidence which he has is not sufficient to secure a conviction and will move to quash the indictments.

The failure to secure evidence in this case is a grievous disappointment to the citizens of Beltrami county, for the murder, which occurred in April, 1914, was one of the foulest and most terrible in the history of northern Minnesota. The county has spent large sums of money searching for evidence, as have the relatives of the Dahl.

# TRAIL ROBBERY.

## Bandits Stop Great Northern Train and Rob the Express Safe.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 3.—The Great Northern overland train leaving Seattle Tuesday night, was held up and the baggage and express car dynamited about five miles from Ballard. Three men are known to have done the deed. Two boys who got on the blind baggage train, as soon as the hold-up began entered the passenger coaches and began holding up the passengers. They were captured. They say two of the men were on the blind baggage car when they got on and the third got on at Ballard.

So far as reported, no one was killed, but Charles A. Suber, press messenger, was slightly injured. Manager Waring of the Great Northern Express company said he did not know how the robbery was planned, but believes it was a small sum. After securing the contents of the safe, the three men started off in an easterly direction.

# Killed Hunting Sparrows.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 4.—While hunting sparrows on the boat near here, Capt. Matthew Rose of Cleveland, master of the coal barge Parkler, bound for Duluth, in tow of the steamer Williams, was shot and killed by William McQueen, a member of the crew. The coon's jaw returned a verdict expiring McQueen.

# Burned to Death.

Edlington, W. Va., Oct. 4.—Six persons, two women and four children, were burned to death in a cabin. The two babies who were in the cabin with them were Mrs. J. Algona and her three children and Mrs. Joseph Cardell and one child. Their charred bodies are lying in the smoking ruins of the cabin.

# Appeals the Case.

St. Paul, Sept. 30.—The supreme court will consider the constitutionality of the inheritance tax law at the October term. Appeal in the Ramsey county case was filed and will be argued before the court. The combined for purposes of appeal with the Martin case from Hennepin. The appeal will be argued before the supreme court on Oct. 4. The appeal will be argued before the supreme court on Oct. 4.

# FIRE IN LODGING HOUSE

## DEATHS BURNED TO DEATH IN BED, WHILE OTHERS NARROWLY ESCAPE.

# ACT OF DRUNKEN SAILOR IS CAUSE.

New York, Oct. 2.—Two men were burned to death as they slept, two more were so badly burned that they died in a hospital, and several others suffered serious but probably not permanent injuries in a fire in two-story saloon, restaurant and lodging house at Nos. 221-223 West street. The two men who lost their lives occupied room 12 in the rear of the building. They were overcome by smoke and burned to death in their bed. All the occupants of the house were sailors and longshoremen, except one woman, the housekeeper. Those who suffered death and injury were suffocated and burned within a few minutes, the fire being extinguished before the damage had exceeded \$4,000. The dead: John McElhannon, 30 years old, longshoreman, burned; William McElhannon, 32, sailor, escaped from room with clothes on; died in hospital. McElhannon, 30 years old, longshoreman, of 62 Main street, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., burned, died in hospital.

# Cause of Fire.

The fire is believed to have resulted from the carelessness of a drunken sailor who is known to have entered the saloon in the upper floor early Saturday morning. The first knock of the fire outside was when McElhannon, his clothes on, dashed downstairs from the lodging house and ran into the saloon. The bartender threw his arm around the flaming man, and finally succeeded in smothering the flames. McElhannon's condition was such, however, that he died within an hour.

# Burned to Death in Bed.

McElhannon was the only lodger to get to the street by the stairs. The others, as they were sitting in the still smoke, found the stairs blocked by flames. Some of them succeeded in reaching windows, from which they were rescued by firemen. McElhannon and Vaughn were overcome by smoke and burned to death in their bed.

# Others Narrowly Escape Death.

Four of the occupants were unable to reach windows had a narrow escape from death in the flames. They had made their way to the room of the fire, through the slight gap, to find the burning building separated from those adjoining by a chasm a dozen feet in width on both sides. None of them dared jump, so they were rescued by firemen. McElhannon and Vaughn were overcome by smoke and burned to death in their bed.

# Fire Loss \$300,000.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 2.—A destructive fire occurred Saturday at Highlandtown, near the city, and destroyed the Red "C" Oil company being entirely consumed, as was the plant of Sherwood Brothers, manufacturers of oils and greases. The rail cars, barn, and several small dwellings of brick and concrete structures. The loss is estimated at \$300,000.

# Fire in Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 2.—Fire totally destroyed the plant of the Missouri Valley Casket company, at the southeast corner of Sixth street and Reynolds avenue, in Kansas City, Kan., at an early hour Saturday causing a loss of \$50,000, and injuring three firemen, who were caught under a falling wall.

# Fatal Quarrel.

Milbank, S. D., Oct. 2.—George Constance, a farmer, living five miles north of Twin Brooks, was stabbed to death with a bowie knife by William Stietz, bookbinder, who lived on the same farm. The men were at work in the barn when an old quarrel was renewed. Bookbinder struck Constance with the pitchfork, one of the lines of which penetrated the brain causing instant death. Bookbinder, who claims to have acted in self-defense, surrendered to the sheriff.

# Prominent Man Dead.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 2.—William B. Rankine, vice president of the Niagara Falls Power company, died Saturday at Francoeur's restaurant, in a place he had gone for the benefit of his health. The cause of death was congestion of the lungs, superseding that which he had contracted in 1888.

# Auto Kills Aged Farmer.

Tack Hill, Ill., Oct. 2.—Henry Elliott, of Deep River, Ia., a retired farmer, 70 years old, was killed by a motor car in a collision with a truck carrying an automobile driven by George W. Heldt, Friday. Elliott's skull was fractured.



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The brightening prospects of the copper mine at Chagawanta but illustrate as well the wonderful resources of Pine County...

Parsons overwhelmed by an overplus of tainted money should carry their burden to the editors. We fellows are all saints...

A PATENT medicine company has brought suit against a prominent magazine on account of articles published in the magazine...

PAR CROWE, the Cudahy kidnaper, has been captured. Had Mr. Crowe managed to have kept himself in retirement for a few years longer...

With beams roaming the streets of Duluth, and wolves frequenting the most populous districts of Minneapolis...

JOHN ALEXANDER DOWIE, stricken with paralysis, realizes that his end is near, and has appointed his successor...

The job printers are on strike in many of the larger cities, the typographical union demanding an eight-hour day with nine hours pay...

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S proposed visit to the fever-infected district is but another illustration of his fearless, yet kindly spirit...

A Laxative Cough Syrup. "A cold or cough nearly always produces constipation..."

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Advertisement for 'The PINE CITY BREWERY' featuring 'Only the Best Selected Malt and Hops Used in the Manufacture of our Sparkling, Nutritious, Wholesome and Purer than any Imported Beer.'

Advertisement for 'IT IS A PLEASURE TO SHOW GOODS' featuring an image of a man in a top hat and text 'as we are convinced that you will then see for yourself that our goods are of the best manufacture at prices that will save money for you.'

Advertisement for 'Jewelry - Furniture' featuring 'Our line of Sporting Goods is second to none.' and 'REMEMBER THE PLACE D. GREELEY Dealer in Hardware, Jewelry and Furniture.'

# News of the Week.

## Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

Don't forget the dance this evening in Rath's hall.

Joe Chalupsky, of Beroun, was a county seat caller on Monday.

Attorney R. C. Sannford boarded the north bound train Monday morning.

Dr. Cowan and H. P. Webb, of Sandstone, were county seat visitors Saturday.

Joe Hurley arrived home from Duluth Saturday to spend Sunday with his family.

There will be German Lutheran services in the church at this place, a week from next Sunday, (Oct. 15). Webster Hodge brought home a nice string of rice hens Sunday, and was justly proud of his work with the gun.

Mrs. Frank McCann and two children spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. L. Stephan at Huckleby.

John Chalupsky, one of Beroun's prosperous young farmers, was a Pine City visitor between trains Tuesday.

Miss Anna Konrny, of West Concord, arrived on Monday to spend a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Garret Corrigan.

L. J. Shutsman, Tuesday moved his family into the house he recently purchased of Jerome Blanchard, on Seventh ave.

The annual business meeting of the Scandinavian Lutheran congregation, will be held Oct. 13th at O. H. Olson's place.

Attorney J. W. Reynolds, of Duluth, was a business visitor in our city Saturday. Returning to the Zenith city Sunday.

Geo. Blanchard, eldest son of Jerome Blanchard, arrived home Tuesday from Dakota, where he has been employed during the summer.

On Sunday last Rev. Huebener, the German Lutheran pastor, confirmed a class of 14 at the German Lutheran church at Rush Lake.

Mrs. B. E. Hyde, of St. Paul, will organize a class in dress-cutting in a few weeks. All kinds of cutting taught from measure. Sessions not limited. 43-21

P. W. McAllen's pacer, Mabel Maek is able to be driven again, after getting one of her fore feet hurt in a hole on the track the last day of the fair.

Fred Bordeaux returned to his college studies, at the Metropolitan Business college, in Minneapolis Sunday, after a week's pleasant vacation at home.

Miss C. K. Bigler, who has been boarding at the E. L. Seavey residence for some time past, has moved and is now a member of the L. V. Ardner household.

S. Kilgore and wife, who have been away for the past month or six weeks, the former in Dakota and the latter visiting relatives and friends, in Wisconsin and St. Paul, returned home last Friday.

J. H. Wittmanach, an employee of the Postal Department at St. Paul, came up on Saturday and spent Sunday with his brother and other relatives. He returned to his labors in St. Paul Monday noon.

Friday evening at about 8:30 the fire department were called out. The boys turned out promptly, but the fire which proved to be a chimney burning out on the Mrs. M. L. O'Brien house, occupied by C. H. Laing, had been put out by the fire apparatus was taken back and put in engine house.

Joseph Wilke, who has purchased the Hayden property, at the head of Lake Pokegama, departed Monday for his home in St. Paul, after spending a couple of weeks at the Lake. He will return the fore part of next week and commence building the additions to the Hayden house, mention of which will be found on another page of this issue.

Mrs. A. B. Hartley, entertained pupils and teachers of the high school at the assembly hall of the Webster school Saturday evening. The hall was very artistically decorated with plants, ferns, pictures and rugs. Many new and interesting games made the evening pass quickly. The crowning climax to a pleasant evening was reached when a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess and her two assistants.

G. H. White came in from Staples and spent Sunday at this place.

Miss Josamaine Allen departed for a week's visit at Duluth, Saturday.

Mrs. L. Sloan is quite ill at her home in North Pine City, with rheumatism.

Sam Sattill of Huckleby, sojourned in the county seat between trains Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkinson are receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

P. S. Murray came down from Duluth Saturday and visited with his family, returning Sunday.

The Woman's Reading club met with Mrs. Butler, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hart last Monday evening.

Miss Bessie Lambert returned on Saturday limited from a couple days visit with friends at North Branch.

Lavi Ardner has just completed the foundation for the new house he is contemplating building near the Catholic church.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holmberg spent the fore part of the week at St. Paul, in the interests of the Pine City Mercantile Co.

Two or three of Ray Squires' children have been quite ill this week, but we are pleased to state that they are much better.

Hugo Wickstrom made several trips to Grantsburg and other towns this week in the interests of the Tri-State T. & T. Co.

Miss Maud Pottle, who is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. J. Adam Bede, visited in Stillwater the first of the week.

Sunday, Oct. 15th, Rev. R. J. Melander will conduct Communion services in the German Lutheran church at Pine City at 2 p. m.

The county commissioners held forth at the court house the fore part of the week, and transacted the business that came before them.

A. R. W. Olsen, who has been connected with the Pioneer for the past four years, is visiting this week with his mother and sister at Glenwood.

The Pine City orchestra will give a dance this, Friday evening, at Rath's hall. All are invited to be present and enjoy themselves for a few hours.

J. M. Ingraham and P. C. Franks, of Sandstone, were county seat visitors Tuesday and Wednesday. While in town both gentlemen made us a pleasant call.

Miss Ada Cox returned to her duties at the Orphan's Home, Merriam Park, Saturday, after enjoying a two weeks vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. A. Stevens.

Fred Ridschick and family, of Rush City arrived here the first of the week to make this place their future home, they having rented the John Bartra residence north of Rand's confectionery store.

V. Kuhecek, the restaurant and bakery man, keeps the celebrated Biscay flour for sale. This is one of the best flours made, and Mr. Kuhecek handles both the white and rye. When in need of a good flour give him a call.

Jos. W. Neubauer has commenced the erection of a two-story brick-venered building on his property just west of Kubieck's restaurant, and will occupy the same for a meat market. Joe says he expects to move into the building about the 15th of November.

Douglas Greeley broke ground on Tuesday for a new dwelling house which he will erect on his property on the corner of Third street and Ninth avenue. The house will be two and a half stories high and is to be fitted up with all the modern conveniences. When completed Auditor Greeley will have as fine a residence as there is in town.

Miss Alma Wickstrom has resigned her position with the Tri-State T. & T. Co. and accepted a position as clerk for her brother-in-law, A. W. Asplund in his notion store just west of J. J. Madden's feed store. Miss Hulda Burige has been promoted to the position occupied by Miss Wickstrom, and Mrs. Maggie O'Brien has taken Miss Burige's place at the switch-board. The patrons of this popular line will miss Alma, but the company are to be congratulated in securing the services of Mrs. O'Brien.

The old soldiers were made happy Wednesday morning by receiving their vouchers from Uncle Sam for their past three months' pension. In about a week or ten days they will receive their checks, that shows them that their services during the Civil war are appreciated.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Norwegian Lutheran congregation will give a dinner and have an auction Oct. 14th at Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Olson's, six miles east of Pine City. Dinner will be served from 12 to 2 o'clock, when the auction will take place. All are cordially invited.

The Misses Emma and Elma Burige came home for a visit from their schools in the vicinity of Willow River, on Saturday's early train. Miss Emma went to Minneapolis Saturday returning on Sunday's limited; she was met here by her sister and both the girls returned to their school duties.

John E. Greeley, who has been in this place for about a year, received a dispatch Sunday morning calling him east. He took the afternoon limited for Pittsburg, Penn., where he will remain for the present. John has made many friends during his sojourn here, who wish him luck wherever he may see fit to cast his lot.

Mrs. Ledstrand, who has been quite seriously ill at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Eugene Wilcox, for the past three weeks, has so far recovered under the skillful care of Dr. Lyons, so as to be able to return to her home in Minneapolis, last Saturday. She was accompanied home by her husband and mother, Mrs. Mad den.

The electric light force at the Mill & Electric Co., have been busy this week stringing a larger cable in the principal part of town, and when completed the lighting service should be very much improved. The company intend to keep abreast of the advancement of the village and furnish as good a light as they possibly can.

A letter received from F. W. Kvech, of Beech, N. Dak., this week informs us that Mr. Kvech and family are well, and highly pleased with that country. He says the crops are excellent, and that everyone has plenty of money. We are pleased to learn that, "the lines have fallen in pleasant places" to Frank and family.

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Office at Birch Block.  
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**A New Jersey Editor's Testimonial.**

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I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly—Joseph McElhenny, Linton Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

**Pineapple for Consumption.**

It has long been known by the natives of South America that the juice of the fruit of the ripe pineapple being of such antiseptic qualities, will thoroughly destroy the germs of catarrh, consumption and the gripe. A preparation known as Syrup of Pineapple Expectant, prepared by Rea Bros & Co., contains these essential qualities. It is sold by L. E. Breckenridge for 50 cents.

**Kidney Pills.**

Good advice to women. If you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.  
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**Popular Specials.**

Saw mill for Sale or Lease—A first-class outfit, almost new, at one-half value. Address J. F. Foote, Boyceville, Wis.

For Sale—A set of Encyclopaedia Britannica, at 25 per cent discount from cost price, 15 volumes new, enquire at this office.

Would you not like to have your finger in that diamond ring?  
Have you seen that elegant display of gold trimmed glassware at 10c, at the Drug Store, and their Bargain Basement? It will pay you.

Wanted—A competent girl for general housework in a small family at good wages. German preferred.  
Address, Mrs. F. J. Patton, 1130 East 3rd st., Duluth, Minn.

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### THE BARBER SHOP GRAFT.

How Some Chicago Barbers Take a "Sucker."—Down the Line.—Bill of \$1.75 for Shave, Hair Cut, Shampoo, Etc.—Competent Barber Discharged Because He Was No Grafter.—One Barber Makes Beards Fashionable and Remunerative.—The Tipping Evil.

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The barber shop graft is growing. In the larger cities, the business has been reduced to a science—not in regard to tonsorial work, but to grafting in one of the largest and best known shops in Chicago there are perhaps 20 or 25 chairs. Many years ago, before



THEY ARE ALL ON THE LOOKOUT FOR A STRANGER WHOSE GROWTH OF HAIR AND BEARD WOULD INDICATE THAT HE HAD JUST EMERGED FROM A FEW WEEKS' STAY IN THE WOODS.

the city had such an enormous floating population, a man could visit this, or any other large shop, and be treated with due courtesy, even though he wanted only a shave.

Not so in these days of hustle, bumble and competition. Nowadays every barber in this large shop is looking for "graff," in other words, for a "sucker," a "guy," or a "rummy," as they call them.

Little do they care for the regular every day patron. No, indeed! They are all on the lookout for a stranger,



JONES GRABBED HIS HAT AND RAZOR AND ESCAPED THROUGH THE REAR END OF THE SHOP.

one who is well dressed, and whose growth of hair and beard would indicate that he had just emerged from the north woods.

Let such an individual appear, and every man in the shop is bowing, scraping and smiling blandly.

The tonsorial artist whose chair this stranger finally occupies is a very poor grafter if he doesn't succeed in taking the victim "down the line," so long as the "poor devil" promises to give suggestion and freely submit to hair

cut, shampoo, singeing, hot-towel massage, shaving, hair tonic, face lotion, the trimming of eyebrows, and various other extras, he may expect the most courteous treatment. When the job is finished, a bill of \$1.75 is presented, and if he leaves the shop without tipping the barber 25 cents he is at once set down as a "cheap skat."

Let us compare this victim's reception when he first appeared with his long beard and tony hair with his reception the following morning, when he returns for an ordinary everyday shave.

Every "grafter" who is not busy, is sitting on the foot rest of his chair. The moment the stranger makes his appearance some one of those who are busy gives the cue by a peculiar cough, or hacking sound, that a "dead one" is entering. Instantly all are slumbering. Even the grafter who trimmed this "guy" the day before has no further use for him until he needs another run "down the line." These barbers freely admit that they have no use for a man who wants a shave only. Such a customer is very liable to prevent them from getting a "down the line guy."

An eastern barber, from some quarter where the barber business had been run on a business basis, one morning applied for a job at this Chicago shop. The first day he had 15 straight shaves at 15 cents each, and that evening the manager discharged him, saying, "I don't want you here."

"What was your fault?" he asked.

"I did you see that?" I asked.

"Of course I did."

"How could you," I inquired, "when you were so sound asleep I had to awaken you?"

Having finished lathering me, he brought out an old blade as wide as a case knife and began to rake me up one way and down the other.

"Now, see here," I said, "you put away that old hoe, and get out your best razor, and give me as good a shave as you ever gave a man in this shop, or I'll bump you straight up against that mirror good and hard. Now, don't fool away any more time, for I mean business."

No man ever got down to business more quickly than he did, and thereafter he was courteous itself. He even grew confidential, and I had no trouble in obtaining his opinion of the tall man with whom I had just shaken hands, and who, by this time, had another gray beard in his chair and others waiting.

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"Bo young Ritchie Kadd, he's to marry Goldie Biles after all."

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### A Natural Misfortune.

Gliff-I hold that the average senator is merely a messenger boy for his constituents. Don't you agree with me in this, Mike?

Spinks-Well, I don't know. I'm willing to admit, however, that he is just about as swift as a messenger boy when it comes to getting anything done.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### His Logic.

Mother-You had best didn't tell you not to play out in the rain? Your clothes are completely ruined! Come in, in this minute!

Willie-But ma, if my clothes is ruined, I might as well keep on playing, 'cause I can't ruin 'em no more.—Philadelphia Press.

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"Gracious!" exclaimed the kind old lady to the beggar, "are they the best shoes you've got?"

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