

DO WE PAY TOO MUCH?

The state law allows a maximum of \$12 per month for the first child and \$10 per month for each additional child. There are 16 names on Pine county's mother pension list, two of which have been added since the first of the year, the amounts of each pension ranging from \$20 to \$20 per month. Last month it cost Pine county \$355 for mother's pensions. This is in addition to the poor fund expenditures and money allowed by the county board such as home rent, groceries, etc.

The mother's pension law, which has been in effect 3 years, doesn't provide for a special tax levy, but must be taken from the general revenue fund. In 1918 Pine county in 1919, \$3,300; and in 1920 a total of \$5,300. The state is supposed to pay one third of this amount but has not done so as yet.

Judge W. Fox favors and believes Pine county should have a Child Welfare League. More will be given regarding such a league in next week's Pine Buzzer.

The following letter and clipping, received from a taxpayer at Hinckley is worthy of consideration and thought.

Editor of The Pine Buzzer—

Some weeks ago you were instrumental in calling together in Pine City, a conference for the purpose of considering the matter of the abnormally high taxes in this county. Also the sentiment seemed to be unanimous that something ought to be done to bring about a reduction of some sort, nothing of a definite nature was offered and I have not heard of any action having been taken since. I am enclosing a news item clipped from

the Minneapolis Tribune of last Sunday, April 4th, which I trust you will reprint in your current issue as it has a decided bearing on the matter of Pine county taxes. In this connection it would render a decided service to your readers if you would take the trouble to look up in the records the amount of public funds devoted to this effect since the law went into effect. The reason that I have called this matter to your attention is because I know personally of a number of instances in which this fund has been most illogically spent to say the least. Pensions are being paid today to parties whose other income is more than ample to provide for all their wants. It would appear that the administrator of this fund in Pine county was out to make a record to compete with the Twin Cities. It would further seem that right here is a mighty good place to commence to use the axe if you are going to make any headway in reducing the rapidly increasing taxes in this county.

A Taxpayer.
Hinckley, Minn., April 4th 1920.

The House committee on appropriations is up against a real problem in the matter of mother's pensions. The state is due to pay one-third of the claims under the mother's pension law. The appropriation for the past two years has been short with the result that there is now before the committee a list of deficiency claims from counties aggregating \$317,151.88.

But it is not alone the size of the deficiency that worries the committee. The inequalities between the amounts asked by the different counties presents even more of a puzzle. Of course the amounts asked are based on the number of children. The inequalities between the large cities are located here in large amounts, but there is

as much or more proportionately to equality between the amounts asked by some of the smaller counties. For instance, Chicago county asks \$450; Kanabec county asks \$260; while Pine county, located between the two, with probably much the same conditions, asks for \$8,878. Wadena asks for but \$192. The committee figures that it is largely a matter of willingness of probate judges to allow claims. Hence it would be well for \$106,733. Ramsey county for \$189,508, and St. Louis county for \$95,442.

The committee has not yet taken up the requests for final adjustment.

Much 'Pull 'em Out'

Last year it was "Pull Minnesota out of the Mud." This year it's "Pull the Axer out of the Mud." Anyone who has done any driving the past week or two will have relief of the thought that some day—yes some day—owing to the passage of the Babcock amendment we will be able to go from Pine City to Rock Creek or Beroun in our fliver, without carrying rubber boots, a couple of sawlogs and a derrick to help us through the mud on a main trunk highway that cost about \$4,000 to maintain last year.

Last Sunday after a couple of days of sunshine and a warm sun wind, the state road was in pretty good shape, and most everyone was out to enjoy it. Many a night we had some rain and the mud. Owing to putting the sewer in Rush City, last fall, it is impossible to drive through that driving village and 8 tons were stuck fast in the mud. Tuesday

There was a wedding dance at Beroun Monday evening and many attending from Pine City, negotiated the roads going up, then the rain and the m. The mud didn't prevent some one from stealing the carburetor, part of the timer and a few other things that makes cars run.

Some of the axers were not so fortunate, however. Elmer Pogue started for home and a short distance this side of Beroun his car headed for China by the most direct route. The carman climbed out and left their "fixie" there till morning. The mud didn't prevent some one from stealing the carburetor, part of the timer and a few other things that makes cars run.

There were many cars stranded some got out and some didn't. Going to Beroun, on the noon train Tuesday, we passed two trucks and a car mired in the mud. They looked so helpless and pitiful, nevertheless the sight created quite an outburst of hilarity amongst the passengers. There are some of our mud roads between Pine City and Rock Creek, but not as bad as those north.

One fellow drove into town with a 10-ft. pole chained to his rear axle. He was prepared for the mud holes. Our county engineer gave his car a mud bath Tuesday, when he headed north on a trip of investigation but changed his mind when it became necessary to look up a good old two horse power pair of plugs into his 60 horse power motor and haul him to terra firma.

After nearly three months of all-boarding and much politics, the legislature passed a bill favoring the one-man control of the state highway department. Now that Mr. Babcock is in full control we hope he starts the wheels of his department moving so that our children's children will have good roads.

It's an ill wind that blows nobody some good, however, and a few have made quite a little money hauling some of our sea-going axles out of the holes.

Wreck at Rutledge

The south bound freight jumped the track near Rutledge early yesterday morning. The train went in the ditch and the line was tied up for a few hours.

The south bound night passenger train was on the Willow River and then buckled up to Beroun where they were on the Great Northern tracks and changed back to the N. P. at Wadena, arriving at Pine City about 8 o'clock.

Show Woodman Picture

Mr. Brown will run a two reel picture for the local Woodman lodge, following the show, Saturday evening, April 9th.

"The Value of Life" is the title of the picture which shows the life and activities of the Woodman exponent in Colorado.

Crop Rotations

With the planting season soon at hand, it is time that each farmer give some thought to his cropping system. It is too common an occurrence on farms in Pine county, to find that the same crop has often times been grown on the same place for a good many years, and other places the same piece is not always put into the same crop but no definite plan of cropping is followed. In some sections of the state the one crop system has been broadly followed by the majority of farmers until forced to practice crop rotations by the very reduced crop yield and by the very much augmented price of weeds.

A well planned crop rotation is a succession of grains, grasses and cultivated crops is advisable for the following reasons:

1. Better distribution of work. The different crops have different habits of growth and require different methods of handling. Potatoes do not need to be planted at the same time as oats, neither harvested at the same time. There is not as much of a rush season under crop rotation but the work is distributed throughout the year.

2. The different crops planted have different root systems; some shallow, and some deep. Deep rooted plants such as alfalfa or clover, will obtain much of their plant food below the depth reached by the more shallow root plants, and will also bring plant food to the surface within reach of other crops. Deep root crops also help aerate the sub soil and provide better subdrainage.

3. Helps maintain good soil. This soils that have grown one crop for a long period will tend to compact and will erode very readily, while soil on which crop rotation has been practiced, will be more mellow and granular in form and will always be more easily worked.

4. Helps control insects and plant diseases. By rotating the crops the conditions favorable to the development of insect and plant diseases, are not maintained, thus there is not as much danger of loss from this source, under crop rotation.

5. Control weeds. Certain crops seem to favor the growth of certain weeds. And by changing the crop each year and with cultivated crop in the rotation the weeds can be fairly effectively controlled.

6. Produce larger yields. Crops grown in a rotation are grown under more favorable conditions, hence the yield is naturally greater. Iowa in carrying on a corn experiment found that corn grown in rotation yielded thirteen bushels more per acre than corn grown on the continuous cropping plan.

From the above it is evident that it is advisable to practice crop rotation.

Now what are the essentials of a good crop rotation system?

1. Cultivated crop.

2. Cash crop.

3. Crop providing feed for live stock.

4. Crops to increase supply of vegetable matter in the soil. In this county the cash crop is naturally the potato crop and on some farms, rye and wheat also make small cash crops.

Every rotation should be planned so as to provide feed for the dairy cattle. This necessitates having the corn and alfalfa for all either corn or alfalfa to provide the same or a root crop to provide the same.

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Eastern Star Initiates

Pine City chapter U. D. of the Eastern Star was organized last evening at the Masonic temple under the direction of Grand officers of the order from Minneapolis.

The acting officers under the dispensation are: Mrs. O. H. Ingram W. M., Mrs. Royal Hunt A. M., Mrs. F. M. Stueck C. M., Mrs. Elizabeth A. M., Mrs. W. P. Schumacher, W. P., and Ira Holt W. P.

About 20 members of the Rush City Blue were present and officers of their lodge rendered an initiation of 10 candidates into the local chapter. A delightful lunch was served following the work.

Ruth Greenley Married

Miss Ruth Greenley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenley of Pine City, and Joseph A. Dillbrand of Marquette were quietly married at Duluth, last Sunday, by Rev. O. J. Fitzgerald of that place.

Miss Greenley has been teaching at Marquette the past winter and the newlyweds will make their

home on a farm near there.

The announcement comes as a complete surprise to her many friends who join in congratulations and best wishes.

Fatal Accident at Beroun

Joseph Kozisek was found dead in the yard, about 6 o'clock last Sunday afternoon, at their place near Beroun. A bullet had passed through his head entering just above the ear on the right side. The deceased is 37 years old and was born in Austria.

He had been sitting in the house reading, Sunday afternoon, and about 3 o'clock, took his rifle and said he was going out hunting. About six his wife and son went out to get the horses and found the body on the fence. He was evidently climbing over the fence when the gun was accidentally discharged, causing death instantly.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the Catholic church at Beroun and the remains laid to rest in the Beroun cemetery.

His sudden death was an awful shock to his family and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family.

Miller Visits Lodge

Past Master H. K. Gillon, of Two Harbors, visited Mr. Oliver Lodge last Monday evening, and gave the short lecture in the third degree, when Frank and Harry Chenick and Gus McCullum were initiated.

Mr. Gillon, who is a thirty second degree mason, is not only an able speaker but is well posted and his lecture was greatly enjoyed by the local members, who appreciate his coming and are anxious to have him visit and assist with the work again. He also made a short talk and recited a couple of poems at the banquet following the initiation.

Miss Minnie Chenick, with the assistance of A. M. Challen, had prepared a "banquet royal" and the members and visitors sat down to a table laden with lots of good things to eat. A large delegation was expected from Rush City but they were unable to attend owing to the uncertainty of the roads and weather. Miss Chenick is a sister of the two boys who received their "Third" and is a member of the Eastern Star.

Fire at Sandstone Quarry

A disastrous fire visited Sandstone Tuesday when all the quarry buildings in the lower quarry were burned to the ground, with the exception of the new stone crusher. The blaze was first noticed in the very top of the sawing room about noon shortly after it started. A rush was made to the place where there had formerly been a "hydrant" and a connection hose and both had been taken away and the men were powerless to stop the rapid progress of the fire which was fanned by a strong wind blowing straight up the river.

The blaze soon enveloped the "shale building" which contained the saws, the water wheel and air compressor, and from there it traveled to the blacksmith shop and the iron room, all of which were in the direct line of the fire. A few belts was about all that was saved from any of the buildings.

All were in active operation and as the new quarry company was getting nicely started on their summer's work, the loss will be a severe one as it will take a long time to duplicate the built up and the machinery. The loss is estimated at about \$50,000.

State Legion News

Declaring that the war isn't over for disabled ex-servicemen and that they are treated to be self-supporting, an American Legion folder being mailed to 20,000 Minnesota business men takes them through the various departments of the Federal Vocational Board, Minneapolis, with a view to offering every disabled body a chance to learn a new trade or profession.

Scores of jobs are pouring into Legion Employment bureaus in the Twin Cities and Duluth in response to an appeal sent to all Minnesota business associations by State Commander A. E. Vernon, which can cooperate with the Federal Vocational Board, Minneapolis, with a view to offering every disabled body a chance to learn a new trade or profession.

by their country," reads part of Commander Vernon's appeal to Minnesota's business men.

Saturday, April 9th will be a big day for Legionaries of the Eighth Minnesota Congressional District who will visit Virginia to be initiated in the '40 and 50' the French Box Car Society, Hartford Melider, Commander of the American Legion of Iowa, with a squad of Iowa Legionaries, will make the trip to Virginia to be initiated, and State Commander Vernon of Minnesota plans to be present. Many Twin City Legionaries will attend.

Organize Association

A local council of the American Association for the recognition of the Irish Republic was organized at a meeting held last Monday evening. J. J. Madden was elected president and Frank Hurley secretary-treasurer.

The association will hold a public meeting in the village hall, next Monday evening, April 11th at 8 P. M. An open discussion will be held on the question, "Should Americans advocate the Recognition of the Irish Republic?"

A general invitation is extended to anyone interested in this question to be present and take part in the discussion.

Girl Sleeper Eighth Victim

After suffering from sleeping sickness for 23 days, Dora E. Wedin, 14-year-old high school student of Grantville, Wis., died Saturday at Fairview hospital where she was brought for treatment. The body was sent to Grantville today.

Dora, who is the daughter of Gust R. Wedin, Grantville grocer, was stricken while attending school. There were no other cases in the vicinity.

This is the eighth case of sleeping sickness on health department records—Minneapolis Daily News.

"HAWTHORNE OF THE U. S. A."

After a month's hard study re-arranging under the able direction of Mrs. Nick Perkins, members of the Leon Heath post and their friends in the play are about ready to present "Hawthorne of the U. S. A.," which will be given at the Family theatre, next Thursday evening, April 14th.

Clint Boo, as Hawthorne, an American who is touring Europe, wins \$100,000 and breaks the bank at Monte Carlo. While traveling through the small province of Berrovina, he sees a prince in the Royal garden, falls in love with her and decides to win her despite the wishes of the Grand Duke and other Grand dignitaries. He uses his money and efforts in frustrating a plot of a prince to overthrow and win the throne, thereby winning the undying gratitude of the King and all the rest of the Royal high-born.

Following is the cast of characters:

Augustus, King of Berrovina Robert Wilson
Miss Fitz-Harding Sophie
Dora E. Wedin
M. De Witt Minister of Police
Clark Pennington
Anthony Hamilton Hawthorne
Clifton E. Boo
Rodney Blake, Hawthorne's Friend
Wm. C. ...
Colonel Radnicki
General Hohenloe
Princess Irma
Mrs. T. Buschman
Count Ivan
Dorothy B. Wilson
Kate Ballard
William Korbel
Senator Ballard
Prince Vladimir
M. Stumetz
Adamovic
A. C. Ellicker
Officer of the Guard
Sig. Brodke
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U. S. FAVORS NEW WAR DEBTS PARLEY

Hughes, in Memorandum Sent Germany, Sees Desire for Further Negotiations.

U. S. STANDS SHOWN

America Backs Up Allies in Holding Germany Responsible for War and Merely Bound to Pay the Limit.

Washington—Formal statement of the United States as to German reparations is contained in an exchange of communications with German government officials made public by the state department. They are in the form of memoranda transmitted through Long Beach, American high commissioner at Berlin.

The German communication, dated March 23, was written by Dr. Walter Simons, German foreign minister, and asserted it was "entirely clear" both to the government and people that Germany "must make good to the limit of her ability to pay," but sought "examination by unbiased agencies to determine the extent of her ability."

U. S. Reparation Stand Given. In his reply, dated March 29, Secretary of State Hughes expressed pleasure at Germany's "unqualified expression" of its desire to pay to the limit of ability and declared the United States "stands with the government of the Allies in holding Germany responsible for the war and willing to make good to the limit of her ability as far as may be possible."

"The government," Secretary Hughes' memorandum said, "believes that it recognizes in the communication of Dr. Simons a sincere desire on the part of the German government to reach negotiations with the Allies on a new basis and hopes that such negotiations, once resumed, may lead to a prompt settlement which will satisfy the just claims of the Allies and permit Germany happily to renew its productive activities."

Harding Favors Separate Peace. President Harding is understood to have approved immediate re-education of the Kaiser's peace resolution in congress convened next week. Final action was indicated by cabinet leaders as to when it would be pressed for adoption.

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RAIL ADJUSTMENT SEEN

Bondholders and Labor Leaders Meet in New York.

Four Regional Boards to Supervise Management and Operation of Roads in Favor.

New York—The national association of owners of railroad securities in co-operation with the representatives of the "Big Four" railroad brotherhoods and the shop craft and telegraphers took steps here to bring about an adjustment of the railroad situation, which was declared to be "destructive and impossible."

Outward conditions have not improved. There has been no cessation of warfare in any part of the disturbed district, and the trouble is spreading to other sections.

Factors serving to stimulate the optimistic view of the situation are the fact that the president of the United States has declared in his message to congress that he is determined to see that the railroad situation is adjusted on a basis of mutual cooperation between the government and the railroads.

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U. S. TO PROBE SPIRIT CRASH

Deaths Stand at Ten in Pacific Coast Disaster.

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The inquiry, which was called to determine whether officers of either ship should be charged with responsibility for the accident, was held behind closed doors.

Ten persons—seven passengers and three members of the Governor's crew—were reported missing. Officers of the Admiral Line said it was possible this number might be reduced.

RUSS PLEDGES AID TO TURKEY

Soviet to Help Muslims in Event of Killed Attacks.

Washington—Soviet Russia pledges military support to Turkey in the event Turkey is attacked by the Allied powers or Greece, according to a comprehensive summary of the treaty concluded March 16, between the two governments, which was received in official circles here.

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Minnesota Town Elects Woman Mayor. St. Peter, Minn.—In a close election here Mrs. J. E. Jones was elected mayor by a majority of 54 votes out of a total of 1,011. Mrs. Jones received 556 votes against 455 cast for Arthur H. Johnson. The women turned out in great numbers.

Chicago Twenty-five thousand men will give a week's day of work for a new starting Monday. Chicago—Twenty-five thousand men will give a week's day of work for a new starting Monday. Chicago—Twenty-five thousand men will give a week's day of work for a new starting Monday.

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PEACE IN IRELAND IS BELIEVED NEAR

Observers of Situation Expect a Truce Will Be Signed Before August.

Conditions Improving. Predictions That Settlement of Controversy Near is Universally Accepted—President Harding's Stand Featured.

Dublin—The opinion was expressed by competent observers that the Irish situation has undergone a considerable change for the better since Mr. Patrick's day.

A month ago Dublin declared the peace of the near future are universal. Loyds declined to accept beliefs offered during the week that peace will be brought about before August.

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LEGION BACKS PLAN

Would Furnish Quick Relief for Men Who Have Suffered Under Divided Government Responsibility.

Washington—Progress in solving the government's problem of caring for former service men, physically fit or disabled, or physically fit but having financial claims to be adjusted, was made in the report of the committee headed by Charles G. Dawes of Chicago and appointed to inquire into the situation.

The committee's report, which was received here, is understood to have been favorable to the "Warfield" plan of railroad control, which has been proposed by the Interstate Commerce commission.

The Interstate Commerce commission has proposed a plan for a national railway service division of the commission and four regional railway boards to supervise the management and operation of the railroad system. It is designed to coordinate facilities and bring about greater efficiency and economy in railroad management and operation.

U. S. TO PROBE SPIRIT CRASH

Deaths Stand at Ten in Pacific Coast Disaster.

Seattle, Wash.—Federal steamboat inspectors have begun preliminary investigation into the collision of Point Wilson, in the Strait of Juan de Fuca between the Admiral Line passenger steamer Governor and the freighter West Hartland, which resulted in the death of ten lives.

The inquiry, which was called to determine whether officers of either ship should be charged with responsibility for the accident, was held behind closed doors.

Ten persons—seven passengers and three members of the Governor's crew—were reported missing. Officers of the Admiral Line said it was possible this number might be reduced.

RUSS PLEDGES AID TO TURKEY

Soviet to Help Muslims in Event of Killed Attacks.

Washington—Soviet Russia pledges military support to Turkey in the event Turkey is attacked by the Allied powers or Greece, according to a comprehensive summary of the treaty concluded March 16, between the two governments, which was received in official circles here.

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MANILA SWEEP BY FIRE

3,000 Houses Destroyed; Loss is Estimated at \$3,000,000.

Confagration in San Lázaro District is Worst in Twenty Years; Two Bodies Found.

Manila, P. I.—Fifteen thousand were rendered homeless here in a fire, the most destructive in more than 20 years, which destroyed 3,000 houses in the northern section of the city, a native quarter known as the San Lázaro district. Two bodies were found in the ruins.

Police estimate the loss at \$3,000,000. The razed area consisted mostly of small native structures occupied as dwellings and stores. It extended over 30 acres.

American sailors and soldiers were directed as they marched into the burning district to assist in fighting the flames. They raised ladders surrounding the burning area, making a fire break which halted the progress of the fire.

Red Cross workers before daylight began assembling food and clothing for the homeless, most of whom spent the night in vacant lots. An initial appropriation of \$100,000 was made by the city council for relief work, and subscription lists have been opened.

Glant Caproni Plane Burned. Milan—The giant hydro-aeroplane of Glant Caproni, the largest ever built, was destroyed by fire in a hangar here. It was expected to be able to accomplish a Trans Atlantic flight but which fell into Lake Maggiore during a recent trial flight. It has been burned.

Woman Flies Over Andes. Santiago, Chile—A woman, the French aviatrix, flew across the Andes from Mendoza, Argentina, to Chile. Her flying time was four hours. She was the first woman to perform the feat.

MARKET RECOVERY IS SLOW

Liquidation of Coarse Grain Checks Recovery—What Supply Shows Decrease—Excessive Receipts in Eastern Markets.

U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS. Weekly ended April 4, 1921.

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6 Room House for Sale Newly papered, will take good team of horses or cows in trade, acre 1.2 mile from Beroun—A. National Bank

House for Sale In center of town, good location, 5 rooms, large barn, gas, hot water, Matt Pater, 25-1

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(First publication March 21)
Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will
Estate of John H. Hogan
State of Minnesota, County of Pine.
In the Matter of the Estate of John H. Hogan, Decedent.
The undersigned, in and to all persons interested in the above and probate of the will of John H. Hogan, deceased, do hereby cite and require you to appear in the County Court of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the said will should not be admitted to probate in said County Court. If you fail to appear, the said will may be admitted to probate in said County Court. Witness the hand of the undersigned and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of March, 1921.
ROBERT WILCOX, Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal) ROBERT WILCOX, Attorney for Petitioner.

(First publication Mar. 21)
Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration
Estate of Edward F. Galien
State of Minnesota, County of Pine.
In the Matter of the Estate of Edward F. Galien, Decedent.
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ROBERT WILCOX, Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal) ROBERT WILCOX, Attorney for Petitioner.

(First publication April 7)
Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale
Whereas certain certain land in the County of Pine, State of Minnesota, was mortgaged to George Brockman, Mortgagee, by the undersigned, the undersigned, do hereby cite and require you to appear in the County Court of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the said mortgage should not be foreclosed. If you fail to appear, the said mortgage may be foreclosed. Witness the hand of the undersigned and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of March, 1921.
ROBERT WILCOX, Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal) ROBERT WILCOX, Attorney for Mortgagee.

(First Publication March 24th)
SALE OF SCHOOL AND OTHER STATE LANDS
State of Minnesota, State Auditor's Office, St. Paul, Minn., March 16, 1921.
Notice is hereby given that on April 12, 1921, at 10 o'clock P. M. in the office of the County Auditor at Pine City, Pine County, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain school lands which are also those state lands which have been sold to the state by reason of non-payment of interest.
Terms of Sale
The purchase price of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of the sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part, within forty years from date of sale, interest rate of four percent per annum, due on June 1st of each year, provided that the interest may be paid at any time within the year without penalty. In the event the interest is not paid at the time it becomes due, the interest money may be paid any time before the first of May of the year first without penalty.
All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.
The appraised value of timber on the lands to be sold, provided previous to 1907, and not charged against such purchase.
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Local News

Phil Blinsky spent the forepart of this week in the Twin cities on a buying trip.

Mrs. Mary Borchers has moved into her house and has rented the upstairs to Mrs. Tilden. Dick Ruby has rented the upstairs of the Adam Biederman home and expects to move in Saturday.

Mrs. John Grafsky and son, Louis of St. Paul and Miss Julia Valvody spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Valvody.

Father Leo expects to return from Royallton, today, where he has been since Sunday attending a ceremony at Investiture.

Mrs. Jonas Gray left on the early morning train for Sioux Falls, S. D., where she will visit for a month or more.

Contractor Schefer was a visitor in town the first of the week. He built the theatre, parish house and F. A. Jordan home in Pine City, last autumn.

Paul Perkins, Ben Boo, J. Adam Bede and Webb Hodge made a trip to St. Paul last week where they saw Highway Com. Babcock regarding some roads.

Kaleb Sandberg spent last Saturday and Sunday with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Knuts Sandberg, returning to the cities Monday.

The Brozards will move in the Wals Peterson house which they have rented. The Petersons have gone to St. Cloud where he is interested in a creamery.

Wm. McCusick spent a couple of days here visiting his folks. He is working for the Tri-state telephone company in the Twin cities.

Morris Edwards has purchased the ranch owned by Mr. Farmer. Morris tells the rest of The Poker force he has the best kind of a motor car as he has no tires to buy for his "hoop."

Miss Eda Knutson, former employe at the Daniels studio, spent the week end at the A. H. Daniels home, leaving Monday, for the Twin cities where she will enter a school of photography.

A birthday party for Joe Baltha and Mrs. Handick, whose birthdays are close, was held at the Forbell home last Sunday evening. Games were played and delightful refreshments were served, everyone having a fine time.

A good crowd attended the entertainment given by Harry L. Starnes in the Family theatre last Monday evening. He lectured and gave some very interesting experiments with electrical appliances. This was the last number of this winter's Lyceum course.

H. W. Hart was a visitor in the village Monday. He and Mrs. Hart returned to their home at Brook Park from Missouri, where they spent the winter, about 10 days ago. He reports Mrs. Hart's health is very good after her southern trip.

Miss Spink left for the Twin city hospital, last Tuesday, for medical treatment. She injured her foot in a fall which she had at the school about a week ago. This makes three regular teachers that are away, their grades being taught by normal students.

Paul Breda, night operator at the local depot was "bumped" by the Hugo operator and put in last week as relief man at that place but is spending this week at home and looking around for a place to bump some other man. Paul says it's a bunty-bunty kind of a job, anyway.

Boy Carlson, the 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carlson, met with a serious accident, last Tuesday evening when he fell off a davenport and broke his arm. It was very sore and the little fellow suffered considerable pain but he is resting easier now and it is expected the arm will heal without leaving any bad effects.

A birthday party was held at the Joseph Valvody home last Sunday in honor of their daughter, Babe. About twenty five guests were present and those from out of town in attendance were: Misses Julia Valvody, Francis and Celia Marek, Mrs. Grafsky and Jimmie Johnson of St. Paul. A delicious supper was served and a good time had by all.

Misses Viola Tate, Joyce Hagen and Catherine Hawley entertained a number of friends in the Family theatre, last Friday evening.

The evening was spent with dance, the stage being used for that purpose. The Poker stated, last week that Mr. and Mrs. Turner were the hosts, that was an error however, they acted as chairpersons and the above named young ladies were the hosts. The Presbyterian ladies aid met in the church last Thursday afternoon and elected the following officers for this year: Mrs. J. Y. Breckenridge president, Mrs. Henry Burdge vice president, Mrs. Paul Perkins secretary and Mrs. W. W. Clark treasurer. Mrs. A. O. Garbush was appointed chairman of the committee which will have charge of the making of presents for next Christmas bazaar. The aid will meet next Thursday after-

noon in the church. Mothers Roy Carlson, Jerov, Garbush and Huber will be hostesses.

The Pine Poker is in receipt of a letter from Babe Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clark of Pine City. Babe is attending the American school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., and is a member of the June 1934 graduating class and also a member of the Aesculapian club there, regarding which he sends the following shipping 'X's, the call of the Aesculapian Club, those members of the faculty and student body of the A. B. O. who are members of the Masonic order and an assemblage of the crafts at the home of the Club on Saturday evening at eight o'clock. Among the hundred guests present were representatives from lodges over whom seventeen Grand Lodges hold respective Jurisdiction ranging from Maine to California, from Florida to Oregon, and from two provinces of Canada.

Recall One Cent Sale April 14, 15 and 16th, Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons.

New Council Meets

The village council of the village of Pine City, met this day in the village hall at Pine City, at its regular meeting.

Members present: Pres. Scully, Trustees, Larson and Woehrie, Clerk, Pennington. Absent none.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Scully. The minutes of the meeting of March 1st and 9th were read and upon proper motion they were accepted as true. The following were presented and upon motion by Trustee Woehrie and 2nd by Trustee Larson, they were accepted.

- East. Minn. Power Co., for light, power & sup. \$175.00
 - H. H. Co. Pioneer, pub. fin. state & supplies 90.25
 - Breck Pharmacy, supp. 22.70
 - Louis Volmer, coal 45.99
 - C. C. Ives, 17 hours at village election 6.80
 - Aug. Larson, 17 hours at village election 6.80
 - T. W. Linn, 17 hours at village election 6.80
 - E. H. Long, drawing up Amend. to Art. 10 of Ord. No. 52 5.00
 - Clark Pennington, village clerk salary for Mar. & post. 21.00
 - John Biederman, marshal salary for March 100.00
 - N. W. Bell Tel. Co., for phone at fire hall 2.50
 - Aug. Larson, 20 hrs. lab. on road at 35c 7.00
 - C. W. Kelley, 10 hrs. lab. on road with team 2.00
 - Geo. Sierwood, 15 hrs. lab. on road with team 7.50
 - J. D. Wilcox, 10 hrs. lab. on road with team 7.00
 - Wm. Dancer, 5 hrs. lab. on road 2.50
 - Henry Mordling, 20 hrs. lab. on road with team 14.00
 - Frank Stuck, 15 hrs. lab. on road with team 10.50
 - Fred Babcock, 10 hrs. lab. on road 5.00
 - Al Omsen, reading and reporting meters 11.00
- No further business the council adjourned.
- Clark Pennington, Clerk
J. J. Scully, Pres.

The new village council of the village of Pine City, met this day in the village hall at Pine City, at 8:00 P. M.

Members present: Paul Perkins, Pres., Trustees, Boo, Woehrie and Daley, Clerk, Pennington; Absent, none.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Perkins. All members having been present at the session of the old council the minutes of the last meeting were not read.

Pres. Perkins called for a rising vote of thanks to the outgoing council for the fine way in which they handled the affairs of this village during their time in office. All responded.

A delegation appeared before the council to see about having the road fixed that runs thru the fair grounds and west to 10th street.

Another delegation was also present to see about some work to be done at the west end of Third Ave. in order that cement sidewalks might be put in. Other work was requested done, but no action was taken, pending an investigation of the council to the absolute needs of the village.

A petition was submitted by the people living in the vicinity of 3d St. and 6th and 7th Aves. requesting street lights. Upon motion of Trustee Boo and 2nd by Trustee Woehrie it was granted. A petition was also tendered for water extensions for the same district but no action was taken.

Attention was called to the violation of fire alarm limits. The Clerk was instructed to put notices in the beat papers calling their attention to the fine that they are subject to if caught violating the ordinance.

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Stephen as Justice of the Peace, Pennington as clerk, Biederman as constable and Chas. Stephan as assessor were read. A motion was made by Trustee Boo and 2nd by Trustee Woehrie that they be accepted. Carried.

R. L. Wiseman was re-elected as Health Officer for the coming two years with a salary of \$100 per year. William Ellison was also elected to the board for two years.

A motion was made by Clerk, Pennington and 2nd by Trustee Woehrie that John Biederman be elected as marshal for the coming year with a salary of \$100 a month. Carried.

A motion was made by Trustee Woehrie and 2nd by Trustee Boo that the Clerk's salary be \$20 a month for the coming year. Carried.

A motion was made by Trustee Boo and 2nd by Trustee Woehrie that the Billiard Parlor license be set at \$5.00 per table. The application of Fred Jordan for a billiard license was tendered and granted.

The meeting night of said council was set for the 1st of each month unless that date falls on Sunday, in which case the meeting will be the following night.

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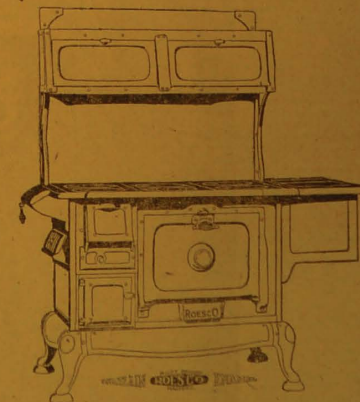


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ROCK CREEK NEWS DEP.

Morris Strandberg spent the week end at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ota Schmidt. He left Sunday for Kansas City, Mo., where he expects to be employed during the summer.

Miss Lucile Williams of Hinckley, visited with her sister, local school teacher, over the week end. Mrs. Andrew Olson, living east of town, is very sick at her home. Her speedy recovery is hoped for by her friends.

The dance given at the hall last Saturday evening was well attended and a good time had by all. Remlin's Harp orchestra did not make an appearance so the Hinckley orchestra was secured at the last minute to furnish the music.

Viva Cleveland entertained a number of her school mates last Saturday, the occasion being her birthday. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Erickson returned from their trip to Iowa last Sunday morning.

John Rasmussen and family arrived from Minneapolis the first of the month and have moved on to the C. G. Lundblad farm, northeast of town.

Barney Greenspan shipped a car load of mixed stock to the South St. Paul markets Wednesday.

The Home Missions Society met at the church Monday afternoon.

Crop Rotations

Excellent feed in the ration. Also some grain crops such as oats and barley as a basis for the grain ration.

The clover is naturally the crop to supply the hay and to help maintain nitrogen supply in the soil. The clover plant gathers 2-3 of its nitrogen from the air and 1-3 from the soil and stores 2-3 of the nitrogen gathered in the leaves and stem and 1-3 in the roots so it is readily apparent that by removing the hay crops the clover only holds its own in maintaining the nitrogen supply but if the first crop were cut for hay and the second crop plowed under as green manure crop, the nitrogen content would be increased and the net to follow will depend upon the size of

the farm and the amount of livestock kept. A man with a small acreage might practice a three year rotation dividing his cleared land into three equal fields, and planting a cultivated crop, grain seeded to clover and clover. On a farm with greater cleared acreage, a four or five year rotation could be followed thus more effectively controlling pest, diseases and insects.

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Henry Meyer Dies

Henry Meyer, age 65 years, passed away at his home in Pine City, yesterday morning. Death was caused by lung and kidney trouble.

Funeral services will be held Saturday from the German Lutheran church and interment made in the local cemetery. The pall bearers will be A. Klunde, Aug. Teich, Emil Bruski, Chris. Koletski, Herman Schultz and Wm. Glasow.

The deceased was born in Germany and came to this country 40 years ago. For the past few years he has been farming near Polegama lake and recently came to Pine City to make his home.

The sympathy of friends and neighbors is extended to the bereaved family in the loss of their husband and father.

Arthur Nelson

Arthur Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nelson living about 1 1/2 miles east of town on the St. Croix road, passed away at the home of his parents, last Monday death being caused from a complication of blood poisoning. Funeral services will be held from the home tomorrow. Rev. Peterson will conduct the services.

The deceased was fourteen years of age and was born on a farm near Rock Creek. He has lived in this region all his life and has made many friends who extend their sympathy to the father, mother and brother who are left to mourn his loss.

H. Kaelble Laid to Rest

Funeral services were conducted from Piper's Undertaking Parlor, last Tuesday afternoon for Howard Kaelble, and interment made in the local cemetery.

The body arrived from Mallen, Idaho, Sunday, where death occurred March 28th from ptomaine poisoning. The remains were expected last Friday, but shipment was delayed. A friend of the deceased, from Wallace, Idaho, accompanied the body to Pine City.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. McGroarty and son Victor from St. Paul, Albert Crocker from Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kaelble from St. Paul.

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