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PINE CITY, MINNESOTA

## IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Nettie Cochran is Struck by Cars at Cloquet  
Lives A Short Time

An Old Pine City Girl Struck by Great Northern Train and Killed.  
Well Known

The following taken from the Duluth Herald of Tuesday will be of interest to a great many of our readers, as the lady spoken of is Miss Nettie Cochran who lived here with her mother and brothers for a great many years, and was well known to our older citizens.

"Cloquet, Minn., April 3.—(Special to The Herald.)—Nettie Cochran of Echo, Minn., was struck by a Great Northern freight train at the Johnson—Wentworth crossing in this city Saturday afternoon and sustained a fractured skull and internal injuries from which she died at 3 o'clock that evening at the Barclay hospital. The passenger trains stop at this crossing for the convenience of passengers to the East end, although there is no depot there. Miss Cochran alighted from a Northern Pacific train and walked around behind it to cross the Great Northern tracks, which run parallel, and was struck by a freight train going in the opposite direction to the train from which she alighted. She had come to Cloquet to visit her widowed mother and a brother, Arthur Cochran. The Pioneer extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

### PARTY LAST SATURDAY NIGHT

Last Saturday evening a party was given in Stekl's hall by a number of Adam Biederman's friends in honor of his forty-third birthday. The evening was spent very pleasantly in dancing, and all report having a great time. A very nice lunch was served about 12 o'clock, which was enjoyed by all. We are informed that Mr. Biederman intends to give another dance in the near future, as he had such a good time at this one. We hope that he may live to enjoy many more such birthdays.

### OLE THEOBALDI COMING

Ole Theobald, the great Norwegian Violinist, will appear in the Presbyterian Church on April 12th. Everybody should turn out and help the good work along. Popular prices will be charged.

J. A. Lapage, who formerly ran a hardware store in this place, was a seller here last Friday. He is now located in St. Paul.

## VILLAGE COUNCIL

Many Bills Are Presented and Approved, Allowed

### Biederman Marshal

The Council Orders Set of Punch Clocks To be Looked After by Marshal. Three Applications

Pine City, Minn., April 3rd, 1911.

The Common Council met at the Clerk's Office at regular meeting. Meeting was called to order by the President. All members present. The minutes of March 6, 8 and 15 were read and approved. The following claims were allowed:

J. Collins, 4200 lbs. coal	\$11.55
Firemen, Kowalke fire	29.50
T. F. Cosgrove, marshal's salary for March, by extras	52.00
Dr. Wiseman, last quarter H. O. salary	12.50
R. L. Wiseman, Pres. salary	10.00
April 1, 1909	10.00
W. Sauer Trustee	10.00
April 1	10.00
J. Jelinek	10.00
April 1	10.00
A. Klieker	10.00
April 1	10.00
A. Klieker, repairing lock and 15 hours work on bridge	5.85
J. Steinling, 15 hours on bridge	5.25
A. Cherrick, 20 "	4.00
F. Puffer, Clerk salary for March and postage	16.70
J. Neubauer, bolts and clamps for bridge	14.80
E. Husted, repairing pump	1.50
J. Y. Breckenridge, mdsae.	1.30
T. Ling, burying calf	1.00
C. Gehl, Judge Vill. election	2.70
J. Netzer, "	2.70
W. Gottry, Clerk "	2.70
A. Penhiter, 1 days work on street	1.50
G. Sherwood, 2 " hauling ashes	7.00
G. Kuns, 2 1/2 days work on street	3.75
J. Kuns, 2 " Street Commissioner	3.50

W. A. Sauer and Frank Puffer stated that the prices of clock with nine stations complete would be \$55.00 and on motion it was decided to take up the proposition at the next meeting. No further business appearing, the Council on motion adjourned sine die.

F. Puffer, Clerk.

### Pine City, Minn., April 4, 1911.

The Common Council met at the Village Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members present. The bonds of F. Puffer, Clerk, J. D. Boyle, Treasurer, John Atkinson and A. H. Lambert, Justices of the Peace and F. P. Mc Kusick, Constable, were on motion approved. The salary of Clerk was fixed at \$15.00 per month, Attorney's salary at \$75.00 per year, Health Officer's salary at \$50.00 per year and Marshal's salary at \$50.00 per month. The Treasurer's salary was fixed at not to exceed \$100.00 per year. The Street Commissioner's salary and street work was fixed \$1.50 per day, and team work at \$3.50 a day.

G. Atkinson received 2 votes, J. Biederman received 2 votes and E. J. Pries received no votes for Marshal, the President voting for Biederman, who was therefore declared appointed Marshal. J. Kasas received 3 votes, J. Jaros received 2 votes for Street Commissioner, the President voting for Jaros, who was declared appointed. R. L. Wiseman was appointed Health Officer for 3 years, R. G. L. Roberts was appointed Village Attorney for the ensuing year. A pe-

## HURTFUL BUSINESS

The Agitation Is Very Hurtful To Business

### Peculiar Institution

Liberty Accorded to all Who Can Rightly Use and Appreciate it is the Argument

This was the argument used during the anti-slavery agitation. "The peculiar institution" of the South must not be disturbed, out of regard for the sanctity of commercial profits. The slave is contented, and would not change his lot; liberty is freely accorded to all who can rightly use or appreciate it, and the real evil lies in a "disturbance of conditions" by unscrupulous agitators.

"It was a good argument—from the view-point of vested interests and the exploitation of the weak. But it appears that a majority of the American people were not convinced by it, and that after a time they concerned themselves about the matter at issue in a very forcible manner. It is an argument that is always reappearing, and is always prompted by the same motive—the material interests of the strong."

It is the argument that American investors in Mexico are now using to silence the attempt to disclose the cruelties perpetrated by the Mexican government upon the Yaqui Indians. But there are yet those who regard the sacred rights of personal liberty to be accounted of greater worth than any financial interest, so the agitation of Mexico's alleged barbarism continues.

The same argument was vociferously sounded through the country when, during President Roosevelt's administration, the work of the great trusts was under surveillance.

And now the advocates of temperance everywhere are confronted with the same argument—"Agitation hurts business." That is just why the temperance people are agitating.

They want to hurt the liquor business. They want to annihilate it. It is an illegal business. It is a business that hurts every other business and helps none. It is a business that works only evil to its patrons, and untold harm to thousands who have no personal connection with it.

Then why should it not be annihilated? Let agitation continue until this business—the greatest evil of the world—is injured beyond recovery, and be assured that in the agitation and the resulting prohibition no legitimate business will suffer in the least.

tion for lights was read and on motion was laid on table. On motion of Clerk Puffer a by-law regulating time of meetings was passed. On motion of Clerk Puffer a 9 station watchman's clock was ordered subject to approval, for the sum of \$55.00 complete. Motion carried. Royal Gray made application for a pool room license and the same was on motion granted.

The claim of J. D. Boyle, commissioner as Treasurer, was allowed at \$133.14, and the claim of F. P. Mc Kusick for driving firemen to fire at Hoffman's farm, \$2.50.

No further business appearing the Council adjourned to meet Monday, April 11th, at 7:30 p. m.

F. Puffer, Clerk.

You are invited to all the services in the M. E. church. Don't forget the Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. The orchestra furnishes music for this session.

## All Spring Styles

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# UNCLE SAM'S PATENT OFFICE AND ITS WORK

MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE U.S. PATENT OFFICE

CONGRESS is just now being urged to provide for the erection of a new building for the use of the United States patent office, and this plea for better facilities for taking care of the business of the inventors of the country has brought out some interesting facts in connection with this unique branch of our national government. And, it may be added, for all that the people of the republic take a keen interest in invention as becomes the greatest inventive nation on the globe, very few of our citizens have any intimate knowledge of the machinery which the federal government maintains for examining inventions and granting patents.

This comparative ignorance of the facilities and methods of the government institution that devotes itself to inventions extends even to a majority of inventors themselves—the hundreds of thousands of men and women who are either engaged in inventive work today or have, at some time in the past, exercised their nimble brains in an effort to devise something that would be an improvement upon the existing state of things. That even interested parties are thus in the dark is due to the fact that the patent business of the country is largely in the hands of attorneys—special lawyers who devote themselves exclusively to this line of practice. Nine men out of ten who evolve an invention and desire to have it patented soon come to realize that the operation is an intricate one, requiring special knowledge, and so they turn the work over to some one of these go-between agents who are hopefully eager to do with the matter until they get the coveted parchment a year or two years hence and pay the bill, which may be \$75 or \$100, if circumstances warrant, for you know getting a patent is not exactly a cheap operation.

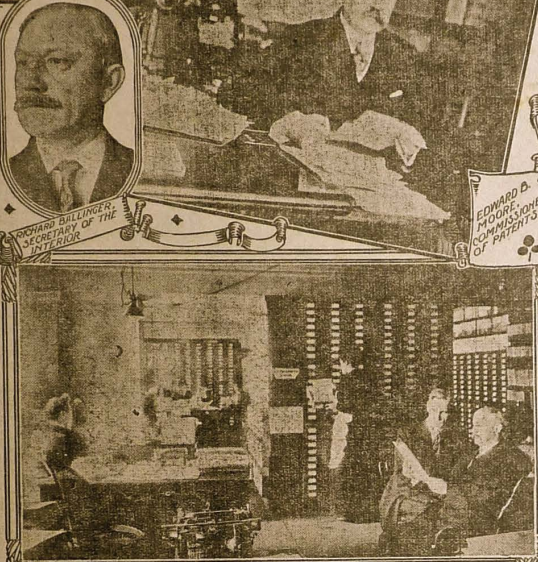
But to get back to the proposal for a new building for the patent office. This institution has for many years past occupied a portion of the building of the department of the interior at Washington and since the volume of inventions pouring in to be considered as candidates for patents has steadily increased year by year it has naturally followed that the present quarters are hopelessly inadequate. In order to make room the authorities a few years ago arranged to get rid of the thousands of original models of old inventions which had accumulated in the days when it was necessary to send a working model as well as drawings with an application for a patent. But this was by no means a complete solution for the problem. The patent office must needs file and keep on permanent record the papers in every patent case, and these have been piling up at such a rate in recent years that it is a grave problem how and where to store them in such fashion that they can readily be brought to light when needed for reference as in the case of the law suits that are always growing out of patents on inventions.



A SECTION OF THE PATENT OFFICE

However, there are other branches of our national government possessing new buildings just as such as does the patent office, and this brings us to the novel argument that is being advanced in behalf of the patent office, and that is the grant of a new building in address of all others. It is being pointed out to congress that the patent office is one government institution, and almost the only one, in which the inventor is not the customer, but the provider of the service. For other activities (like the mail) the money goes down in his pocket, or rather the people do through the medium of taxes. In maintaining the patent office, however, the inventors and they alone pay the bills. What is more, not only is this bureau for inventors self-supporting, but it actually returns a profit, or in other words, it has on hand a surplus at the end of each year after all expenses have been paid. This net surplus has been piling up in the United States treasury for some time, and it is estimated that it will amount to about \$7,000,000, and will be used in the future, or such part of it as may be necessary, that it is desired to have expended for a new building for the patent office.

As is well known, we Americans are the greatest nation of inventors in the world. About a million United States patents have been granted, whereas the aggregate number of foreign patents granted by all foreign countries combined has amounted to date to only about two million patents. The fever of invention in the United States has waxed temporarily in "panic years" and it occupied one time during the Civil War, but otherwise there has been a steady increase in the number of patents issued, and from 1870 to the present day patents have been issued at the rate of one million annually, and in proportion to population have passed on issued at a rate of one million to one hundred and twenty million of the population.



A TYPICAL DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN THE PATENT OFFICE

patent application, and this little detail often becomes a matter of the greatest importance when two or more men discover the same invention at about the same time. Indeed, in the case of certain of our most valuable inventions, such as the telephone, more than one man hit on the idea simultaneously, but the wealth that lay in wait for the lucky inventor went to the man who won in the race to the patent office. It is because of this keen rivalry that inventors all over the country are welcoming the present movement to issue patents more quickly. In days gone by inventors have in some instances had to "mark time" for years before they could get their patents, and this not only did an injustice to the inventor and to the workmen who might have been employed meanwhile in manufacturing the new product, but it also deprived the public at large of the benefit of new discoveries designed to benefit it in one way or another.

In an average year there are upward of twice as many applications for patents as are granted. Some of the things upon which patents are sought are of such a nature that they are not patentable, and in many instances it is a matter of "another fellow found it first." The patent office officials tell many really pathetic stories of men in isolated localities who have devoted years of hard work to working out some invention—often at the expense of their health and some other person had ignorantly taken the same idea, and secured a patent, perhaps many years before. The number of new patents keeps well ahead of the number of patents that expire, the latter totaling in the ordinary year more than two-thirds as many as there are new patents issued. One hundred to two hundred patents are also renewed each year.

Each applicant for a patent must pay to the government a fixed fee of \$35, but if his application is made through an attorney—as is the case in most instances as above explained—the total expense of an inventor securing his coveted protection on his brain-child is likely to be at least double the amount of the fee. It is sometimes said that our American patent system is not so effective as is that in vogue in Germany, but certainly it may be noted that there is a disposition on the part of all the leading nations of the world to get together on patent matters and to enter into treaties on the subject. In fact, in late years, one of the most important duties of the United States commissioner of patents has been that represented by negotiations with international treaties on the subject, and seldom a year goes by that he does not visit one or more foreign countries in the effort to bring about a better understanding between nations on this score.



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Tuberculosis in Japan. Japan is not lagging behind in the fight against tuberculosis. The Japan Health association has over 200,000 local members, and carries on a campaign of lectures in the cities and towns of the country. Tuberculosis is increasing in Japan due chiefly, Prof. S. Kitasato of Tokyo says, to the rapid development of the factory system of industry, the introduction of modern methods and manners of civilization and the increasing acuteness of the struggle for existence.

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Scribbler—Ah, like yourself, he adores poetry?  
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# The Ingenious Miss Davis

By Bartley Jones

The ingenious Miss Davis came aboard the *Baltic* at Southampton with her father to make the trip to New York. She was a young lady of 18, and her father was a venerable man of 55. We all felt sorry for them the moment they stepped on board. They had not secured their passage in the regular way, and next, the father had just received a telegram recalling him to London. The steamer was full up with passengers and for a few minutes it seemed that Miss Davis would have to go ashore with her father or take quarters in the steerage. Then Mr. Edgar Greenleaf, a young man from New York, who had been seeing Europe and waiting a good deal of money to bring back loud clothes and high collars, caught sight of the handsome girl and the problem was solved. He would double up with some male passenger, and give her his stateroom. She protested, but her father protested, but young Mr. Greenleaf would have it so. When the girl smiled on him, the venerable father patted him on the back and made the necessary financial arrangements with the purser, and the big steamer began to plow the waves.

Miss Davis struck a good thing. She had a good stateroom all to herself—she was by all odds the best looking girl on board—she made herself a favorite almost at once, and if 50 or more young men on the *Baltic* were in love with her inside of three days, it was nothing to be ashamed of. It is to be doubted if any young lady ever crossed the Atlantic alone who was made more of. She was nominally under the captain's charge, but bless your soul, he would have had to look her up to keep the crew away. She could sing, recite, mimic, pitch quoits, play ball and bring the sweetest kind of music from the piano, and you may add a melodious voice, a handsome face and a perfect figure to that. The story she told was that she and her

in cash and \$1,800 worth of diamonds if she hadn't been a woman with a good voice and a determined spirit she might not have heard of the affair. She at once laid her case to a stewardess, and the stewardess promptly denied it and asked to be searched. This was done and nothing was found. Then the most of us agreed that Mrs. Graham had left her cash and diamonds behind her when she sailed, and she got even by calling a set of idiots and stealing to it who ever robbed her had used a false key to open her trunk. Only 15 hours after the loss and injury to a complaint to the effect that a gold watch set with diamonds had been taken from his room. It now became evident that there was a thief aboard, and things were very uncomfortable for all. In the excitement we almost forgot Miss Davis, but she did not forget herself. There was who suggested a search of all the staterooms and proffered her key. In so doing she got herself disliked by an old chap who was in the cabin printing business on New York. He said he had been turning out calico warranted to wash for the last 40 years, and he'd be hanged if he'd have his business called in New York. He was the comment 'planter' generally takes into consideration the various sources of danger and makes provision to meet each with the most effective means of protection. With the average home orchard the danger is greater than in the large plantation, and the possible means of protection more generally regarded or overlooked.

If young trees be girdled in late spring just as growth is beginning, they may be successfully treated by binding about the wounded part a heavy covering of smooth tinamous foil. A now bark will sometimes form beneath the foil, if the inner bark cambium be not entirely destroyed. It is safer, however, to insert a few long selons.

This is called "bridge-grafting." The sap circulation of the tree, cut off by the wound made by the rodents, is resumed through the selons which become a part of the tree—enlarging and growing together until, in after years, only a slight enlargement or "bulge" on the trunk of the tree thus treated will be noticeable.

In bridge-grafting, the wounds should be made clean and smooth with a sharp knife and covered with a sharp piece of wax. The selons should be cut a trifle longer than the space to be bridged so that when they are inserted their curving form will tend to keep them firmly fixed in position. The two ends of the selons are cut to a thin, wedge form. Inclinations are made in the bark with a narrow chisel—those above the wound sloping upward and those below sloping downward. Insert the selons firmly and wax heavily and securely all wounds made in the operation, especial care being exercised to press the wax in firmly and neatly about the point of union of selons with the body of the tree.

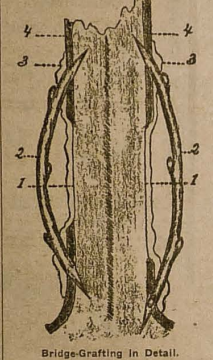
# Horticulture

## GIRDLING OF ORCHARD TREES

Loss and Injury Done by Mice, Rabbits and Woodchucks Estimated at \$1 Per Acre Yearly.

(By F. H. HALLON.)

Little data is available which would render possible anywhere near a correct estimate of the loss of and injury to trees, young and old, through the work of mice, rabbits and woodchucks. While the loss is confined principally to newly-set orchards, replanting in older orchards and the younger plantations generally, this loss, in the aggregate, is considerable. It certainly would not be far beyond the bounds of conservatism at the loss and injury at one dollar per acre per year including all ages and conditions of apple, pear and plum orchards.



Bridge-grafting in Detail.

1. Wound.
2. Bark.
3. Wax.
4. Selon.
5. Cambium.

this in the large commercial plantations, even where the grass-mulch method of culture is practiced, the comment 'planter' generally takes into consideration the various sources of danger and makes provision to meet each with the most effective means of protection. With the average home orchard the danger is greater than in the large plantation, and the possible means of protection more generally regarded or overlooked.

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# ROMANCE OF COLD WEATHER

Man Saves Two Lives but Subsequent Licensing is Much to His Disadvantage.

Two lovers were strolling along a canal bank on the outskirts of Paris the other day when the woman suddenly ran from her companion and threw herself into the water. Though but a bad swimmer, her companion at once jumped in to rescue her, but he was unable to do so, and both were in peril of drowning. At this moment a stranger came along, and seeing the struggling couple, bravely jumped in and succeeded in bringing both the man and the woman to the bank, where they were soon revived.

## SCALES ALL OVER HER BODY

"About three years ago I was affected by white scabs on my knees and elbows. I consulted a doctor who treated me for ringworm. I saw no change and consulted a specialist and he claimed I had psoriasis. I continued treatments under his care for about six months until I saw scales breaking out all over my body save my nose. I consulted another doctor who said that my hair began to fall. I then changed doctors to no avail. I went to two hospitals and each wanted to make a study of the case and seemed unable to cure it or assure me of a cure. I tried several patent medicines and was finally advised by a friend who was a Cuticura man, to purchase the Cuticura Remedies. I purchased a cake of Soap, the Ointment and the Resolvent. After the first application the itching was allayed.

"I am still using the Soap and Ointment and now feel that none other is good for my skin. My itching psoriasis has disappeared and I everywhere feel better. My hands were so disfigured before using the Cuticura Remedies that I had to wear gloves all the time. Now my body and hands are looking fine." (Signed) Miss Sara Burnett, 2155 Flarwater St., Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 19, 1918.

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## Up-Set Sick Feeling

That follows taking a dose of castor oil, or calomel, is about the worst you can endure—Ugh! It gives one the creeps. You don't have to have it—CASCARAT'S moves the bowels—tosses up the liver—without those bad feelings. Try them.

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In a Way He Became Her Cavalier. Her father had been to London to lay claim to vast estate. Their claim had been recognized, and there was every prospect of its being restored when they would have millions at their command. They were merely going home after some papers that had become necessary to the case. No one doubted her story, but it served to make some young men rather shy of her. They became afraid of those shy men. With this in her pocket she could have her pick of lords and dukes and counts and barons and sons.

Young Mr. Greenleaf naturally held the best cards up to a certain point. He had done a nice thing by giving up his stateroom, and of course Miss Davis was properly grateful. In a way he became her cavalier. That is, he looked the part and monopolized most of her time.

On the third day from Southampton, a notice was posted up that Mr. Greenleaf had lost a valuable pearl and diamond pin. Some few questions were asked, but no one took any great interest. The loser could not find the piece that he missed the pin had been stolen sitting in a noisy corner on deck. Miss Davis laid it all above, but he didn't go into particulars.

On the next evening young Mr. Thompson, who had left his mother alone in order that no one should catch him when he smoked too many cigarettes and drank too many cocktails, gave his arm to Miss Davis for a walk. She had a slight fever to ask of him. Her dear father had left her plenty of money, but it was in \$100 bills. Would he kindly give her small bills in change? He would. He went to the stateroom and got the money, and she thanked him, but did not hand over the hundred. It was a man of absent-mindedness, of course, and he did not call her attention to it. She played the same trick on two other young men before she left the deck. They would have told their money, but it had arrived at a conclusion, but they said nothing.

At 10 o'clock the next day the ship was under way. The money, and she thanked him, but did not hand over the hundred. It was a man of absent-mindedness, of course, and he did not call her attention to it. She played the same trick on two other young men before she left the deck. They would have told their money, but it had arrived at a conclusion, but they said nothing.

Business Proposition. "Doctor," said the apprehensive-looking man, "is it true that there are people with nervous troubles that throw them into prolonged and unaccountable slumbers?"

"There are such cases."

"I've got one," said the man, "and I'd like you to collect some 'I'll pay them good money.' I'm the author of a new book."

Too Deliberate. A judge in rendering a criminal called him a cowardly.

The prisoner replied, "Sir, I am not so big a coward as you here—the court stopped, but finally added—'Take us up!'"

"A little less deliberation!" exclaimed the judge.—713-H.

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### PINE COUNTY PIONEER

ED. C. GOTT, Editor and Prop.

Entered in the Postoffice at Pine City as Second-Class Matter.

Pine City, Minnesota, April 7 '11

The approach of spring isn't free from its drawbacks after all. For a few months now we will have to dodge automobiles.

The new Japanese treaty which was but recently ratified left out all reference to Japanese immigration, but that doesn't seem to make any difference so far as anti-Japanese agitation in the Pacific coast states is concerned. The newspapers and cheap politicians of the coast states seem to delight in keeping up the howl about the "yellow peril" just to have something to talk about.

The movement that is on foot among postal clerks to secure the closing of Post Offices on Sunday is a sensible and reasonable movement. There is no reason why the post offices should be kept open on Sunday any more than there is for the banks or county offices. This idea of there being any necessity for the opening of the post office has been exploded so many times that it seems like useless repetition to call them up again.

AND so Colonel Roosevelt had nerve enough to tell the people of Arizona that he did not approve of their "freak" constitution! Well, that didn't make much difference to the people of Arizona. They have been educated in the Roosevelt school of "progressiveness" and it is hard to stem the tide when once the flood gates are opened. It doesn't make much difference whether Roosevelt likes it or not, the people out that way seem to enjoy these crazy notions, and they are decidedly popular now among certain politicians. Minnesota isn't just as free from that brand of politics as it should be either.

### CORNELL

O. Monkburg and family visited at C. Hawkinson's Sunday.

F. Millren was a county seat caller last week.

The well drillers are sinking a well at the saw mill.

Frank Gottschalk was a business visitor at Grandon last week.

Ed Peterson and wife were callers at Chas. Hawkinson's Sunday.

It is rumored that we are soon to have a bank, as the stock is about all sold.

Oscar Thorsen has built a chimney on his house and sunk a well on his farm.

Mrs. Roberts who was visiting at Millren's has returned to her home in South Dakota.

Chas. Hawkinson has been called to Minneapolis to see his brother's wife, who is not expected to live.

Wm. Rolf was seen on our streets Tuesday. Since he moved onto his farm south of town we don't see him very often.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wining died Sunday morning, after an illness of some time. The funeral was held Monday at 1 o'clock, and the remains laid to rest in the Brookpark cemetery, the M. E. pastor of Brookpark officiating.

### BEROUN

Joe Kuna has returned home.

Josphine Watcek has been quite ill at her home during the past week.

The Guptill family who have been quite ill with measles are convalescing.

Blanch Henderson who came back with her parents from Laverne is attending our school.

Elythe Robinson spent Sunday visiting with relatives at Pine City.

Mrs. J. W. Chalupsky spent Saturday visiting with her relatives in Pine City.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Frank Cabak has been forced to be absent on account of illness.

Celia Horejs, Paul and Louis Chalupsky, Mary Pulkrabek and Rose Balata were absent a few days on account of illness.

Blanch Henderson who has been attending school at Laverne entered the 8th grade to review for the state examination.

The class in agriculture are studying the germination of seeds. Corn tested 97 per cent last week.

The fifth grade will begin 8th grade arithmetic Monday.

### MEADOW LAWN

E. A. Elford was a caller in the Law Tuesday.

A. G. Sperling and G. Johnson drove to Mission Creek Sunday.

Hattie Lyaeth is spending her vacation at home.

Those who attended the dance at

Clemons' Friday evening report a pleasant time.

The saw mill is now at A. Livingston's.

Wm. Parrent, of Rock Creek, is spending a couple of weeks at the Lawn.

John Sebesta, of Mission Creek was a caller in the Lawn Friday.

Chas. Dile was called home Saturday from Minneapolis by the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Rawie, who died Saturday morning. Her obituary appears in another column.

Those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Rawie were William Patterson and wife of Minneapolis and Mrs. Phillip Abby of Aiden.

Arlo and James Nichols departed for Medina N. D. where they expect to spend the summer.

### GLENWOOD

(Received last week too late for publication.)

Carl Carlson returned home from Duluth and is now employed at the Creamery.

George and Jennie Tate of Route 2 were visiting their relation in this neighborhood last Sunday.

Clayton Sipprell is working at the A. E. Stevens' saw-mill at present.

Adelbert Myers departs Friday for Dakota and expects to be gone for five years so he says. But five years is a long time Dell.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stevens were out to town Wednesday.

John Alguire was the lucky man that won the gun at the raffle Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heineman and family spent Sunday at John Tates.

We don't see the reason why, but it was awfully lonesome out on Route 4 Sunday.

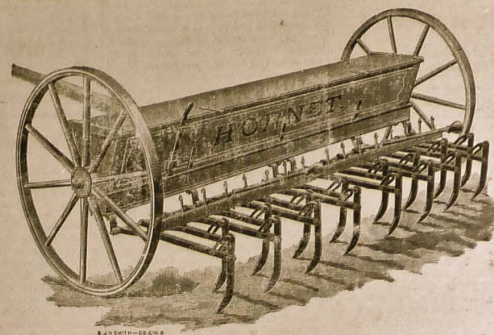
Those people that were planning on putting in their onion seed this week, changed their minds rather suddenly. Oh! You know.

Geo. L. and Orvin Stevens were to town Wednesday. Mr. Stevens purchased a new horse, and it is certainly a fine animal.

Adelbert Myers and Clayton Sipprell spent Wednesday evening at the John Tate home.

Barnes Burton has been on the sick list, but is now able to be around.

Quite a number from this corner of the world attended the sale at Charles Enos' Saturday.



Purchasers who appreciate merit rather than price, and know that it is economy to buy the best, should carefully consider the Hoosier Hoe Broadcast Seeder. "Time is the test of merit" and the reputation and career of this machine extends back over years of useful service. It's a Hoosier and we are proud of it. That tells the story. Made in all sizes. Spring hoes or friction break hoes supplied as desired. Insist upon having the Hoosier. Grass Seed Attachments can be supplied when ordered. Everything in the Farm Machinery Line--Buggies and Wagons.

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### WILLOW RIVER

F. D. Laufenberg and M. Thompson were in St. Paul on business Friday.

Jos. Nelasnie and John Novak bought out Nels Sangren's sample room one day last week.

John Juseak has bought out Mrs. Thos. Hady's store and expects to start one of the largest stores Willow has ever had. He expects to put in a ten thousand dollar stock as soon as he can get the goods.

We are sorry to say that we have lost our depot agent, Elmer Trueblood as he has accepted the station at Forest Lake. We all wish him success in his new position.

Wednesday morning when our citizens awoke they found about 6 inches of snow on the ground, which pleased them very much.

S. L. Mottle went to Hinckley to attend the County Camp of the M. W. A. which met at that place. After the meeting he also went to the county seat to transact business.

Our Marshal has certainly got his hands full now, as he was appointed pound master by the Council last Monday. The first thing that he tackled was Peter Fraxal's billy goat that he was going to put in the pound. Everything went along smoothly until they got to the bridge when the goat, that the Marshal had by the horns objected to going any further, and a tussel ensued and our new pound mas-

ter was dumped into the creek. Mr. goat stood on the bridge and watched the Marshal for some time and then said Bah and went off home. Next time more help will be called and a double fine charged to pay for the trick.

### POKEGAMA NEWS

Inga Miller came home the first of the week to spend the Easter vacation. Paul Dorrow was a county seat caller the first of the week.

Emil Swanson, of Cornell, transacted business at the Town Clerk's office Tuesday.

Anthony Dlouhy made a business trip to Grandon Friday.

Last Saturday evening a social was gotten up for the purpose of raising two dollars and forty-four cents the balance due E. B. Miller for work on the school-bell tower. We have been informed that about nine dollars were raised, part of which went to pay for refreshments. "Beer hurrahs," and socials for the betterment and uplifting of our schools, go well together. Many of the school children were present. Our teacher, Miss Hulda Johnson, rendered valuable assistance.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Pokegama Rural Telephone Co. was held Saturday evening, at which time it was voted that the Board of Directors be authorized to purchase brackets, insulators and other equip-

### HOT FREE LUNCH IN CHURCH

Southington, Conn., March 30.—Well buttered brown bread and hot cocoa served by the Rev. Fostyke B. Harrison and his wife proved another innovation at the First Congregational Church. The brown bread was the product of one who understood the none too common secret of making it, according to those who partook of it.

This unusual feature was explained by Ernest H. Bancroft, Superintendent of the Sunday School, as being decided upon to increase the attendance at Sunday evening services. The refreshments were served during a brief social hour preceding the service.—Duluth Herald.

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**COUNTY SEAT NEWS**

—Frank Soukup, of Rock Creek, was a business caller here Monday.

—Our school teachers are all enjoying a one week vacation.

—Mrs. Thomas Gill, of Rock Creek, did shopping here last Saturday.

—Jay Netzer was a passenger to Cloquet Monday.

—Hiram Brackett departed for Cloquet Monday.

—Howard Blankenship was a passenger to Hinckley Monday.

—W. A. Doe, of Willow River, was a caller here Sunday.

—John Blass was a caller in Hinckley Monday.

—John Franson, of Deer Valley, was a caller in this place Monday.

—Henry Daley was a passenger to St. Paul Monday afternoon.

—R. P. Allen was a business visitor in St. Paul Monday.

—Chas. Purdy, of Meadow Lawn, was a county seat caller on Monday.

**When you want seeds, buy them from a seed dealer, and that's Madden.**

—The meetings that are being held in the M. E. church are proving very helpful.

—Rev. Ralph, of North Branch, preached in the M. E. church Friday evening of last week.

—A. E. Scofield, of Meadow Lawn, transacted business in the county seat Tuesday morning.

—Mrs. Jno. O. Cline, of Meadow Lawn, was a county seat caller on business Tuesday.

—Earl Otis, of Brookpark, transacted business in the county seat Monday.

—Arlo and James Nichols departed Tuesday for Medina, North Dakota, to work during the coming summer.

—The German Lutheran preacher arrived on Tuesday and will make this place his future home.

—Bill Fogelson returned to Minneapolis last Friday and will work for the Northwestern Telephone Company.

—Dr. Stephan, of Hinckley, was a professional caller in this place Monday.

—George Manskey, of Willow River, was a business caller in this place Monday.

—Arnold Cranton and Brownie Gray attended the wrestling match at Moose Lake last Friday.

—John Fisher, of Sandstone, was a caller here last Friday. He returned Saturday.

—Mrs. S. Tate, of Rock Creek, was a caller in town the latter part of last week.

—Editor Olsen, of the Pine Poker, was in Buffalo Lake the latter part of last week on business.

—John Carlson, the Rush City banker, was a caller in this place the fore part of the week.

—Miss Emma Gunn is visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis this week.

—James Heywood and James McLaughlin were passengers to White Pine last Friday.

—Victor Soderquist, our popular baker, was a passenger to Rush City last Friday.

—Be sure and see Neromac the ventriloquist at the Opera House Friday April 7.

**That sign of Madden's goes unchallenged. We sell seed that grow.**

—The Royal Telephone Co., is setting the poles for their line along the Brunswick road.

—Mrs. Mulholland of Chicago is visiting with the William Lambert family a few days this week.

—See Prof Schuitz with his \$1,000 cornet in conjunction with Pink and Grays Big Free Show, Opera House Pine City, Friday April 7.

—Reserved seats for Pink and Grays Big Show, on sale at Breckenridge Pharmacy. Show at Opera House April 7.

—Daniel Murphy, the Rush City attorney, transacted legal business in town Tuesday. While here he made the Pioneer forer a pleasant call.

—Howard Nichols and mother Mrs. M. K. Smith, of Meadow Lawn came in on Tuesday to see Arlo and James Nichols away.

—Miss Genevieve Lambert who is attending school in Duluth, returned to her home here last Friday to spend a short vacation.

—The Love Feast in the Methodist church last Sunday morning was a success and will probably be repeated some time in the future.

—E. B. Greenwald and family formerly of this place, but now of Jordan, are visiting with Mrs. Greenwald's parents, S. M. Hayes and family.

—Meadams Alfred Colony, of Ashby, Kate Marsh, of Stillwater, and Miss Phoebe Greeley, of Stillwater, are spending the week end with Douglas Greeley and wife.

—Wednesday evening at about 10 o'clock fire was discovered in the feed store at Hinckley, and at 3 o'clock Thursday morning fire broke out at the back of the post office. It is supposed that the fire was the work of an incendiary.

—The party is well known that stole a cream can from Challen's store, marked A. J., weight 17 lbs. He had better bring in the can back and avoid further trouble.

—More of the beautiful fell on Tuesday, and the farmers are feeling happy, but would like to see about three feet of it fall.

—Douglas Greeley, who spent several days the latter part of last week at Duluth and the twin cities, returned home on Sunday's early morning train.

**Good Seeds for the field and garden at reasonable prices, at Madden's Seed House.**

—The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will be held at the church parlors next Thursday afternoon, at which time the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. A ten cent lunch will also be served.

—J. J. Wittrop took charge of the services at Rush City and Rock Creek last Sunday. Rev. Blackhurst, of Rush City, occupying the pulpit in the M. E. church at this place.

—Chas. Wittrop and wife, of Ogilvie, spent Monday with J. J. Wittrop and family, they went to North Branch on Tuesday, and Wednesday morning returned here. Thursday morning they drove home.

—The old council held their last meeting on Monday night, and finished up the business for the year. The new council met on Tuesday and started in on their years work. The proceedings of both the old and new councils will be found in another column.

—Bozell Laboe, who has been living in the Sturme house near the mouth of the lake, departed for Minneapolis Tuesday. He said it was a little too cold up here, as the house he occupied was built for consumptive and was open on one side.

—Wanted girls. Assistant cook and dishwasher. Norwegians preferred. Good wages. Comfortable quarters at Pokegama Sanatorium. Can be reached from Pine City on the Northern Pacific railroad, or Graaston on the Great Northern. Address Dr. E. B. Daugherty, Pine City, Minn.

—Mrs. Chas. Brejerhoff left Wednesday for a prolonged visit with relatives and friends in Missouri. On her return trip she will also visit relatives and friends in Oklahoma and Kansas. She was accompanied as far as St. Paul by her husband.

—Oliver Brooks departed for Minneapolis Monday where he will confer with an agent of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Company in regard to taking charge of their land breaking in the Northwest.

—J. W. Bennett, city editor of the St. Paul Dispatch, was a Pine City caller last Sunday, having stopped off here while enroute from looking after his farm north of Brookpark to his home in the city. While here he spent about half an hour in the Pioneer office. Call again Brer. Bennett.

—Frank Cort, who owns a farm four miles west of this place on the Brunswick road, was in town Monday and while here purchased the Levi Ardner property, occupied by Victor Soderquist. Mr. Cort will at once make some needed repairs on the same, and as soon as they are finished, he and his wife will move into the same, he having rented the farm to his two sons, Frank Jr., and William. Mr. Cort is one of Pine county's most successful farmers, and has demonstrated the fact that by hard work and frugality money can be made off of Pine county land.

**LETTERS ADVERTISED**

Remaining uncalled for at the Post Office at Pine City for the week ending April 3, 1911.

Mr. J. F. Hickford.  
Mr. Ed Murphy.  
Mr. John Ormand.  
Vorstahung Stadt.

Persons claiming the above letters will please say "advertised," giving date of this list.

J. Y. Breckenridge,  
P. M.

**A BY-LAW REGULATING TIME OF MEETING.**

A BY-LAW REGULATING THE TIME OF MEETINGS OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL.

The Village Council of the Village of Pine City do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Regular meetings of the Village Council shall be held on the first Monday of each month, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. at the Council Room in the Village Hall.

Section 2. Whenever the first Monday of any month falls on a legal holiday, the regular meeting shall be held on the Tuesday following said first Monday.

Section 3. The time of each special meeting shall be designated by the call of two of the trustees in writing, and shall be stated in the notice thereof by the Clerk, who shall reasonably notify all the trustees of the time and place thereof, by delivering a copy of such notice to each trustee.

Section 4. This By-Law shall be in force from and after its passage.

Dated at Pine City, Minn., this 4th day of April 1911.

R. L. WISEMAN,  
President of Council.

Attest:  
Frank Polert,  
(SEAL) Village Clerk.

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PINE CITY, MINN.  
Eggs can become so cheap as to arouse suspicion.

The harem skirt has displaced the hobble skirt, and it bids fair to become popular.

Radium is being boosted for heating purposes, and there is no telling how high its price will go.

Men do not mind how much women mimic their clothes so long as they remain womanly in action.

Seattle is to have a 41-story building. It is something Tacoma can see and put in its pipe and smoke.

Chicago is becoming excited because so many of its marriageable young men go west. Can you blame them?

Jail sentences for women smugglers seem hard, especially when the women smugglers can better afford money than time.

An American has just paid \$500,000 for one of Rembrandt's paintings. In emphasizing the artistic temperament that is going some.

Germany's rapid increase in population leads us to believe that she will continue to be a popular there than the military bird.

A theatrical manager says there are no pretty girls in New York. We can afford to pity the poor metropolis. There are no ugly ones here.

In spite of the fact that a prisoner in a Washington jail earned \$12,000 while behind the bars, we still hold that jail is a good place to avoid.

The government has ruled that the trousers of an official cannot be pressed at public expense. We look for more baggy trousers in offices hereafter.

A domestic in 32 years of service saved \$22,000. It would be interesting to know how much her employer is able to accumulate in the same period.

The news that the Kaiser has increased his string of motors cars to thirty causes one to suspect that Wilhelm intends to go some in the near future.

Another college professor has come to the front with a plan to regulate marriages. What has become of the old fashioned professor who taught in school?

The news that radium is to be the future competitor of coal as a heat producer inspires the coal dealers with considerable confidence in boosting their prices.

The auto truck may be commercial, but it is also humanitarian, as any one will witness who has seen the struggles of an underfed horse with an overloaded wagon.

There is no more delightful reading than the story of a romance in relief that ends happily, no more distressing reading than such a story that ends the other way.

One of the aviators recently went up several hundred feet in the dark. He probably had an idea that it wouldn't hurt any more to fall in the dark than in the daylight.

An eastern club woman who claims to have investigated, reports that men love fluffy girls. For they do, but they generally want the girls to get along with their own fluff.

The New Hampshire legislators are trying to stop eavesdroppers on party telephone lines, and they may become so foolishly as to ask congress to request postmasters not to read postal cards.

New York doctors are preparing to diagnose disease by studying the patient's dreams. The phantasmagoria caused by an injudicious mixture of lobster Newberg and mince pie would indicate defective judgment, or we have eaten things in vain.

A New England sea captain died as the result of being cold as the sidewalk and wearing a Boston woman. What an irony of fate it was that after facing death on the waters for many years he should be impressed on the point of edemate failure.

A Brooklyn widow who advertised that she was a good cook of both plain and fancy dishes, and wanted husband, got 145 proposals. This looks as if the cynical clubwoman's recipe of making a happy home by "feeding the brute" is near the masculine ideal of wedded romances.

One of the Johns Hopkins professors announces that poverty will be abolished. It will not be possible, however, to get everybody to be pleased on account of the abolition of poverty unless work can be abolished along with it.

A man in a Massachusetts town was arrested for kneeling on the sidewalk and offering prayers. The magistrate before whom he was brought decided it is no crime to pray in the streets. The executors of the law certainly have some queer ideas of wrongdoings.

**HOUSE GAINS 54 DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS**

CONVENING OF CONGRESS WILL SHOW RESULTS OF POLITICAL UPHEAVAL.

TWO STATES STILL IN DEADLOCK

Many Veteran Members of Each House and Hundreds of Employees Are Among the Missing.

Washington, D. C.—The interesting situation of a democratic house and a republican senate meeting to consider the tariff administration measure directly unusual attention to the convening of the sixtieth session. The great political completion of the two second congresses went at their caucus branches of congress is as follows: House democrats, 225; republicans, 169; socialists, 13; vacancies, 2; the ninth Iowa and the second Pennsylvania districts.

Senate, republicans, 60; democrats, 41; vacancies, 1, from Colorado. The roll calls in the two branches show some remarkable changes from the last session. In the house the democrats will show a gain of fifty-six members, the republicans a loss of fifty-five, the socialist member, Louis Berger of Milwaukee, accounting for the difference in the equation.

By reason of the changes resulting from the election of November, new faces will be seen not only in the membership of the house but in the places in great number will go out and their places will be filled by democrats. Choice rooms in the capitol and in the house office building long and in the houses of congress are surrendered to the representatives of the party which is to gather up the house seats.

Fifty Republican Senators. Instead of the fifty-nine republicans who occupied seats in the senate March 4, there will be only fifty tomorrow. The ranks of the minority will be increased from thirty-two to forty-one and to forty-two when the caucus in Colorado is filled. There was one vacancy in the last session, caused by the death of the late Senator Hughes of Colorado.

No notable event than the large number of new faces in the senate and the house is the absence of so many members of congress. The speaker's marble rostrum will not resound with the vigorous whacks of the Cannon gavel for Mr. Cannon will appear in the ranks of the minority. Veterans of many legislative struggles will be missed from the house floor. Chief among those whose absence will be noted are those of Minnesota, Boutell of Illinois, Scott of Kansas, McKinlay of California, Bennett, Fish, Parsons and Cooks of New York, Hill and Smith of Iowa, Denby of Michigan, Kiefer of Ohio. Four members, Hitchcock of Nebraska, Flanders of Washington, Croome of North Dakota, and Townsend of Michigan, have been elevated to the senate.

No longer will the senate roll call open with the familiar name of Aldrich, the Rhode Island leader having voluntarily renounced another term to devote himself to leisure and the study of monetary reforms. He will be succeeded by Henry F. Lipitt.

Many other striking figures are missed from the senate floor notably Hale of Maine, succeeded by Charles F. Johnson; Beveridge of Indiana, who was vanquished by John W. Kern; Keam of New Jersey, in whose place will be John E. Martinez; Warner of Missouri, replaced by James A. Reed; Dick of Ohio, replaced by Alton S. Parker; and Carter of Montana, succeeded by Henry L. Meyers. All of these changes represent democratic gains except in the case of Rhode Island.

Under the speaker three offices are abolished, but two offices already existing are transferred to him to fill. Under the clerk of the house 26 positions are abolished at a net saving of \$39,970. Under the sergeant at arms a cut of 42 is made in the special caped police force. The senate will have to contend in this reduction, which includes one captain, two lieutenants, 34 policemen and five privates, saving \$47,666. The doorkeeper will lose 25 positions, saving \$31,840.

South Trimble, of Frankfort, Ky., who was a member of the fifty-seventh congress, was unanimously elected clerk of the new house.

U. S. Jackson, of Indiana, was elected sergeant-at-arms, defeating William F. Watson, of Buffalo.

Joseph J. Bennett, of Virginia, was elected by acclamation to be door-keeper of the house.

William M. Dunbar, of Augusta, Ga., was elected postmaster on the third ballot, defeating A. G. Bremner, of New Jersey, 104 to 82.

Rev. E. Conden, the blind chaplain was re-elected by acclamation.

ARBITRATION WINS ENTHUSIASM. British Show Interest in 900 Meetings Throughout Kingdom.

London, Eng.—The attitude of the imperial German chancellor Dr. Von Bethman-Hollweg has not cooled British zeal for arbitration. The projected demonstration to be held in Albert Hall was abandoned in favor of a wider national movement. It took the form of 900 meetings Saturday and Monday in all the cities of the kingdom.

Lad Falls Into Boiling Maple Sap. Utica, New York.—Stumbling into a cauldron of boiling maple sap, the 4-year-old son of Walter Grandall, Jr., near Sherburne, received burns that caused his death.

Socialist Elected Mayor. Berkeley, California.—For the first time in the history of California, a Socialist was elected mayor when J. S. Wilson defeated Beverly Hodghead, the Republican incumbent by a plurality of 284.

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**PRACTICE**



**TO GRANT REFORMS**

KILL 34 REBELS IN ROUT AFTER DANCE AND ORGY

Mexicans Find Force Which Took Aldama Has No Sentries Posted—Shot Down Like Rabbits.

Chihuahua, Mexico, April 3.—Thirty-four rebels were killed and scores were wounded in a clash between a detachment of 850 federal soldiers and 150 insurgents at Aldama Friday night. The insurgents are said to have been shot down like rabbits in a running fight following a surprise attack by the federals. Diaz's soldiers declare they lost only four killed.

The rout followed an orgy which the insurgents staged after they had marched into Aldama without resistance. Not anticipating attack, their officers issued invitations to a dance and then began the killing of 20 head of cattle, announcing that they were preparing the beef for the supper of 1,000 rebels encamped some distance south of the city of Chihuahua. At the dance both the rebel hosts and their guests drank heavily and late in the night the insurgent camp was pitched in a grove near the edge of the town. No rebel sentries were out when the federals launched their attack and a few of the rebels had their guns. They fled toward the town and were shot down as they ran.

Among the rebels dead are Capt. Francisco and Jose Portillo, brothers, El Paso, Tex., April 3.—Revivals of peace rumors were again started with the arrival here of Francisco I. Madero, Sr., and Alfonso Madero, father and brother to the Mexican insurgent president, of Lio Estrada, a lawyer of Mexico City, and of Hernandez Gonzalez.

To reporters the two Maderos refused to make any statements. Francisco Madero, a federal soldier, was killed and three men wounded by the explosion of three bombs in Callo Diablo in Ciudad Juarez at midnight. The purpose of the explosion is inexplicable.

MARSHALL SEEKS PRESIDENCY. Congressman Korby From Indianapolis Makes an Announcement for Indiana Governor.

Washington, April 3.—Representative Korby of the Indianapolis district, who returned here, is telling his associates in congress that Governor Marshall will be a candidate for president.

In no previous message of the president has there ever been anything in the nature of a recommendation. President Diaz appeared not more aged than he did when he read his message in September, and in spite of the fact that the reading required more than an hour, his voice was as strong at the conclusion as at the beginning.

Only once was the president interrupted by applause. At the mention of reforms there was a spontaneous clapping of hands for a minute and no more was heard until the close, when the big auditorium resounded with hand clapping and cries of "viva." The large audience followed the reading keenly.

General Diaz paid a high tribute to the loyalty and valor of the Mexican soldiers and took up the subject of the mobilization of the American army.

TO EXPOSE MAINE BY JUNE 1. View of Sunken Battleship is Expected to Be Long Standing Question.

Pensacola, Fla., April 3.—The hull of the sunken battleship Maine, in Havana harbor, will be exposed not later than June 1, according to Frank M. Daniels, the contractor who built the hull here from Havana. Then it can be determined whether the explosion which destroyed the ship was from without or within.

Reichstag Rejects Disarmament. Berlin, Germany, April 1.—By a large majority the Reichstag rejected the socialist motion calling upon the government to take "immediate steps leading to an international agreement concerning universal limitation of armaments and the abolition of the right to capture at sea."

**\$3.50 RECIPE CURES WEAK KIDNEYS, FREE**

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Stops Pain in the Bladder, Kidneys and Back.

Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to be able to get your old man back to the old days, eruboring, straining, or too frequent passage of urine, the forehead and the back-of-the-head aches; the stiffness and pain in the back; the growing weakness; the loss of sleep; the gray, yellow skin; sluggish bowels; swollen ankles or ankles, leg cramps; unsteady steps; breathlessness; and the depression?

I have a recipe for those troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a QUICK RECOVERY, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you \$30 for such a simple prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you absolutely free. Just drop me a line like this and I will send you the recipe, and I will return mail in plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, the medicine is not only safe, but it is a real cure. It is a great healing and pain-combating power. It will quickly show the doctor, because it is without delay. I will send you a copy free. You can use it with your own hands.

IS EPILEPSY CONQUERED? New York Physicians Have Many Cures to Their Credit.

New York, April 4.—Advices from every direction fully confirm previous reports that the remarkable treatment for epilepsy being administered by the consulting physicians of the Dr. Waterman Institute is achieving wonderful results. Old and stubborn cases have been greatly benefited and many patients claim to have been entirely cured.

Persons suffering from epilepsy should write at once to Dr. Waterman Institute, 122 East 25th st., Branch 63, New York, for a supply of the remedy, which is being distributed gratuitously.

Somewhat Satirical. A whist enthusiast wrote and published a book on the game and sent a copy to a famous player for his opinion of it. In about a week the book was returned to him, with the following letter:

"My Dear Sir—Your favor of the 10th inst., accompanied by your book, was duly received. I have read it very carefully. It seems to be a very good game, but I don't think it is as good as whist!"

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that the Signature of J. C. Watson is In the Fur Over 300 Years.

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USE ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE. The Antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoe for relief, adding feet. It makes the stiffest shoe feel easy and makes walking a delight. Sold everywhere. See Allen's Foot-Ease for FREE leaflet, postage, address A. S. Chase, Ltd., New York, N. Y.

What is passing in the heart of another rarely escapes the observation of one who is a strict anatomist of his own.—Shelley.

Household troubles; Headache, Toothache, Earache, Stomach ache, Hamming, Neuralgia, all cured by rubbing aches and pains so why don't you keep a bottle in the house.

Men astonish themselves far more than they astonish their friends.—John Oliver Hobbes.

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is successfully cured by Dr. Pierce's Peppermint. Try suggested granules.

It is the rally of loyal allies which helps most to win a good cause to victory.—W. S. Royston.

To restore a normal action to liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Some sermons come near being demonstrations of eternal punishment.

Better general health is sure to follow the use of the natural Irish kelp, called Kelp Tea. It corrects constipation.

It is no use running; to set out before is the main point.—La Fontaine.

PA'S ANSWER. "What is an indeterminate sentence, 'Matrimony, my son?'"



Governor Marshall.

dent. Mr. Korby had a long talk with the governor, but he declined to be nominated and he relates that he found the governor willing to be a candidate for president, but decidedly unwilling to be regarded as a possibility for the second place on the ticket. According to Mr. Korby the governor would not accept a nomination for vice-president.

TRY TO KILL UNION HEAD. W. A. Guthrie, President of Stone Cutters' Union, is Fired Upon at Bedford.

Bedford, Ind., April 3.—An unsuccessful attempt to assassinate W. A. Guthrie, president of the National Stone Cutters' union, was made here. Four shots were fired at a cab in which the chief was riding at a hotel, and one barely missed him.

# Minnesota Legislature

Proceedings at the Minnesota State Capitol for the Past Week.

St. Paul, March 29.—O. F. Doyle of St. Cloud told the house drainage investigating committee that George A. Ralph, state drainage engineer, attempted to carry out contracts with him and to give them to the Standard Dredging company, of which D. A. Stuart, his attorney, is part owner. Mr. Doyle is a ditch contractor and was called to tell what he knew about the contract for ditch No. 61 in Polk county, which was taken away from him.

The committee held an executive meeting to confer with Examiner O'Hearn of the public examiner's office who just returned from northern Minnesota where he investigated the Polk county records relative to the indictment of Mr. Ralph some years ago. At that time the state drainage engineer was indicted for alleged irregularities in the construction of a judicial ditch, but the case was later dropped. An attempt was made to connect evidence relative to this ditch in the present investigation, but Attorney Stewart objected on the ground that it had already been disproved of by the grand jury. C. H. Warner of Aitkin declared that the case was dismissed on a technicality. Mr. O'Hearn recently investigated the records in Polk county to ascertain whether or not there was sufficient reason for an indictment.

B. A. Stuart headed off an attempt to pry into the Wadena Land company by the special committee on the house investigating the state drainage engineer. O. S. Doyle was on the stand at the hearing and Mr. Knapp asked him who was benefited by the construction of the ditch through Wadena lake. Mr. Stuart objected and was sustained by the committee.

Mr. Knapp sustained the objection. A. W. Rieck, a former ditch inspector, was brought prominently into the investigation when four letters of his to Mr. Doyle were read. They hinted directly of some understanding between the inspector and Doyle, and spoke of confidential matters. Mr. Doyle said he did not know what the confidential matters were. In one letter Rieck wrote, "there is something doing with the bunch." There is no explanation of what constituted "the bunch."

The spirit of economy is permeating the house committee on rules. Plans are under way to save the state \$10 a day by releasing stenographers, stenographers and sergeants whose services they believe the lower branch of the legislature does not need for the rest of the session. Two clerks of the reapportionment committee who have been drawing \$10 a day since the beginning of the session, and who have had nothing to do since the reapportionment bill was reported out six weeks ago will be sent home to fortunate ones. A stenographer for this committee at \$5 a day and also a draftsman at \$5 a day will come under the axe.

W. E. McEwen, former labor commissioner, defended before the senate finance committee a bill appropriating to him \$1,500 for expenses on a European trip with the Minnesota Workmen's Compensation commission. He said that, aside from the cost now before the legislature with his name attached, the state of Minnesota was benefited by the ideas of safety devices he had suggested, many of which were already adopted by employers here.

Senator Moorman's recall bill passed the senate by a vote of 10 to 16. The bill was declared for in the platforms of both the Democratic and Republican parties. It was introduced in the senate by Senator Moorman, and is now in and in the house by Representative Kneeland, a Republican. The Moorman bill that passed the senate was probably substituted in the house for the Kneeland bill, which is now on general orders.

St. Paul, March 30.—The women's suffrage bill was laid to rest in the senate by a vote of 32 to 30.

Senator Sargent made the only speech of the day. No one seconded him. No one argued against him. Without a word of explanation, 32 senators cast their ballots against allowing the people to decide on woman suffrage. But the vote contained one dramatic incident. The vote stood 70 to 30, with Glotzbach and McGrath still to vote. It takes 32 votes to pass a bill.

Senator Wilson of Minneapolis arose and informed the two houses that their votes would be on the bill. Senator McGrath was surrounded by suffragists. "Ladies," he said, "I don't believe in suffrage. I have told Miss McFadden so since the session started. But if Glotzbach votes 'aye' and my vote will pass the bill, you can have it."

Senator Sargent, in his speech, quoted the words of Lincoln, Sumner, Roosevelt and McKinley, and the example and words of the women as Clara A. Barton of the Red Cross.

## HOOB J. TAWNEY

PRAISES OF EX-CONGRESSMAN ARE BOUNDED AT BANQUET IN WINONA.

### AFFAIR ENTIRELY NON PARTISAN

Legislator's Right to Compromise—Tawney's Mind Themselves—Modern Duty of Representative's Theory Lowering.

Winona.—The citizens of Winona today paid a glowing tribute to James A. Tawney, ex-congressman and for 18 years representative of the First congressional district of the national house of congress. There was no political significance in the banquet held in his honor at the Masonic temple and the banquet was composed of many men who have played prominent parts in past campaigns as supporters and opponents and in the love-fest political lines were blended and wiped away as "Our Jim" was lauded and complimented upon his long career as a statesman, remarkable especially as a legislator, during which period he attained one of the most important positions in the national government—that of chairman of the house appropriations committee, the "watchdog" of the national treasury. It was fitting that E. Brown, lawyer, former Democratic mayor and once defeated by Mr. Tawney in the contest for congressman, should have acted as toastmaster at the function. During the evening toasts were rendered by the following: Hon. J. W. Smith of St. Paul, Judge Walter I. Smith of Council Bluffs, Iowa; Frank L. Eddy of Minneapolis, J. J. Esch of Lake Cross; and John T. Tawney of Winona. The committee recommended legislation which would compel the railroad companies to forward stock cars to the house of representatives.

### DITCHES INCOMPLETE.

Special Legislative Engineer Inspects Drainage Work in Aitkin County.

Aitkin.—Nine miles of Drainage Ditch No. 66, located about in the center of Aitkin county, were inspected by C. B. Stewart, the consulting hydraulic engineer retained by the legislature to investigate the charges made against State Drainage Engineer George Ralph.

The ditch, which contained comprise about half of Drainage System No. 66 and include the lower end of the main ditch, and lateral ditches 7 and 8. Mr. Stewart, who is accompanied by E. V. Willard, assistant state drainage engineer, said he was given no information regarding his findings, all of which will be first presented to the investigating committee.

The charge made in testimony in the hearing against Contractors Foley and Gleason on this particular piece of work, was that in many places the ditch was not deep enough or wide enough. In several places it was apparent to the casual observer that further work is necessary before the ditch is brought to a proper grade. This was notably true at the junction of the main ditch and lateral 8.

Much material, whether deposited by the water, left there by the dredges or which came in from the slides, remains to be removed. When asked in regard to this material both Gleason and the contracting firm and Willard asserted the ditches are incomplete, and explained that a light gasoline-operated dredge is now being assembled to clear out these obstructed passages.

### NEW ULM DEFENDER DEAD.

John Tober, Minnesota Pioneer, Helped Fight Indiana in 1862.

New Ulm.—John C. Tober, one of the first settlers of New Ulm, died at his home in this city. He suffered a paralytic stroke which hastened the end of his life.

Mr. Tober came to New Ulm in 1856 and conducted a jewelry store there continuously from 1863 up to the time of his last illness. He was one of the defenders of the city during the Indian massacre in 1862 and was one of the two surviving charter members of the New Ulm Turnverein. He leaves a wife and two daughters.

### SNAGBOAT READY FOR WORK.

Government Vessel Will Leave Winter Quarters at Keokuk April 1.

Winona.—The United States snagboat is to leave its winter quarters at Keokuk about April 1 and start on its first trip of the season up the river. The "Tipton" will this year be in charge of the project, with Captain P. M. Ruby as pilot. The business of the boat is to remove snags uncovered in the river channel and adjust them so they generally make two trips a season to St. Paul.

## STATE BANKS GROWING.

Large Gains in Deposits and Loans Shown by Reports.

St. Paul.—Covering the bank roll sent out for a statement of business at the close of March 7, the Commercial Bank of Chicago has issued a comparative statement showing an extraordinary increase in business of the bank of this city.

In all, 70 banks made answer, an increase of 41 for the year, and their total income in resources is \$12,746,253.46. The commercial banks owners the call of March 7, and a similar call sent out March 29, a year ago. The showing is as follows:

Summary table showing deposits and loans for various banks and institutions.

## CO-OPERATIVE STORE FOR 'UJ'

Students and Faculty May Take Over University Book Business.

Minneapolis.—After three or four years of negotiation the University of Minnesota is to have a co-operative book and stationery store. The faculty and students may take the stock.

H. W. Wilson, proprietor of the book store near the university, has offered to sell the stock to the faculty and students, and the offer is now under consideration of the faculty and student body.

## STEEL TRUST RIVAL PLANNED.

Former Heads to Merge Interests and Fight Corporation.

Duluth.—A stir was created in financial and business circles in Duluth when it was announced that a giant merger of steel, iron ore and shipping companies was to be perfected to compete with the United States Steel corporation.

The plan was announced by a former president of the Oliver Iron Mining Company, would merge their interests and fight the other corporation, just as soon as the supreme court renders its decision in the American Tobacco and the Standard Oil cases.

According to report, the G. A. Tomlinson line of ore carriers will be the lake transportation end of the business. Mr. Tomlinson was asked about the proposed merger, but he had no comment to make. Mr. Cole is out of the negotiations.

## SEEK ORE NEAR BRAINER.

Many Drills Prospecting for Iron on the New Range.

Brainer.—J. Huddleston, of Ospeep, was in the city and said that five drills owned by John Whitehead, of Duluth, were drilling for iron ore on the Van Horn property about three miles south of his farm.

Thomas Keating, of Deerwood, has shipped a drill from his Crosby properties to Iron, N. D. The drill is to be used in the southwest quarter of the June Lake Iron Company, in the seventy-one acres leased from Congdon & Hartley in section 9, township 46, range 29.

White Earth.—The Indian Office has granted the request of the Indians in the matter of piping water from the new agency for section 9, township 46, range 29. The Indians wish to have a pipe with a supply of pure water.

## WAGON READY FOR WORK.

Government Vessel Will Leave Winter Quarters at Keokuk April 1.

Winona.—The United States snagboat is to leave its winter quarters at Keokuk about April 1 and start on its first trip of the season up the river. The "Tipton" will this year be in charge of the project, with Captain P. M. Ruby as pilot.

## KASOTA STONE APPROVED.

Washington, D. C., Engineer Inspects the Minnesota Quarries.

Kasota.—Kasota stone or marble will probably be used hereafter in the construction of government buildings at Washington, D. C. A day or so ago Mr. Lyman, representing Elliot Woods, superintendent of the capitol buildings and grounds at Washington, J. A. Brown, constructing engineer for the government, Mr. Merrill, a photographer, also of Washington, and Charles L. Hildreth, president of the Hildreth Marble Company, of Baltimore, Md., were in Kasota inspecting the quarries with a view to determining its adaptability for use in the interior decorations of the houses of representatives. After completing their inspection the party, accompanied by C. W. Babcock, went to Madison, Wis., to look at the Kasota yellow marble used in the state capitol there. They seemed much pleased with the stone and the character of the work done in polishing it.

## DEATH OF MINNESOTA PIONEER.

Joseph Schaaf, 83, Came to North Star in 'Fifties.'

Joseph Schaaf, a veteran of the Civil war and a resident of Minnesota since the early fifties, died at St. Alexander's hospital, New Ulm, at the advanced age of 83. He is survived by a widow, who was with him at the time of death, and eight children, three sons and five daughters—Joseph, Jr., and Val, Burdick, Almas, John, Rochester, Washburn, William Emerson, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Michael Frank, Delano, Minn.; Mrs. E. T. Dana and Mrs. John Webster, Starbuck, Minn. and Mrs. Louis Eberhart, St. Paul.

Mr. Schaaf was for many years a farmer, residing near the city of New Ulm, but he was engaged in the fuel business, but retired several years ago. He was a member of Battery B, First Minnesota, which arrived at Camp Wood in 1861.

## MUCH CORN EXPECTED.

Expert Predicts Record Breaking Acreage This Season.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota's corn acreage promises to be the largest ever planted, and it is probable that the corn production of the state will reach new high figures, in the judgment of D. E. Willard, development agent of the Northern Pacific. This estimate is based upon observations made on the trip of the good farming train over that line. Not only is diversified farming increasing, and not only are the farmers raising more stock, but it is becoming more evident every year, said Mr. Willard, but Minnesota is an ideal corn state over its greater portion.

"Diversity of work in farming and the raising of livestock," said Mr. Willard, "has been new features of Minnesota and other cities of the state have advocated for years, is having its beneficial effect upon the state."

## BIG BARGE FOR HOSPITAL.

Mayo Brothers of Rochester May Install Floating Sanatorium.

Lake City.—Negotiations are in progress for the sale of the big barge built by the Lake City Boat Factory to the Doctors Mayo of Rochester. This barge, which is the largest one of its kind ever constructed on the upper river was built for the defunct Mississippi River Amusement company and was left on the banks of the local company at the time of the amusement company's failure.

It is reported that the Mayos will convert the barge into a floating hospital and sanatorium to be used in connection with the steamer Rutledge which they recently purchased. The owners of the barge and will be made to accommodate several hundred patients. It has recently been inspected by the government inspectors and pronounced safe.

## POTATO SPECIAL STARTS.

Northern Minnesota To Be Told How To Raise Tubers.

Duluth.—Duluth's potato special left for a ten days' tour of Northern Minnesota. The special train consisted of four coaches and two baggage cars, and will be in the range, stopping at every town and village. Institutes for farmers will be held on the train, and they will be instructed in the proper methods of growing potatoes and the best potatoes to grow.

A. B. Hostetter, agricultural expert of the Duluth Commercial Club, is in charge of the train, and the expense is being borne by the Commercial Club and the range roads. Intense interest has been aroused in the train among the farmers, and big crowds are expected to visit it.

## Liquor Question Is Issue.

Albert Lea.—The biennial city election will be held here Tuesday, April 4, and the candidates are all in the field.

For mayor there are four candidates: A. A. West, Socialist; Y. Gulbranson, anti-liquor; C. I. Swenson and L. O. Green, the latter a candidate for reelection. There are several amendments to the charter to be voted upon, one of which provides for the recall for city officers, which is likely to be adopted. The anti-liquor forces are planning a series of meetings to stir up their friends.

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Go Astray in Malls and Lady Puts It Up to the Postmaster General.

A Jersey spinster entrusted her false teeth to the mails, and they went astray. Postmaster General Hitchcock received the following appeal from her.

"Dear Sir—I suppose you have received a note from the Camden postmaster that the upper plates of my teeth have been lost in the mails. They were made by Dr. Camden on January 1. I should like very much to hear from you if you are unfortunate enough to have stored teeth, you know how inconvenient it is to have to do without them, and I have not had them even a year. I paid \$35 for them, and I cannot afford to get any more just now. So will you kindly do what you can for me, and as quickly as possible?"

The postmaster general put one of the best inspectors in the service on the job to find the missing ivory.

Moisant's Comparison. "The late John B. Moissant was a genial as well as a skillful airman," said a Chicago editor.

"I remember well," he said, "I remember well, I visit he once made me, with drawings of an aeroplane of his own invention under his arm. I told him a little about the machine—it certainly had a heavy, awkward look. But he said with a laugh:

"Oh, don't judge even an aeroplane by its outside. What if the man who discovered the oyster hadn't stopped to pry open the shell?"

COFFEE HEART Very Plain in Some People.

A great many people go on suffering from annoying ailments for a long time before they can get their own consent to give up the indulgence from which their troubles arise.

A gentleman who has had the coffee habit, as Postum describes his experience, says:

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## \$30,000 FINES FOR ART FRAUD.

Duven Brothers Plead Guilty and Judge Martin A. G. ... New York, N. Y.—Louis J. Duven and Joseph Duven, members of the art importing firm of Duven Brothers, pleaded guilty to charges of conspiracy to defraud the federal government by making undervaluations of imports. Judge Martin, of the United States circuit court, fined the importers \$10,000 each, the maximum fine which was paid.

## WON'T PARDON BANKERS.

President Will Follow Recommendation of the Attorney-General.

Washington, D. C.—From sources close to the president it was learned that the pardon application of the two convicted bankers, Charles W. Morse, of New York, and John H. Walsh, of Chicago, undoubtedly will be denied. It is stated that the attorney general's recommendation in such cases is adverse and that the president will follow his findings.

