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SHOES AT DISCOUNT

Gentlemen \$3.00 Shoes at	\$2.49
“ 2.50 “	1.98
Ladies \$3.00 Shoes and Oxfords	2.49
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Our Ladies Gun-metal and Patent Colt at \$2.49 are cheaper than they have ever been sold before

All Rubbers on hand will be sold at 20 per cent discount.

Boys and Childrens Shoes will be closed out at a discount.

These prices are for cash only.

F. A. WILEY,

MAIN STREET, PINE CITY, MINN

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL.

To Be Given By The Ladies Of The M. E. Church, Friday, September 24, In The G. A. R. Hall.

On Friday, September 24, the ladies of the Methodist church will give a chicken Pie Supper in the G. A. R. hall and everybody is cordially invited to attend and bring their friends.

But listen! Chicken Pie is not the main thing, by any means. Just cast your eye over the accompanying menu. Doesn't it make your mouth water and think of the nearest hotel, or, better still, home, sweet home?

Supper 35 cents and children 25. Don't forget the date and be sure to attend.

MENU.

Chicken Pie	Cranberry Sauce
Baked Beans	Mashed Potatoes
Turnips	Salads.
Brown Bread	Rolls
Pumpkin Pie	Apple Pie
Collins.	

AUCTION SALE.

There will be an auction sale at the farm of A. G. Ballata, September 19, 1909, consisting of a team of mares, one 12 and the other 3 years old, 1 set double harness, 12 cows, 1 Champion binder, 1 Deering mowder, 1 disc harrow, 1 steel harrow, 1 self-dump hay rake, 1 mowder, 1 fanning mill, an upright stump puller, 1 wide tire wagon, 1 set bob-catch and other farming tools too numerous to mention.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

The State Insurance Department issues Bulletin Number Twenty-four for the Benefit of Our Citizens.

The Metropolitan Fire Insurance Co., Chicago Ill., has ceased doing business in Minnesota and has reinsured its unexpired policies in the Westchester Fire of New York.

The Provident Savings Life Assurance Society of New York, which retired from this state about three years ago, was relicensed by the New York department August 1. The impairment of its capital has been made good. We advise policy holders in this company to continue paying their premiums. The relicensing of the company justifies our position.

The receipts of the Insurance Department for the first seven months of 1909 show an increase of \$3,600.00 over the corresponding period of 1908.

The department is in receipt of numerous inquiries in regard to the merits of stock-selling schemes that are being presented to the citizens of the state. It is not the function of this department to advise in regard to investments, but a few general statements may be of benefit to those who are solicited to purchase insurance companies' stock.

Insurance as an investment does not differ greatly from any other business enterprise. Some companies will succeed, others will fail. The success or failure will depend almost entirely upon the amount of ability, technical knowledge and integrity possessed by the management. It will also depend upon whether the company is organized for the purpose of doing an insurance business or for the benefit of the promoters. There is no royal road to wealth through insurance investments. They require the same careful investigation as do all forms of industrial investments. The company that uses half of the receipts from stock sales for organization purposes, as was recently done, does not give promise of either large or immediate dividends.

The fire losses in Minnesota for July amounted to \$225,000 as compared with \$115,000 for the same month in 1908. The losses in the United States were \$13,462,000 in July 1908.

MEADOW LAWN (Specials.)

School commenced Monday with Miss Amy as teacher.

Mrs. M. K. Smith was a county seat visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Glyne has taken the school marm to board.

N. J. Edridge made a business trip to the county seat Monday.

Mrs. Allen Scofield is reported quite ill at her home in this place.

Frank and Ben Purdy were home over Sunday. They having reached the John Beckvar farm with their threshing outfit.

Messames R. E. Hamlin, M. K. Smith and J. P. MacAdam, were busy engaged cleaning the school house Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Rowle, who has not been feeling well for some time, expects in the near future to go to the city to receive medical aid.

Chas. Dile came home from Minneapolis Saturday evening, and left Sunday afternoon to assist the Purdy Bros. in running their threshing machine. As soon as they finish threshing around here they will move down on the St. Croix road.

Wm. E. Anderson, of Rock Creek, has returned from the Minnesota State Fair, where he had a small, but select, exhibit of Rose Comb White Leghorns, which attracted quite a bit of attention, on account of their high quality. He won second cock and first and second hen prizes on only three birds entered and is already in receipt of inquiries for stock from parties who saw and admired the birds shown.

TUBERCULOSIS.

Anti-tuberculosis Campaign to Have Wider Scope. State Association becomes Active.

While the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the state has made considerable progress, it has thus far been one-sided, almost wholly lacking the element of private initiative. The State Sanatorium and the State Board of Control have done excellent work in providing treatment for a limited number, and State Board of Health has promulgated an excellent set of rules for the guidance of health officers in handling cases coming under their jurisdiction, and recently has added a traveling exhibit. Recently also several counties especially St. Louis, have taken steps toward establishing very much needed local sanatoriums.

SPONTANEITY, FLEXIBILITY, & EXPERT SUPERINTENDENCY LACKING.

There has, however, been no organized body of leading citizens who in their private capacity have been back of the movement as a whole, so as to give it that spontaneity and adaptability widely varying conditions that cannot be secured thru the best of public officials. In no state has the movement gotten very far without the support and general supervision of the field of such a body of private citizens, and thru sheer lack of private initiative the State Board of Health has been compelled to take the lead in some lines of work better suited to a private organization.

THE MINNESOTA ASS'N FOR THE PREVENTION & RELIEF OF TUBERCULOSIS

The Minnesota association for the prevention and relief of tuberculosis was organized three years ago to carry on such work but has been inactive thru lack of funds and a suitable paid agent. Now, however, enough money to make a beginning worth while is in hand, and the entire time of Mr. Christopher Easton, formerly with the State Board of Health, has been engaged. Mr. Easton is an expert, who has had extended experience in both private and public anti-tuberculosis work in the East and will devote himself to thoroughly organizing the state and stimulating local work. The association has established headquarters in the old capitol building St. Paul.

AID TO LOCAL WORK.

The association stands ready to aid movement throughout the state by furnishing free or at a nominal cost exhibit cabinets, literature, lectures, statistics as to local prevalence, advice as to local legislation, plans and estimates of cost for small tuberculosis hospitals, camps, dispensaries, visiting, nursing, etc. It has also an extensive reference library covering all phases of the social, institutional and administrative control of tuberculosis, books and pamphlets which will be loaned to public officials, charity workers and other responsible persons. Treatment of the individual and sanitary control are not its province, but it will furnish consumptives and their friends with confidential information as to institutions, suitable employment, etc. It will also aid in local organizing and financing campaigns, and it may be called upon at any time to help out local committees.

When Johnny Goes Marching Back To School

There'll be a lot of things you'll have to get in a hurry and you'll have to get them right, or Johnny may come marching back again. School needs are well looked after in our store and every item may be Absolutely Depended upon.

WHATEVER IS WANTED, WE HAVE

Let Johnny come marching down here with his wants; he will be treated right.

A Good Lead Pencil with every 5 cent tablet on Saturday, September 4th and Monday, September 6th.

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We would like to figure on your bills

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AUG. NORDSTROM, Mgr.

Pine City, Minnesota.

DID IT EVER STRIKE YOU

That you might do better here, than where you have been buying your Lumber and Building Material?

Lots of people have been struck that way lately to their decided advantage.

They have been struck forcibly with the fact that our stock is one of the cleanest and best assorted in these parts, and that our prices are not one penny higher than others ask for such inferior material.

There's a Top Notch of Quality and a Rock Bottom in Price. You strike both when you buy building material here.

MIDLAND LUMBER & COAL COMPANY,

ED. GALLES, Manager. PINE CITY, MINN

Is your Bread made from Pine City FLOUR?

FLOUR?

If so, it's Good

IT'S SOLD EVERYWHERE.

PINE CITY MILLING & ELECTRIC CO.

KING COTTONS

VERI-MIL-REI

BY DANIEL J. SULLY

Editor's Note.—Daniel J. Sully, the author of this article depicting the possibilities of cotton, the plentiful vasage of the planter and the destiny awaiting the United States and the cotton grower, when we take advantage of our opportunity, has had a remarkable career in the record and romance of cotton. It was his unparalleled market campaign that caused cotton to rise to 17½ cents a pound in 1903, the highest point reached since the civil war. During this actual reign of cotton when Sully was its premier, \$450,000,000 in gold was brought to this country and formed the substructure of the enormous bull market which culminated in the spring of 1907. Then the south and the whole nation realized for the first time that the success of cotton and the advancement of civilization go hand in hand.



In mind, that cotton cloth, the cloth of the civilized masses, without which they would become barbarians, is the product of a plant. Cloth grown from the soil! If by some botanical necromancy we could grow finished garments in the fields, and if these garments could be produced in like quantities in no other part of the earth, every man would instantly realize that America possessed a monopoly which would make all other nations our petitioners. Yet we have that monopoly as assured as it would be if we harvested clothing ready to wear, for if we ourselves produced the garments that we by our toil in the south enable Europe and Japan to manufacture, we would possess almost an exclusive supply of the cloth and clothing already needed by at least one-half of the human race.

A MERICAN cotton-planters, proprietors of the greatest gold-producing staple in the world, are poor. They are in practical servitude. It is a tragedy of contemporary life that they who produce for the world the commodity without which modern civilization could not proceed are themselves absolutely subservient and the poorest paid toilers in the United States. Intellectually the cotton-growers are surrounded and coerced by factors who have no other purpose than to keep them in this beighted vassalage. From this condition influences of a new American spirit must liberate them.



TYPICAL COTTON-PICKING SCENE

We smile at the celestial shivering in the midst of coal-fields larger than the state of Pennsylvania. America's attitude toward cotton is almost equally grotesque. On the southern rim of the United States, within an area of practically 14 states, is grown 80 per cent. of the world's supply of cotton. The remaining 20 per cent. grown in South America, India, and the far east, is of an inferior quality and cannot compete with the cotton grown in the United States. Notwithstanding this enormous advantage, the fact still remains that this heaven-sent boon is paradoxical though it may seem, does not enrich, but rather impoverishes, the southland.

This is a tale of commercial ineptitude. Our greatest asset is our greatest humiliation. Cotton is a king, but it is a badly served monarch. Other nations, by farsighted policy, intense activity, and commercial alertness, have overcome the tremendous advantage we have, and by better doing the business of the raw product, and with cheap labor on looms and machinery for the manufacture of the finished product, now control the markets of the world. In the Orient, where we once had our share of trade, the market, to say the least, is slipping from us. It seems almost a travesty on American business methods that English and German manufacturers can go on the docks at Galveston and take our raw cotton, carry it to Europe in subsidized ships, weave it with cheap labor, retransport it to the United States, pay the customs duty, and undersell our home manufacturers. There is something wrong here, isn't there?

Cotton is the clothing of the uncounted millions, and even those born to the purple depend upon cotton for much of their apparel. King Cotton's dominion is mankind. America, therefore, producing practically alone, a commodity vital for civilized life and progress, has in that harvest the secret of incomparable wealth and power. It is not steel or lumber, kerosene or corn, that insures enduring leadership for the United States. Vast capital and dynamic genius have gone into the development of steel, yet this is transitory. The scepter of steel must ultimately slip from our grasp. The iron ore beds of the Lake Superior region are diminishing. Experts have numbered their years as less than a generation. Lumber cannot furnish a permanent foundation for our industrial pre-eminence. The forests are fast vanishing. Oil has contributed one of the leading items to our export trade, and has multiplied incredibly the fortunes of its managers; but the oil-wells cannot discharge their abundant forever. Besides the Bakus fields are ready to compete. Our corn and wheat before the end of many decades will be consumed at home. Argentina, central Europe and Manchuria produce these cereals in prodigious abundance. Even if our corn and wheat were the world's sole sufficient supply, as in the case of our cotton, the overseas nations could dispense with these staples, as some of them do. Millions upon millions of Mongolians have not yet developed an appetite for anything else rice. But all of them see clad in cotton goods. An additional inch on the shirts worn by the Mongolians would mean one million bales of cotton, and this is the market that is slipping from us.

Cotton Makes America Supreme Among Nations.

Thus it is cotton, and cotton alone, that can make America's supremacy unique and secure among the nations. This fact makes grotesque the record of our successes in selling finished cotton products across the sea. The only foreign customer that counts at all importantly in the totals of our export trade was China, and our market there has pitifully declined. England, Germany, and Japan are turning our ships from the Pacific, but as they crowded them on the path of the Atlantic. We should be carrying cargoes of cotton goods to all the ports of the earth. Instead of that the nations send here for 80 per cent. of their raw supply, manufacture it into all forms of commodities, outsell us in all the world's markets, and even occasionally ship the manufac-

tured goods back to the Americans who produce the raw supply. Switzerland, and the far east, which grows no cotton, whose mountains yield no coal for its factories, a country that has not an inch of seacoast or a plank of timber, sends to us, in the ships of other nations, more finished cotton goods than we export to all the continents of continental Europe combined.

America's future, when she realizes her heritage and opportunity in cotton, will eclipse anything that has been foretold for this republic. It is only within the last hundred years that cotton has conquered the world. The career of this plant has scarcely begun. The remarkable pace in its progress to power is revealed by the quaint fact that in 1784 eight bags of American cotton were analyzed by the customs authorities at Liverpool, the sage British verdict being that the importation was fraudulent, as so much cotton could not possibly be produced in one year in America! In Napoleon's campaigns thousands of the wounded and by some forgotten art, the weaving was an adequate supply of cotton for handspinning.

Before Eli Whitney's time it took a man in his home two years to separate one bale of cotton from the seed. The yield of cotton thus handicapped on its way to the weaver was unimportant. There had been cotton from remote antiquity. The mummies of Peru were wrapped in it. The ancient Hindus wore it, and by some forgotten art, the weaving was 5,000 times finer than it is to be found in any of the fabrics of modern times. Cotton was a sacred thread among the Brahmins, and the theft of it a serious crime. In the gardens of Chinese temples at the present day a special variety of cotton-plant is found which is nowhere else grown. From its yield the vestments of the Confucian priests are made.

Great Britain has made an organized and gigantic effort to raise a supply that would make her independent of America, for "the statements of that empire foresee the possibilities of the day when America, rising to a recognition of her right, will manufacture her own cotton and sell it to the world. But Great Britain, with her grip upon all available areas, had to and must continue to manufacture for her supply.



ELI WHITNEY, THE INVENTOR OF THE COTTON-GIN

Cotton has within itself, under the guiding hand of the country which produces it, the power to bring about ultimate world-peace, by prohibiting the exportation of raw cotton cargoes to England, Germany, France, Italy and Switzerland, could inflict hopeless industrial paralysis and financial panic upon those lands. The balance of power is in our hands to a most remarkable degree, but we treat it with indifference.

One word from America that it would withhold supplies of cotton would bring all Europe to terms of continuity.

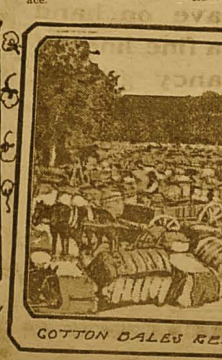
In the meantime, and until we reach the realization of the potency of cotton, it nations continue to waste their substance (and their purchasing power) in war, cotton will continue to be found indispensable in conflict. It is gun-cotton that huris destruction through the ranks, and it is cotton that binds up the wounds of the fallen. The Japanese in their recent war, through an untried system of surgery and hospital service, reduced the death-rate of the wounded to an unprecedented minimum. Without cotton that would have been impossible. And it is in cotton khaki that the armies march. And they make their bivouacs under cotton tents.

When you die they bury you in a cotton shirt. Throughout life cotton is most constantly with man. It is his closest companion by day and keeps him comfortable at night. Cotton is spread upon his tables; it is in the



SPINNING-ROOM OF A COTTON-MILL

upholstering of his chairs. If he takes a ride on the Flying Limited it is cotton waste in the wheel-boxes, through which lubricating oil is fed to the running-gear, that insures a continuous trip. This is an electrical age, but without cotton insulation on the wire the might of electricity would be a menace.



COTTON BALES READY FOR SHIPMENT

the progress of cotton to the consumer. Every year cotton goods to the value of nearly six billion dollars are turned out from the 125,000,000 spindles in the world. But the poor farmer in the cotton-fields sees but a pitiful part of the multiplying and multiplying the migration of cotton goods around the earth. The southern sells raw cotton to Japan, and the mills at Osaka turn out products that outsell our goods in Shanghai and Canton; and the Japanese cotton-manufacturer, traveling in haste to America, may wonder wherein the half-bred southern farmer—a vassal tenant—following his one male in the furrow, has advanced in civilization over the only recently awakened pagan of the east.

The ordinary grower of cotton cultivates 20 acres, producing one-half a bale to the acre. Unfortunately, in too great a majority of cases he is a tenant farmer. Of his ten bales, the result of his year's toil, five must go to the owner of the land. The working farmer, for his product, gets, we will say, ten cents a pound or \$50 a bale. His 12 months of effort and expense bringing him in a gross revenue of \$250. This is an insignificant total for the man who among others produces the commodity that controls the world.

Out of that \$250 he must provide for his family himself and his own, and make provision for the ensuing times of planting and cultivating. Fully 85 per cent. of America's cotton is produced by this struggling method. Up to 1902 when the great movement in cotton prices blessed the southern industry with the transforming gleam of prosperity, 80 per cent. of our cotton crop was harvested in this bare hopeless way.

Men cannot, if they would, again depend for their clothing upon the skins of wild animals. These beasts have practically vanished. Not is there enough wilderness on the globe to furnish a range for the rearing of sufficient animals to provide garments of skins for mankind. The world of men and women is clothed today as never before. It is only within the last century, with cotton within the reach of the multitude, that the majority have been adequately clothed. The heroes of the revolution were half clad and that half was rags.

And it is one of the interesting ironies of history that during that period, when the problem of clothes was supreme, both in America and abroad, Richard Arkwright, who invented the spinning-frame, and James Hargreaves, who invented the spinning-jenny, creations which were to change the history of the race, had their machines destroyed by the enraged and half-clad populace, who feared the competition of these labor-saving devices.

We smile at the short-sighted folly of that day, and yet the progress in the use and manufacture of cotton will be as tremendous in the coming years as in the past. There is an actual kingship for cotton, not only commercially but political; and this sovereignty of cotton in America I believe to be at hand.

We shall awake to our new destiny as a world-power and trading nation when we realize fully that the southern section of our republic is virtually the exclusive source of a commodity absolutely indispensable to the myriads of mankind from New York to Shanghai, from Rome to Montevideo, from London to the Cape. Less than one and a quarter million Americans, in 14 states of this union, hold in their hands the comfort, the luxury, the destiny of mankind.

An enormous profit is made somewhere in the chain of distribution. The drawing will take place at Aberdeen on October 20. This land opening will also give you a splendid opportunity to see the wonderful country opened through the construction of the new line to the West Coast, at small additional cost over your railroad fare to points of registration.

Registered at Moberge, Lemmon or Aberdeen, S. D., October 4 to 23.

The opening of the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Indian Reservations in South Dakota and North Dakota in October will give thousands of people 100 acres of fertile farming lands for a small sum per acre.

If you intend to engage in farming or are now farming and wish to change your location, why not register for one of these farms? It costs nothing to register.

Aberdeen, South Dakota, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and Moberge and Lemmon, South Dakota, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, are points of registration. You can register any day from October 4 to 23. The drawing will take place at Aberdeen on October 20.

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FERTILE FARMS FOR THOUSANDS

AT THE OPENING OF THE STANDING ROCK AND CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

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SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS.

Gimlet—Fibbs claims to have caught a catfish weighing 60 pounds down in the creek. Does he? Well, it's safe to say he's lying to the extent of about 40 pounds.

Hanner—Not if he hears you say it.

CUTICURA CURED HIM.

Eczema Came on Legs and Ankles—Could Not Wear Shoes Because of Bad Scaling and Itching.

"I have been successfully cured of dry eczema. I was inspecting the removal of noxious weeds from the edge of a river bank, and was constantly in the dust from the weeds. At night I cleansed my limbs but felt a prickly sensation. I paid no attention to it for two years, but it became a scum on my legs like fish scales. I did not attend to it until it got to be too itchy and sore and began getting two running sores. My ankles were all sore and scabby and I could not wear shoes. I had to use carpet and felt slippers for weeks. I got a cake of the Cuticura Soap and some Cuticura Ointment. In less than ten days I could put on my boots and in less than three weeks I was free from the compounded itching. Capt. George P. Billis, Chief of Police, Morris, Manitoba, Mar. 20, 1907, and Sept. 24, 1908."—Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Prop., Boston.

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"Why?"
"I notice he and his family are dying very high."



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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

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Nothing Too Good

for you. That's why we want you to take CARTER'S for liver and bowels. It's not advertising talk—but merit—the great, wonderful, lasting merit of CARTER'S that we want you to know by trial. Then you'll have faith—and join the millions who keep well by CARTER'S alone.

CARTER'S got a box for a week's treatment, all druggists, biggest stock in the world.

News of the Week.

Chips Picked Up Around Town and Vicinity

Miss Cary, of Duluth, is visiting at the home of Mrs. M. A. Stephens.

Miss Sadie Biederman returned Saturday from a week's visit in the twin cities.

Dr. D. W. Cowan, of Sandston, was a county seat visitor Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Eldridge, of Meadow Lawn, were county seat visitors Monday.

Sheriff Hawley transacted business in the northern part of the county Monday forenoon.

J. Y. Breckenridge, Jr., of Hinckley, spent Tuesday afternoon at his home in this place.

Mr. Lee Ingelston came down from Duluth Wednesday to visit at the home of his brother, F. C.

Rev. Hans M. Hilly, of Superior, spent Wednesday in this city, renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Lena Bier and the Misses Ruth and Sadie Biederman spent yesterday at the Chisago County Fair, at Rush City.

Mrs. Arthur Schulze took her little sister to the twin cities last week to undergo an operation on one of her eyes.

Quite a number from this place took in the Chisago County Fair at Rush City yesterday and more intend to go this afternoon.

The three Miss Pufferls, of St. Paul, who were visiting relatives in this place last week, returned to their home in the saintly city Monday afternoon.

Miss Pearl Palmerville, of Stillwater, who visited at the home of Adam Biederman a few days last week, returned to her home in the prison city on the noon train, Friday.

Miss Effie McLaird, of Chatfield, who succeeds Miss Minnie Green as state "Y" secretary, addressed the Union in a pleasing manner and organized a "Y" among the young people in the evening.

Jos. Petschel has purchased the stock and fixtures of the saloon formerly owned by William Buselmeir, situated east of the First State bank. Mr. Petschel has taken possession and is now doing business.

Mrs. I. H. McKusick has been quite ill at her home in this place for the past week, but at the time of the last report, was improving. We hope it will not be long before she is restored to her health and strength.

The Tri-State Telephone & Telegraph Co., who have had their exchange in the Connor building, between the Connor saloon and the J. J. Madden property, will move their exchange into a suite of rooms in the Rybak block.

Glasgow's new block, on the corner opposite the Hotel Agnes, is going up rapidly. Henry Spahr has the contract for its erection, which is a guarantee that the building will be built right and with all the dispatch that good work will allow.

Mr. Bert Barnum departed Wednesday for Spokane, Washington, where he will spend a week visiting his mother and sisters, Kate and Mamie. From there he will go to Portland, Oregon, where he will attend the North Pacific Dental College.

Mrs. Asa Paine, of Minneapolis, who has been visiting with the family of Rev. Fischer, in the Weick house, Mrs. Fischer being Mrs. Paine's sister, for a few days the latter part of last week and the first of this, returned to her home on Tuesday's limited.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Borchers, Monday afternoon, a son. The mother and child are doing nicely and Herman is proud of the young shoe maker which has arrived at his home and to show his joy, was passing around the cigars Tuesday morning.

Chester Pitt, who celebrated his 50th birthday the middle of last week, was taken seriously ill on the N. P. tracks, while going to his home at the Jonas Gray residence Monday morning. Dr. A. A. Tofto was called and now comrade Pitt is on the gain, which his many friends will be glad to hear.

At a business meeting of the W. C. T. U., held Friday, September 17, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. S. Williams; Vice President, (from Presbyterian church) Mrs. H. W. Harte; Vice President, (from Methodist church, Mrs. A. W. Piper; Secretary, Gertrude Wittrup and Treasurer, Sadie Derr.

Owen Stutaman, who has been employed in the Pine Poker office during the past year, departed Monday for Rush City to assist in the Rush City Post office this week on account of a surge of work caused by the Chisago County Fair, which commenced Wednesday and will close this Friday afternoon.

The Pine City Fire Department will give a poverty ball in the village hall next Thursday evening. All of those wishing a good time and to trip the light fantastic to good music, should not fail to be present on this occasion. This ball is the first of a series to be given by the department this coming winter.

The service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning is the "Communion" service. The subject is: "The sacrifice of Christ." At this service opportunity is given those who wish to unite with church, either by letter or upon profession of faith. The first meeting of our new Endeav-

or will be held at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. Will you help make it a good meeting? You are cordially invited to attend these services.
J. A. Faddock, Pastor.

School Notes.

EDITED BY FRANK P. GOTTFY.
George Hurley visited the primary department Wednesday morning.

There are thirty-seven pupils enrolled in the fourth grade this year.

Frank Svanda has been absent the past week laid up with rheumatism.

Dora Splittosser and the Steinburg children visited at North Branch Monday.

There are forty-five children enrolled in the primary department this year.

Deborah Roberts has been absent from school this week on account of illness.

Mary Bartos is in St. Paul undergoing an operation for the benefit of her eyes.

Francis Crowley, of Detroit, Michigan, entered the second grade Wednesday morning.

The seventh grade numbers forty-five pupils this year, which is not as large as last year's enrollment of fifty-two.

The A fifth and A and B sixth grades, under the supervision of Miss Culver, has an enrollment of forty-five pupils this year.

What we need is a good foot ball team this season, fellows. Now, let's get together and organize a team that we and our school can well be proud of.

William Korbel sprained his ankle and fractured his leg the second day of school, while on the play ground. William's accident will necessitate an absence of probably six weeks.

Mr. Swenson, our assistant principal, arrived Saturday afternoon from Seattle. While in that place he played in the St. Olaf Band at the A. Y. P. Exposition. He took charge of his classes Monday morning.

Miss Susan Shearer, who has been spending the past month in the far west visiting with relatives and friends, and taking in the Alaska-Yukon Exposition, at Seattle, returned home Monday. She reports having had a very pleasant trip and is highly pleased with the western country. We are glad to welcome her home again.

Popular Specials.

Bring your cream to Madden's. Old papers, 5 cents for big bunch, at this office.

LOST—A gold watch fob on July 15, during the parade. Finder please call at this office.

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For fine fresh meat and first-class sausage, call on the North Star Meat Co., Jellnek & Janda proprietors.

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WANTED—Laborers at Changwa tana dam. Wages \$1.75 a day. Apply to Pine City Electric Power Co.

WANTED Some steady boy or girl to learn Photography. Call at Poole's Photo Gallery for particulars.

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PASTURE for Rent—I have a good pasture of 600 acres for cattle or horses for rent. Inquire of J. D. Wilcox Jr.

LOST—During the sports in the afternoon, a black watch and two fobs. Finder please return to this office for reward.

WANTED—At once a good cook and a house maid. Good wages. Apply to housekeeper, Pokegama Sanatorium Pine City, Route 4.

For sale, 8 horse power Olds gas engine with arbor for saw. Engine mounted on trucks. Cheap. Inquire at Fri'zen's Sanitorium.

GIRLS WANTED—At Pokegama Sanatorium P. O. Pine City Minnesota; Pine City, Northern Pacific station. Grasson, Great Northern station. Wages \$20 a month for kitchen dining-room and chamber work, also a woman to take charge of chickens.

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DEEP SEA TALK.



The Porpoise—I hear that the sporty old lobster went all to pieces in his last day.

The Tortoise—Well, I should say he did go to pieces, and small pieces. He ended up in a lobster salad.

True Thrift.

"When visiting a certain town in the Midlands," says a medical man, "I was told of an extraordinary incident wherein the main figure, an economic housewife, exhibited, under trying circumstances, a trait quite characteristic of her. It seems that she had by mistake taken a quantity of poison-mercurial poison—the antidote for which, as all should know, comprises the whites of eggs. When this antidote was being administered, the order for which the unfortunate lady had overheard, she managed to murmur, almost unconsciously, 'Mary! Mary! Save the yolks for the puddings!'"—Tribune.

By Automobile Up Mount Rainier. United States Engineer Eugene Ricksecker celebrated Independence day by throwing open the government road in the Mount Rainier National park. Vehicles and horsemen now have an excellent thoroughfare from idavader to Narada falls, near snow line in Paradise valley. Mr. Ricksecker says that autos and horsemen can now make the trip with comfort. The maximum grade on the road is four per cent. Nearly a score of automobiles, all loaded, went to the mountain.

A Useful Baby.

Speaking of tricks to win the sympathy of juries in criminal cases, Judge Willard M. McEwen, in a recent address before the Illinois State Attorneys' association, said: "I know of four cases where a baby played a prominent part in getting the acquittal of the defendant, and I later learned that the same baby had been used in each of the cases, although the supposed mothers in each case were different women."—Law Notes.

PRESSED HARD

Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When prominent men realize the furious effects of coffee and the change in health that Postum can bring, they are glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

A superintendent of public schools in North Carolina says: "My mother since her early childhood was an inveterate coffee drinker and had been troubled with her heart for a number of years, and complained of that 'weak all over' feeling and sick stomach.

"Some time ago I was making an official visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat peculiar flavor of the coffee, and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it, that after the meal was over, I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for my next meal. The whole family liked it so well, that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart and no sick stomach; that her headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was as well and hearty as the rest of us.

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"There's a Reason."

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PRESIDENT STARTS ON LONG TOUR

Mr. Taft Leaves Summer Home at Beverly for Boston.

ON A 13,000 MILE JOURNEY

Details of the Chief Executive's Great Swing Through the West and South Lasting Nearly Two Months.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 15.—To-day, the fifty-second anniversary of his birth, President William H. Taft started from his summer home here on what will be one of the most notable tours ever undertaken by a president of the United States. For almost two months his private car will be circling White House, and he will journey 13,000 miles and traverse most of the west and southern lands in Washington on November 10. He went direct to Boston by motor car to-day and will attend a banquet there, starting immediately after for Chicago.

Besides the president, the party includes Capt. Archibald Butt, military secretary, Wendell W. Mitchell, assistant secretary, Dr. J. J. Richardson, Washington, D. C., James Sloan, Jr., and L. C. Wheeler of the secret service, and Maj. Arthur Brooks, the president's confidential messenger. Six newspaper men will accompany the president throughout the entire trip. Shortly before noon to-morrow, the president will arrive in Chicago and



NUMBERS SHOW STOPPING PLACES

President Taft's Route Through West and South.

be the guest of the Commercial club at luncheon. Next, the Hamilton club takes him to dinner, and will escort him, with a bodyguard of 1,400 members, to the West side ball park, to witness a game between Chicago and New York. After that will come a dinner at the Congress hotel, and then a meeting in Orchestra hall, where Mr. Taft will make a speech. To wind up the day, the president will put in his appearance at a reception and ball given by the Chicago bankers in the Auditorium.

In Wisconsin and Minnesota. Leaving Chicago at 3 a. m. Friday morning, the presidential party will stop at Milwaukee, Madison and Portage, and will spend the night at Wisconsin. Then will reach Minneapolis early on the morning of Saturday, September 18. He will spend all Saturday and Sunday in Minneapolis and St. Paul, leaving Sunday night at eight o'clock in order to reach Des Moines on the morning of September 20.

Five hours will be spent in the Iowa capital, where Mr. Taft will review 5,000 troops of the regular army and make a speech, and then the president moves on to Omaha, where he will spend the late afternoon and evening. Denver will be reached the afternoon of September 21, and the president will go almost direct from his train to the state capitol for a reception to be tendered by state officials, by the chamber of commerce and civic organizations. At 9 p. m. the president will make an address in the Denver Auditorium, where Mr. Bryan last year was nominated for the presidency.

The president and his party will breakfast with Thomas F. Walsh, at Wolhurst, near Denver, the morning of Wednesday, September 22, and then return to the city for the chamber of commerce banquet at 8 p. m. September 22, the president and his party will stop for an hour's visit at Colorado Springs, and then go on to Pueblo, where in the evening they will be guests at the state fair.

In Wonder Region of Colorado. The morning of September 23 will find the president at Glenwood Springs for a brief visit and then at Montrose, where he will visit Montrose, where there will be formally open the great Gunnison river tunnel built by the government for the irrigation of the Uncompahgre valley.

Returning to Grand Junction to resume the journey westward, the president will arrive at Salt Lake City, Utah, Friday afternoon, September 24, to remain there until Sunday afternoon, the twenty-sixth, when his party leaves over the Oregon Short Line for Pocatello, Idaho, and then to Moscow, the latter city being reached Monday, September 27, at 6:40 a. m. John Hays Hammond joins the party at Salt Lake City.

After spending half a day in Butte,

there will be a brief excursion into Helena, Spokane, Wash., will be reached early Thursday morning, the twenty-eighth, and the entire day will be spent in that city.

The forenoon of the twenty-ninth will be spent at North Yakima and the day will arrive at Seattle at 8:15 that evening.

Two Days at Seattle's Exposition. President Taft will spend two days, September 30 and October 1—"doing" the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, leaving Seattle late in the evening of the second day and arriving at Portland, Ore., October 2 at 7 a. m.

Two days will be spent in Portland, the party leaving for Astoria, Ore., on Sunday, October 3, for a trip down the famous Shasta route, through the Siskiyou mountains and in view of Mount Shasta, to San Francisco.

The president will stop the evening of October 4 at Sacramento, reaching Oakland, Cal., early on the morning of October 5. He will spend four or five hours in and around Oakland and Berkeley before taking the ferry at 12:30 o'clock for San Francisco.

After spending the afternoon and evening of the fifth in San Francisco the president will leave early the morning of the sixth for the Yosemite valley.

He will spend the seventh, eighth and ninth in the valley and, coming out the morning of Sunday, October 10, will proceed to Los Angeles, stopping for three hours at Fresno Sunday afternoon.

The president will spend Monday and Tuesday, October 11 and 12, in Los Angeles visiting the fair and will leave for Salt Lake City on Wednesday, October 13, at 11:30 a. m. He will arrive at the Grand Canyon the morning of October 14 and will leave again the morning of the following day, October 15, for El Paso early the following morning for

the meeting with President Diaz of Mexico. President Diaz will arrive from Mexico City at Ciudad Juarez about the same time and he will then cross the frontier and meet President Taft at El Paso. An hour later the president of the United States will return the visit to President Diaz at Ciudad Juarez on the Mexican side. The authorities of the latter city have appropriated \$20,000 for decorations and a bull fight.

Arriving at Corpus Christi the evening of October 19, the president will go at once to his brother's ranch, where he will spend Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Charles P. Taft has had golf links built on the ranch.

Trip Down Mississippi River. Visiting Houston the forenoon of Saturday, October 23, the president will proceed to Dallas the afternoon to spend Saturday evening and all Sunday.

From Dallas the president will proceed direct to St. Louis to begin his four days' trip down that historic waterway.

He will reach St. Louis at 7:27 a. m. the morning of Monday, October 25, and will arrive at 4 p. m. on the steamer assigned to him by the Deep Waterways association, which is to hold its convention in New Orleans on the president's arrival there. The president's boat will be a spectacular flotilla of river craft. One of the trailing boats will be assigned to make the trip down the river and to attend the convention. Another boat will be assigned to the congressional delegation of more than 100 members. Yet another boat will carry members of the Illinois Manufacturers' association.

First Stop of Voyage at Cairo. The first long stop of the river trip will be at Cairo at 8:30 a. m. Tuesday, October 26. The second stop will be at Hickman, Ky., at 2:30 p. m., the president making brief addresses at both places.

Arriving at Memphis, Tenn., at 8 a. m. Wednesday, October 27, the president will make an address at 9 o'clock and that afternoon at 5 o'clock will speak at Helena, Ark.

On Thursday, October 28, at 2:30 p. m., Mr. Taft will make a speech at Vicksburg. New Orleans will be reached about four o'clock Friday afternoon. The river journey also will include short stops at Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Natchez, Miss.

The president will remain in New Orleans from Friday afternoon, the twenty-ninth, to Monday morning, November 1. He will address the Waterways convention on October 30 at 2:30 p. m.

From New Orleans the president will go to Jackson and Columbus Miss., Birmingham, Ala.; Macon, Savannah, Charleston, Augusta, Wilmington and Richmond, reaching Washington November 10.

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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

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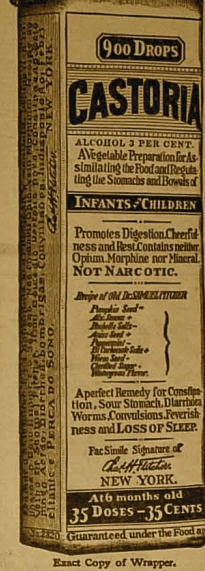
Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. R. J. Hamilton, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always know that my patients get Fletcher's."

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Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."



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Mrs. James Erhart and family, of Rush City, visited with relatives and friends up here Sunday.

There was some excitement while the threshing machine was around. Keep it up, as it's good exercise.

Robert and Mary Saumer and cousin, Amelia Gross, of Rock Creek road, spent Saturday evening at the home of Frank Gross and family.

Quite a number of people from this burg attended the surprise party at J. B. Saumer's home on the Rock Creek road last Sunday evening. Everybody had a good time.

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The barn on the farm which Mr. Chalson lately purchased, is going up rapidly. It makes quite an improvement.

Miss Anderson, who is employed in the Farmer's Store, was on sick leave for a short time, but we are happy to state, has returned to her work. We are pleased to see her around again, as she is a good sales lady.

Will Stevens, Jr., who, with others, drove over to the St. Croix River, had the misfortune to have a runaway, while passing Mr. Danner's farm. He lost the buggy top and received a few wire scratches, but otherwise, was unhurt. Better luck next time, Bill.

We could not give your worthy paper any news last week, as we were visiting in the twin cities, leaving on Monday and returning Friday. The State Fair, which we attended, was a great success, as far as making money is concerned. As far as we could see, everything was as good as could be expected, except too much graft which was going on and should have been prohibited.

BRUNSWICK ROAD.
PINE CITY, MINNESOTA
SMITH HARDWARE COMPANY

Mr. E. Daley went to St. Paul to take in the State Fair, last week.

Mr. Albert Pangerl is seen at West Rock quite often. What's the attraction, Al?

Miss Mary Peters returned to St. Paul Thursday, after spending two months with her parents.

HUSTLETOWN.
Pine City, Minnesota
Smith Hardware Company

Mrs. Frude Belle is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. J. Collette departed last week to teach school just out side of the county.

Miss Mattie Lahart is staying at the Belle residence during the illness of Mrs. Belle.

John Collette went over to Meadow Lawn and spent Sunday with M. T. Lahart and family.

The children of E. Adler have been seriously ill the past week, but at the present writing are some what better.

Mrs. L. L. Furhmann has been engaged to teach school at the same place where Mrs. Collette is teaching.

We have been informed that two families have moved into this neighborhood, and are at present living in the Henry Davis house. It is reported that they have purchased land near the Duababek place.

DEER VALLEY
The corn is nearly all cut and potatoes are being dug.

Mr. Olsen and friend went to the State Fair Friday morning.

When we returned from our trip things looked different along the road.

We would like to know who received prizes at the Pine County Fair in all lines.

A baby boy was born to a sister of Mrs. Carvers last Friday. Mother and child are doing well.

Miss Florence left last week for Minneapolis, where she will take employment in a large factory. We hope she likes it.

A baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Frarall's died last month. Mrs. Frarall has been quite sick lately and is attended by Dr. Wiseman. She is now a good deal improved and we hope for the best.
Mr. A. Stevens and daughter, Sarah, have returned from their State Fair visit and report that they took in everything there was to be taken in and also, that they enjoyed the trip very much. They were the guests of the Mrs. Jay and Leo Heineman.

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Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Church Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each Sabbath.
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Praying 10:45 a. m.
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Praying 8 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
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