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### TRAINING SCHOOL NOW IN SESSION IN PINE CITY

Over Fifty are Enrolled at the Training School for Teachers of Pine and Kanabec Counties—Attendees Enthusiased Over Work and Much Good Will Result—Able Corps of Instructors are Employed.

As has been mentioned in the PIONEER heretofore, the training school for the counties of Pine and Kanabec opened at the high school in our city last Thursday. The school will continue for four weeks and before 'tis o'er the teachers of the counties mentioned will know more about training the young mind than they ever knew before.

The school is fortunate in having a number of excellent instructors. They are, Miss Kate M. Kraus, of Hastings; Supt. E. J. Montgomery, of Montevideo; and Supt. F. J. Sperry, of Anoka. The latter is conducting the school. Mrs. Sperry has charge of the general exercise period in the morning. These exercises consist of music and physical culture drill. She also has a class in water color work during the afternoon.

Nearly all of the students are enthusiastic in the work and have already shown by the interest displayed that they are here to take every advantage of the periods offered.

The attendance is up to the average, and up to yesterday fifty-two had registered, as follows:

Gertrude Clover, Harris.  
Anna Northrup, Willow River.  
Nettie Miller, Pine City.  
Genevieve Haddock, Pine City.  
Clara Nantz, Pine City.  
Anna C. Doney, Pine City.  
Hobbie Johnson, Brainerd.  
Max Bates, Finlandson.  
I. Martha Yngve, Mora.  
Emma Anderson, Sturgeon Lake.

**PROGRAM.**

7:40 Geography.	Miss Kraus.	Arithmetic.	Mr. Montgomery.
8:20 Physiology.	Grammar.	History.	
9:00 Physical Geography.	GENERAL EXERCISES.		
9:25 Grammar II.	General Instruction.		
10:00 Spelling.	Penmanship.		
10:45 Reading.	Reading.		
11:25	IMMERSAL.		

**Make Final Proof.**

Yesterday was a busy day in Clerk of Court Hall's office, when eight of Pine county's settlers made final proof in support of their homesteads. The gentlemen who proved up, are: John C. Koch, Charles Sauer, John

Hattie Leppink, Hinckley.  
Ella Danforth, Sandstone.  
Tilda Johnson, Brainerd.  
Andrew Judin, Cambridge.  
Elma E. Chmelke, Pine City.  
Antoinette Hillbraud, Sturgeon Lake.  
Maude H. Walker, Sandstone.  
Clara Kirkpatrick, Hinckley.  
Christine J. Yngve, Mora.  
Ellen E. Anderson, Sturgeon Lake.  
Alice Davis, Brainerd.  
Mamie Erickson, Rock Creek.  
Lillie Reinholdson, Sandstone.  
M. Alice Wright, Pine City.  
Margaret Corrie, Pine City.  
Janice Parson, Rush City.  
Delilah Erickson, Rock Creek.  
Mac Alderman, Brookpark.  
Ida Johnson, Rush City.  
Pearl Lovejoy, Sandstone.  
Lucy Neville, Pine City.  
Emma Gordhaver, Sandstone.  
Anna Anasum, Pine City.  
Birdie Arne, Ogilvie.  
Fred Christie, Brainerd.  
William Lahodny, Pine City.  
Jennie Swedensborg, Pine City.  
Myrtle Ritchie, Sandstone.  
Hattie Wright, Pine City.  
Hattie Morton, Partridge.  
Lucy Miller, Brookpark.  
Annie Nelson, Rush City.  
Collie Lee, Rush City.  
Bertha Hease, Brookpark.  
Birdie Krans, Hastings.  
Alma Bevon, Mora.  
Cyril M. Hovorka, Beroun.  
Lydia Westrom, Mora.  
Dora Williams, Hinckley.  
Ernest Grönk, Brainerd.  
Earl Parsons, Brookpark.

The daily program, together with the instructors in the different subjects, is as follows:

C. Hahnborn, James H. Franklin, Peter Lilleborg, Albert Toeng, George H. Dilers, Oscar E. Johnson. Each furnished reliable witnesses and had no trouble in securing titles. The lands secured lie in the north-eastern part of the county.

### CITIES AGAINST HOME

Object of the Catalogue is to Drive the Home Merchant out of Business.

The farmer has seen many changes in the manner of the controlling and the conducting of business in the past few years. From the tiller of the soil being able to control the markets of grain, that power has slipped from him until it is manipulated by the grain operator of large cities. He is uncertain as to whether he will receive adequate compensation for his efforts. The latest effort in the concentration of business in cities is to take from the farmer and residents of the smaller towns their opportunity to buy their necessities at home and require them to send their money to cities. Perhaps the strongest factor in this direction of home markets is the concern known as catalogue houses. Their aim is, if possible, drive the retail merchants located in the towns and residents of the smaller towns their opportunity to buy their necessities at home and require them to send their money to cities. Perhaps the strongest factor in this direction of home markets is the concern known as catalogue houses. Their aim is, if possible, drive the retail merchants located in the towns and residents of the smaller towns their opportunity to buy their necessities at home and require them to send their money to cities. Perhaps the strongest factor in this direction of home markets is the concern known as catalogue houses. Their aim is, if possible, drive the retail merchants located in the towns and residents of the smaller towns their opportunity to buy their necessities at home and require them to send their money to cities.

### FIVE MAIL ROUTES

Country Tributary to Pine City Now Properly Thoroughly Covered by Free Mail Delivery Routes.

On the second day of this month mail delivery on Route No. 5 went into effect and now nearly every nook and corner in this vicinity is covered by rural free delivery.

Eugene Wilcox is the carrier on the newly organized route which covers territory in Pine and Rock Creek towns. The route benefits the settlement south of the Snake river along the Hill road to about nine miles east of Pine City.

The salary of each mail carrier is \$60.00 per month, which is a total of \$300.00 per month for the five who make this place their headquarters. The carriers on the several routes are: Chas. Stephan, No. 1; Jonas Gray, No. 2; Walter Stephan, No. 3; D. B. Redding, No. 4; Eugene Wilcox, No. 5.

### Commissioners Convene

The board of county commissioners met in regular session at the court house Monday and transacted the usual amount of business. All were present, as follows: Chairman, Clough Johnson, Parish and Ives. J. F. Foster, of Rock Creek, had been appointed to fill the place vacated by Ira Westcott and he was also present.

New school districts were formed upon due application, as follows: Dist. 71, town of Partridge; Dist. 72, town of Munch; Dist. 73, town of Chugwatana.

The board cancelled all unpaid personal property tax that they deemed not collectable. Twenty-four names were submitted for penalty. And taxes were levied for the ensuing year.

The sum of \$325.00 was appropriated for the bridge which is to cross Snake river near Graston. A road and bridge fund amounting to \$5,000 was divided between the different towns in the county.

The board adjourned Tuesday, and will meet again on Monday, the 16th inst, as the county board of equalization.

### When Sun and Cyclist are Scorching

we always expect a demand for something suggestive of icebergs. Our



**North Pole Phosphate**

meets the demand. Cold as ice can make it. Nerve-bracing, thirst-quenching and refreshing

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When you are in need of Lumber, Building Material, or Sewer Pipe, consult Dan Payne. He is always there to dish you out the stuff at the right prices.

### An Expression of Sympathy.

The members of Emily J. Stone Circle, No. 16 Ladies of the G. A. O. take this method of tendering their heartfelt sympathy to the relatives of our deceased sister, Mary Potter, in their sad affliction.

Truly we live in a world where solemn shadows are continually falling upon our path, and death has removed from our midst one who was always active and zealous in her work; ever prompt to advance the interests of our order, devoted to its welfare and prosperity. If the sympathy of friends can be of any consolation, be assured that all who knew Mary Potter, share in your sorrow for her loss, and that there is a higher source of consolation than earthly friendship.

Emily J. Stone Circle,  
Lizzie E. Breckenridge, Pres.

**Go West.**

Dr. and Mrs. A. Lyons and children left for Washington state Monday to reside. The doctor disposed of his office and practise last Friday to Dr. H. W. Froelich.

Dr. Froelich is an alumnus of Hamline University and has had four years practice in Asbury hospital, Minneapolis. It is to be regretted that so able a physician as Dr. Lyons should leave, still, it is gratifying to know that he has secured a worthy and highly recommended practitioner in his stead.

Dr. Lyons located here from Brainerd about four years ago. He and his family have gained many near and dear friends who wish them every success whatever they choose to seek their lot.

Adolph Erickson left Tuesday for Grantstony, Wis., where he is employed by Ed. St. John as surveyor and cruiser. He had been visiting with relatives and friends in this vicinity for a week.

### Asplund Child Dead.

Adler W. Asplund, the 19 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Asplund, died Tuesday morning after a severe case of pneumonia. The child was born in Lake City, December 7th, 1904. He was exceedingly bright for one so young, and the loss is indeed a severe one to those near and dear. The funeral was held from the residence Wednesday afternoon, by J. J. Parish officiating, and interment was made in Ellerswood cemetery.

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JURY IN FEDERAL COURT AT CHICAGO DECIDES AGAINST ALTON COMPANY.

Two Former Officials Also Included in Verdict, Judge Lands Having Overruled Motion to Dismiss on All But Two Counts.

EXPERTS REPORT ON CONDITIONS AT CHICAGO YARDS.

One Plant Is Found Where Committes Has Doubts of the Safety of Its Products.

Chicago, July 7.—The report of the committee of experts of the Illinois Manufacturers' association and the Chicago Commercial association...



FAMILY JARS OF THE PRESENT SEASON.

SECRETARY WILSON RILED BY PACKERS

INSISTS LABELS WILL BE WITHHELD IF REQUIREMENTS ARE EVADED. Report of Experts Causes Some Plain Talk Regarding Petty Economy Practiced by Big Dealers at the Stockyards.

WORK OF LONE HIGHWAYMAN

HOLDS UP FIVE STAGE COACHES IN YOSEMITE VALLEY, CAL. Under Muzzle of Winchester He Compels 45 Passengers to Disgorge—His Capture Reported.



PE-RU-NA STRENGTHENS THE ENTIRE SYSTEM.

Mr. Chas. L. Sauer, Grand Scriber, Grand Encompiant I. O. O. F. of Texas, and Assistant City Auditor, Yreka, has written the following letter to the City Hall, San Francisco, Cal.:

What "Makes" a Man.

The college that a famous man had been graduated from is very likely to claim all the credit for his distinguished character and achievements.

FOUR DEAD IN EXPLOSION

Gasoline Tank in Dyehouse Blows Up, Bodies of Victims Being Cooked in Resultant Fire.

NAVAL RESERVE MEN DROWN

Four Illinois Militiamen Lose Life When Sudden Squall Overtakes Dingy in Lake Michigan.

WEALTHY YOUTH DROWNED

Relative of Vanderbilts, in Charge of Boy's Camp, Meets Death in Big Squaw Lake.

ROOT REACHES PORTO RICO

American Envoy En Route to South America Received with Booming of Cannon.

THE FIRST COMPASS.

Was Known to Sailors Before the Twelfth Century—Indispensable Adjunct to Navigation.

Court Outlines Case.

After quoting the Interstate Commerce law, which requires published schedules of rates, and the Elkins law, forbidding rebates or cutting of rates.

NAVY WITHHOLD LABEL.

There will be no controversy between the government and the packers' union on the subject of the label.

MAJOR RESTRICTED QUOTA.

Terre Haute, Ind., July 7.—Judge W. D. Robinson, of the Indiana appellate court, sitting in session at Terre Haute, has granted a writ of habeas corpus to Frank M. Hockmeyer, dissolved the temporary restraining order and held that the action of the city council in ousting Mayor H. H. Blythe from his office was illegal and that Blythe had no claim on the office.

GRAND JUDGE WANTS DINGY.

Grand Judge Smith, July 10.—Word was received here Monday afternoon that United States District Judge W. D. Robinson, of Terre Haute, Ind., had died in London, England.

MISS RHELD'S IMPROVEMENT DENIED.

London, July 9.—The press is authorized to deny the report of the engagement of Miss Rheld, daughter of Ambassador Whitwell Rheld, to Viscountess Grosvenor, eldest son of the earl of Grosvenor.

SOLD BY THE SAGES.

Lack of desire is the greatest of riches.—Seneca. Ten nobs are better than one lie.—From the Danish. Deeds are fruits, words are leaves.—From the French. An old bachelor is only the half of a pair of scissors.—Franklin. Avarice and fidelity cannot dwell together in the same house.—Grimm. A virtuous woman commands her husband by obeying him.—Publius Syrus. Whoever undertakes a task cannot repudiate the responsibility.—Chinese Maxim. Who dares after the great is the last at table, and the first to be effed.—From the Italian. No man can escape the violating effect of an offense against his own conscience.—George Eliot. The path of duty lies in what is near, and men seek for it in what is remote. The work of duty lies in what is easy, and men seek for it in what is difficult. No Improvement. In one of the Sunday schools in Malden, Mass., recently the teacher of a class of small boys inquired of each one of his scholars whether a better boy during the year. Each answer was in the affirmative except one little fellow about eight years of age, who was silent for some time. The teacher put the question to him a second time, when with confident earnestness he replied: "I am just as bad as I ever was." The Romans had small regard for human life in their assassinations. "Yes," answered the man of violent propensities, "it's a matter of great surprise to me that they failed to discover football."—Washington Star.



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PINE CITY, MINN., July 13, 1906

Announcement.

To the Voters of Kanabe, Chisago and Pine Counties.

At the solicitation of many of the representative citizens of this legislative district, but more especially at the earnest request of many of the voters of Kanabe—my home county, I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination, at the coming republican primaries, as one of the representatives from the 32nd district.

If nominated and elected, I shall endeavor to merit the confidence placed in me by laboring for the best interests of the district. I am heartily in favor of and shall advocate and vote the so-called reciprocal demerage legislation, reduction of freight and passenger rates and revision of our present unjust tax system, which makes the poorer classes bear more than their share of the burdens of taxation.

I believe that Kautz Nelson has justly represented this state in the United States senate and is entitled to another term. If given the opportunity it will afford me pleasure to vote for his re-election.

HENRY RINES

The Committee.

The republican state committee, which has recently been organized, is a credit to the framers, for all of the applicants are men of strength in their different districts. It is barely possible that some of those in the personnel will cast their ballot in favor of the present governor, but it is a safe bet that the majority of those listed below will do all in their power to keep up the good standard of the G. O. P. by working with might and main for A. L. Cole of Walker, for gubernatorial honors, and for the prestige of the entire republican ticket. A personnel of the committee follows:

Chairman, A. B. Cole, Ferguson Falls, secretary, Chas. H. Warner, Atkin; executive committee, R. E. Thompson, Dr. A. B. Cole, C. H. Warner, W. E. Cullin, Duluth, W. H. Helffeger, Minneapolis; Pen-ton G. Warner, St. Paul.

At-large—John O'Donnell, Minneapolis; H. B. Knudsen, Duluth; Berndt Anderson, St. Paul; Peter S. Nelson, Minneapolis; P. H. Kelly, Eagle Lake; L. G. Hoffman, St. Paul; Thomas F. Martin, Duluth; John T. Dahl, Minneapolis; Samuel W. Moore, Minneapolis; W. H. Webber, St. Paul; Capt. James Hunter, Fairbault.

Congressional districts—First, R. E. Thompson, Preston; Second, Thomas C. Collins, Winona; Third, J. C. Applegate, Cannon Falls; Fourth, John G. Nelson, Stillwater; Fifth, W. H. Grimshaw, Minneapolis; Sixth, James A. Martin, St. Cloud; Seventh, Dr. T. Thordalson, Cottonwood; Eighth, John H. Harding, Evelyn; Ninth, Dr. A. B. Cole, Ferguson Falls.

Judicial districts—First, Charles Elmquist, Rush City; Second, T. G. Walker, St. Paul; Third, Frank E. Gartside, Winona; Fourth, W. W. Helffeger, Minneapolis; Fifth, G. L. Cardoff, Owatonna; Sixth, Thomas Torson, St. James; Seventh, C. Parker, Wadena; Eighth, Dr. O. G. Orr, Jordan; Ninth, James A. Larson, Walnut Grove; Tenth, R. E.

Shepherd, Austin; Eleventh, W. E. Cullin, Duluth; Twelfth, L. G. Thorpe, Willmar; Thirteenth, C. L. Todd, Slayton; Fourteenth, Dr. N. M. Watson, Red Lake Falls; Fifteenth, Charles H. Warner, Atkin; Sixteenth, G. W. Boise, Morris; Seventeenth, Samuel A. Anderson, Wells; Eighteenth, E. M. Nagel, Buffalo.

DEE LIGHTFUL weather. Obnoxious gasoline would be a boon to suffering humanity.

DEATHS AND INJURIES, on account of Fourth of July carelessness, were never greater than this year. Not until someone steps can we enjoy a strictly sane Fourth.

STRANGE to say, the Hinkley Engravers does not say a word or two in favor of President Roosevelt's administration once in a while. Why not endorse the whole party?

GUY JOHNSON'S St. Peter Herald enters a plea to extend the primary election law to include state offices. The idea was lauded long since, and is old enough to mature.

THE Anoka Herald paragrapher observes that lots of people seem to think that to get gloriously drunk and blow an ear off a fellow citizen on July 4th is true patriotism.

On account of a new ruling of the railroads it has been found necessary to abandon the Devil Lake trip, planned for the Northwestern Editorial Association. New plans for an excursion and outing are being prepared by the committee in charge.

HERE is a gentle hint from the Cass Lake Voice: "We wish to remind seekers after county office that our columns are open for political announcements. Money can be saved by getting your orders in early. Price of space will increase with the closer approach of the primary election. 'A word to the wise' etc."

It is a fine thing to have plenty of the long green when it comes to dodging the authorities. That bald-headed maguate of the east, John D. Rockefeller, is in Europe at the present time, and he is liable to remain there indefinitely. He got out of this country just in time, and it is just possible that he was given a broad hint to leave. A subpoena has been issued for this important personage, and if he decides to return to this country it will be at the peril of being charged with violation of the anti-trust law, which is punishable, not only by a fine but by imprisonment. John D. had better remain in Europe to sniff the air of an adopted country. Incidentally, oil has not decreased in price.

It seems highly improper that women are not permitted to vote at the primaries for school officers when on the same issue they are permitted to vote at the general elections. True it is that the primary election is merely a substitute for a political convention, but if women are to have suffrage why not give them suffrage whereby they can have a voice in nominating any candidate for whom they may assist in electing? This question is very apt to come up before the next legislature, and, if it should, the law will likely be remedied so that women will have the right to assist in nominating those candidates for whom they can vote. A law has never been enacted making

it possible for women to participate in party nominations, but it is nevertheless possible that women can place themselves before the voters for nomination at the primaries, which makes it possible for a woman to have her name placed upon a primary ballot but which law specifies that she cannot participate in effecting the vote of her male opponent. The defectiveness of the law should be remedied by an amendment at the next session.

For Sale Cheap. One 16-h. p. engine and 36x56 separator, weigher and blower attached. On terms to suit purchaser. Call on A. Biedermann, Pine City, Minn., and look it over.

Opening of Shoshone or Wind River Indian Reservation. Under proclamation of President of the United States about 1,500,000 acres will be open for settlement August 15, 1906. Registration offices will be open at Shoshone and Lander, Wyoming, July 16th to 31st, inclusive, allotment of lands will begin August 4th, and after allotment all entries are to be made at Lander. Special excursion rates will be in effect from July 12th to 29th from principal stations on the North-Western Line, the Only Line to Shoshone on the reservation border. Rate Twin Cities to Shoshone and return will be \$25.00, leaving Minneapolis 7:10 a. m. and St. Paul 7:40 a. m., excepting Saturday and Sunday Shoshone will be reached the next night. For further particulars, address, T. W. TEASDALE, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn. July 30.

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast." Storms break and rain follows in their train, financial panics bring despair, the refreshing rains are withheld and on far-stretching fields in our western lands the growing crops wither and the very wild trees die of thirst, grim-visaged men and careworn women scan the skies in vain for signs of rain-bearing clouds, what comes at last over the land, robbing babes of their portion, and parents of their hope; nature laughs at men's vain assumption that they have changed climates. Pine county, geographically convenient to the great markets, with a salubrious climate, Pine City, the metropolitan and popular resort. Graveland Dairy Farm and Jersey Herd for sale. Make your terms. Inquire at this office.

A little love, a little wealth. A little home for you and me; It's all I ask except good health. Which comes with Rocky Mountain Tea. —Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

Saved His Comrade's Life. "While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a comrade from Elgin, Ill., was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition," says M. E. J. Hochstadt, of Elgin, Iowa. "I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he recovered his life. I have been engaged for ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions." Sold at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

Lots of big fish in the sea. Be lots more of them caught too, if better tackle was used. None better than Breckenridge's, at Drug Store.

These late colds that come in the spring are prolific of much trouble. Our little chocolate coated cold tablets cure spring colds quickly, being gently laxative they eliminate all cold from the system. Price 25 cents at Breckenridge's Drug Store.

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H. W. FROHLICH, Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence in Kowalek Block. All calls promptly responded to. Pine City.

E. L. STEPHAN, Physician and Surgeon. Office at Drug Store. Hinkley.

BENJAMIN SWARTZCOTT, Resident Dentist. Office in Kiyak Block from the 30th of each month to the 1st of the following month. Telephone No. 126. Pine City.

S. G. L. ROBERTS, Attorney at Law. Pine City.

ROBT. C. SANDERSON, Attorney and Counselor at Law. Office—Kiyak Block. Pine City.

M. B. HUBBLEY, Attorney at Law. County Attorney of Pine County. Office on the Court House. Pine City.

Get that Suit from JAS. E. POLK. Suits Pressed and Cleaned. All work guaranteed. Kowalek Building Pine City, Minn.

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The Finest Brands of Cigars and Tobaccos always in stock. Main Street, Pine City. Pineapple for Consumption. It has long been known by the natives of South America that the juice of the fruit of the ripe pineapple being of such antiseptic qualities, will thoroughly destroy the germs of catarrh, consumption and a gripper. A preparation known as Syrup of Pine Apple Pectorant, prepared by Rea Bros. & Co., contains these essential qualities. It is sold by L. E. Breckenridge for 50 cents.

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Buy a Planet, Jr. Cultivator. The most convenient tool made for the farm. All steel from \$5.00 to \$9.50

Poor axle grease spoils more wagons than wear. Sunlight Axle Grease never gums or gets hard. Makes your wagon run easy.

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HARDWARE J. LaPage, successor to D. Greeley, invites you to call and get acquainted. YOUR PATRONAGE IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED. Our sporting goods are second to none in quality and price. A lot of good specialties in fishing tackle. Complete outfit for the sportsman. Remember it is now J. LaPAGE, HARDWARE DEALER, PINE CITY, MINN. Repairing done promptly at reasonable prices.

# News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

E. A. Bacon was here from White River Tuesday.

Miss Della Kirsh is here from Minneapolis on a visit.

C. E. Englart was here from St. Anthony Park Sunday.

Sheriff R. J. Hawley was a Finlayson caller Wednesday.

David Husted has severed his connection as porter at Hotel Agnes.

Supt. R. H. Blankenship made a trip to Partridge on business Tuesday.

Attorney Boechoffer, of St. Paul, attended to some legal affairs in this place yesterday.

A new Oliver typewriter and stand has been installed in the Tri-State telephone office.

Ed. Rand, who is clerking in a store in Hinckley, came down Monday and spent a few hours with his family.

Hon. J. Adam Bede left for Madison, Wis., Wednesday to be present at the obsequies of the late Congressman Adams.

Anton Peterson, auditor of Kanabe county, was here from Mora to attend the county commissioners meeting Tuesday.

Miss Gail Brown returned to her home at Minneapolis Saturday last, after a short visit with her friend, Miss Kate Barnum.

Judge Crosby and Court Reporter George, of Hastings, conducted a special term of District Court in this place yesterday.

Mrs. J. Levy and children, Alice and Herbert, of St. Paul, are at the Wilkie Island Hotel and Summer Resort for a two week stay.

F. J. Groot, of Minneapolis, arrived last Friday and returned Monday with his wife who had been the guest of C. E. Poole and family.

Mrs. Livingston L. Sellers arrived Friday last from Delco, Wash., to spend an indefinite visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnum.

Miss Kathleen Winger, of Warren, Penn., who has been visiting in the west and Yellowstone Park, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Susan Shearer.

Services will be held in the German Lutheran church next Sunday. These will be the last services for some time to come on account of the pastor's vacation.

Rev. H. Huebner will depart the first of next week to visit for several weeks with relatives in Michigan. His congregation and others wish him an enjoyable visit.

James Hurley and Son have a fine grade of Flax Twine which they warrant and sell at 84 cents per pound. Deering Standard—12 cents per lb. Deering Manila—13 cents per lb.

Mrs. E. E. Barnum returned from a visit with friends in Minneapolis last Friday. She was accompanied by Mrs. L. D. Brown, of Minneapolis, who will visit for several weeks.

C. E. Poole and Guy Chaffee will start the first of next week for an overland trip to Fort Ridgely, Brown county. They will be away about ten days and will combine business with pleasure at their destination.

At the medical association meeting in Taylors Falls Tuesday evening it was decided to hold the next regular meeting at Pine City on the first Tuesday in October. The meeting Tuesday was reported interesting and instructive.

"Helen Blazes," Hurley's popular camp, is all ablaze with life nowdays. A large party of campers are rustating, baking beans, eating camp chook and bathing at that whirlwind of joy located on a cozy point just east of the mouth of Po Kegama lake.

Misses Lundblad, of Henderson, and Larson, of Madison, who are visiting Miss Marie Kibler, are in this office a pleasant call Tuesday afternoon. They were accompanied by Miss Kibler, who was a typo on the Pine Piker at the time it was conducted by Z. M. Edwards.

Sunday was a beautiful day though it was most too hot for comfort. During the afternoon the town was well nigh deserted on account of the large "burnout" to the lake resorts. The shadows, cast by the trees, were made good use of, and the sun-scorched streets were given the go by.

R. P. Allen was in Hinckley on business Tuesday.

E. H. Holbert was down from Hinckley Wednesday.

Rev. Fr. Koerner was a passenger for Finlayson Tuesday.

J. W. Reynolds, a prominent legal light of Duluth, is in town.

John Stoch, jr., has been laid up with a bad attack of poison ivy for a week past.

Miss Mayme Murray, of Rush City, is one of the campers at "Helen Blazes" this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Buselmeyer visited friends in Willow River several days of this week.

Rev. Burns, of Rush City, and J. J. Parish, of the local M. E. church, will exchange pulpits next Sunday. The program consisted of eleven numbers, all of which were rendered in a commendable manner, and Miss Allen is to be congratulated for having so many bright students and for instructing them so efficiently. Miss Nellie Madden and A. R. W. Olsen assisted with vocal selections, and their efforts were highly appreciated. These recitals should be given more frequently; they are not only entertaining, but are instructive as well.

Mrs. Gard Kruse and daughter, Fannie, were welcome callers at the Pioneer office Tuesday afternoon. While here Mrs. Kruse left two quart boxes of cherries, which she had received that day from her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Greshmann, of Springfield S. D. Mrs. Kruse received seventy quarts of cherries and several quarts of mulberries from her daughter. The offering tendered us was gladly accepted and the same has since been converted into pie; the morsel was tempting—thanks to the cook—and was greatly relished.

Wednesday evening Landlord Stranahan, of Hotel Agnes, piloted his gasoline launch to Tuxedo Club. A sly set of sea-faring folk occupied the launch; they sang songs and made time pass only too quickly, while the natives along the shores and the fishes of the deep kept up a continual greeting as they went by. At the Club they were accorded good company by the presence of that inimitable Major Cooley and the only Peteroff Wooski McAllen. After the sea-sickness had subsided the merry party faded away from the Club and reached Pine City in time to retire at 10 p. m., though it was with profound regret that the "band man" could not have been detained. Capt. Stranahan's boat rides fine, and we are ever on the market for an outing in the same.

Commissioner Ed Clough, of Willow River, was again the favored one at the dinner table of Commissioner Tees Tuesday. Clough and Tees are great pals, and the former never lets slip an opportunity to get a "square" at the feet board of the latter. None of the other commissioners were present at Tuesday's spread so we are unable to give an account of how the Willow River son treated the victuals.

Gus Drews, W. J. Ryan and W. H. Kennedy, of St. Paul, went into camp on the point opposite the Frizzen sanatorium last Saturday. They will lead the "simple life" for about two weeks. Mr. Drews is the eldest son of Hans Drews, formerly harness maker for Jas. Hurley. He has a position in a bakery at St. Paul, but knows the lake well, and therefore chose to spend his vacation there.

A large audience greeted the pupils of Miss Jessamine Allen in their piano recital at the high school assembly room last Friday evening. The program consisted of eleven numbers, all of which were rendered in a commendable manner, and Miss Allen is to be congratulated for having so many bright students and for instructing them so efficiently. Miss Nellie Madden and A. R. W. Olsen assisted with vocal selections, and their efforts were highly appreciated. These recitals should be given more frequently; they are not only entertaining, but are instructive as well.

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**BENNETT CITY.**

Miss Teva Klaunder returned to her home in St. Paul Monday after a weeks visit at the Zastrow home.

Messrs. Shletchky and Pavel, of Beroun, have completed their contract of clearing up and grading the north road.

Chas. Stone is enjoying a visit from his mother. She arrived here from Princeton Friday and intends staying a month or two.

The big launch, "Chengwatana" made her first trip of the season Sunday afternoon, when she went to the head of Cross lake with twenty-four passengers aboard.

Aug. Zastrow is kept quite busy hauling coal for the mine. It requires about a ton and a half per day, and it all has to be transported by wagon from Pine City. But he have patience! Some day it will be coming in by the train load.

Emil Munch and wife departed for their home in St. Paul Saturday after a few weeks visit with friends here.

**List of Letters**

Remaining uncalled for in P. O. Pine City, Minn., for week ending July 7, 1906.

Oskar Lynngorator, E. O. Nilsson Dugal Thompson.

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

**A GOOD AUCTIONEER with a license is FRED NORTON**  
Will conduct sales in Pine City and adjacent counties.  
Telephone No. 117. Address Pine City, Minn.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests what you eat.

**Popular Specials.**

Dr. Benj. Swartout, dentist, announces that he will be at Bush City July 15th; at the Phoenix Hotel, Hinckley, on the 19th, and return to Pine City for his usual two weeks' stay, on the 29th inst.

Butter and Eggs wanted at the Bargain Store.

For Sale—A seven-room house and lot and a six-room house and lot in convenient part of town. Inquire at the Pioneer office. \$115.

Flyene—Keep the flies off your horses and cattle. Use Flyene; at Smith "The Hardware Man." 50c per gallon.

Wanted—Men and teams for ditch work. For particulars enquire at this office. 13.

Eastern cane, fine Standard Granulated Sugar 18 pounds for \$1.00 at the Big Store.

Shoes for every day in the week. Every pair fully guaranteed. At E. A. Wiley.

This is your chance. Photos (single heads) half price, half cabinets \$1.25, three-fourths \$1.50, full \$1.75. SMILEY, the Photographer.

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

Wanted—Yard man at the Hotel Agnes.

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

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

Flyene—Keep the flies off from your horses and cattle. Use Flyene. 50c per gallon, at Smith "The Hardware Man."

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

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.

Watch for Claggert's rental notices in this column.

Order your Seed at Madden's and thereby be sure you get the best.

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

Want good bread? Use the best flour. That's Pride of Pine City.

Madden has an extra good selection of Seeds.

Strayed from my farm in the town of Meadow Lawn, four red calves, three heifers and one steer. Any one knowing of their whereabouts will confer a favor by letting me know and for which favor I am willing to pay a reasonable price. M. T. LAHART.

**Fires, Tornadoes and Wind Storms ARE GREAT DESTRUCTORS.**

Now is the time to let us write your INSURANCE in the most Reliable Companies.

If you wish to send money to the old country, we can issue you a draft payable in any foreign city.

Are you going to Europe? We will insure to and from Europe at reduced rates. Put your savings in the Pine City State Bank. We pay 3% per cent interest on time deposits. Teach your children how to save money by placing their money in our favorite institution.

We settle your lawsuits.

**PINE CITY STATE BANK.**

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**MEN - MEN - MEN**

**John Jelinek, The Tailor in Pine City, Minn., sells the best**

Good Wearing SUITS PANTS HATS ETC. FOR MEN AND BOYS

Strictly new stock for Spring and Summer...

Suits made to order especially

Price always satisfies your purse



**JAS. HURLEY & SON**

have a very complete line of Harness and Saddlery

— Call and see our stock of —

**Buggies and Wagons**

and you will be surprised to find how cheap the best grade vehicles are sold.

**First-class Repair Shop in Connection.**

James Hurley & Son - - Pine City, Minn.

**CUSTOM PLANING and FEED MILL**

For work in either branch I am prepared to give entire Satisfaction. A trial will convince.

**J. W. AXTELL, PINE CITY, MINN.**

Groceries	15c 20c 25c	Tobacco
and 30c		
<b>The Bargain Store</b>		
<b>COFFEES</b>		
Butter and Eggs Wanted		5c and 10c Counters

Bring in your Butter and Eggs.

Yours for business  
**F. J. RYBAK, PINE CITY**

**GEORGE SHERWOOD'S Dray Line.**

We are prepared to do all work in our line in a workman like manner.

Geo. Sherwood, Prop. Pine City, Minnesota



**F. J. RYBAK**  
caters to your trade in  
DRESS GOODS, BLANKETS, COMFORTERS, SHOES, ETC., ETC.

**BIG FRESH STOCK OF GROCERIES**

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GRANDMAMA

In words of haunting melody... The poets all have sung... The grandmama was young...

MINNESOTA STATE NEWS

APPROACHES TO STATE CAPITOL AIMS TO BE LIFTED

Huge Water Tank Gives Away—The State Makes Loans—Boys Is Kicked in Jaw.

St. Paul—Duffler Brothers were awarded the contract to build the approaches to the main entrance of the state capitol...

The approach to the building will be imposing and ornamental, so as to be in strict accordance with the exterior of the building as far as architectural effect is concerned...

The State Fair. Hamline—Is the opening of the fair, one month from Wednesday, Aug. 4, is the date for the annual meeting...

Bank Gave Way. Duluth—The huge water tank on the top of the five-story wholesale building at 225-227 South Fifth avenue...

State Loans. Minneapolis—The state board of investment passed on applications for state loans amounting in the aggregate to \$140,000...

Banks. St. Paul—Private banks are becoming state banks at the rate of almost two a week...

Kicked in the Jaw. St. Cloud—Cemilus Thielman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thielman, had some trouble with a boy...

Many Fish. Duluth—The government Lakeside fish hatchery has this season sent out quantities of fish fry...

News Notes. St. Paul—The state highway commission proposes to abolish the office of the surveyor...

Represented. The anniversary of Gustavus on one occasion, when addressing the members of a chess club...

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OPERATION AVOIDED

EXPERIENCE OF MISS MERKLEY

She Was Told That an Operation Was Inevitable. How She Escaped It.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with serious feminine troubles that an operation is necessary...

There are cases where an operation is a mere waste of time, but when one considers the great number of cases of meniscus...

Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I am one more strong, vigorous and well.

Justice Holmes, in the supreme court, order that he may preserve his mind free from distractions...

Accept Signatures in Irish. Irish language revivalists have just secured a notable victory.

Notice to Barley Growing Farmers. Do not cut your barley before it is thoroughly ripe.

Glass That Keeps Out Heat. An Austrian inventor, Richard Stigmund, is reported to have made a new kind of window glass...

Attractive Design. Work a row of chain-stitches from loop to loop along the upper edge of the insertion.

Sallow Skin. No outward application do the least good in such a case, cold baths, leaving of stimulants, especially tea...

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THE WOMAN'S CORNER

A Heart-Shaped Cushion for Sofa

hold cannot own too many cushions to suit the feminine manner, though there may be an occasional masculine protest against an excess in supply.

The latest notion is to have one or two cushions of heart shape resting on top of the ordinary square pillows, and the result is very good, as the accompanying illustration shows.

The cushion is of large size, somewhat softly stuffed, and from side the heart shape is cut out in a flat piece of silk, backed, if soft, with coarse linen or stiffer material, and set with a wide gauze made to fit flat.

As the example here pictured, a touch of embroidery is added. In perfectly plain corded silk makes an admirable accessory to the sofa furnishing. Broderie Anglaise on ivory lawn, lined with one of the colors dominant in the room, makes an excellent covering for such a cushion, the gauging being dispensed with in favor of a flat-shaped border of the open work.

New Way to Perfume the Hair

Padded Caps Worn to Give the Hair a Delicate Fragrance—No Heavy Scent Allowed.

The girl with the scented hair is the popular carrier. Her hair seems to be who and her veil, yes, and her complexion, too—all perfumed. Does it all come from the scent of the scented hair? That is another question.

The secret in perfuming is to choose the wild flower scents. The hot-house scents are apt to be heavy. Or you can choose the "made" scents, which are very good indeed.

The girl who goes in for beauty can just as well scent her hair as not and she can do it in an unobtrusive way. In the summer time the hair is heavy and it smells heavy, and it is not light and agreeable, and

Pretty Crochet Lace and How to Make It

All Kinds of Hand-Made Lace in Favor and This a Beautiful Pattern.

Work 16 chain-stitches, a double count in 1/2 inch from center to center of a double crochet in the end stitch. Do not complete the stitch, but leave the last 4 loops on the hook; 2 more trebles into the same loop, still leaving the last loop of each stitch unworked (4 loops on hook), continue over the next loop.

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**BLOATED WITH DROPSY.**  
The Heart Was Badly Affected When the Patient Began Using Doan's.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maxwell, of 415 West Fourth St., Olympia, Wash., says: "For over three years I suffered with a dropsical condition without being aware that it was due to kidney trouble. The early stages were principally backache and bearing down in the back, but I went along without worrying much. My feet and ankles swelled up, my hands puffed, and became so tense I could hardly close them. I had great difficulty in breathing, and my heart would flutter with the least exertion. I could not walk far without stopping again and again to rest. Since using four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills the bloating has gone down and the feelings of distress have disappeared."  
Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

**DYSPEPTIC PHILOSOPHY.**

Most of us have trouble to tend. Love will find a way, even a way out. Fortune doesn't always smile on the sunny man. Success is doing a thing before some one else does it. Marriage is the gateway from romance to reality. Fortune never knocks at some doors because it can't get by the janitor. It doesn't pay to go entirely on the theory that things go by contraries. The woman who dresses better than her friends will never be popular with them. Those who have greatness thrust upon them seldom know what to do with it. The fool and his money are what keep the rest of us from starving to death. Riches have wings, but they are not the kind of wings that are fashionable in heaven. Lots of wives never understand why their husbands should need any spending money. Some men are so fond of sympathy that they actually glory in being the under dog. If a man would only pay his debts as promptly as his grudge his credit would be better. When a girl begins to ask a fellow about his life insurance, the rest ought to be easy.

**The Lady and the Tramp.**  
Mrs. Alden was a clubwoman. Her particular fond was the moral elevation of the lower classes. She was engaged in writing a paper on the subject when the cook came to tell her that a rough-looking man at the back door wanted some breakfast.  
"Give him a soap ticket," said Mrs. Alden. Then, with a sudden thought—"No, wait. I'll see him myself."  
She went into the kitchen. "My good man," she said, "will you saw some wood, if I give you a good breakfast?"  
"Certainly, madam," said the tramp, very elegantly, as he disappeared in the direction of the woodpile. In about five minutes he reappeared. "I'm ready now for that breakfast," he announced.  
"Have you sawed the wood in such a short time?" asked Mrs. Alden, coming again into the kitchen.  
"Yes, madam," he answered. Then, between huge mouths he "Excuse me, madam, for correcting you, but you should say, 'Have you seen the wood?'"  
Any man who has to get up and get his own breakfast, while his wife lies in bed is likely to feel like turning the "God Bless Our Home" motto to the wall.

**DOCTOR'S SHIFT.**

**How Gets Along Without It.**  
A physician says: "Until last fall I used to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat had passed from the stomach."  
"Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat. For my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts, and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight."  
"Since finding the benefit I derived from Grape-Nuts I have prescribed the food for all of my patients suffering from indigestion or over-feeding and also for those recovering from disease where I want a food easy to take and certain to digest, and which will not overtax the stomach."  
"I always find the results I look for when I prescribe Grape-Nuts. For ethical reasons please omit my name." Name given by mail by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

The reason for the wonderful amount of nourishment and the easy digestion of Grape-Nuts is not hard to find. In the first place, the starch part of the wheat and barley goes through various processes of cooking, to perfectly change the starch into Dextrose or Post Sugar, in which state it is ready to be easily absorbed by the blood. The parts in the wheat and barley which Nature can make use of for rebuilding brain and nerve centers are retained in this remarkable food, and thus the human body is supplied with the powerful strength producers so easily omitted after one has eaten Grape-Nuts each day for a week or 10 days. Several hundred letters from satisfied readers.  
Get the Little Book, "The Road to Wellville," in plain.

**THE DIARY**

**COWS IN SUMMER.**  
Prof. Thomas Blaw Discusses the Different Elements Against Which They Should Be Protected.

In summer, cows require protection from the following influences: One, from the sun's rays when these are so warm as to produce discomfort; two, from flies in the fly season; three, from rain storms, cold, prolonged and severe. Neglecting to furnish any one of these will seriously lessen milk yields.

Cows are of course protected from the sun's rays when they are furnished with shade. This may come from trees growing in the pastures, singly or in clumps, or in places accessible to them, by a cheap roof in the pasture, sustained by poles and covered with straw, or by the stables in which they are kept in winter.

To shade from either of these sources, during the continuance of the



CHART OF COW MARKINGS.

fly season, is the strong objection that they furnish breeding places in which flies multiply with great rapidity. This is owing to the droppings which accumulate in such centers. Because of the flies deposited there, these spots, shade furnished by the stables is preferable, since when properly provided it is cooler, and as shown before, flies may be in a great measure excluded. Basement stables are especially suitable for summer protection, because of their great relative coolness.

Absolute protection from flies during the fly season is not practicable without successive outlay of materials used in spraying the animals, or in the above involved in applying them, or in both. Nevertheless, very much may be done with profit to promote their comfort during such seasons. Three methods of protection are adopted. First, they are kept in stables during the day. These are thoroughly ventilated and are kept so dark that flies do not care to stay, much less to work in them. Second, they are sprayed with some preparation offensive to them, either through its odor or its sticky character. This must be done with sufficient frequency to accomplish the purpose. Third, they are covered with blankets, light, coarse and cheap, and these are kept in place by elastic bands.

The Kansas station recommends the following spray: Dissolve two cakes of laundry soap in water and mix with the solution one and one-half pounds of resin, one-half pint of fish oil, and enough water to make three gallons. Use about one-half pint on each cow two or three times a week until the hair becomes coated with resin. This may be applied with a brush or also as a spray.

Of all the methods of fighting flies, the best now seems to be the best, as it furnishes more of coolness than the other forms of shade, gives the most perfect of the three forms of protection from flies and makes it easily practicable to give the cows supplemental food, which is necessary during much of the grazing season.

The chief objection to it is the labor involved in removing the droppings, but this is largely offset by the increased value of the same as compared with having it deposited in the pastures, where much waste follows. It may also be used to prevent the multiplication of flies by promptly removing all manure from the yards in the spring, and by drawing daily or at quite short intervals that made subsequently and applying it where needed. A free use of lime in the yards is also further helpful. Gentle summer rains do not harm cows or milk while in the pastures. They may prove grateful to them. It is a different with violent rains. Even though not sold they are in some degree harmful.

**KNOW YOUR OWN COWS.**

**System of Marking the Spots on the Sides and Rear of the Animals.**  
The system adopted by the Holstein-Friesian Breeder's association in registering cows is one which many farmers might use to advantage. Regular outline forms are used showing both sides and rear view of the animal. The markings are filled in on these, as shown by black lines in the accompanying illustration of one side and rear. The more carefully the markings are outlined the surer is the means of identification. The more prominent markings should be noted, and the spots of the horns, if any. This scheme is hardly feasible with solid colored animals, such as Jersey Brown, Ayrshire, Guernsey, and some Shorthorns, says the Farm and Home. But with some of these the various shades of color can be marked on the outline. A good numbered set is the quickest means of identification.

**SILAGE AND ALFALFA.**

W. J. Fraser, Chief of Dairy Husbandry, Tells How to Tide Over Summer Drought.

The provision of silage crops to help out short pastures, is of great importance and value to the dairy farmer. But there is necessarily much labor attached to preparing the ground, planting, raising and harvesting the common crops used for this purpose. There is usually much loss in being obliged to cut these crops before they are matured and when they are overripe. And for the farmer who can make the larger investment, the most practical way of a silage crop is to plant a small silo with corn silage. It not only saves the labor and inconvenience in putting in and cultivation of small patches of different kinds of crops, but also in the harvesting from day to day in a busy season of the year.

These silage crops can be dispensed with and the feed raised from one planting in one field in the shape of corn. The whole field of corn for the silo may be cut at just the right stage of maturity when the maximum can be secured in the best possible condition for feeding. It also avoids the possibility of the silage crops failing to ripen at a certain period when the drought happens to strike the pasture. The silo may be opened whenever the pastures fail, regardless of the date, and the silage will remain in the best condition as long as needed. When the pastures supplies enough feed again, what is left in the silo may be covered over and thus preserved without waste and added to use.

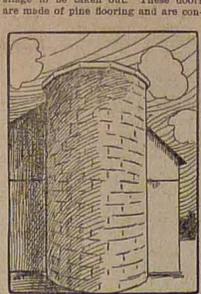
For the dairy districts there is no silage crop that will yield more nutrient per acre than corn put into the silo unless it is alfalfa, which is discussed later.

Bulletin 101, issued by the Illinois station and to be had for the asking, gives full information upon "Crops for the Silo and Cost of Feeding" and bulletin 102 treats of "The Construction of Silos."

Alfalfa—Alfalfa is one of the best crops to grow for silage, for two reasons. First, it furnishes a larger amount of nutriment per acre than any other crop grown, and because it grows up rapidly after being cut up and furnished as a continuous supply of green feed. When a fair-sized field is cut over, a portion each day as needed for feed, the first side of the field is ready for cutting again.

**A CEMENT BLOCK SILO.**

How the New Method of Construction Was Used by a Michigan Farmer.  
The accompanying illustration shows a cement block silo on the farm of Chris DeJonge of Michigan. Mr. DeJonge states that his silo is made of blocks 34x24 inches. The silo is 12 feet in diameter, 24 feet high, and is surrounded at intervals of 32 inches with bands of iron to assist in holding the blocks in place. Doors 24x32 inches make it easily possible for the silage to be taken out. These doors are made of pine flooring and are con-



tinuous from the top to the bottom of the silo, explains the Orange Judd Farmer.  
After the silo is built it is plastered on the inside with a coating consisting of two parts Portland cement and one part sand. The outside of the silo was given a silo wash. This silo is practically everlasting and gives perfect satisfaction. It will not wear out and it preserves the silage in perfect condition. The owner claims that he is entirely satisfied with his silo and finds it much cheaper than a wooden one, that it keeps the silage in better condition and that in every way it is desirable. The roof is made Brown, Ayrshire, Guernsey, and some Shorthorns, says the Farm and Home. But with some of these the various shades of color can be marked on the outline. A good numbered set is the quickest means of identification.

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