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PINE CITY, MINNESOTA.

A POPULAR ERROR.

The Scientific American Treats on How we Get the "Time of Day," Which Explodes a Popular Error.

If asked what is the real meaning of the expression "time of day," a person may reply that it is determined by the position of the sun in the heavens. For example, we speak of "noon" as the time when the sun is at the meridian point. The fact is, however, that no longer is the time standard in this country calculated by the sun, but by the stars, and the time signals sent daily throughout the United States from Washington come from a star observation.

Americans get their correct time from a little room in the Naval Observatory, located on Georgetown Heights, in the suburbs of Washington. The observatory was originally intended to detect errors in ship chronometers and to regulate them properly. This work constitutes one department at the institution, but perhaps its most important function is that of being the nation's time-keeper as well. Consequently some of the most important instruments installed in the group of buildings comprising the observatory are intended exclusively for this purpose.

Among these are the 9 inch and 6 inch transit instruments by which the position of a star is obtained. The actual elapsed time required for one revolution of the earth on its axis can be accurately determined only by measuring the interval between two passages of a given star across a designated meridian of the earth—intervals which do not vary from century to century. This, then, becomes the basis of time determination. It is, however, a foundation not secured without considerable effort, for the number of revolutions which the earth actually makes on its axis is less greater than the number of so-called solar days in the year, as prescribed by the calendar in common use. Accordingly, the day, hour, minute, and second as determined by the stars are shorter than those of the sun as recorded by the clocks; and consequently the time of the "star clock"—which is corrected directly from the stars by means of the transit—must be translated into solar time before it is available in the readiest form of ordinary timepieces.

In the observation of the star utilized for a time basis, the astronomer has the aid of the nautical almanac. "By consulting the almanac an observer learns just when the star under observation should cross the meridian. Taking his place on top of the transit, he waits the scheduled passage of the star. Precisely as the latter crosses the imaginary line, the observer presses a telegraph key, and the exact time of passage is accurately registered by the chronograph. This instrument furnishes a record of any error in the time of the star clock by which the latter can be regulated to the minute fraction of a second, for the accuracy of the clock can be calculated by the space between what may be called the observer's second as recorded on the chronograph and the clock second secured it. By measuring the space with microscope lens gauge, the correct time can be determined to the minute fraction of a second, and the standard clock set accordingly.

With the star clock adjusted, the

next proceeding is to set the signal clock in unison with it. From the signal clock, which is placed in the same room, comes the time announcement, which is sent over the country. There are two signal clocks, one being held in reserve in case of accident. Both are on a circuit with the star clock. When they are to be adjusted by the latter, the paper covered cylinder of the recording device is made to revolve at a fixed speed. Behind the dial in each signal clock marking the seconds is a cogged wheel, each of which in turn touches a brass spring, thereby closing the circuit of a battery, and by a mechanical arrangement causing the pen above mentioned to make a horizontal mark on the paper enveloping the cylinder. This affords a permanent record of each second. The star clock is also in circuit with the recording pen. A cup of mercury resting in the clock is connected with one pole of the battery. The pendulum is connected with the other. As the latter swings, it touches the mercury in the cup, closing the circuit and sending an electric impulse which causes the pen to do its work. It is comparatively easy to set one of the ordinary clocks within a second of the star clock; but an adjustment of a fraction of a second requires measurements of great nicety. Corrections are made comparatively short time before noon, so that there will be little opportunity for the clocks to gain or lose before the time at which the all-important signal is transmitted.

At three and a quarter minutes before noon, the signal clock is connected with the telegraph circuit, which covers the entire country, and from that moment until the sending of the signal, all business is suspended throughout the telegraph systems over which it is to be transmitted. Warnings of the approach of the time original proceeds by short intervals the actual announcement of the noon hour. These warnings are in part sent automatically. The signal clock is fitted with a toothed wheel, which is located directly behind the wheel that marks the seconds, and which is divided into sixty spaces corresponding to the seconds in a minute. At the twentieth second, however, the tooth is missing, also those representing the fifty-fifth to the fifty-ninth second respectively. As the wheel revolves, the teeth come in contact with a spring, which is in connection with the electric current, closing the circuit and causing the sander to respond. The absence of the twentieth causes the twenty-ninth signal to be omitted, and indicates the approach of a half minute; that of the last five announces the approaching conclusion of the minute. All this takes place in the next to the last fraction of the final hour. There is a third warning interval of twenty seconds before the supreme signal, but this is produced not automatically but by the telegraph operator at the observatory, and occurs when he moves the switch key, which throws out of the circuit the wheel marking the seconds, and throws in to the circuit the wheel marking the minutes.

In the final hundredth of the last second of the last hour at Washington, the tooth of the minute wheel touches the spring which closes the circuit. Simultaneously, the announcement is flashed to every part of the country, the flow of the current, sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

TO DISCUSS WATER WORKS.

Village Council Will Decide on Feasibility of Plant at Special Meeting to be Held Monday January 8th.

The Common Council of this Village met at the recorder's office at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in regular session. The meeting was called to order by the president.

Members present, F. E. Smith, Pres; John Atkinson, Math Prochaska, August Larson and J. J. Madden, Councilmen; and Frank Poehl, recorder.

The minutes of the meetings of Dec. 4th and 10th, 1905, were read, and no motion was proposed.

The following claims against the Village were audited and on motion were ordered paid, and the recorder was instructed to issue orders for the several specified amounts, to-wit:

Dr. E. R. Barum, inspecting locks.....	\$ 2.00
P. A. Johnson, care of his cattle.....	5.00
P. Potter, recorder's salary.....	10.00
Sign for wood yard.....	1.00
Pine City Merc. Co., 1 cord wood.....	1.25
John Griffith, Marshal's salary.....	67.50
D. Payne, chief of P. D. 25 men at fire and hauling water and hose cart.....	25.00
J. J. Madden, repairs on pump.....	1.10
Pine City Mill & Elec. Co., lights.....	30.00
Pine Packer, pub. liquor application.....	5.00
Pine County Pioneer, pub. sidewalk notices.....	22.50
L. J. Stalman, 21 days services at Board of health.....	10.00

There were two bids received for furnishing plank for bridge, which were on motion rejected.

The report of the chairman of the board of health, reporting the condition of the lockups was received, and ordered placed on file with the Recorder.

The proposition of installing a waterworks system was brought up and upon motion it was decided to hold a special meeting on Jan. 8th, for to take action thereon.

Frank Potter, Recorder.

TWO NEW DIRECTORS

Appointed at a Recent Meeting of Tuxedo Club—Vacancy of President's Chair Filled.

A special meeting of the Tuxedo Club was held at H. W. Harte's office last week, when Phil A. Schaub, of St. Paul, was chosen as a member of the board of directors and also elected President vice Col. J. F. Stots, who resigned.

An adjourned meeting of the stockholders met on Wednesday of this week, H. W. Harte acting as chairman. Seventy-five per cent of the stockholders were present in person or by proxy. At this meeting Chas. A. Magnuson, president of the Northwestern Elevator Co., of Minneapolis, and Wm. B. Klein, president of the Wm. B. Klein Co., of St. Paul, were elected members of the board of directors. This places five instead of three directors in charge of the affairs of this popular Club, as follows: Phil A. Schaub, W. W. Cooley, Jas. L. Lee, Wm. R. Klein, Chas. A. Magnuson.

Manager Cooley is very enthusiastic over the Club's welfare, and is sincere in predicting a most successful future for it.

AN OPEN LETTER

Secretary Clausen, of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, Speaks to Farmers and Grain Dealers.

To the Farmers and Grain Dealers of Minnesota:

There are many complaints coming to this office claiming that in many places in the state grain buyers are taking 33 and 34 pounds per bushel when buying oats at 32 pounds, and the taking of any other weight unless by special contract is made a misdemeanor under the law.

The facts are that all oats are sold at the terminals at 32 pounds per bushel, and the taking of more than 32 pounds when buying in the country is an injustice and a practice which should be discontinued at once.

Some buyers make the excuse that it is on account of the dockage. This excuse is not tenable because the extra weight is taken from the farmer with clean oats as also from those with oats containing much dirt. Again, there is no dockage on oats at the terminals.

We respectfully urge grain dealers to buy all oats on a 32 pound per bushel basis.

Our advice to the farmer is to refuse all times, and at any price, to sell at any other weight than 32 pounds per bushel. The farmer with clean oats is entitled to the full market price, and if his oats contain a large amount of foreign matter, he must expect to sell for a reduced price.

The Commission will undertake to prosecute any case where proper complaint is lodged, supported by evidence that will convict any buyer of taking more than the legal weight for a bushel of oats, except by special contract. If the farmer refuses to enter into the contract the case seems easy of solution.

The only way one can know that he is getting the market value, is to have grain bought and sold in the country and at the terminals on the same basis.

Dated St. Paul, Dec. 24, 1905.

A. C. CLAUSEN,
 Secretary Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

New Town Added.

A petition was presented before the board of county commissioners this week, praying that township forty-four, north of range twenty-one west, Pine county, be set aside to be converted into a new township and to be known as the town of Bremen.

The petition was duly signed by 37 legal voters and freeholders of the township, and the prayer was granted.

The new town of Bremen was a part of Willow River town.

A Thousand Dollars Worth of Good.

A. H. Fryman, a well known and operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel and stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brickdust like across my kidneys and felt like a new man. The stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and feel like a new man. It has done me \$1000 worth of good." Sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

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The GREAT JANUARY KNOCK-DOWN SALE

of Breckenridge's Pharmacy ON THE LAST PAGE.

Some = Wonderful = Bargains

Pine City FLOUR

makes the Best Bread.

Sold by first-class dealers everywhere.

Pine City Mill. & Elec. Co.

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AT P. W. McALLEN'S LUMBER EXCHANGE for your Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Lumber & Shingles.

WE have a complete stock of Brown and White Lime, Cement, Plaster, Brick, Sewer Pipe, Bridge Plank, and Side Walk Blocks, and are in a position to give low prices in all material. When in need of anything in our line give us a chance to figure with you, and by so doing—SAVE MONEY.

We take Cattle in Exchange for Lumber.

Flour

WE are offering our patrons the best there is, the kind that always pleases.

Feed and Seed of all kinds, Hard Coal, Soft Coal, SMITHING COAL. We are in the Coal Business and carry a stock of the best of each kind.

We Want your Hay, Grain, Potatoes, Live Stock, Bring us your hides and Furs. You will always get the top prices.

PINE CITY FEED & SEED STORE
 J. J. MADDEN

Rutledge Couple Wed

Miss Hattie Walton and Charley B. Peterson were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock at the M. E. church in Rutledge, Sunday, Dec. 31st, 1905 at 8 o'clock p. m. The church was prettily decorated in green. Supper was served after the wedding service and about forty persons partook of the meal.

Don't be imposed upon by taking safe and efficient Dr. Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

PINE COUNTY PIONEER.

ED. C. GOTTRY, Editor and Prop.

Entered in the Post Office at Pine City as Second Class Matter.

PINE CITY, MINN., Jan. 5, 1906

The Senate has reconvened.

St. Valentine's Day is next

There is a run on soft drinks.

Grapt is a great word. Can you comprehend it?

Don't jax your New Year resolution.

It is not yet too late to say "Happy New Year," provided you mean it.

Perhaps it's easier to write 1906 than 1906 but we'll have to become accustomed to the change.

"The time to be most wary of a new sin is when you bury an old one," should be taken well to heart.

Gov. Johnson denies having had his shoes stolen. What's the difference? That wouldn't break the shoe trust.

Very few editors have the science of language at their fingers' tips, but a whole lot of them can write right even though they do scribble.

A paper that is continually harping on one thing, just for downright meanness and contemptible prejudice, is very apt to feel its oats at the time it would choose to have a little influence.

Whether, or not, Grover has been fishing, Mr. Cleveland has landed on a "bed of roses." He has been made referee for the three big insurance companies, with a \$12,000 salary attached.

Greased roads are a great convenience, and are promoters of business. Since the recent arrival of the nice big snow fall, farmers have been able to slide into town a great deal easier than for some time previous.

The Pioneer strives to patronize home industries and exclude detrimental advertising. Mail order houses do not help Pine City, nor do they enhance the value of land or other property surrounding it, and therefore no one residing here should help the mail order houses nor enhance their prestige.

Wanamaker, the great merchant king, owes his success to advertising. Here is one of his syllogisms, which should receive more than passing thought. There is only one way to advertise and that is to hammer your name and your business so constantly, so persistently, and so thoroughly into the people's heads that if they walked on their sleep they would constantly turn their heads to your store. The newspaper is your best friend in spite of

your criticism. It helps to build up your community which supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead the people are near to the edge of the grave, with not one to write their epitaph."

STILLWATER has made a move in the right direction for the observance of Decoration Day. A mass meeting is to be held in January to arrange for citizens taking charge of the exercises, and relieving the old soldiers of the responsibility. It would be well for other towns to take similar action.—Taylors Falls Journal.

BOOSTING Northern Minnesota sticks out like a lump on a log in most of the northern Minnesota newspapers, with the Duluth papers setting a good example. There are a good many things that this end of the "bread and butter" state needs—it needs good legislators who can do something besides break law-making records; it needs drainage agitation; good roads movements; a few more good, live settlers—and a scarcity of knockers. And this is no letter to Santa Claus.

Deaths and Births.
The following deaths and births have been reported at the health office for the year 1905. All deaths and births occurring in the city that have not been reported, should be reported at once to the health officer, Dr. E. E. Barnum.

DEATHS.
Antone Frank Pesek, " " " "
Mary Halle, " " " "
Elizabeth Spearling, " " " "
Frank Joseph Poferi, " " " "
Raymond Walter Whitmore, " " " "
Clair Greig, " " " "
Otto Kalb, " " " "
Anna E. Blankenship, " " " "
Frank J. Janecik, " " " "
Venessaus Kolym, " " " "
Clarence Catherine Stepkie, " " " "

BIRTHS.
(Mothers name given)
Mrs. Fred Engler, " girl
" Albert Glosow, " " "
" R. D. Beagle, " " "
" Bert Greenfield, " " "
" Frank Molycka, " " "
" Charles Peterson, " " "
" Herman Hulke, " " "
" Eugene Wilcox, " " "
" Henry J. Weckley, " " "
" Charles A. Benda, " " "
" Louis A. Zayitowsky, " " "
" Arthur Jenkins, " " "
" Charles Stekl, " boy
" Fred Currier, " " "
" Pat Connor, " " "
" Frank Poferi, " " "
" Elmer Smith, " " "
" R. J. Hawley, " " "
" Jo. Hurley, " " "
" Fred Augustus, (Oct. 1904) " "
" J. N. Wurm, " " "
" Robt. Wilcox, " " "

Must Be Quick.
Pains in the stomach and attacks of the colic come on so suddenly and are so extremely painful that immediate relief must be obtained. There is no necessity of sending for a doctor in such cases if a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is at hand. No doctor can prescribe a better remedy. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

The prevention of consumption is entirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Physician and Surgeon.
Graduate University of Medicine—1870.
Office at Helixbone South of Court House.
Telephone No. 5.
Night calls promptly responded to.
Pine City.

Physician and Surgeon.
Office one-fourth south of
Sakula's meat market.
Pine City.

Physician and Surgeon.
Office in the Hurley Block.
Pine City.

Physician and Surgeon.
Office at Drug Store.
Stuckley.

Attorney at Law.
Pine City.

Attorney and Counselor at Law.
Office—Hybak Block.
Pine City.

Attorney at Law.
County Attorney of Pine County.
Office in the Court House.
Pine City.

Veterinary
All work done in a satisfactory manner.
For particulars or ready response call, or write Fred Norstrom at Pokegama Lake.



F. J. RYBAK
cater to
your trade in
DRESS GOODS, SHAKES,
COMFORTERS, SHOES,
ETC., ETC.

**BIG, FRESH STOCK OF
GROCERIES**
Bring in your Butter and Eggs.
Yours for business
E. J. RYBAK, PINE CITY

Boy's Life Saved from Membranous Group.
C. W. Lynch, a prominent citizen of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My little boy had a severe attack of membranous group, and only got relief after taking Foley's Honey and Tar. He got relief after one dose, and I feel that it saved the life of my boy." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

Grip Quickly knocked Out.
"Some weeks ago, during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which rapidly developed into the worst kind of the grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egerton, of Maple Laiding, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." It is a good plan to take a dose of the Tablets when you have a cold. They promote a healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grip. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

H. W. Barker's Cough Catarrh Consumption Remedy is the only medicine that will knock catarrh, sore throat and that awful cough every time. At Breckenridge's drug store. Manufactured at Sparta, Wis.

A Certain Cure for Group.
When a child shows symptoms of group there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years, and has never been known to fail, viz. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Give it and a quick cure is sure to follow. Mr. M. E. Compton of Market, Texas, says of it: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of group with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives quick relief." For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

Croup, Colds and Constipation.
If people realize when taking cough medicines other than Foley's Honey and Tar, that they contain opiates which are constipating, before being made, particularly for children, Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is safe and sure, and will not constipate. Sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

MEAT MARKET.
JOS VOLENEC.
FRESH, SALT and SMOKED MEAT.

Fish, Game and Poultry,
In Season.
Telephone Number 44.
PINE CITY, MINN.

COAL!
Believing that our city should have a retail coal yard, I have put stock of the different kinds of coal. Layers of coal will be able to get just what they want from me. All orders, large or small will be given our best attention, and your patronage will be appreciated.
Respectfully,
J. J. MADDEN.

A BARBER SHOP
worth your while & patronage
Bath Room — Quick Shaves
First-class Service
STEVE BORDEAUX
Basement Hotel Agnos.
Hard & Soft Coal
RETAIL DEPARTMENT,
PINE CITY MILL & ELECTRIC CO.
A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure in time. Sold by Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

\$24.48

buys this High Closet and Reservoir

MARS
STEEL RANGE

Oven 18 inches wide, 21 inches deep and 13 inches high, 6 covers, full nickel trimmed, Large Granite Iron Reservoir. Sears, Roebuck Co., Montgomery, Ward, Kalamazoo Stove Co. and others advertise this Range from \$25.13 to \$26.56, and you pay freight from the factory which will cost you from \$2.00 to \$4.00. The above Range without Reservoir **\$21.13**

Jewel Steel Ranges from \$28.00 to \$45.00

Heating Stoves—JEWEL Hard Coal Base Burners \$33.00 Heating Stoves—all kinds, sizes and styles from \$1.75 to \$25.00.

The Diamond Spiral Washer
IS BALL BEARING

Diamond Washer
The Latest Thing in Washing Machines
\$8.00

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Sign of the best—

—the best sign

Trains 'Three' and 'Four'

"Number Three," (Pacific Express) and "Number Four," (Twin City Express), are equipped with superior Pullman Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars. Roomy berths and ample toilet accommodations make them attractive to all who travel. Time of these trains is convenient for business or pleasure; service is unexcelled. Ask for information.

Northern Pacific Railway
A. M. Cleland, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, Minn.
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Free Lunch Always on hand.

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Good Combination Pool and Billiard Table in Connection.

DEALER IN
PURE WINES, FOREIGN and FANCY LIQUORS. DOMESTIC CIGARS.

"We carry a large variety of Bottle Goods. Henselmeier Beer always on Tap. . . ."

Phone No. 35.

Kodol
Dyspepsia Cure

Gives rest to the stomach. Cures indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, tired stomach, weak stomach, windy stomach, puffed stomach, nervous stomach and colic of the stomach. A guaranteed cure.

Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

HARDWARE - HARDWARE
D. GREELEY
PINE CITY, MINN.

10 per cent. Discount on Silver Ware.

20 per cent. Discount on ALL TOYS.

News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

M. Degerstrom was here from Sandstone Monday.

Mat Hurley will return to his studies at the "U," Sunday.

G. D. White was here from Fargo N. D. from Saturday to Monday.

Dr. D. W. Cowan, of Sandstone, spent Wednesday at the county seat.

Misses Kate Greeley and Lucy Wasson returned to the state "U" Sunday.

Marion Lones and John Ertu attended the dance at Hinckley Monday night.

F. A. Hodge and J. Y. Breckenridge went to Minneapolis on business Monday.

Miss Lizzie Ziegler arrived here from Brookpark Wednesday, and is the guest of Miss Anna Kiek.

Master Mead Murray returned Saturday from a visit with his father at a logging camp near Brimson, this state.

Dr. F. H. Wellcome, of Minneapolis, was here to attend the annual meeting of the stock holders of the Pine City State Bank Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Petschel and child, accompanied by Oscar Carlson, of Rock Creek, drove to Grass-ton to visit with relatives, on New Year's Day.

Premium ticket No. 316 captures the machine which has been on exhibition at Greeley hardware store. If the machine is not claimed by the 15th inst., lots will be drawn for a new number.

The board of county commissioners convened at the court house Monday, with a full attendance, as follows: Chairman Clough, Parish, Johnson, Wescott and Ives. A good gist of work was attended to.

The Misses Elma, Emma and Hulda Buirge, Agnes Chmelik, and Louise Glasow were among those from here who attended the dance at Hinckley on New Year's night. They report having had a fine time.

Through an error in information last week we reported the illness of S. B. Wells as being scarlet fever, when it should have read typhoid fever. We are sorry the error occurred and are more than willing to correct the wrong impression. Mr. Wells is getting along nicely.

Cupid has been quite busy playing his vocation lately, and the following licenses to wed have been issued this week: Mathias Degerstrom and Mary Frederickson, Sandstone; Henry Schwartz and Anna Gerd, Hinckley; John Stephan and Rosa Vavariak, Willow River; Ira Parsons and Minnie Shaska, Brookpark.

School was called Tuesday morning, with the same corps of teachers in charge as had been here before the holidays. All of the really good girls and boys were happy to get back to school work after the strenuous vacation—and the mas, etc., are especially glad of the absence of noise for at least a few hours during the day.

Monroe Shuey, whose home is near the bluffs near Pine City, walked to town Wednesday morning, expecting to be followed by a team and driver in the afternoon should the weather permit. The inclement weather, however, prevented the intended course, and Mr. Shuey spent Wednesday night at the home of his father-in-law, H. S. Payne.

The most disagreeable weather that has been experienced in these parts this winter was on Wednesday, when a fall of the "beautiful" was tossed about by a brisk north wind. The snow was wet and heavy and those who were compelled to shove the drifts from the sidewalks yesterday morning can testify to some pretty hard labor. As soon as the roads become packed and convenient travel can be resumed it is expected that our commercial affairs will be very good.

What promises to be the very best dance of the season will occur Thursday evening, February 22nd, when the Pine City volunteer fire fighters will give a grand ball at Rath's hall. The dances given by the fire department have always been enjoyable affairs, and it is proposed to make the coming event the very best ever. Ryder's Mandolin Orchestra, conceded to be the best in the twilight, has already been engaged to furnish music, and this feature alone will be worthy of any person's attendance.

J. S. Mitchell returned today from a visit to St. Paul.

Fred Narstrom was down from Polegama lake Tuesday.

Dr. Stephan was down from Hinckley the first of the week.

A large new switch board is being installed in the telephone office.

It pays to read advertisements just as well as it pays to advertise.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kinney and children returned to Banning Tuesday.

Miss Agnes Hurley returned Monday from a visit with relatives at Hinckley.

M. C. Dean, poor farm overseer, transacted business at the county seat Tuesday.

Sheriff Hawley and County Attorney Huseby were Willow River visitors Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plessel spent part of the holidays at the Frank Cort home in Royaltown.

Wm. Jenkins, of Oakholm, was here Saturday and Sunday, a guest at the residence of Alf Rice.

A son of Peter Sargen, who resides east of town on the St. Croix road, is convalescing from an attack of scarlet fever.

Despite the inclement weather, good headway is being made in laying the sewer between Hotel Agnes and Snake River.

Found—A pair of nose glasses, together with a fine gold chain. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Mrs. Mert Radak returned to her home in St. Paul, Tuesday. She visited with relatives and friends in this place and Rock Creek for about two weeks.

Misses Lillian Perkins and Hattie Pennington will return to the state Normal school at Winona Sunday. They have visited here with relatives and friends during the holidays.

The club dance given in the Hotel Agnes Monday evening was one of the swellest parties ever given in this place. These dancing parties will be given every two weeks during the season.

The Mercantile Co. has a very pretty and attractive window display this week. The display advertises a line of souvenir China ware, together with a number of pretty lamps and pictures.

A class of twenty will be initiated into the Degree of Honor Lodge, Saturday evening, Dec. 8th. It is the largest class in the history of the local order. The initiation will occur in the regular lodge room.

Wm. Henderson was kept busy yesterday morning hauling children to school, and Jas. Heywood had a very strenuous life while making paths with his snow plow for the convenience of pedestrians. Their services were greatly appreciated.

A 25 cent dinner was served by the Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle at their headquarters yesterday. Owing to the difficult traveling not as large a crowd as expected were in attendance. The dinner was up to the highest high standard and was relished by a goodly number of our town people.

Geo. Payne suffered a painful accident while oiling his engine at the flour mill Tuesday. The fleshy part of his right hand was caught in the machinery and terribly lacerated. The wound is getting along as nicely as can be expected, and George has decided to hereafter stop the engine by shutting off steam.

About twenty five of the neighbors and friends of Miss Christine Cort tendered her a pleasant surprise at her home in Royaltown last Friday evening. Music from two fine large gramophones served to entertain the guests with music, and games were played. The guests repaid to their several hopes of attending a most delightful evening.

James E. McGrath, of Stillwater, was in this village Tuesday, and informed us that in the course of two or three weeks he will commence remodeling the sawmill and install new machinery so that he will be able to handle the large amount of logs which he intends sawing here during the coming season. It will be like old times to see an up-to-date mill in operation in Pine City.

They are Coming.

The famous Canadian Jubilee Singers in connection with the Imperial Orchestra, the leading colored concert company of America, will appear at Rath's hall on the evening of January 23rd. They come here under the auspices of the local K. of P. lodge, and come highly recommended.

Seats will be placed on sale at Breckenridge's Pharmacy about the 15th inst., and the following prices have been fixed: Reserved seats, 50 cents; adults, 25 cents; children under 12 years, 15 cents.

There will be no dull moments during this concert for every number will be a gem of music. The company has advanced some excellent press notices, one of which we quote as follows:

"On Saturday evening last the opera house was filled to its utmost capacity, even the aisles being crowded with people who were unable to secure seats. On this occasion the Canadian Jubilee Singers and Imperial Orchestra occupied the boards, and we are safe in saying that there was not one in the audience but was pleased with the entertainment. Every number on the program was encored and was responded to very nicely. The entire company is composed of artists and the entertainment was the best yet."

—Yale (Mich.) Express.

Will Consolidate.

Tonight (Friday) will be a gala time in local K. of P. circles when the North Branch lodge will consolidate with the local Order and the annual installation of officers will be held.

G. C. Bartram, Grand Chancellor, will be present and his presence will add greatly to the interest in the work.

A banquet and musical program has been prepared which will take place in the Hotel Agnes after the session in Castle Hall. All Knights have been urged to be present so a large attendance is anticipated.

A Successful Affair.

The masked ball given in Rath's hall last Saturday evening was well attended, and the number masked surpassed any masquerade given in this place for a number of years, as there was about sixty couple in the grand march just before they on the masked. The prizes were awarded as follows: Miss Nellie Sloan, representing the Goddess of Liberty, received a fine handbag, W. A. Lambert, representing an old Irish woman, received an Indian doll, Louis Kowalko, as an Indian received a nice pocketbook, and John Sommers, of Rock Creek, as Happy Hooligan, was presented with a pipe. The music was furnished by the Rush Lake Cornet Band, and Mike Ruple and a Mr. Christanson, of Rush City, and was very good.

Rock Creek News.

Mr. Taylor attended church at Rock Creek yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Jensen, the Creamery man, and his wife are visiting at Forest Lake.

Sunday afternoon, Jan. 14th, Presiding Elder Clemons will preach in Rock Creek.

Mrs. A. Somers has been visiting relatives and friends the past week in Rush City.

Volle Erickson, of Sandstone is visiting at the home of her mother, A. P. Erickson.

Clifton Stevens, son of J. S. Stevens came home from Frederic, Wis. where he is working, to spend Xmas. He went back last Friday.

Fire destroyed the home of Nick Baurn's last Saturday evening. There was no insurance and the loss was total. The family had retired and they barely escaped with a few belongings.

You may be the gainer by reading "The Popular Specials."

Hotel Agnes

H. M. Tuolle, Prop.

The finest hotel between the two cities and the "unsalted seas." Electric lighted and steam heated.

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Pine City, Minn.

Popular Specials.

Last—A valuable gold watch was lost between A. Pennington's residence and Dr. Wiseman's office, Wednesday afternoon. It is a lady's gold watch, with a raised pattern design on the back and a diamond in the center. Attached to it was a lady's small vest chain with a locket set with five rubies. Finder will confer a great favor by returning it to this office and receiving reward.

See the beautiful souvenir China at the Big Store.

FOUR—Last week, a bundle containing some socks, a suit of underwear, some mittens, etc., Aug. Borg found the bundle one mile east of Pine City. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Great bargains on the 5 and 10c counters, at the Big Store.

80 acres of good farm land 2 miles south of Pine City; 65 acres improved, with a house, barn and well, for sale by Frank Inman, at Pine City, at 514

Bargains in remnants at the Big Store.

Regular 5 cent cigars, 50 in a box, are being sold at Rand's for \$1.25 per box.

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

Are you getting old? Better come in and have a dozen of our best photos taken for your children and friends. A few years from now they may be treasured as something sacred.

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Brass, Nickel, Glass Hanging and Hall Lamps 10c to \$7.00 each.

New Assortment of Jardiniers, 25c to \$2.00 each.

Endless variety of fancy China, Vases and Glassware at prices to suit any pocket-book.

1-3 off on all Pictures, while they last.

Big assortment of 2c Amethyst Ware.

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CHURCH CONCERNS.

Dr. Walter W. Webb, president of National college, has been unanimously elected Bishop coadjutor to Bishop Lea Nicholson, of the Milwaukee Episcopal diocese.

Rev. A. Loyd, of St. Ambrose's church, Birmingham, is going to distribute the members of his choir among the congregations, where their services will secure those sitting near them.

The oldest clergyman in England is Rev. John Edward Kempe, M. A., who has been in holy orders for 72 years, being now 95 years of age. He has been chaplain in ordinary to King Edward since 1891.

In accordance with the expressed desire of the Roman Catholics of Nevada, that state will be made a separate diocese. Most of its territory former part of the diocese of Sacramento. A splendid cathedral will be built in Reno on the site of a church that was burned recently.

Dr. William M. Zarlin, of Indiana conference, has completed 52 years of active service. In that period he has been out of his pulpit because of sickness only six times. He will not be superannuated, either, for the entire membership of Grace church, in Cincinnati, has petitioned for his return.

It is 60 years since Rev. Henry Francis Lytle, who wrote the beautiful hymn, "Abide With Me," died at Niles, and this year a final effort is being made in the far-distant little seaport in Tennessee, where he lived and ministered for 25 years to complete the rebuilding of the little memorial church which has taken the names of 30 years to build.

Pope Pius at present is occupied in collecting the bad debt of the Vatican. It was the custom of Pope Leo to help Roman families who had met with financial distress. In this way several notable families were able to tide over difficulties, but large sums thus loaned have not been returned. One marquis who owes \$25,000 is to be sued. In all departments of the Vatican economy is the order of the day.

DOINGS OF SOME PEOPLE.

Mrs. Clara Curtis, aged 74, was mayor of Cimarron, Kan., for three terms and is credited with having saved the city from bankruptcy through her excellent management. Mrs. Curtis died last September, might have had a fourth term, but declined on account of deafness.

Five men have been arrested at Reno, Nev., for a small order fraud. Under the title of "Cromwell Simon State University of Reno, Nev.," they put advertisements in the papers offering for ten cents to furnish all information necessary to obtain any degree in the gift of the university.

A. J. Seaman, an eccentric book buyer of Omaha, who lives on nine cents a day, is receiving hundreds of letters from women who wish to marry him. Seaman's story was printed in the Sunday papers. To those including a stamp Seaman is answering on a post-card, making one cent on each applicant.

A few years ago an Indian on the Couer d'Alene reservation brought to the reservation two "Belgian hares." Their descendants are now numbered by tens of thousands and are devastating the crops of white settlers far and near. To make matters worse, the Indians believe that to kill a rabbit or hare brings bad luck.

A stone carver, because of the attitude of his employer and will be placed in the morgue. The carver's complaint was that he was not paid for his work.

"Beauty Don'ts." Women have outstanding ears when they wear an ear harness at night, have aches and pains when they sleep well. Remember that carver makes more invalids than work.

Don't overdress, but try to suit your style, and remember that heavy shoes or boots for the woman who is sloppy in your style, and wear clothes that are shabby. Remember that a rubber heel spoils feet and that a bad skirt-raid is a social sin.

Don't wear a big hat if you are a little woman; don't try to dress out of proportion to your stature. Don't imagine that you are prettier than you are.

Don't walk too rapidly, for it destroys grace. Don't hurry and don't worry. Don't, if you are a woman with a sad face, try to look still sadder; chirp up; smile; make your mouth into a Cupid's bow; force yourself to look animated; try to be expressive with your eyes; a sad, was face never won out in a beauty contest.

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A Tight Shoe. The foot may be very pretty and dainty, but it is of no use in too much torture to handle her feet gracefully. The dainty foot, moving here, moving there, now lifted, now lowered, now tucked under its mate, now fully resting on top, but strives to call attention to the awkwardness of these painful movements, and causes the visitor to innocently wonder why the trouble is; thinking that possibly she has some fearful nervous trouble which affects the feet and legs in particular, and that an accident must often be the last conclusion is the correct one yet the woman in question will never "own up," as the children say.

CROCHET PETTICOAT.

We Give Below Full Directions for Making This Practical and Pretty Gift for a Child.

About three ounces of wool, and a long wooden hook about the size of a No. 3 knitting needle, and a short hook of about the same size, and one yard of narrow ribbon.

Work 60 chain. First six rows plain, knit. Seventh row: Work off the first ten stitches like double crochet, then work the rest of the row as usual.

Eight to thirty-six rows: Same length as the first row. Thirty-seventh row: Before commencing the next row make nine chain; this will bring the stitches to the original number (60).

Work 30 rows of this length. Work off 20 stitches like double crochet, and the rest of the row as usual. Another row same length as last. Nineteen chain and repeat from first row, ending with the short row.

Work off all the stitches, place the two sides of the web together, and join with single crochet, leaving the opening for armbands to match the other.



A WARM PETTICOAT.

one. Join the two shoulder pieces in the same way (on the wrong side). A double crochet under both threads of one of the stitches at the lower edge of the petticoat, * pass two, five trebles with a chain between each under the next, pass two, a double crochet under the next, and repeat from *.

Second row: * five trebles with a chain between each under both threads of the double crochet in the previous row, a double crochet on the middle stitch of the group of trebles, and repeat from * all round.

Third row: * five chain back into the middle of each chain loop. Repeat from * all round. Fourth row: * five chain back into the middle stitch of the nearest loop in the previous row. Repeat from * all round.

Two trebles, with one chain between under one stitch (both threads), * pass one, two trebles with a chain between under the next, and repeat from * all round, and on this row work a row of plaits like those on the lower edge.

Round the armbands work a row of three chain loops, and then a row of plaits like the top. Cut the ribbon in two and thread each end back to the ends to tie to the shoulder.

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CHILD'S FIRST TEETH.

Of Almost Importance That They Are Carefully Looked After—Dentist's Aid Is Often Required.

Letting baby suck and chew on a stale crumb or a stale piece of corn pone will do a great deal to assist in bringing the teeth through, and the teeth that have arrived will also be benefited by this very simple means.

In a state bread all of the gas which might create disturbance in the little stomach has evaporated, the starch granules have ripened and burst, and the bread itself is in the best condition to be digested and absorbed into the system.

Just a little thin water is the milk will often aid in establishing good teeth, and where the little pinhead first teeth have not been especially good, either as to color, shape or arrangement, the matter can readily be corrected by careful attention, first to the cleanliness of the mouth and teeth, and next by diet.

Upon the care of the first teeth will depend the quality and the beauty of the second or permanent set. Only too often do even the wisest of mothers imagine that the first teeth do not require dentist's care, arguing that as they are but temporary it were money thrown away to see to their filling and the like.

If the first set be in any way irregular or faulty the defect can be corrected immediately, for "as the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined," and as the first teeth are faulty or perfect so will the teeth that the little beauty carry with her through life be affected.

The habit of letting the baby suck his thumb or his fist is a fruitful source of irregularities of the gums and teeth. It is bad enough when only the thumb is constantly sucked; but when the whole of the little fist is thrust into the tiny mouth the gums are drawn out of shape and the teeth grow outward in a painfully protruding fashion.

The use of those so-called mother's tees, is another source of dental troubles, and this scribe would joyfully see their manufacture and sale prohibited by act of legislature. They are seldom or never properly cleaned, the rubber of which they are made is porous and absorbs all sorts of germs and bacteria, and their use is almost invariably attended by sore mouth, bad breath and digestive and intestinal troubles.

When the little girl has reached, say, two years old, she may be taught to use her little toothbrush herself under close supervision, of course. Small brushes now come especially for the little folk, the edges of the bristles carefully serrated so that they penetrate into the interstices between the teeth and remove every particle of detritus that may lodge there.

Little miltad must be taught to use her small brush after each meal, before going to bed at night, and the first thing on rising in the morning. She must learn to rinse the mouth thoroughly and often, and she must be taught to gargle, too, for the faucial tonsils are often traps for the catching and holding of unmatteated particles of food, and this gives rise to an unpleasant odor on the breath.

HANDSOME HANDMADE LACE.

Pattern Here Given May Be Used—Place of Lace Very Good One—Variouly.

The design given here will serve for various purposes. Four joined together to form a square will make a pretty dolly, repeated cornerswise it will make a handsome border; for a tablecloth, the upper part to be fixed on the material by buttonholing the



POINT LACE.

braided. In this case the material lying under the lace would be carefully cut away. Our pattern will also make a very pretty edging for a silk or muslin tie. Linen braid and thread No. 60 are used.

Materials required for one pattern: One no. one-half yard braid, one skein of thread. It is the time of quiet effects in fabrics, as well as cut in evening dresses—and dresses are seen of moire, silk and braidlike and also of white panne. A gown of ivory panne had trimmings of gold lace and cream lace, with a piping of mahogany velvet, and buttons of red enamel and gold.

A Simple Skin Bleach. A good bleach for the skin is made by infusing a tablespoonful of finely grated borax in one pint of scalding sweet milk, straining frequently while cooling, strain and bottle. dab freely on the face several times a day with a soft cloth, letting dry on the skin.

Good for the Gums. Get your drugist to fill a half-ounce bottle with equal parts of tincture of myrror and alcohol, and apply this to the gums three times a day on going to bed at night. This is claimed to heal the gums and tighten the teeth.

"Have you ever shot a deer?" "No," replied the hunter, "but I came very near it once. I saw the guide in some bushes and fired at him by mistake, but would undoubtedly have a hit deer that stood just beyond him if he hadn't stopped the bullet. It was most unfortunate."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Missing a Chance. Mr. Hopple—"It was a good night to sleep, last night, Miss Board." Miss Board—"It was a what to sleep?" Mr. Hopple—"A good night." Miss Board—"Oh, what you be going? So sorry—good night!"—Cleveland Leader.

The Sprats, to Date. Jack—"Have you got good?" His wife went in for dry. And so, he said, they both, you see. And he had little by.

THOROUGHLY AROUSED.



"Agnes looks dreadfully bad. My, how thin she has grown." "Doesn't she realize her condition? Haven't she done anything to save herself?" "Oh, yes, indeed. She consulted her doctor yesterday and she changed dressmakers a month ago."—Chicago Journal.

The Successful Candidate. The premise he made ere the battle was won. "Was some apprehension he'd view it. 'Tis easy to tell just what ought to be done. But I'm not very, to do it."—Washington Star.

Adds to the Cost. "War," remarked the moralizer, "was more expensive now than it was a hundred years ago." "That's right," rejoined the demoralizer. "They didn't have riots at home after the war was over in those days."—Chicago Daily News.

The Usual Result. Jones—"Have you seen the prospectus of the World Gold Mining company?" Jones—"Yes, and I've seen the mine and had a private assay." Jones—"Seven trains of gold and seven tons of lies."

Just Like a Man. "I mashed my thumb at the office to-day, and you should have heard me holler." "It's just like you to do it at the office instead of at home, where it would annoy a baby."—Houston Post.

The Only Way. Knicker—"So Jones has planned a model apartment house." "Knicker—"Yes, the janitor lives on the top floor, so the steam is always on and the elevator always running."—N. Y. Sun.

Applying the Vernacular. "So far this dinner has been fearfully bad. Anything else on the bill?" "Imported sausage." "Ah, the worst is yet to come."—Chicago Sun.

Where I Came From. "There goes Jones the poet. I think the fire of genius burns in his breast, don't you?" "No, I think it's the gnawing of hunger in his stomach."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Back to Nature. "Jones went to Maine to get back to nature." "Did he?" "Yes, got shot by mistake for a deer and is now buried."—Milwaukee Topics.

Behind Them. "Old Wilkins says that in his early days he used to follow the horses. Do you believe it?" "Sure, I've seen him in a patrol wagon many a time."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

In the Dark. "Patience—They say popping the question is as hard as pulling teeth." "Patience—Yes, and both operations are often performed without gas."—Yonkers Statesman.

Dear. "That Mrs. Sawbones always alluded to her husband as the dear doctor." "Well, that's the kind of a doctor he is."—Chicago Sun.

A Hopeless Case. "That was my car that just passed." "Why, what did you run after it?" "You could have caught it." "No, I couldn't; the motorman was looking at me." "Contradictory Evidence. "Blax—Does De Auler patent for a living?" "No—Judging by his pictures, he evidently doesn't."—Chicago Daily News.

When He Gets It. Yeast—"What happens when your wife loses her temper?" "I remember—Chinook—"Oh, I get it!"—Yonkers Statesman.



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