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PINE CITY, MINNESOTA.

CLAIMS DISCOVERY OF NEW POWER.

Mysterious Energy by Use of the Principle of Weights.

Claiming the discovery of a new mechanical power, Max W. Kollm, artist, by profession and inventor by inclination, is in Seattle on his way to Alaska, where he will work out his principle undisturbed by troublesome visitors or jealous competitors. Within eight months, says Kollm, he will return from the north and give to the world a power as valuable in practical mechanics as steam or electricity.

For sixteen years Kollm has been working on his pet idea. He has carried it with him from Germany to the interior of Alaska, and nursed it night and day. He says that for these sixteen years, in the midst of other work to give him a livelihood, he has been thinking out the principle, and that at last he has the scheme practically perfected. After a year spent in the mountains of Idaho, where he went to work out a few mechanical details, he is at a point where he is sure success looms before him. He will leave for Fairbanks on January 25, and believes that in less than a year he will have his apparatus for utilizing the new power patented and in shape to be of immense commercial importance.

Particularly as to the exact nature of this mysterious power are not to be gained from principle of weight applied on a series of levers. "I got my idea from watching a man manipulate scales," says the inventor. "He lifted a railroad car by a touch of his finger on a certain lever, thus throwing a number of weights into play. My principle is along the same line, but much farther worked out."

And beyond this the reticent inventor will not go. Men who have "mashed" over the trails in Alaska know the name of Kollm well. He has been in the interior for years, and has gained a reputation in the north for bravery and ability. With his paintings and curios he has made more than sufficient for himself and his wife, who has accompanied him in all his travels. She went to Alaska with the first woman who ventured into the key north, and is almost as well known throughout Alaska as Kollm himself. She is said to be the first woman who walked every foot of the way from Dawson to Skagway in winter.

Kollm has led a roving life. Born in Germany fifty-three years ago, he studied painting at Berlin and Munich under the best masters of the day. When the Franco-Prussian war broke out in 71, Kollm, then only 17 years of age, volunteered for service, and went through the war, serving with such distinction that he was granted medals for conspicuous bravery. In 1873 he came to the United States. Since then he has been much on the move, finally going to Alaska in the early days of the gold excitement, where he corresponded for London newspapers.

In Alaska he is known principally as a painter. He designed the diploma of the Arctic Brotherhood, of which he has been an prominent member for years. Painting on tent-canvas, tarp, moose hides or what ever came to his hand, he found a ready sale for his work. Besides this, Kollm has done work outside

A VILLAGE HALL

Pine City is Large Enough and Should Have a Village Hall—Every town and Even Every Cross Road Has Such an Institution.

The council at their last meeting broached the subject of a village hall. This is a move in the right direction, as our village has long been in need of just such an institution. The village owns the ground from the court house to the corner where the engine house stands. Of course we understand that the village has what it calls a village hall, i. e., the old school house. But compare the hall in this place with the halls in Hinckley, Sandstone, Rush City, Rutledge, or even Rock Creek, and every citizen of the capital of the county should hang their heads with shame.

It is time we have a larger hall in this place, much larger than any hall in any of the places we have mentioned, but just the same we need a village hall.

If the village could sell the building it now uses as a village hall and on the same ground put up a fine two-story building with council chamber, justice of the peace office, hook and ladder truck room, and club room that could be used as a fireman's room on the first floor, and the second story to be fitted up with a good stage and a good dancing floor, the village would not only get the license from the shows, but all there is in it, and our citizens would have a building they could point at with pride, and say, "this is our village hall."

We earnestly hope that the council will early take steps for the construction of a building to be used as a village hall.

A Chimney Fire.

Thursday morning an alarm of fire was turned in, and upon investigation it was found that the roof around the chimney on the Jonas Gray residence, on the south end of Cross lake, was on fire. The fire ladders turned out but owing to the deep snow and the distance the engine and hose carts were not taken out. When the citizens reached the scene J. D. Wilcox, Jr., and several of the neighbors had the fire about out. The damage to the house is but slight.

The Coldest of the Season.

Sunday night was the coldest of the season, the thermometer registering as low as 32 degrees below zero, several of the pumps freezing, the one in Peter Enger's saloon freezing up and bursting. A train on the N. P. had to remain on the side track all night because it could not make the hill a mile south of town on account of the frost in the rails, and it was noon Monday before it could get away from there. The sewer from the Hotel Agnes froze up just outside of the building during Monday forenoon. The water backed up and flooded the barber shop in the basement of the hotel, and made it very disagreeable for all concerned.

Ryder Will Furnish the Music.

Don't forget that the music for the Enger's orchestra, of St. Paul, All those who like to hear good music, whether you trip the light fantastic or no, should come out and hear this celebrated orchestra. John Ryder, the leader, is an old Pine City boy, he having been born and raised in this place, until going to St. Paul with his parents, when about twelve years old. He took up the study of music and made the mandolin a specialty, on which instrument he is considered the best in the twin cities. He has gathered a number of first-class musicians, and formed what is known as Ryder's Mandolin orchestra. If you like music and wish to spend a pleasant evening attend the dance at Rath's hall on the anniversary of the birth of the Father of his country.

List of Letters

Remaining undelivered in P. O. Pine City, Minn., for week ending Feb. 20, 1906.

Mr. E. Larson.
Joe Hanson.
Persons claiming above will please say "advertised" and give date of this list. L. E. BRECKENRIDGE P. M.

PURE SEED CONTEST.

County Superintendent, R. H. Blankenship, Asks the Pupils of Pine County to Enter the Pure Seed Contest.

Pine county will enter the State Pure Seed Contest. Only pupils of the public schools of the county are eligible to enter the contest.

Full instructions, application blanks and Bulletin No. 2, are furnished pupils by the teachers, through the county superintendent.

The county contest will be held on the fair grounds during the week of the Pine county fair, under the auspices of the Pine County Fair Association. The Association offers the following cash prizes, to-wit:

Wheat—1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd prize, \$3.00; 3rd prize, \$2.00. Oats—1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00. Corn—1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00. There will be other prizes arranged for, for the same cereals, as soon as funds can be raised for the purpose.

The judges, of the grains entered, will be sent from the School of Agriculture, and if any contestant is dissatisfied with the decision, in the county contest, may send his exhibit to the State Contest to be judged.

Those who win first, second and third place respectively in each of the grains, wheat, oats and corn, in the county contest, are entitled to enter their exhibits at the State Contest, which is to be held under the auspices of Field Crops and Breeders Association next January. The prizes in the State Contest will be paid in cash. \$3,000 has been subscribed for this purpose by the grain and milling interests of Minnesota.

County Supt. Blankenship asks the co-operation of farmers, merchants, mill and real estate men throughout the county, as only by a united effort may we hope to achieve the best results.

Pupils Entertain.

This Friday afternoon the following program will be given by the Webster High School:

Essay by John Hunt
Essay by Clint Blankenship
Recitation by Edred Pennington
Recitation by Nellie Miller
Reading by Russell Bede
Debate by Agnes Stochl, Lizzie Dosey, leaders; Minnie Parish, Genevieve Lambert, seconds.
"Philo Wit" by Hattie Wright

The programs given by the High School are not only entertaining but highly instructive and the parents and friends of the school should make an effort to be present and encourage the students by their presence and show that they take an interest in their work.

The Rathbone Sisters Entertain.

Friday evening the Rathbone Sisters gave their second card party in K. of P. hall. The party was not as well attended as the first one but those present report having had a fine time. The prizes consisting of a beautiful stork pin for the head lady was awarded to Mrs. Bert Greenfield who was the successful one in the cutting of the cards she being tied with Mrs. Wm. Orgau. A pair of elegant cut buttons was given H. W. Hartle he being the successful one in the cut of cards these being reserved for the gents these being given to H. W. Hartle, S. G. L. Roberts and Robt. Wilcox. The ladies foot prize was given to Miss Louise Brackett, and was a beautiful slipper pin cushion. For the gents foot prize Geo. Sherwood and Robt. C. Saunders had to cut, and Robt. C. was the lucky man and these were distributed refreshments were served, which were partaken of with relish as the ladies of Pine City are noted for setting up good luncheons. All departed for their homes after having spent a very pleasant evening.

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 hives and Pans. You will always get the top prices.

PINE CITY FEED & SEED STORE

J. J. MADDEN

ANY FARMER

who take the trouble to figure it out will find that by grinding his own wheat he will save enough exchanging in a year to buy shoes for his whole family for that year.

We are very particular to give the best of satisfaction in grinding farmers' grain and cannot help but feel that that is the reason our business in this line is increasing.

If you will give us one trial you will be a steady customer, no matter how far you live from here.

Pine City Mill. & Elec. Co.

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AT C. H. WESTEMAN'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.

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PINE CITY FEED & SEED STORE

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Methodus was all right, you bet For a good old soul was he. They say he was living yet. Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea.

Pine Co. Pioneer.

W. P. GOTTBY, Publisher.
PINE CITY, MINN.

In 12 marriages out of every hundred one has been marred by the highest point to which a human being has ever reached without involving injury to health is 10,000 feet.

In Switzerland every male between the ages of 20 and 65 is obliged to vote, unless he is a pauper, criminal or a bankrupt.

Larson Folger, 60 years old, has lived in a house near Columbus, Ind., all his life and never was out in the open air until recently. He is always being an invalid.

It is estimated that Henry Taboarscher, who is about to retire from parliament, has spent more than \$1,000,000 in defending libel suits brought against him as editor of Truth.

One of the highest square-foot prices ever realized in New York City for land has just been paid by the Century Realty Co. for a large tract of about 50 feet south of Fifty-fourth street. The strip contains a trifle more than two square feet and brought \$1,000. It is at the rate of \$1,200,000 for a full city lot.

The historic Frigate Constitution, old and battered and unseaworthy as she is, still seems to be a little too strong for those who would destroy her. In the old days her 42 good guns, her big sails and the men that handled them, allowed "Old Ironsides" sail the seas without asking permission of the greatest of the world's naval powers. To-day the Constitution lies helpless and pitiful in the Boston navy yard.

A remarkable record for a gasoline railroad-inspection car was made by George H. Webb, chief engineer of the Michigan Central railroad. The car covered 4,347 miles, using 231 gallons of gasoline, an average of 18.7 miles per gallon. One trip, from Jackson to Allegan, 175 miles the round trip, used only 7 1/2 gallons of gasoline, which averaged 23.3 miles per gallon.

Do you throw away your old calendar? A Paris statistician has discovered that it is a mistake to do so, and, being of an economical turn of mind, has discovered further that calendars for 1906 will serve equally well for 1905. As a rule, of course, a calendar is only of use 11 years later, and leap years upsets this calculation, however. But as 1906 is allotted 365 days only, instead of 366, the days of the 1906 week fit exactly those of 1905.

The London Chronicle palliates what W. D. Howells calls the English habit of making the verb "to be" govern the accusative. The Englishman says "It is," the Englishman, "it is me." That, says the Chronicle, is the Englishman's modesty. The Frenchman says "C'est moi." No copies here or will be held. Several years were required for the preparation of the text and illustrations.

Probably the most stupendous and expensive book that ever been published since the invention of printing was issued recently. It consists of two volumes, weighing 124 pounds. It is bound in full green leather with exquisite tooling. The title is "Catalog and Investigations in Jade." The edition is limited to 100 copies, and the cost exceeds \$100,000. No copies here or will be held. Several years were required for the preparation of the text and illustrations.

The Commonwealth of Israel is a communistic society of Baptists but recently organized and located in Mason county, Texas. It aims at democracy in government and equality in all rights and privileges. Property is held in common. It has a membership of 150, Americans and English. These are said to be of fair education, and generally farmers and mechanics. Industries are carried on by the general management, under the supervision of the relation of the sexes is the same as in the outside world, marriage being permitted.

What would Pitt and Beaconsfield say could they come back, and see John Burns, the old man, the labor organizer, the union leader, a member of parliament and the London county council, received by the king as the Right Honorable John Burns, P. C., M. P., president of the local government board. In the history of British politics no more remarkable event had been recorded than that of the premier by the sovereign of this state as a member of the cabinet. The former, a man of power, of a power of ruling nations with "bold words" is an unusually very well-assessed before in Britain.

Dr. John V. Moscovitz, a leading physician of Philadelphia and president of the Medical-Chirurgical society of that city, makes the following statement on the "white" in more important cases, and that other beverages used to contain a quantity of opium. Over-indulgence in tea will also, it is said, bring a nervous headache and a bad sleep. The blood-remedy, Dr. G. P. Lyell, of Chicago, declares that the opium in more frequent than alcoholic drinks. Tea, it is said, may be very, should never be given to a growing child.

WINNERS PREPARE FOR A BIG STRIKE

OPERATORS REFUSE TO YIELD TO THEIR DEMANDS FOR INCREASED WAGES.

Mine-Workers Convention in Called. Session Decides to Hold Out for Agreement Which Will Affect All Districts.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 3.—One of the most dramatic scenes ever witnessed in a national convention of the United Mine Workers of America was the final adjournment of that body Friday afternoon after the dissolution of the joint conference of operators and miners of the central and southern districts, because of inability to reach an agreement on the wage scale. When the lusty voices of the miners mingled in the singing of "America" had subsided, an oppressive silence fell upon the assembled delegates, and as President John Mitchell solemnly pronounced the words which adjourned the seventeenth annual convention of the union, the miners expressed every possible hope of averting a gigantic industrial war without the intervention of some unexpected and powerful element. The miners marched out of the hall, their faces set with a grim determination which showed the steadfastness of purpose which has marked the history-making session just closed.

Strike Almost Certain.

The apparent determination of both operators and miners indicates that neither will make overtures to the other for further negotiations, and as indicated by the speeches of both the radicals and the conservatives both organizations on the floor of the joint conference, unless some influence which is not now foreseen, steps into the breach, 450,000 men controlled by the United Mine Workers will walk out of the mines in every section of the country on April 1. There have been intimations that some agencies, the president of the United States and the National Civic Federation—may be appealed to set in motion negotiations looking toward a settlement of the joint state agreement or at least a discussion of some possible means of bringing the operators and miners together for further negotiations. So far as known, however, there is nothing upon which to base any prediction that either the president or the Civic Federation have decided to offer their services.

The Coming Battle.

According to the figures given out by the national conference of the miners' organization, they expect the strike to bring out over 600,000 men—about 150,000 more miners in West Virginia and Pennsylvania than the 450,000 union miners. Of this number about 150,000 will be out in the anthracite districts, 85,000 in the Pennsylvania bituminous districts, 95,000 in Ohio, 17,000 in Indiana, 60,000 in Illinois, 16,000 in Iowa, 30,000 in West Virginia, 10,000 in Michigan and approximately 60,000 in Kansas, Missouri, Texas, Indian Territory and Arkansas. The state enumerated will be the scene of the greatest part of the battle.

President Mitchell estimated that four people are dependent on every miner. On this estimate a national strike such as is planned will affect over 2,000,000 people dependent on the mining industry for their daily bread. The dollar value of the total value of approximately \$2,000,000 national treasury funds by April 1. This organization now has in cash in its national treasury, including an loan treasury, \$2,679,134.42. The two funds on April 1 will probably place 500,000 cash available for strike purposes.

ASK CHIEF TO RESIGN.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—The resignation of Chief of Police Kelly's Seal—Letter Refuses to Quit and Is Suspended.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—The resignation of Chief of Police Kelly has been requested by the board of police commissioners, but refused to accede to the request. Chief Kelly said that he had written the police board, refusing to resign and demanding a trial. Pending the trial the police board suspended Chief Kelly and directed Night Chief Gallipoli to act instead and Lieut. Wilson to temporarily serve as acting night chief. The reason for the resignation of Chief Kelly's resignation was not made public. He has been suspended with the police department for 30 days.

Was Postmaster for Forty Years.

Crescent, Mo., Feb. 3.—Thomas Mitchell, postmaster at La Crescent, Minn., for 40 consecutive years, 1850 to 1890, is dead at the age of 82 years. He held office in a larger city postmaster in the United States when consecutive years are considered. At St. Louis and Chicago exhibitions he received the honor of being the oldest postmaster in the country. Square Garden court hall.

Wife-Husband Sentenced.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—James Daly, who shot and killed a 16-year-old boy, was sentenced to 10 years in the State Penitentiary for a jury in Judge Ben M. Smith's court and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Much Sugar Destroyed.

Honolulu, Feb. 3.—The Onoona sugar plantation on the island of Hawaii was partially destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. The loss was \$100,000. The total damage will amount to about \$100,000.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS.

A Very Brief Synopsis of Daily Proceedings in the Senate and House.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Discussion of the railroad rate bill continued in the house Wednesday. Incident to it two speeches, the efforts of Mr. Campbell (Kan.) and Mr. Martin, (S. D.) took a wider range and swept the horizon of "trust evils" generally. A bill was passed granting a federal charter to the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching. The fund consists of \$100,000, the income of which is to furnish a pension to retired educators.

Washington, Feb. 1.—In the senate Wednesday Senator Patterson strongly endorsed the position of the president in Santo Domingo and in the matter of the Moroccan conference. He also expressed absolute confidence in the patriotism of the president and in his good faith in announcing his determination not to again be a candidate for the presidency.

Washington, Feb. 2.—In the house Thursday the discussion of the railroad rate bill was taken up and proceeded with vigor throughout the day. So many speakers have come to the front on the measure that the session agreed to meet at 11 o'clock hereafter until the debate is ended. The feature of the debate Thursday was the lengthy speech of Mr. Sibney (Pa.) who arraigned the legislation with arguments of varied character.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The senate passed 30 or 40 miscellaneous bills and gave several hours' time to the consideration of the shipping bill. Among the bills passed was one providing for a delegate in congress from Alaska.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Oratory on the railway rate bill held the attention of the house for six hours Friday. The speakers of the day were McCull (Mass.), and Russell (Tex.) were featured, while Thomas (N. C.), Burke (S. D.) and Goulden (N. Y.) took up portions of the bill.

Washington, Feb. 3.—In the senate Friday the shipping bill was made the basis of a running debate between Senator Patterson in opposition and Senators Gallinger and Perkins in support.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Various phases of the railroad question were threshed over in the house Saturday in the course of nine speeches which occupied six one-half hour sessions. Messrs. Clayton (Pa.), Henry (Texas), Egan (Wis.), Kennedy (O.), Crumpacker (Ind.), Ellis (Mo.), Hogg (Colo.), Floyd (Mo.) and Page (N. C.) spoke.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The senate was treated to a distinct sensation Monday by Senator Patterson (Dem. Cal.), who followed up his retirement of last Saturday in opposition to the cause by introducing in the senate a resolution in effect declaring the action of the caucus to have been contrary to the intent of the United States and Pennsylvania.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Considerable fault was found with the railroad rate bill in the house Monday, considering the fact that it is a measure of both parties. Mr. Littlefield (Me.) opened the day with a whirlwind speech, in which he pointed out the drastic and far-reaching effect of its provisions. The committee, he said, had gone much farther than the president had recommended, and much farther than he was willing to go.

"LID" ON IN TERRE HAUTE.

Many Arrests Made in the Indiana City for Violation of Sunday Closing Law.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 5.—A result of the strict enforcement of the Sunday closing law, 37 offenders were arrested Sunday. Hotels, restaurants, drug stores and cigar stores were the only business houses open. Drug stores operated with reduced forces of clerks, the cigar stands were covered with red cloth, and the only business was the sale of cigars and cigarettes. Twenty-four bakers employed in the Gerhardt, Miller, Parrott and National Biscuit company's shops were arrested and subsequently released on the promise of the proprietors that they would produce the men in court this morning. In each of the shops it was shown that the proprietors had several hundred dollars involved in the preparation for Sunday night baking. One man was arrested for shining shoes and another for washing a buggy at a livery stable.

Hope and Blossom Matched.

New York, Feb. 6.—Willie Hoopie and George Blossom have settled the details for their championship billiard match. They will play a 500-point game for \$100,000 and the championship on one ball, which Hoopie won from Vignaux in Paris. The match will be at 18-ball on the billiard table in New York, and will be played March 27, at the Madison Square Garden.

Found in a Well.

Valdosta, Ga., Feb. 6.—Rev. J. C. Norton, a Baptist minister, residing here, was found dead in a well Monday night. He had jumped into the well to his neck. The water was six feet deep in the well. His coat, collar, shoes and the were found beside the well. The indications were that he had committed suicide.

The Public Debt.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt department shows that debt, less cash in treasury, amounted to \$99,254,616, which is a decrease for the month of \$2,448,072.

COMING IN PAIRS.



Well, One Would Naturally Expect the President to Favor This Sort of a Measure.

PRIEST'S HEROISM BRINGS HIS DEATH

PARTY OF STUDENTS SKATING AT LA SALLE, ILL., BREAKS THROUGH THE ICE.

Three Are Drowned—Rev. Father Simon Saves His Life Also. After Having Rescued Three Others—Tragedy at St. Bede's College.

La Salle, Ill., Feb. 5.—Father Gilbert Simon and three students of St. Bede's college met death Saturday afternoon by breaking through the ice while skating on Hackman's slough, near the college. The students drowned were Charles Reuter of Chicago, Cass Bannin of Champaign and Frank Christie of St. Louis. The priest met his death in an effort to save the boys who were under his charge. A number of students had gone to the slough to enjoy the winter sport, and ten of them passed in a group to have their water before the slough dragged him down to death. Father Simon was not in the group, but skated hurriedly to the scene and into the ice, rescuing three of the students before he sank. Reuter, who was a senior, also gave his life for others, helping two of the boys out of the water before he was dragged down to death. Father Simon, who had been in his short residence here had endeared himself to the students.

BALLOON CROSSES CHANNEL

Successful Flight of an Airship from London to Bermouville, France.

London, Feb. 5.—The balloon of the Aero club, which left London Saturday afternoon for France, and was sighted from Gasborough pier moving seaward, successfully crossed the English channel and descended in safety at Bermouville, 20 miles inland in France. The entire time consumed from London to the place of descent was four hours and ten minutes. The occupants of the balloon were Messrs. Pollock and Dale, who are members of the Aero club of the United Kingdom. The name of the balloon is the Vivienne III. A strong northwest gale was blowing during the passage across the channel, which was made in an hour and three-quarters. Once the balloon ascended to 10,000 feet, when a snowstorm was encountered and the entire airship was encrusted with frost.

NINE PERISH BY FIRE.

Terrible Result of the Burning of a Home for the Aged in France.

Remnes, Feb. 5.—All the buildings of the Home of the Aged in the Faubourg de Paris built by the Little Sisters of the Poor, were destroyed by fire Sunday night. Nine bodies have been found in the ruins. Three women died from fright. Chaplain Stevo, while attempting to save the inmates of the home, fell and was seriously injured.

Grant to Be Major-General.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The president has selected Brig. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, commanding the department of the east, with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York, to be promoted to the grade of major general, if the war department is not reorganized. The appointment of Maj. Gen. Sumner, February 6.

Death of Lady Grey.

London, Feb. 5.—Lady Grey, wife of Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister, who sustained a concussion of the brain by being thrown from her trap two other children were buried to death. Mrs. Grey had not recovered from her illness and suffered severely from exposure to the cold and myrtle.

Mount Vesuvius in Eruption.

Naples, Feb. 6.—Mount Vesuvius is in eruption from a fissure 400 meters in length on the right side of the mountain. It is a magnificent sight.

NERVOUS WOMEN

Their Sufferings Are Usually Due to Female Disorders Perhaps Unsuspected

A MEDICINE THAT CURES



Nothing will relieve this distressing condition and prevent months of prostration and suffering so surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The relation of the nerves and generative organs in woman is so close that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous debility, the blues, sleeplessness and nervous irritability arise from some derangement of the organs which make up the woman. Fits of depression or restlessness and irritability; spirits easily affected, so that one minute she laughs, the next minute weeps; pain in the abdominal region and between the shoulders; loss of voice; nervous tremors; a tendency to cry at the least provocation—all these point to nervous prostration.

Nothing will relieve this distressing condition and prevent months of prostration and suffering so surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. M. E. Shotwell, of 103 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes: "I have experienced a wonderful relief. I have been troubled by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, backache, headache, loss of appetite, I could not sleep and would walk the floor almost every night. The relief doctors and got no better, and life was a burden. I was advised to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am a well woman, my nervousness is all gone and my friends and I look like young people."

Will not the volumes of letters from women made strong by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound convince all women of its value? Surely you will want to remain sick, weak and discouraged, exhausted each day, when you can be as easily cured as other women.

BOTANICAL BITS.

Plants are said to grow faster between the hours of four and six a. m. than at any other time.

Colistachy, a weed, well dried, were used in England prior to the introduction of tobacco.

The passion-flower, which grows in the South American forests, fades almost as soon as it is picked.

Sea weeds do not obtain nourishment from the soil at the bottom of the sea, but from the matter contained in sea water.

WISPS OF WIT.

Nobody should look anxious except those who have anxiety.

A man may be what he thinks he is and not what he seems to be.

What we call the heart is a nervous sensation, like shyness, which gradually disappears in society.

Be frank and explicit. That is the right line to take when you wish to conceal your own mind and to confuse that of others.

OUNDS THE SAME.

A Canadian critic says that Mr. Henry James, who has been finding fault with American common speech, is a dogmatist. That's kinder than calling him curmudgeon.

WINTER WEAKNESS

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Blood and Nerves.

In winter the air of the close rooms in which we spend so much of the time does not furnish enough oxygen to the lungs and heart, and the result is shown in the blood. In the cold season we do not exercise as much and the skin and kidneys do not throw off the waste matter as freely as usual. The blood becomes encrusted with poisonous matter, and too feeble to throw it off. Relief can be had only through the use of a remedy that will promptly and thoroughly purify and strengthen the blood, and the one best adapted for this purpose is the great blood tonic known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"They acted like magic in my case," said Mrs. Clara L. Wilde of No. 377 Fairview avenue, Detroit, Mich. "I was weak and thin and could not sleep. My stomach and nerves were out of order. I can't describe the relief I really was. I dragged through six months of feebleness, growing weaker all the time until I had had strength enough to leave my bed."

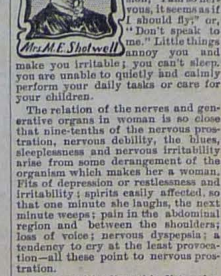
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Their Sufferings Are Usually Due to Female Disorders Perhaps Unsuspected

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The relation of the nerves and generative organs in woman is so close that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous debility, the blues, sleeplessness and nervous irritability arise from some derangement of the organs which make up the woman. Fits of depression or restlessness and irritability; spirits easily affected, so that one minute she laughs, the next minute weeps; pain in the abdominal region and between the shoulders; loss of voice; nervous tremors; a tendency to cry at the least provocation—all these point to nervous prostration.

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BOTANICAL BITS.

Plants are said to grow faster between the hours of four and six a. m. than at any other time.

Colistachy, a weed, well dried, were used in England prior to the introduction of tobacco.

The passion-flower, which grows in the South American forests, fades almost as soon as it is picked.

Sea weeds do not obtain nourishment from the soil at the bottom of the sea, but from the matter contained in sea water.

WISPS OF WIT.

Nobody should look anxious except those who have anxiety.

A man may be what he thinks he is and not what he seems to be.

What we call the heart is a nervous sensation, like shyness, which gradually disappears in society.

Be frank and explicit. That is the right line to take when you wish to conceal your own mind and to confuse that of others.

OUNDS THE SAME.

A Canadian critic says that Mr. Henry James, who has been finding fault with American common speech, is a dogmatist. That's kinder than calling him curmudgeon.

WINTER WEAKNESS

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News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

Jacob J. Folsom spent Sunday in the twin cities.

H. W. Harte departed on Wednesday noon for the cities.

John S. Patrick, of Hinckley, spent Wednesday in the county seat.

The meanness and narrowness of some people is beyond comprehension.

The Woman's Reading club will meet with Miss Kate Barnum on Monday evening.

H. Iverson, of Carlton, spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting friends in this place.

Noel Hallstrom, of Rutledge, made his annual visit to the county seat Tuesday, and paid his taxes.

Wm. Ellison, who left here about three months ago, returned to this place on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Rebecca Hay visited the fore part of the week with her sister, Mrs. E. L. Stephan, at Hinckley.

Joe Hurley departed Wednesday morning for Grantsburg in the interests of Hurley Bros., of St. Paul.

E. L. Freeman, town clerk of the new town of Munch, was a visitor at the county capital the fore part of the week.

Mrs. D. Greeley went to St. Paul Wednesday to attend the biennial convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

G. H. Cunningham, the prosperous merchant of Sturgeon Lake, was a county seat visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

The Degree of Honor, to the number of about 30 tendered Mrs. J. D. Vaughan a pleasant surprise on Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. H. Taylor, two and a half miles south of town.

Erick Collin, our popular butter-maker, drove over to Greeley on Saturday evening to spend Sunday. He returned Sunday evening.

Jas. Hurley, who was injured by falling on the sidewalk a couple of weeks ago, is improving as rapidly as could be expected considering the nature of the injury.

Mrs. Frank Drimel, who resides five miles northeast of this place, on the Meadow Lawn road, departed for Owatonna on Saturday last, to visit with relatives and friends.

The Atwood Lumber Co. at Willow River are in need of a number of good cut-bank men who can secure work for the winter by applying at either Willow River or Duquette, Pine county.

The following have applied at the clerk of court's office this week for license to wed: Vincent Parish, of Sandstone and Elizabeth M. McKay, of Groningen; John Mireski and Mary Jamrowski, and Paul Hador and Agnes Vaitzak, of Sturgeon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. M. R. Webster departed yesterday for Florida. They will stop for some time at Jacksonville, and then go on to Altoona, where Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. Webster will remain until warm weather, but Mr. Hodge will only be away about four weeks. We wish them a pleasant trip and hope the change of climate will be beneficial to Mrs. Hodge.

E. W. Safford, of Mora, representing the DeWitt Seltz Furniture Co., of Duluth, was a visitor in this place on Wednesday morning. While in town he made the Pioneer a pleasant call. Mr. Safford is an old newspaper man, and ran the Kanabec County Times for fourteen years. He has been in the furniture business at Mora since selling his newspaper some eleven years ago, until the first of the year, when he went to work for the above named firm. We wish him every success in his new venture.

At a meeting of the Fire department, held at their hall on Tuesday evening, all the arrangements were completed for the grand ball to be given in Rath's hall Thursday evening, the 22d inst. The firemen have a reputation for giving first-class dancing parties, and intend to make this one as good as the best. The supper will be served by Mrs. Robert Wilcox, which is sure to be good, as Mrs. Wilcox has always furnished the suppers for all dances given by the fire laddies, and has always given the best of satisfaction.

A farewell party was tendered Miss Marie Asplund at the Holmgr at residence last Friday evening, at which a goodly number of our young people were present. Their attending report having had a fine time.

This (Friday) evening will occur the next dancing party given at the Hotel Agnes. These parties have gained the reputation of being first-class in every particular, and are very much enjoyed by the dance going public.

Bert Greenfield departed Tuesday for Forest Lake to fix the telephone wires for the long distance telephone Co. Mrs. Greenfield accompanied him as far as Forest Lake and then went through to Minneapolis to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Augusta Vlasak, wife of Anton Vlasak, died of consumption, at their residence 6 miles east of Beroun on Monday, Feb. 5th, 1906. She was born in Bohemia 33 years ago. She was buried from the Catholic church at Beroun yesterday, with interment in the Beroun cemetery.

Carl Brandes drove to Overman's, about five miles southeast of Rush City on the Government road, Tuesday morning, to spend the night when he returned to Rush City Wednesday and took in the Fair. His object in taking in the Fair was to purchase a horse to take the place of the one he recently lost.

At a meeting of the Common Council held Monday evening the feasibility of a village hall was talked over, as well as the fixing of the bridge over Snake river at this place. The bridge has been a source of expense to the village ever since it has been built, as there has had to be repairs put on it every year.

A sleigh ride and party out to the residence of Chas. Stephan was enjoyed by the school teachers and a number of the high school scholars, on last Friday evening. The sleigh ride was voted a grand success. Luncheon was served and the merry young folk returned to their homes about 12 o'clock having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Dr. Benj. Swartout, the dentist, will make his next visit to Pine City on the 20th inst, and can be found at his dental parlors in the Rybak block from the 20th of February until the 7th or 8th of March. The doctor had decided to make this place his home town and will spend the most of his time here. On his next visit he will have a telephone put in his office, which will be a great convenience for both the doctor and his patients.

Martin Eriksson, of Superior, Wis., came down on Friday last and went out to his farm about seven miles east of this place on the St. Croix road. Martin has charge of a steam shovel on the Great Northern, and has his home in Superior, but has a good farm east of here and came down to pay his taxes and fix up some other matters. While in town he made the Pioneer a pleasant call, "dropping a nickel in the slot" and therefore will keep posted on what is going on in Pine county, and especially in this immediate vicinity.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for cough and whooping cough, contains no opiates, and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. For sale at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

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FOR SALE—Three or four good milk cows. All four are springers. Inquire of Mrs. J. Adam Bole, Pine City, Minn.

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Valentines at the Drug Store. "Break the news to mother!" tell her that she takes no risks with Breckenridge's Cough Cure.

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FOR THE FARMER

Bulletin by Supr. A. J. Meekins of the N. E. Experiment Station
Featured weekly in The Pioneer

MEADOW AND PASTURE

The one thing which, above all others, that recommends Northern Minnesota as a farming section is the adaptability to growing feed for live stock, and especially clover. Clover grows naturally, as may be seen along the railroads, and through the trails in the woods. Where the ground is broken clover eventually comes. When properly cultivated it produces from two to three tons per acre at a single cutting. One and one-half tons is not an uncommo yield for the second cutting. It makes permanent pasture when not fed down too close, as it re-seeds itself.

Clover, being a plant which builds up the soil fertility, and as a feed for live stock, is one of the most valuable, a country capable of growing it should need no other recommendation.

From fifteen to twenty acres of clover is grown on the Experiment Farm every year. It is most generally sown with oats, and while oats is considered a poor nurse crop, no trouble whatever is experienced in getting a catch. The field system practiced is to cut two crops the first year, one crop the second year and pasture the second growth and plow up, using the field the following year for fodder corn or potatoes. It is found to be most profitable to not use an upland meadow more than two years. By rotating clover with the other farm crops much better results are obtained.

Timothy is also grown in connection with clover for meadow. Clover and timothy have been found to be the two reliable and best adapted tame grasses for meadow for this section of the state. Bromus is being grown, and this past year alfalfa made a splendid showing; but, as yet, nothing definite can be said in regard to their usefulness for this section.

On low ground alsike clover and red top have given the best results for permanent meadow.

For summer pastures the cut-over lands give very good results. Kentucky blue grass and white clover

very readily take hold in the pasture when the wild nature of the sod is all subdued.

The only means of realizing profit from the cut over lands before they are gotten under cultivation is through pasturing. Steers come in from these pastures in the fall fit for the block, while the dairy cows bring in a nice little profit at each milking.

Furthermore, the pasturing of this land tends to prepare it for cultivation. The sod is broken to a certain extent and much of its wild nature is removed.

As a substitute to the wild pasture the tame meadow may be pastured to good advantage previous to breaking up. A. J. M.

GRASSTON.

H. L. Wallace was a county seat caller on Thursday.

Clarence Peterson spent Sunday with his brother Ed, at Cornell.

W. M. Tucker is holding down the job of tail Sawyer in the J. B. Sower saw mill.

Chas. and Arthur LaTourelle spent Sunday with Wm. Peters of the Jarvis Bay road.

G. B. Nightingale is busy getting out logs to be cut into lumber for the erection of a new barn.

Jos. Auer, who purchased the J. T. Miller property at Jarvis bay is busily engaged this winter in getting out wood for next summer's consumption.

Harry and Albert Cummings have been employed during the past week in getting out and putting up the ice for the use of the Tuxedo club next summer.

J. B. Sowers, of Brookpark, has moved his sawmill from the Park to Jarvis bay, and is having a fine run of work. The mill is kept going to its fullest capacity from Monday morning until Saturday night, and Mr. Sower is turning out a fine grade of lumber.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. J. Y. Breckenridge has it for sale.

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A Thousand Dollars Thrown Away.

Mr. W. W. Baker, of Plainville, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar, which I did, and thanks be to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it."

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A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the barony cough of croup which sounds like the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Coetzer, of Mankington, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. For sale at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

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