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H. H. SPAHR DEAD

An Old Resident of Pine City Called Home Sunday Morning by the Infirmities of Old Age.

Sunday, June 17th, 1906, at 1:30 a. m., occurred the death of Henry H. Spahr, at the residence of his grand daughters, the Misses Grimm. His death was not unexpected as he had been very low for some time past. The cause of his demise was old age. Henry H. Spahr was born in Holstein, Germany, July 25th, 1830.

He came to this country in 1880, and settled in St. Peter, locating in Pine City a year and a half later. His wife died 15 years ago. He is survived by two children, Mrs. Boris Heilmann, of Greeley, Iowa, and Henry Spahr of this place. Besides these are his grand-daughters, Mrs. Henry Glasew, Misses Alvina and Anna Grimm.

The funeral services were held at the German Lutheran church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Huebner officiating, and the remains were laid to rest in Birchwood cemetery.

TWO JUNE BRIDES

Michael Buckley and Herman Schmidt become Benedicts—Misses Louise and Lena Schwartz the Brides

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schwartz, of Roylton town, gained two sons through the marriage of their daughters, Misses Louise and Lena.

In the morning Miss Louise Schwartz was wedded in the Catholic rectory. The ceremony occurred at 9:30, and was performed by Rev. Fr. Koerner. Miss Annie Boesh and John Buckley acted as bridesmaid and groomsmen.

At 2:30 p. m. Miss Lena Schwartz became the bride of Herman Schmidt, the wedding occurring in the German Lutheran parsonage. Rev. Huebner was the officiating clergyman. Misses Theresa Engler and Mary Boesh and Messrs. Henry Schwartz and George Kick stood up with the principals.

The wedding festivities were celebrated at the home of the bride's parents.

All of the contracting parties are well and favorably known. Michael Buckley is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Buckley, of Pine town. Herman Smith is a rising young farmer residing on his farm in Pine town. They have the esteem of their many friends. May they live long and prosper with the worthy young ladies whom they have won.

The Pioneer tender best wishes and congratulations.

Not a Nail Order Dollar.

There was a wise man in our town and he was wondrous wise; he marked a paper dollar and gave it all to "Lize." She went to see the butcher and she blew the dollar in; it wasn't long before the coin came back again to him. He took it to a merchant and bought a pair of shoes for Jane—before the week was over it came back to him again; he spent the coin in our town full fifty times or more, but he always got it back again and spent it over and over, but when he sent the dollar off to a mail order store it was gone for good—forever, and he never saw it more.—Stevens Point Journal.

GOOD ROADWAY

The Teich Brothers Do Much for the Betterment of Roads in Their Neighborhood in Pokegama Town.

Good roadways are indispensable to good business and the farmers of this county who are making good roads NOW are the pioneers whose labors will not have been in vain. There are a great many people in every district everywhere who say, or at least think, like the old Roman governor, Gallo of Ephesus; they "care for none of these things."

Some very commendable road making has been going on just a mile north of Pine City. The strip of new roadway is in front of the properties of the Teich brothers, and is just a half a mile long. The road has been widened and ditches dug on either side. Dirt has been thrown up in the center with a gradual slope to the sides. The job was under the supervision of Herman Teich and was done by an Austin-Western grader which is the property of Pokegama town. More of this work is being planned for Pokegama town and Mr. Teich will use his traction engine for hauling the grader. The work in the Teich district was mostly gratis, and Messrs. Teich are deserving of much credit for their public spiritedness. Next year the road will be worked over again and promises to be one of the best highways in the county.

Wilke Resort Opened

Last Saturday evening was the time selected for the opening of the Island Hotel and summer resort on Indian Island at Pokegama lake. Manager Jos. Wilke and assistants had made elaborate preparations for the reception of guests, and the large crowd that thronged to the delightful summer retreat was thoroughly satisfied with the entertainment offered.

A good conservative estimate of the number present was about 250. A large number of those present went from Pine City in launches and steamboats via the Simous Snake. In fact, nearly all the power boats from this place were in commission and they were filled from stem to stern with pleasure seekers.

Stumme's musicians were present and their playing was conducive to the awakening of the mirth-makers' association, which made all gliders glide fantastically till luncheon time rolled around at about 11 p. m. After luncheon a majority of the large party present bid au revoir to their delightful surroundings in order to "catch their car" and make their presence known to Morpheus, the sleep king.

The hotel and summer resort on the island is an admirable place, and the initial outing, that of Saturday evening, was but a forerunner of the popularity which it will surely derive under its present management.

Business Change

An important business change has been made in the commercial circles of Pine City this week. D. Greeley has sold his hardware store to J. LaPage, of Elmwood, Wis. Inventory is now being made of the stock and the store is closed pending the completion of the work. The store will be re-opened for business next week. Mr. Greeley became owner of the business several years ago when he purchased the same from the Wiseman brothers, and he has enjoyed a lucrative business. Mr. LaPage is a man of extensive experience in the hardware trade, and that he will be successful is a foregone conclusion. Watch for his advertisements in this paper.

W. D. Hogan, while at work in the sawmill at Kerriek, last Friday, was hit in the arm by a bolt from the lathe. The wound received, while not dangerous, is painful, and Mr. Hogan is obliged to rest for a time.—Hinchley Enterprise.

J. J. Pilsom went to Taylors Falls Friday to visit with relatives for a few days.

The Fourth of July

is an important date and you are not likely to forget it. Also don't forget that we have a liberal supply for sale of

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PROGRAMME as arranged for the Pine City celebration JULY FOURTH 1906

MORNING

Parade will form at corner of A. Biederman's blacksmith shop at 9:30 a. m., and will parade the principal streets of Pine City. Prizes will be offered for the following, viz—

\$10 for the Best Float. \$4.00 for the 2nd Best Float. \$5.00 for the Most Comic. \$3.00 for 2nd Best Comic.

11:15 a. m. Tug of War between farmers of Pine and Pokegama towns—Prize \$5.00
11:30 a. m. Climbing Greased Pole—Prize \$3.00 11:45 a. m. Catching Greased Pig—Prize, the pig

AFTERNOON

1:30 Speaking by Hon. W. E. Calkin of Duluth.
2:15 Potato Race 1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd prize, \$1.00
2:30 Men's Foot Race. Best two out of three heats. 1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00
2:45 Boys Foot Race. 1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd, \$1.00
3:00 Girls Foot Race. 1st " 2.00; " 1.00
3:15 Humping Broad Jump. 1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd, \$1.00
3:30 Back Race. 1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd, \$1.00

3:45 Ball Game
7:15 Log Rolling Contest. 1st prize, \$5.00; 2nd, \$2.00
7:30 Stettow Race. 1st prize, \$7.00; 2nd, \$3.00

Grand display of Fire Works and Naval Battle at dusk.
Dance in Rath's Hall at night under auspices of Fire Dept. Music by Ryder's (St. Paul) Orchestra.

There is room for all on Pine City's wagon of mirth. Get on and observe the Fourth of July in style befitting the day

FLOUR GOLDEN LINK

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We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Flour, Feed, Coarse grains and Ground Feeds, and Seeds of all kinds.

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We are always in the market for Live Stock and Produce.

MADDEN'S FEED & SEED STORE PINE CITY, MINN.

News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

C. E. Carrier went to Kerrick on business Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Lambert spent Sunday at Rush City.

Miss Lillian Ellis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Kendall.

See the Fourth of July program on the first page of this issue.

Robt. McCune, of St. Paul, was the guest of Robt. Harjo Sunday.

Ed Claggett, of St. Paul, formerly of Princeton, was in town Wednesday.

Miss Gladys Buttrick, of Hinckley, visited with friends in this place a few hours Wednesday.

Mrs. Abbie Francis H. Church, will speak in the M. E. church on Sunday evening at 8 p. m.

Chas. Elmquist, the popular county attorney of Chicago county, was here from Rush City Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Nason and little boy arrived from Elkhart River, Minn. Wednesday and are guests at the Glanville residence.

A. Pennington and daughter, Sadie, returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives at Stillwater and Afton.

Mrs. Jas. McGroty and daughter, arrived from St. Paul Monday to spend a two weeks visit with A. Kneible and family.

Friday evening, July 6th, the pupils of Miss Jessamine Allen will give a piano recital in the assembly room of the school house.

Gustave Sandberg, of Kerrick, was here Tuesday on business relating to the administration of the estate of the late Erick Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Spearing arrived here Wednesday. Mr. Spearing is employed as time keeper with the work train crew which is now at Barou.

A son came to grace the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glasow Wednesday. All concerned are doing well, and Henry is feeling as rare as a day in June.

Mrs. G. H. White is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson. Next week she departs for Wadena where she and her husband will go to housekeeping.

Fred Redlich and assistant, Ben Kellner, the painters and paper hangers, have just completed decorating the residences of R. J. Hawley, A. Biederman and Chas. Glanville.

E. M. Hanzlik left for Two Harbors Wednesday to accept a position in the First State Bank of that place. He has been employed in the Pine City State Bank for the past six weeks.

L. H. McKusick and family and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bassfort and Miss Pat Bassfort, enjoyed an outing at the Island Hotel and Summer Resort at Pokegama Lake last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary E. L. McGhee, of St. Paul, was in town Saturday and purchased a piece of lake front land at Pokegama lake from Ivar Stunne. He will build a summer home for himself and family.

Frank Horgan arrived from Duluth Saturday to visit with his wife and children who have been visiting at the Jas. Madden home for some time past. Tuesday they returned to their home at Duluth.

Mrs. James J. M. Collins and J. E. Norstrom were initiated into the mysteries of the Rathbone Sisters Tuesday evening. A delightful social session marked the close of the evening's solemnities and gaieties.

Mrs. Carl Bodly leaves today for Minneapolis to visit until Sunday when she will depart for her home at Huron, S. D. She has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glanville, for the past two weeks.

Matt Hurley returned from Minneapolis Sunday morning. He has completed his course in the law department of the state university and after a post graduate course expects to locate somewhere as an expounder of Blackstone.

During a storm at Duluth Wednesday morning John Axtell, formerly of this place, was struck by lightning and Fred Sherrick was called to take his place for the Zenith Phone Co. John resumed his work later in the day, however, so it is presumed that nothing serious resulted.

Rev. Bain Parish, was here visiting his parents Tuesday. He was graduated from the Hamline University this spring, and has charge of the Methodist Episcopal church at North Branch and Harris.

Mrs. J. D. Vaughan gave a six o'clock dinner Wednesday in honor of Martin and Frank Hurley. They are, respectively, alumnus of the state university and the Pine City high school, receiving their sheep skins this spring.

Property improvement is a natural habit with some people and Ed Madden is one who has had the habit all these years. He is now having a cement sidewalk laid in front of his abiding place. John Gross and assistants are doing the work.

Mrs. N. A. Crittenden and daughter Gertrude, arrived from Minneapolis Saturday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Payne and family. Mrs. Crittenden returned to her home in Minneapolis Monday, but Miss Gertrude will remain to visit for a couple of weeks.

Messrs. George Parisi, of Carlton, and John Parish, of Wyoming, arrived Monday to visit with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Parish. The former was accompanied by Chester Barnum, from Cloquet, who will spend the summer with his grand-parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnum.

Word has been received here announcing the escape of Wm. Connor from the Fergus Falls hospital. The letter states that he broke through the iron screening of his cell on the 8th street and made good his escape. This is his fourth attempt to skip, having been captured and reincarcerated three times.

Fred Spearing, Wm. Schmebl, Frank Sommers and Jas. Heywood came down from Hinckley to spend Sunday. They are at present a part of the crew which is laying the heavy steel rails along the N. P. railway. Fred Spearing having charge of the same. The crew consists of 115 men and are now at Barou.

Chas. Laling, who is now a traveling salesman for a New York fur and cloak company, spent the first of the week with his family in this place. His territory consists of points in the Dakotas and the Iron Range country. He is meeting with much success in his new vocation, a fact which his friends will be pleased to learn.

Since it has been made clear that the mail papers in Chicago allow the smell to get away the school board of Pine City has been up and doing and this week extra coil pipes have been added to the ventilating works at the local tabernacle of learning, and the work of Smith, The Hardware Man, is in evidence. The work is well done and is warranted to stand some very strong gales.

While enroute for the Wilke opening at Pokegama last Saturday evening the tug, "Dirty Boss" ran into a fallen telephone wire at the mouth of the lake. The wire happened to strike Mrs. Herbert Akin, severely injuring her about the neck and shoulders. She was thrown by the force of the blow and her back also sustained injuries from which she has since been quite ill. Passengers on the boat cut the wire so that other boats could pass with safety.

The dam was shut down for a few hours Saturday morning in order to hold back the logs and during those few hours the sturgeon spears below the dam were in their element. Over sixty of the big bruisers were nailed. Carl Trippler succeeded in spearing a fine lot of them, two weighing at least fifty pounds apiece. Henry Hessler was also there and through his skillful manipulation of the spear got a diamond size ones. J. Bennett Smith, the copper king secured one of the sturgeon which weighed 29 pounds.

Geo. O. Walton, traveling passenger agent for the C. M. & St. P. railway, was in town Monday. Right after dinner Agent J. A. Peterson treated Mr. Walton and the PIONEER representative to a launch ride. The afternoon was particularly fine for boating and the "Jap," under the guidance of Blaine Peterson, cruised majestically up Snake river and into Pokegama lake where it was swung around for the homeward journey. Mr. Walton evinced much pleasure upon seeing the sights of Nature which spring anew at each bend in the river, and he is now a firm witness in favor of the outing facilities of historic Pokegama and the natural beauties along our water ways. He left for Duluth on the "limited" Monday.

Popular Specials.

Butter and Eggs wanted at the Bargain Store.

Wanted—Men and teams for ditch work. For particulars enquire at this office. 53.

Eastern cane, fine Standard Granulated Sugar 15 pounds for \$1.00 at the Big Store.

Two pounds of regular 20c coffee for 35c at Wiley's.

Horton's Studio for photos. Studio open every Tuesday and Wednesday.

Post Cards, views of various villages, pictures of local pretty places. Helps to advertise our village. Two for a nickel at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

A. I. C. high-grade coffees, Famous for their Strength, Flavor and Heavy value at the Bargain Store.

Lost or stolen—June 9th, from the Hotel Agnes, a black overcoat, medium size with belt across back. Please leave same at this office for reward.

Stamp photos, Horton's Studio.

A full line of staple groceries at the Bargain Store.

Eastern cane, fine Standard Granulated Sugar 100 pounds for \$5.00 at the Big Store.

E. J. Hallin, eyesight specialist, will be at Hotel Agnes Saturday, June 26th, till 4 p. m.

Watch for Claggett's rental notices in this column.

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If you have a house or farm to sell or rent, or rooms to let, see I. H. CLAGGETT.

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Come in and see our brand new outfit for ladies portraiture. You know the place. It's up stairs. SEELEY, the Photographer.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in P. O. Pine City, Minn., for week ending June 10, 1906.

Charles J. Lane 2, Earl Chide.

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

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J. W. AXTELL, PINE CITY, MINN.

Attend

the PINE CITY FAIR

Tuesday,

JUNE 26, 1906.

