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### GRAND OPENING OF TUXEDO INN.

The Tuxedo Inn Opens at Pokegama Lake Saturday Evening June 5th, With a Banquet and Dancing. 59 Guests Present.



The above is a picture of the Tuxedo Inn and grounds at Pokegama lake about 6 miles from this place, which was opened to the public last Saturday evening.

E. M. and E. L. Barrett purchased this beautiful piece of property on Pokegama lake last summer and have had men at work during the fall and winter, cleaning up and beautifying the premises, and at the present time have it in fine shape for the reception of their summer guests, and we predict for them the best summers trade this popular resort has ever known.

The Inn proper has been painted and papered throughout and a first-class acetone gas plant has been installed to furnish the house and grounds with light. They have done every thing that can be done for the comfort and pleasure of their guests.

They have put on the waters a fine launch to transport their patrons to and from the trains, and have 12 of as nice row-boats as can be found anywhere for their guests who want to fish in or ride on Lake Pokegama and Snake river.

The sandbar, opposite the hotel offers a bathing place unsurpassed in the state, as the bathers can find water of any depth they wish.

The opening on Saturday evening was one of the pleasantest occasions that has ever taken place at the lake, and would have been much better attended had it not rained on the same evening in the evening.

The sandbar is the most beautiful and the stormy weather.

At about seven o'clock in the evening dinner was announced and the guests fled into the dining room where the inter was supplied with the good things to eat and drink that had been prepared. During the time the guests were eating an orchestra, which came from Minneapolis, furnished some excellent music.

After the banquet the dining room was cleared and those who wished tripped the light fantastic until an early hour the next morning, and those who did not dance enjoyed themselves playing cards and in social intercourse.

All present report having had a splendid time and left wishing the new proprietors of the Inn unbounded success, and that their stay at the lake would be of mutual benefit to all.

The following is a list of the guests that were present at the opening: J. D. Barrett, wife and daughters; Misses Viola Redpath, Anna McGain and Mrs. E. Birns, of Minneapolis. Messrs. W. G. Smith, A. W. Lammers, W. H. McGrath; Messrs. James John Melleer, J. P. Hoy, Misses J. E. Stack and Aona O'Neal Stillwater. T. H. Smith and Mrs. A. Simpson, St. Paul. P. J. Veal, Oakdale and wife; Misses D. E. Henderson, Clara Faltz, Lulu Ashley and D. Hendrickson; Messrs. H. M. Blair, H. S. Gawan, Lawrence Barrett and E. L. Barrett, Duluth. Mrs. E. Johnston, Baltimore, Md. S. Mock, Chicago, Ill. F. Pick, Milwaukee, Wis. Frank Laird and wife, Sibley. John Hultberg and Miss Amelia Brown, St. Peter. Joseph Wilke and daughters; Misses Valley, Tockerman, Peters, Pokegama; G. Nordlander, Duluth. J. D. Barrett, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. J. D. Barrett and wife, H. W. Harris and wife, Joseph Hurley and wife, F. E. Smith and wife, K. W. Knapp and wife, Roy Carlson and wife, Mrs. Margaret O'Brien, Messrs. R. L. Wiseman, W. G. and J. J. Gottry, Pine City.

August Ekberg, of Millburn, was called to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, who died in Minneapolis.

### CLASS OF 1909 GRADUATE

The Seniors of Webster High School Held Their Commencement Exercises Last Saturday Evening.

Saturday evening notwithstanding the threatening storm the largest crowd ever gathered together in the high school assembly room met to witness the commencement exercises of the class of 1909.

The class was the largest that has ever graduated from our high school, and in the exercises did credit to themselves and the school.

The program as we published it last week was carried out to the letter, all those who took part did remarkably well. Space will not permit us to give the program in detail, but those who were lucky enough to gain admittance to the room, and near enough to the platform to hear the whole of the program pronounce it one of the best ever given in Pine City.

The Pioneer extends its best wishes to all the graduates and hopes that they will succeed in whatever avocation of life they intend to take up.

### GRASSY DASHES.

The Snake River Mud Hens would like to meet the Greedy Mud Hens in a friendly game of ball again.

We would like to have the President of the Temperance Society speak at the Grasston Fourth of July Celebration.

Mr. H. L. Wallace and Mr. Willie Luckow have gone in the potatoe business this summer. They expect to make their fortune.

Charles Latourelle has a natural fruit farm Mr. Louis Cotes, the specialist of Grasston analyzed it and found it to be all right.

Harry Everett will have to get out of Pine Co. the farmers will not hire him because he cuts too much, his favorite dish is "ham and hoggs" as the English say.

Emil Peterson had the misfortune to get kicked in the stomach last Saturday morning, he was driving his team on the plow when one horse stepped over the trace and he was putting it back when the horse kicked him clear back to the plow. He only lived half a day. He was a young man twenty five years old.

### MEADOW LAWN.

Cool weather for a few days.

Frank Noyce called on D. W. Scofield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Scofield drove to Pine City Friday.

Allen Scofield and family have all been on the sick list lately.

The mosquitoes peaceful music is heard in our locality now days.

Mr. J. O. Clyne and daughter Mrs. L. Clyne went to Pine City Monday.

Joe Parent of Rock Creek visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. Livingston Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Scofield and daughters Edith and Ruth were Co. Seat visitors Saturday.

Most every body is busy looking after their garden and crops. Some of our farmers are busy cultivating corn.

The Annual picnic was held at the head of the lake Tuesday June 8. It was a week later this year on account of late spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collatt and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Belle of Hustletown; Also Mr. and Mrs. Lahart visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scofield Sunday.

Orva Scofield our N. M. L. sponsor's correspondent left for Duluth Friday. We wish Orva good luck out west, and hope he will be able to furnish the people out there splinters as well as he did in Meadow Lawn.

Call and see the Pine City Sewing Machine and other new needlework materials at Miss Shearer's, Court House block. Mail orders solicited.

SURAH SHERRER

### A GREAT POPULARITY CONTEST.

The Pioneer Offers Opportunities for Local Candidates to Win Valuable Prizes in Popularity Contest.

The Pine County Pioneer in connection with the St. Paul Pioneer Press, has added more valuable prizes in its great popularity contest, and the list is as follows:

**SUBSCRIPTION PRIZES**  
**FIRST SUBSCRIPTION PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, free admission tickets and \$25.00 cash.  
**SECOND SUBSCRIPTION PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets, free tickets to Exposition, and \$100.00 cash.  
**THIRD SUBSCRIPTION PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets, free tickets to Exposition, and \$75.00 cash.

**DISTRICT PRIZES**  
**FIRST PRIZE**—\$40.00 Piano.  
**SECOND PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to Minnesota State Fair, Admission to grounds and Grand Stand, one week, and \$50.00 cash; Admission to Wonderland and attractions.  
**THIRD PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to Minnesota State Fair, Admission to Grounds and Grand Stand, one week, and \$25.00 cash; Admission to Wonderland and attractions.  
**FOURTH PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to Minnesota State Fair, Admission to Grounds and Grand Stand, one week, and \$15.00 cash; Admission to Wonderland and attractions.  
**FIFTH PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to Minnesota State Fair, Admission to Grounds and Grand Stand, one week, and \$10.00 cash; Admission to Wonderland and attractions.  
**SIXTH PRIZE**—Two Round Trip Railroad Tickets to Minnesota State Fair, Admission to Grounds and Grand Stand, one week, and \$5.00 cash; Admission to Wonderland and attractions.

Giving the special Subscription Prizes will in no way conflict with the district Prizes. Any contestant may win a piano or other district prize and also an Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition Trip—because votes will determine the winners of the district prizes, while subscriptions decide the awarding of the special prizes. All subscriptions will be honored by votes the same as before this announcement and besides all new subscriptions for six months or more will be counted towards the Special Prizes—in other words—they have a double value.

**SOME FACTS ABOUT THE ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.**  
 Opens June 1, closes October 16, 1909.  
 Area, 260 acres.  
 Cost, \$10,000,000.  
 Twelve large exhibit places.  
 Five double-tracked car lines to grounds.  
 Highest mountain in United States visible from grounds.  
 Builders on two beautiful lakes.  
 Uncle Sam is spending \$600,000.  
 Washington appropriated \$1,000,000.  
 Many states have buildings.  
 Snow-capped mountains seen from grounds.  
 Complete in every detail on opening day.  
 Will exploit Alaska and countries of Pacific.  
 Chicago will have a building.  
 Wonderful floral and landscape display.  
 Oregon appropriated \$100,000.  
 California is spending over \$100,000.  
 Value of exhibits, \$50,000,000.  
 United States Government has fine buildings.  
 Amusement street is called the Pay Street.  
 First World's Fair to be ready on time.  
 About thirty large attractions on Pay Street.  
 Battleships will be in harbor.  
 Principle monument covered with pure gold.  
 Forestry building is of huge logs.  
 Fourteen thousand gallons of water will flow over Cascade each minute.  
 All countries of Washington will have displays.  
 Grounds twenty minutes ride from Duluth second.  
 Motor boat display on Lake Washington.  
 Salmon cannery in operation.  
 Submarine boat on Lake Union.  
 Most beautiful exposition ever held.  
 Seven buildings were completed right minus before opening.  
 Three mountain ranges visible from grounds.  
 Write the Contest Manager of the Pioneer Press for further particulars or call at this office.

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**PINE COUNTY PIONEER**

**E. C. GOTTRY, Editor and Prop**

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PINE CITY, MINN., June 11, 1909

**SUMMONS.**

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
County of Pine,  
District Court, Nineteenth Judicial District,  
William H. Bean, as Trustee, Plaintiff

George W. Campbell, John E. Partridge, Jonathan D. Taylor, Christopher Jordan, David Cooper as trustees, Defendants.  
James D. Hancock, Napoleon H. Thayer and John H. Goff, Executors as, Plaintiff.  
Thayer & Co., and Alexander Hancock, Ferdinand Royer, Jr., and William Fulmer, Executors as, Plaintiff.  
Thomas H. Hancock, Joseph H. Hancock, Nathaniel D. Hancock, Ferdinand Royer, Jr., and William Fulmer, Executors as, Plaintiff.  
George W. Campbell, John E. Partridge, Jonathan D. Taylor, Christopher Jordan, David Cooper as trustees, Defendants.  
James D. Hancock, Napoleon H. Thayer and John H. Goff, Executors as, Plaintiff.  
Thayer & Co., and Alexander Hancock, Ferdinand Royer, Jr., and William Fulmer, Executors as, Plaintiff.

**THE STATE OF MINNESOTA.**  
You are hereby summoned to appear before the undersigned at the time and place therein specified to answer to the complaint in the above entitled case, which is filed in the office of the District Court of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1909. If you fail to appear at the time and place therein specified, the complaint in the above entitled case, which is filed in the office of the District Court of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1909, will be taken as true and you shall be liable for the costs of this action as herein provided. If you desire to answer to the complaint in the above entitled case, you shall file your answer thereto with the clerk of said court on or before the 18th day of June, 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 11th day of June, 1909.  
**CLAYTON MACAULFEY,**  
District Judge.  
405 North Second St., Pine City, Minn.

**LITIGENDS.**

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
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Thomas H. Hancock, Joseph H. Hancock, Nathaniel D. Hancock, Ferdinand Royer, Jr., and William Fulmer, Executors as, Plaintiff.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,** that a petition has been commenced and is now pending in the above entitled case, which is filed in the office of the District Court of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1909. If you desire to answer to the complaint in the above entitled case, you shall file your answer thereto with the clerk of said court on or before the 18th day of June, 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 11th day of June, 1909.

**CLAYTON MACAULFEY,**  
District Judge.  
405 North Second St., Pine City, Minn.

**Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.**

State of Minnesota, County of Pine, in Probate Court.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Alonzo W. Tark.  
The State of Minnesota and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said deceased, are hereby notified that the will of said deceased, Alonzo W. Tark, was admitted to probate in this court on the 20th day of May, 1909, and that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said deceased, are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said deceased, are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
Probate Judge.

**Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.**

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Minnie Kok and Albert Kok, her husband, mortgagors, in favor of The First National Bank, mortgagee, dated February 24th, 1909, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of Pine County, Minnesota, in Book 11, page 109, at 11 o'clock a. m. on the 24th day of February, 1909, and that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the mortgage are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
Probate Judge.

**Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.**

State of Minnesota, County of Pine, in Probate Court.  
In the Matter of the Estate of August Nordstrom.  
The State of Minnesota and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said deceased, are hereby notified that the will of said deceased, August Nordstrom, was admitted to probate in this court on the 11th day of June, 1909, and that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said deceased, are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
Probate Judge.

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**Notice of Hearing on Petition for Formation of New District.**

Whereas, a petition has been filed with the County Board of the County of Pine, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote as school trustees in their respective districts, and who are entitled to vote as school trustees in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district in the territory herein described, to-wit:

All of section 21, and all of sections 10, 15, and 14, lying North and East of Kettle River, in Township 43, North, Range 34, West.  
All of Township 43 North, Range 19 West in Pine County, lying North and East of Kettle River.  
All of section 21, and the south half of sections 22, in Township 41 North, Range 19 West, in Township 41 North, Range 19 West, and County of Pine.  
And the Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for hearing upon said petition as by law required.  
Now heard on.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

**Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.**

Estate of Jacob Youngman.  
State of Minnesota, County of Pine, in Probate Court.  
In the Matter of the estate of Jacob Youngman deceased.  
The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said deceased. The representative of the above named decedent, in the above entitled case, is hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said deceased, are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
Probate Judge.

**Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.**

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Charles E. Glasspool as mortgagee, and Sarah M. Goldman as mortgagor, on the 11th day of June, 1909, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of Pine County, Minnesota, in Book 11, page 109, at 11 o'clock a. m. on the 11th day of June, 1909, and that the same is now on file in this court. All persons interested in the mortgage are hereby notified that the same is now on file in this court.

**ROBERT WILCOX,**  
Probate Judge.

**POULTRY FENCE**

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# News of the Week.

Chips Picked Up Around Town and Vicinity

Dr. Tol spent Tuesday in Mora. Born To Mr. and Mrs. Major Groat (P).

Miss Susan Shearer went to St. Paul Monday.

Mr. J. D. Dwyer departed for Grantsburg Monday.

Bert Barum returned from the state U. Thursday.

Mr. Ed. Kuss left for Dodge, N. D. today, June 8th.

Mrs. E. W. Barnum visited in the twin cities last week.

Professor Peter Olesen has moved to the LaFace residence.

The Myers brothers of Rock Creek were Pine City visitors Tuesday.

A. W. Piper went to St. Paul on a business trip the first of the week.

Mr. Joe O'Brien left for Duluth where he will work.

Miss Jessamine Allen arrived on Monday limited from Minneapolis.

Rev. S. A. Jamieson and Mr. Warren were in Pine City last Tuesday.

Presbyterian S. S. at 9:45. Com. promptly and help in the singing FOR RENT—Furnished living room. Inquire at Dr. Froelichs old of five.

Mrs. J. D. Reife has been ill for the past week. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Bert Cummings of Meadow Lawn was seen on the Pine City streets Tuesday.

Ed. Barrett went to Farous Falls Sunday and returned Monday with his wife.

Miss Delta Axtell leaves for the Duluth Normal school on Monday of next week.

For that chesty feeling try the lawn mower. It will do both you and the grass good.

James Eagle fell and broke his collar bone swinging Monday. We are all sorry for James.

We are pleased to relate that Mrs. F. A. Hedio at last report is much better than for some time.

Chas. Anderson, of Forest Lake was in Pine City Tuesday and paid the Pioneer a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Dr. A. Toft departed on Monday's limited for the north on business. She will return in a few days.

FOR SALE—6 horses, White Gasoline engine, cheap.

Ferd Zastrow. R. F. D. 3.

Prof. and Mrs. Olesen left Wednesday for Waterville, where Mrs. Olesen will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley accompanied the Board of County Commissioners went to the Wilke hotel Monday night.

Mr. J. Y. Breckenridge Jr. returned to Hinckley Sunday afternoon after a short visit with friends and relatives.

It is reported that Jos. O'Brien has been suffering with a case of mumps—No reason why he should feel puffed up.

Mr. Jos. Pofel accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Atkinson went to Cloquet Saturday returning home Monday.

Miss A. E. Hay came down from Hinckley last Thursday to occupy her cottage recently vacated by Professor Olesen.

Alex Henderson, who lives near Beroun was seen driving around town on business Tuesday morning bright and early.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rhodes, of Gordon, Wis. parents of Mrs. J. D. Boyle left for their home after several weeks visit.

Gustave Teich was called to Minneapolis last week as a witness in the case of Gus Nelson vs. the Great Northern Copper Co.

Considerable interest was shown about town Thursday evening in the eclipse of the moon which occurred soon after eight o'clock.

Miss Irene Fisher went to Duluth Tuesday afternoon to be present at the graduating of her sister Anna, from the Duluth normal.

Presbyterian services morning and evening in the Presbyterian church. Morning Subject: The Reality of the Unseen. Sunday School 9:45.

A. M. Challeen of Rock Creek has some flour and feed he would like to sell. He will sell it cheap as he intends to leave a week from Monday.

Challeen's store at Rock Creek have elected officers and the following men were elected, William Erickson Pres., Gust Iverson, Vice Pres., Jesse Hammer, Sec., Jas. Lorow, Treas., and H. Spindler, Director. They will start out with a clear capital of \$15,000 and intend to do the best of business.

The circus at St. Paul Barnum and Bailey to exhibit there Wednesday June 23. The Barnum and Bailey greatest show on earth to visit Minneapolis on Thursday, June 24. Never since the beginning of time has an amusement enterprise so tremendous in size been organized as this one. Its magnitude is almost beyond belief. All America, together with every foreign country, has been secured from end to end by agents of this big show in search of novelties and the result is a performance brim full of sensational acts new to the circus world. In the big Barnum and Bailey show are nearly 4000 arena stars, most of whom are seen now for the first time. A new sensation will be seen at every performance in "JUPITER, the balloon horse." This remarkable animal with its fearless rider ascends to the ground in a shower of fireworks. Nearly 1000 animal wonders are to be found in the big 108 cage menagerie, 8 herds of elephants, including one herd that actually plays upon musical instruments in time and tune. A group of giant giraffes, monster trained hippopotamus, only living bi-horned rhinoceros and hundreds of other strange beasts. Barnum & Baileys big, new, free street parade is the most gorgeous professional display ever attempted in the history of circus business. Its tremendous size and wonderful length can only be believed in the actual seeing. It is natural to expect this big circus to lead all others in quality and quantity of its street spectacles as well as in other departments of the big show, yet never in its splendid history of nearly half a century has it displayed such extravagance as is shown this year.

**ROCK CREEK**

Mr. Challeen is ready to turn over what stock he has left after his reduction sale to the farmers, who will contact their business at his store building.

There will be a meeting Thursday June 8th, for the farmers who signed notes to start the farmers store at Rock Creek. They will organize and elect officers so as to begin business by the 1st of July. We wish them success.

If the weather allows the potatoes to grow good there will be plenty of them as we see every farmer has put in three times the amount of acres as last year, and the working people will have a chance to eat cheaper potatoes.

The road leading east from Rock Creek towards Geo. L. Stevens could not be traveled last Thursday on account of the bridge caving in over Rock Creek near the town, but by a good manager like Mr. Challeen it will be in order in the afternoon.

Quite a few people from here went to Pine City and Rush City, especially the old soldiers and their families to help celebrate memorial day, and visit the graves of their departed soldier dead. We are only sorry that our old friend and soldier Mr. Borton could not attend.

**PLEASANT VALLEY.**

Thos. Bazil is busy assessing this week.

Wedding bells will soon ring in this vicinity.

There will be a new Norwegian church built at Millburn east of the Swede church.

While coming home from Pine City last Monday, Edwin Larson saw two deer running in his field.

The show given in the Washington school last Friday was well attended and all report having had a nice time.

Dead—at his home in Millburn on May 28, Mike Kotek age 65 years. Mr. Kotek leaves a widow and five children to mourn his loss. He was laid to rest in the Pleasant Valley cemetery.

**Farmers Don't**

waste your valuable time pumping water for your stock, as I have an engine and pump rear that only costs half as much as a wind mill, will pump water any time you want it to and besides pumping water will run your grindstone, cream separator, churn or other light machine at the cost of about cent

per hour.

**E. W. SPLITTSTOSER,**  
Pine City, - Minnesota.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Hiram Carrier, State of Minnesota, County of Pine, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Hiram Carrier, Decedent.

Letters of administration with the will annexed having been granted to William E. Carr, Jr.

It is ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims shall extend to the 31st day of May, 1909, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof, and that Monday the 15th day of Aug. 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M. in said County, be, fixed and appointed as the time and place for holding such hearing, the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims, as shall be presented within the time above specified. Discretion hereby is given by the publication of this order in The Pine City Pioneer as provided by law.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of May 1909.

ROBERT WILCOX,  
Judge of Probate.

Probate Court Seal

**Report of County Board of Audit To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners**

Pine County, Minnesota.

GENTLEMEN: We the undersigned Board of Audit of said Pine County, convened at the office of the County Treasurer and said County, on the 5th day of May A. D. 1909, for the purpose of examining and auditing the accounts, books and vouchers of N. Perkins County Treasurer of said County, and to ascertain and ascertain the kind, designation and amount of funds in the Treasury of said County.

We respectfully report that we found said Treasurer had on hand May 4, 1909, at the beginning of his term on May 4, 1909, in the aggregate amount of \$1,100.00.

And we find the Treasurer in the possession of the following funds:

Cash on hand	\$125.70
Cash in bank	1,074.30
County House, Honey Lake, Cheyenne	100.00
Deposited in First National Bank	502.25
" " " "	100.00
" " " "	200.00
" " " "	100.00
" " " "	6,253.31
" " " "	4,000.00
" " " "	10,000.00
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Total funds on hand May 4, 1909	19,000.00

Respectfully submitted, County Auditor W. H. Hamlin, Clerk of Dist. Court, A. Parish, Chairman of County Board of Audit, Pine County.

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# The Revivification of Turkey

BY WILLARD W. GARRISON

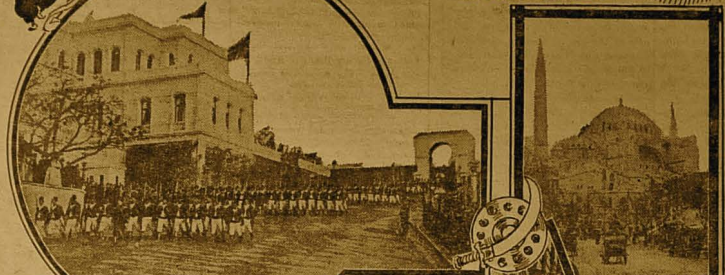
ABDUL HAMID DEPOSED SULTAN

MEHMED RECHED EFFENDI SULTAN OF TURKEY

**G**ETTING Turkey back into the running order after its retrogradation and subsequent deposition of the Sultan, it is like cleaning a house which has not felt the touch of a broom in years.

One could not say it within the sacred confines of the Sublime Porte, but it is chiefly a liberal application of "the salve," which bids fair to accomplish this feat for the new ruler, Mehmed V.

Handily had the revolution been successfully accomplished by the Young Turks after the capture and occupation of Constantinople than the Young Turk soldiers at Salonika made mass threats if the Sultan were to be restored.



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not restored. Mehmed V. said of course they would be restored. They never had any doubt about it in his mind and he declared himself deeply grieved that so trivial a matter should so thoroughly arouse his noble subjects.

In fact Mehmed V. is a whole of good nature and tact, say his courtiers, and when all else fails well adjusted, well chosen words to his countrymen turn the trick.

Despite the fact that he is a brother of Abdul Hamid, the deposed monarch, he has few of the traits of the latter and promises that he will never plead ill health when debtors press hard. That mode of meeting his collectors gave Abdul Hamid the name of the "sick man of Europe."

Contrary to Abdul's policies Mehmed V. has shaped his plans in such a manner that Turkey is to be given and, it is said, is now being given a thoroughly economical administration with the people at the helm. A large extent of the first two months of Mehmed's reign have seen him an object of worship by the people and the change in the order of things from the old way so thoroughly welcomed by the Turkish populace in general that the Sultan's accession is believed in the sincerity of his people by appearing on the streets upon several occasions when the same action by his brother would have produced a vacancy in the royal family.

Commercially Turkey is one of the world's richest countries and less than a hundred years ago was one of the great world powers. Its ships were then on every sea and lorded over by no one. A contrast was presented in the last quarter of a century when demonstrations before the porte were constantly planned and often executed for the sole purpose of frightening the Sultan into paying his debts. They seldom frightened him that far, but at least extracted promise of payments on account.

The extent of the Ottoman empire today is over 1,500,000 square miles, while back in 1890, before Turkey lost many of its possessions through the despotic rule of Abdul Hamid, the realm totaled 1,822,150 square miles. Its population today is 45,000,000, well scattered, thus giving ample opportunity for agricultural operations.

It is said that to-day through the slavery laws and heavy taxation imposed by the former ruler there are 40,000,000 acres of uncultivated land in Turkey. Think of the vast revenue from the soil which is year after year absolutely going to waste. Much of this land is in the possession of the crown and what little duty was squeezed from it usually went into the coffers of the brother of the present ruler.



TURKISH INFANTRY

loyal subjects, the word has gone out from the head of the Turkish cabinet that the debt will be liquidated as fast as money is piled into the Ottoman surplus fund.

A lowering of taxation rates is also promised by the new ruler. In years past the taxes upon the people of the empire have been so steep that thousands upon thousands of them have migrated to America, others going to countries in the vicinity of Turkey, where the yoke placed upon the subject's head is not nearly so heavy.

It was proved conclusively that Abdul Hamid himself ordered the Moslem fanatics of Asiatic Turkey to wipe out the entire Armenian race and with the advent of Mehmed V. was done to stop the flow of Christian blood, with the result that with the exception of a few roving bands, the carnage makers were almost immediately hauled from their crimon assignment.

Then at orders of the new Sultan the relief work in the stricken districts where the torch and sword had reigned but a few days before commenced with marvelous results. It was estimated that 40,000 Armenians had been slain during the few days which intervened between the order of Abdul Hamid and the successful termination of the revolution in the deposition of the despotic monarch.

That was the first step in the Turkish house-cleaning and it has been followed by others of greater import to the subjects of the Sultan.

The minister of the interior has personally toured the provinces nearby and also the outlying districts with a view towards learning the wants of the citizens. A thorough reorganization is still in progress and already results are beginning to show themselves.

Reasons for Abdul Hamid issuing the fatal secret order for the massacre of all Armenians are assigned to his desire to stem the tide of growing strength of the Young Turks and give another bit of play for the idle hands to accomplish in order that the destructiveness might be turned in a direction other than Hills Kish.

To all intents and purposes he succeeded. As far as destruction went Abdul Hamid was successful, but the terrific wave of opposition to his rule refused to spend itself in the massacre in Asiatic Turkey. Thus he brought about his own downfall.

But to-day a different light than that of the previous quarter century of retrogression greets the eyes of the visitor in Turkey. Prosperity is in the air. The spy system, so thoroughly organized by aides of Abdul Hamid, is practically abolished. Under Abdul's regime men feared to whisper their beliefs at their own firesides for fear a spy listened without or—frught with even more danger—for fear members of their own families were in the pay of the Sultan.

"Give as the old man's head," shouted the Young Turk soldiers the morning of April 13, just before they invaded the sacred interior of the sublime Porte. Those words which were also spoken to an American correspondent by the leader of the army of investment, told a long story. They told the correspondent that the Turkish people no longer revered the person of Abdul Hamid because he happened to be a descendant of their prophet. They were the sharp evidence that the people had taken it upon themselves to worship their rights and the sword, emblematic of sultanate power, rather than the man who wore the sword, the crown and occupied the raiment of a great monarch.

So there was little surprise expressed in other cities of the world when the news "The Porte has fallen" was flashed over the wires. The end of despotism in Turkey was in sight, diplomats at Washington said.

The following day came the official bulletin from the head of the church announcing that the ruler had been unseated, his office turned over to his brother and making grave charges against Abdul Hamid, now an old man.

"It is the will of Allah," sighed the old man, his shoulders seeming even more stooped after the strenuous events of two days.

Caracas Effendi, a member of the deputation from the national assembly, which conveyed the fetva (announcement) to the Yildiz palace, tells a graphic story of the dramatic scene which closed six centuries' domination of the boundless power of the Padiashah. When the deputation arrived at the palace the scene was one of utter desolation. The investing army had cut off the water, gas and electric supplies and had stopped the ingress of food, so that all the palace officials already were suffering from hunger and panic.

While waiting to be introduced to the Sultan the members of the deputation carefully examined their holsters and pistols, and, according to Caracas, had Abdul Hamid shown an armed hand he would have been shot on the spot. After much delay the unwepton visitors, surrounded by 20 black eunuchs, were ushered into the Sultan's apartment, where stood the Sultan's son, Prince Abdul Rahim. Presently the Sultan entered in a bewildered manner. He was dressed somewhat negligently, as though his clothes had been hastily donned, in civilian attire. His arms hung at his sides and his hands trembled.

After a silent salute Ennad Pasha pronounced in slow tones the decree of deposition, at which the Sultan shuddered.

There was a painful silence, followed by a quarter of an hour, during which the Sultan, after an equally painful colloquy, lasting a quarter of an hour, Abdul Hamid appealed for his life and for the lives of his family. He professed his devotion to the people and his innocence in recent events.

The youthful prince burst into tears, and after vain efforts to restrain his feelings, retired behind a screen, where he broke into bitter sobs. For a moment tears trembled in the Sultan's eyes. Then he supplicated the soldiers in attendance to swear that they would not take his life. The deputation brought the interview to a close and Abdul Hamid humbly saluted them as they departed.

Revolve in your mind the various assortment of industries which may be carried on in that fertile country and then ask yourself whether it is any wonder that lots of American money will go to aid Turkey by being invested in its industries.

The rejuvenation of Turkey is going on from the inside as well as from the outside. The powers of the world want to give Turkey a chance to retrieve itself and they realize that the new Sultan must be depended upon. Every official action which goes forth from the Sultan is quickly communicated to the States of Europe and America. In fact the whole world is just now sinking up Mehmed V. He is being watched as closely as if he were out on parole.

Mehmed is believed by the Turkish people to be in some manner a descendant of Mohammed, father of the religion which reigns supreme within the confines of the Ottoman empire. It was that fact which kept Abdul Hamid on the throne for so long a time while Turkey longed for his life blood and thousands of plotters were praying for a chance to effect his demise.

Finally, however, the people of Turkey took the view that it was the office of Sultan which they honored and not the occupant of that position. So the Young Turks party was formed with the primary idea of restoring the constitution of 1876. The deceptful ruler, after many promises of a "New Turkey," gave them the constitution they wished. Then by machinations known only to himself and perhaps one or two members of his court, he took away all the grants, still leaving the subjects in possession of the constitution of 1876, which then amounted to nothing more than an empty promise.

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