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Will Vote on June 21

County Option Petitions Were Filed Last Friday, Carrying 1361 Names

Petitions were filed with County Auditor Hamlin last Friday, bearing the signatures of 1361 voters of the county, asking that an election be held on the question of whether the sale of liquor shall be prohibited in Pine county.

Mr. Hamlin at once fixed the date for the election for that purpose for June 2—which is, in fact, the only date he could set since the law requires that the election shall be held on a Monday and must be set for not less than 40 nor more than 50 days from the date of filing the petitions.

The names on the petitions amount to more than half the total vote cast for governor in this county last fall. But there will be more than that at this coming election.

Field and Track Meet Here Soon

Prof. McAdam, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the Field and Track meet of "the little eight" which is to be held here Saturday, May 29, is hard at work getting his plans in shape and expects it to be a read letter day. He figures there ought to be, if the weather be pleasant, 300 or 400 visitors here from over this entire part of the state on that day. The high schools of North Branch, Rush City, Pine City, Hineckley, Sandstone, Mora, Milaca and Cambridge will participate. The field and track events will be held at the Fair grounds during the forenoon and afternoon and the declamatory contest will be held in the Armory in the evening. It is customary for business houses in towns where these meets are held to close during at least a part of the afternoon and this will doubtless be done here.

Decoration and Memorial Days

Memorial day services will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday, May 30, this year, Rev. Parish preaching the sermon. The members of B. F. Davis post request all veterans of the wars of our country, and people in general, to join them in these services. The Decoration Day service will be held Monday, May 31. Hon. Andrew E. Fritz of St. Paul, state public examiner, will deliver the address on that occasion.

School Officers Here June 5

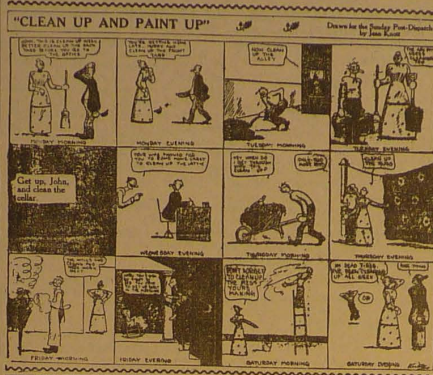
Already, more than 250 school officers of Pine county have sent in notice that they will be here to the meeting of the County Association on June 5. County Superintendent Blankenship puts the number of delegates who will attend at about 250 and says the visitors will doubtless run the total attendance up to about 350.

State Auditor Preus will be on the program and this insures a "straight from the shoulder" expression from one of the big men of the state. Mr. Preus talks facts and has some opinions of his own on educational matters that will make his address worth going miles to hear.

President Harte is pushing arrangements for the meeting which he says will be an important one. He has made arrangements for the Brookpark band to be present to help enliven the day.

Close Score and Good Game

Pine City won, 8 to 7, in the return game of base ball played by



Rush City on the diamond at the Fair grounds here last Sunday. The day was a beauty and there was a good crowd out. The close score—the game standing 6 to 6 at the end of the tenth inning—kept everyone on "edge" and the fans found plenty of reason to root.

Yot and Wilcox were the battery for Pine City and Sommer and Huml did the honors for Rush City. Neither pitcher was hit hard.

George Biederman and George Stekl started in to umpire the game but later E. J. Doherty of Rush City went in. The day was an unfortunate one for the ump and the crowd hooted itself hoarse over every one of them. But that's the lot of an umpire.

Finlayson Band Entertains

The entertainment and dance given in Stekl's hall last Saturday evening by the Finlayson band drew a rather small crowd for the program but the hall filled up pretty well when the dance was taken up.

The entertainment was greatly enjoyed by those present, every number eliciting good applause. The dance was all the hall would accommodate, the floor being well filled from beginning to end.

The band gave a short concert on the streets before the program in the hall was undertaken which was much enjoyed by everyone. The only reason they did not have a large attendance was because there were so many other meetings scheduled for the same hour.

Entertainment at Milburn School

A basket social and program will be held in the Milburn school - dis-

trict 33—tomorrow (Friday) evening. Miss Ruby Robinson, the teacher will have charge and the Milburn band will assist on the program. The entertainment is given for the purpose of securing reference books for the library. Everyone is invited.

Methodist Church to Be Dedicated

The new Swedish Methodist church at West Rock will be dedicated next Sunday morning with special services in which Pastor Claus Johnson will be assisted by Rev. E. A. Wahlqvist of St. Paul, district president, Rev. C. H. Sundstrom of Minneapolis and Rev. G. A. Ekstrand of St. Paul, who will preach, sing and play.

The morning service will be held 10:30 o'clock, followed by a free dinner, to which everyone who wishes to remain is invited. There will be Sunday school at 2 p. m., English services at 3 p. m. and regular evening services at 7:30.

The visiting preachers will remain over until Wednesday and there will be services in the church at 7:30, Monday and Tuesday evenings. The Ladies aid will also meet at 2 p. m. Monday.

The church and parsonage have just been completed, following the fire that destroyed the old buildings last summer. The \$2,000 insurance money has aided materially in the new buildings and the work of Rev. Johnson his sons, with what assistance has been extended by others, has built a fine 7-room parsonage and a church capable of seating about 150 people. Only a small indebtedness remains and this will likely be liquidated before the dedication, Sunday.

'White Way' For Our Town

Village Starts Ball By Ordering Posts on Three Sides of the Park

The council started a "White Way" for Pine City at its meeting Monday night when it ordered eight light posts, of the kind in front of the Power company's office, placed about the park—four along the west side, with one of these at each corner, and two at each end. The posts will cost about \$365 installed and will be in place before the first of June. Now, when the business men set up the counter part of these on the opposite side of the streets and extend them west and east about a block on Second and Third avenues we will present an excellent appearance from the trains and have a crackling "white way" throughout the center of town. If the property owners in this part of town felt that they would favor such a move, it would be a fine thing to have before the big Firemen's Convention.

At the same meeting the council let the contract for a 5 foot cement walk along the 5th street front of the park and an 8 foot walk on the Second and Third avenue fronts to Kalb and Blanchard at 10 cents a square foot. G. W. Swenson also bid 10c and Oscar F. Larson 10 1/2c.

W. P. Glasow was ordered to remove the wagon scales, across the street from his store and a fine drinking fountain was ordered installed in front of the grand stand in the park. The latter was a mere formality as the fountain had already been installed on an out-of-chambers understanding.

With all these additional changes, our civic center Park ought to stand out even more prominently as a beauty spot.

Big Sunday School Picnic Coming

A meeting for representatives of the Sunday School Assn. of the county was held in the Methodist church, Monday afternoon, ten of the 14 Sunday schools in the southern part of the county being represented.

It was decided to hold a grand Sunday school picnic for the schools of the southern part of the county, including Hineckley, on the Fair grounds here either Saturday, July 3, or Monday, July 5.

The reason that only Sunday schools of the southern part of the county are included is not because of any disposition to bar others, who are welcome, but because it would probably be impossible to get schools from farther away than Hineckley here to the event.

There will be a big noonday meal, a boat excursion, base ball and other games and amusements. A band will probably also be present to aid in entertaining that day. At this long distance it is thought the attendance ought to be at least 500 and may be 1,000.

Fire School House for Peters Dist.

Contractor Joslin will begin work next week on the \$4,000 school house he will put up in District 7—the Peters district, about 6 miles out on the Brunsvick road. The building will be a brick structure, 40x58x8-6, and will have two school rooms besides entry and cloak rooms. There will be a full basement to which a furnace will be installed, though probably not at this time. It will be erected on the site of the old building, which will probably be sold—or torn down.

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Read what Minneapolis Journal and Minneapolis Tribune say:

MAP SHOWS MINNESOTA SOIL. STATE SOIL MAP PUBLISHED. Information Given for Prospective Settlers and Investors. Climatic Conditions and Formations Shown in New Work

A practical contribution to the published information about Minnesota, which will be of aid to settlers and intending investors in farm lands, is a new soil map published by J. L. Kopacek of Pine City, who has been making much study of soil conditions in the northwest. The map is about 17 by 24 inches and shows the general geographical features of Minnesota in black and the different subsoils in symbols printed in light brown. This information is based on the work of Professor N. H. Winchell, for many years in charge of the state geological survey and a well known authority on physiography. In addition there is information regarding the average annual rainfall, the average date of the last killing frost in the spring and the first killing frost in the autumn and the mean summer temperature—all based on United States government reports.

A soil map of Minnesota, published in the state and produced in Minneapolis workrooms, is one of the latest evidences of the progress being made in the state in the way of promotion of advance farming, based on actual knowledge. This new map is printed in two colors. In black are the usual features of a state map—the rivers, lakes, counties, towns, villages, railroads, etc.—while in light red are symbols showing the sub-soil formations and climatic conditions, taken from data supplied by Prof. N. H. Winchell, the geologist and physiographical expert and author, and from United States government reports. The map is published by J. L. Kopacek of Pine City, Minn., and is the work of the Hudson Publishing company, map makers.

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2500 People Are Coming

Secy. of Firemen's Association Says That Number Are Coming to Convention

The Firemen's Convention general committee met Monday evening, when further plans were laid. Arrangements are still far from complete however, and the aid of everyone is needed in making the final preparation of the next three weeks. This is Pine City's business and the committee is only acting for our people in general. We all owe them what aid we can give.

Secretary Myler of the state committee says that the attendance will probably run about 2500, basing his statement on the returns from Fire Chiefs in the towns and cities over the state and on past experiences.

There will be plenty of band music on hand. The Rush City contingent will bring their band for the second day at least. Virginia will bring its crack band—known as by long odds the best band in the northern part of the state. The Brookpark band will also be here—and probably others.

The committee on sleeping had a sub committee consisting of Clark Pennington, Eric Larson and Blaine Rowe canvass the town for rooms and beds in our homes and the estimate is that at least 500 visitors will be cared for in that way, another hundred will be slept in the hotels at Pokegama lake, about 400 will be cared for in the eight sleeping cars that are to be sidetracked here during the convention, tents will be had to take care of about 300 and sleeping quarters will be arranged in the buildings at the Fair grounds for about 1000 more.

Chairman Jack Madden of the "Eats" Committee says he has either of two ways and will, in any event, have plenty for everyone. Besides the hotel and restaurants, the German Lutheran church will serve meals in the big Adam Biederman machine shed where they will be able to serve 200 at a setting, the Catholic church folks will serve in the big St. Mary's hall, underneath the church, where they will be at home, cool and able to accommodate about 250 at a sitting, the Methodist and Presbyterian ladies aid will also serve.

Chairman Perkins of the finance committee reported \$1,000 cash subscribed to bear the expenses of the convention's entertainment, detailed, statement of which is given below:

We are unable to get the list for publication today.

Towns of this region are all showing a disposition to help Pine City but probably the most encouraging letter was from President Curtis Johnson of Rush City, who wrote that they could bring their band for a day at least, and "will do anything else that Pine City wants."

Visitors from various parts of the state will be drawn here by the fair name our town bears everywhere for its hospitality and its native beauty—its lakes and fields and woods, its bathing, bathing and fishing. Many of these, we understand, plan to linger a day or more after the big event has subsided. And they will be followed by others. For this will give the people of the state a taste of what we have to offer.

Death Claims Noble Woman

The remains of Mrs. Zelma Christensen, who passed away at Minneapolis last week Tuesday, where laid at rest beside those of her husband in the cemetery at Danewood last Thursday.

Her death came as a great surprise to her many friends in this region although her more intimate associates knew of her falling health.

Mrs. Christensen was the widow

of F. S. Christensen, formerly president of the bank at Rush City, who died in 1895. They were intimately connected with the settlement and development of this part of the state and to all the old timers were well known and fully appreciated.

It was quite fitting that the last ceremonies should be held in the church at Danewood which Mr. and Mrs. Christensen built and dedicated to the people of that locality.

Berlin Sells Leader Store

A. W. Schumacher and wife of Jefferson, Ia., were guests, the latter part of last week and first of this, at the home of his brother, W. F. Schumacher, who recently purchased the Asplund store. They were greatly pleased with Pine City and its surroundings.

And the very day the above was put in type—Monday—Mr. Schumacher purchased the Leader store which he will invoice and take charge of about June 1.

He and Mrs. Schumacher returned Tuesday to their Iowa home, where they recently disposed of their store business, and expect to be back here about the 20th to get settled and complete arrangements for taking hold of the Leader.

Mr. Berlin says he has no plans for the future. He is almost as much surprised to sell as our people are to have him and does not know just now what he will do. He and Mr. Sutherland still have the Cambridge store but he has no intention of locating there himself.

Green Valley

Our Ball team played with Mission Creek last Sunday on their grounds, the game resulting with a score 9 to 30 in favor of Green Valley. This is the second time this season they have got a good trimming from us.—The Green Valley 'Sho'ems.'

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School Notes

The base ball game between our High Sch. of team and the Moraites resulted in an overwhelming victory for our boys by a score of 19 to 3. The day was cold and the crowd not very large. The visitors were accompanied by only a small crowd, all arriving in autos just before noon. Babcock and Wilcox did the honors for our team and Alquist and Bylund performed like services for the visitors. Our team started the procession in the first inning and kept it up throughout the game while the visitors piled up nothing but goose eggs until the 8th inning. The 7th, which is our usually "unlucky" one, was passed without a hitch. Frank Babcock secured 16 strikeouts on the visitor and when we were at bat everybody hit.

Another base ball team has been added to the half dozen organization in town that specialize in the National Game—this time "The Gordons" who are drawn from the 5th and 6th grades. "Shorty" Therrien is cap'n and the boys are open for a game with any team of their years and weight, for fun or marbles.

Miss Northrup of Willow River visited different rooms the latter part of last week while she was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton, here.

The monthly teachers' meeting was held in the high school building Tuesday afternoon to consider monthly reports.

County Supt. Blankenship and Prof. McAdam visited the out-of-town schools in this region the first of the week.

The children in the grades are practicing for the program to be given on Decoration day.

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Some of the newspapers tell us that Berlin enjoyed a fete day and the school children a holiday over the sinking of the Lusitania and the loss of the lives of 1200 non-combatants—old men, woman and children. It seems as though such disparages must be exaggerations. It does not seem that the Germany that America has respected and loved—the fatherland of the great race that has overflowed to this land and adopted it as their own—could have become so steeped in its lust for blood that it considers the death of these a victory and the hour of their drowning a moment for public acclaim.

The POKER understands that 2 out of the nearly 300 school officers who attended their last county meeting at Hinckley last year went away feeling that they had gained nothing by being present. That proportion was small but we firmly believe the number of dissatisfied ones will be smaller at the coming convention here. We believe that every single person who comes to the meeting June 5th, will get what they want.

Now that the petitions have been filed and the County Option campaign is on, we desire to call the attention of our readers to two things. First, no men are all good or all bad, but all men are part good and part bad. Don't think that, because a man is on this side or that of this County Option question, he is either an angel nor an imp.

Swift county went dry in the vote on County Option, Monday, by a vote of 3 to 1.

German Luth. Church Notes

Rev. Luebker will preach at Hinckley next Sunday morning but will hold English services in the church here Sunday evening.

A new cement walk is being laid in front of the parsonage and church—clear across the block. The change will prove a great change and improvement.

M. E. Church Notes

The observance of Mothers' Day, last Sunday forenoon, called out an unusually large audience.

Plans are already being made for celebrating Children's Day, the second Sunday in June, with an appropriate program.

The D. D. class has what it considers an excellent base ball team and would be glad to meet any Sunday school team of this region on the diamond.

Regular services at the usual hours next Sunday; preaching service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. League at 7 p. m. All are invited.

The monthly meeting of the officers of the church, Sunday school and societies was held in the church Monday evening. There was a good attendance and a good time. Lunch was served, each one present bringing something for the purpose.

Rev. T. W. Stout, district superintendent, will be the principal speaker at the annual Sunday school banquet to be held in the Armory next Thursday evening, May 20. A big time is expected and there will probably be about 225 seated as all the Sunday schools of this charge are invited and that includes those at Hustletown, Meadow Lawn and Baroun.

Presbyterian Church Notes

The church was well filled for the Mothers' Day services last Sunday. The Christian Endeavor Society, which is especially for young people,

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All not attending elsewhere are cordially invited to come and join the Presbyterian Sunday school. Our aim is to keep the attendance above the 100 mark throughout the summer. You can help us do this by coming yourself and by bringing a friend. Sunday school begins promptly at 9:45 a. m.

The members of the Sunday school entertained the Mothers at a delightful reception in the church, Monday evening. The rooms were lovely decorated with apple blossoms and violets and were crowded with the children, mothers and others. An enjoyable program was rendered, followed by ice cream and wafers. Everyone spent a most pleasant evening.

Poker advertisements are full of valuable suggestions and if you do not read them you are the loser.

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Pine City News

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5 acres in the village limits of Pine City at a bargain.—J. L. Kopacek.

Miss Jessie Stephan was home over Sunday from her school work at Hinckley.

Mrs. Maisoneuve has accepted a position in the dry goods and ladies furnishings end of the Big store.

John Beechel expects to launch tomorrow the new 18 foot motor boat he recently received from St. Paul.

County Treasurer Pofert is putting up a 16x22, two story addition at the rear of his home property on 7th street.

Jack Sommers moved his household goods to Rush City the first of the week, intending to make the family home there.

Have Staacke, the expert watch maker and engraver, do your watch, clock and jewelry repairing. All work guaranteed. 33-1f.

Meslames Keim and Connaker left yesterday for a two weeks' visit at the homes of their sons and daughter at Hibbing.

Arthur Dillingham of Wood Lake has accepted a position in Sausser's hardware store and will probably move his family up soon.

Contractor Larson was at Duluth last Friday to buy a new concrete mixer, stopping over Saturday at Sandstone on his way back.

Mrs. J. E. Clonkey and children came up from St. Paul, Tuesday, and are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. V. F. Joslin and family.

"The Lust of the Red Man"—the story of chief Big Horn's terrible vengeance, in 3 parts, at the Family theatre tomorrow (Friday) evening.

Fred Ausmus moved last week to the Challen farm, about two miles north of Beroun, where he will try the quiet life among the cabbages and peas.

Editor E. H. Yeat of the Welcome Times, spent the latter part of last week with his relatives here, returning home Monday of this week.

Straw Hat season is here. Throw away your old felt hat our cap and go to the Leader for a straw hat. We carry the cheaper straw hat for men, women and children.

Capt James Netser is enjoying occasional jaunts down town these spring days, limbering up for the Decoration day exercises which will be held Sunday, May 30.

Forty strand lightning rod wire 20 cents per foot and 32 strand at 16 cents. All this wire guaranteed to be .9984 per cent pure. Sold by M. A. Soderbeck, Pine City, Minn.

Merchant John Hogan of Belden was in town Monday on business at the court house. He reports some new settlers and general progress in the north east corner of the county.

Miss Ida Reinbold was called home from St. Paul, where she was employed, last Friday on account of the illness of her mother who is gradually improving, we are glad to note.

Most everyone is waiting for Sheriff Hawley to get control of the wobble in the track of his new Overland before they fall under suspension and get a joy ride in the new machine.

Adam Behlemmer and family were over from Henriette, Tuesday evening and returned yesterday morning. Adam was boosting for the Henriette band which is one of the best in the county.

Contractor Klieker has the rough work nearly done on the 26x30 story and a half house he is erecting for Jas. Fungler just southwest of the old bath house in the southwestern part of town.

We have for sale several 40 acre tracts of heavy hardwood mixed timber near Pine City. This is a

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The Reliable Store The Big Store

(First publication April 22nd.)
Notice of Mortgage Sale

Whereas default has been made and exists in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and delivered by Emma Hewitt and G. W. Hewitt, husband and wife, mortgagees, dated November 23rd, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of Pine County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November 1915, at 6 o'clock p. m., in Book No. 15 of Mortgages, on page 77, on which there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of Five Hundred and Ninety (\$195) and 25-100 Dollars, principal and interest, and no action or proceeding at law or equity has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage of any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises described in and covered by said mortgage and situate in the County of Pine, State of Minnesota, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of Section Twenty (20), in Township Twenty-eight (28) N., Range Twenty (20) W., will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, therefor for cash, by the sheriff of said County, at the front entrance of the Court House in the Village of Pine City, in said County and State, on Friday the 11th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, and Twenty Five Dollars Attorney's fee, as stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated April 22nd, 1916.
MISSOURI HAY PRESS COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
S. G. L. ROBERTS,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Pine City, Minn.

Notice of Application for Lic-qnor License.
State of Minnesota,)
County of Pine,) ss.
Village of Pine City,)
Notice is hereby Given, That applications have been made in writing to the Common Council, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on June 1st, 1916, and terminating on May 31st, 1917, by the following persons and at the following places as stated in said applications respectively.
James Harley
On the first floor of the S. W. corner room of the Hotel Agency, a double story brick building situated on the (A) block side (B) original town site of Pine City, Minn.
Peter Engel
In the one story brick building situated on the E. end of lots Four (4) and Five (5) block side (B) original town site of Pine City, Minn.
Chas. Strick
On the first floor of the W. 1/2 of the two story double frame building, situated on lot one (1) and two (2) block Twenty Three (23) original town site of Pine City, Minn.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said Common Council of the Village of Pine City, at the Clerk's Office in the Village Hall in the Village of Pine City, in Pine County, State of Minnesota, on Saturday the 29th day of May, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of Village of Pine City, this 20th day of April 1916.
(Seal) Village Clerk.

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SEVEN STORY ARCADE IN CONNECTION

The Million Dollar Mystery

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

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SYNOPSIS.

Stanley Hargrave, millionaire, after a mysterious escape from the den of the Black Hundred, finds the life of a fugitive for eighteen years. Hargrave one night enters a Broadway restaurant and sees a young man face to face with the gang's leader, Braine.

After the mysterious escape which neither man apparently recognizes the other, Hargrave, Braine and Miss Parlow's intimate home and lays plans for making his escape from the country. He writes a letter to the girls and later, in New Jersey, thirty-eight years before he had mysteriously left the doorstep his baby daughter, Florence Gray.

Braine and members of his band surround Hargrave's home at night, but as they enter the house the watchers outside see a balloon leave the roof. The safe is forced, the movements which Hargrave was known to have driven that day was gone. Then some one announced the balloon had been punctured and dropped into the sea.

Florence Hargrave arrives from the girls' school, Princess Olga, Braine's companion. She claims to be a relative. Two bogus detectives call for Braine and are followed by Norton, a newspaper man.

By holding the captain of the Orient Norton lays a trap for Braine and his crisscross Olga also visits the crisscross captain and she easily falls into the reporter's snare. The plan proves abortive, the movements Braine took and only hinders fall into the hands of the police.

After failing in their first attempt the Black Hundred try Florence. They ask her for money, but she escapes, again falling them.

Norton and the countess call on Florence the next day, once more safe at home. The visitors have gone, Norton removes a section of flooring and from a cavity takes a box. Braine and members of the Black Hundred who have been watching his movements, he rushes to the water front. A thrilling race in motor boats ensues. Jones drops the box into the sea and with his automatic sees fire to the pursuing boat.

CHAPTER VI—Continued.

"Maybe it's just as well you did," said Jones moodily.

"I know this place. The housekeeper used to be my nurse, and if she is still on the job she may be of service to us. You don't think they'll question or recognize me?"

"Hardly. I'll put in a word for you. I'll say I sent for you, not knowing if I had enough servants to take care of the luncheon."

"And now I'll go and hunt up Meg."

"Sure enough, his old nurse was still in charge of the house, and when he saw 'baby' disclosed his identity she all but fell upon his neck.

"But what are you doing here, dressed up as a waiter?"

"It's a little secret, Meg. I wasn't invited, and the truth is I'm very desperately in love with the young lady in whose honor this coaching party is being given. And maybe she's in danger."

"Danger? What about?"

"The Lord only knows. But show me about the house. I've not been here in so long I've forgotten the run-



Florence Was Chatting With the Countess.

"of K. I remember one room with the secret panel and another with a painting that I tried. Have they changed these?"

"No, it is just the same here as it used to be. Come along and I'll show you."

Norton inspected the rooms carefully, staring away in his mind about detail. He might be worrying about nothing, but so many strange things had happened that it was better to be on the side of caution than on the side of carelessness. He left the house and ran across Jones carrying a basket of wine.

"Here, Norton, take this to the party. I want to reconnoiter."

"All right, madam! Jay, Jones, how much do you think I'll earn at this job?"

"Get along with you, Mr. Norton. It may be the time to laugh, and then it may not."

"I'm going back into the house and hide behind a secret panel. I've got my revolver. You go to the station and make up a story as if you were in some trouble. I'll be there in a few minutes. I'll be waiting for you."

"I'll be waiting for you. I'll be waiting for you. I'll be waiting for you."

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"Leave that to me, Mr. Norton," said the boxer with a grin as usual. "Bo off, they are moving back toward the house."

So Norton carried the basket around to the lawn, where it was taken from his hands by the regular servant. He sighed as he saw Florence, laughing and chatting with a man who was a stranger and whom he heard addressed as countess. Some friend of the countess, no doubt. She was with him, and he was with her. He wished he knew. And what a yarn he was going to write some day! It would be read like one of Gabriel's tales. He turned away to wander idly about the grounds, when beyond a clump of cedars he saw three or four men conversing. He got near as he was possible, for when three or four men put their heads together and whisper animatedly, it usually means a poker game or something worse. He caught a phrase or two as it came down the wind, and then he knew that the vague suspicion that had brought him out here had been set in motion by fate. He heard "Florence" and "the old draw."

He scurried about for Jones. It was pure luck that he had had old Meg show him through the house, other wise he would have forgotten all about the secret panel in the wall and the painting reached for a cigarette. There were these men of the countess' party? Norton couldn't say.

Norton made his hiding place in the ally, and by and by he could hear the guests moving about in the room. Then all sounds ceased for a while. A door closed sharply.

"No, here you must stay, young lady," said a man's voice.

"What do you mean, sir?" demanded the beloved voice.

"It means that no one will return to this room and that you will not be missed until it is too late."

The sound of voices stopped abruptly, and something ill-conceivable ensued. Later Norton heard the back of a chair strike the panel and someone sat heavily upon it. He waited five minutes; then he gently slid back the panel and Florence sat bound and gagged under his very eyes. It was but the work of a moment to liberate her.

"It is I, Jim. Do not speak or make the least noise. Follow me."

Greatly astonished, Florence obeyed, and the panel slipped back into place. The room behind the secret panel had barred windows. To Florence it appeared to be a real prison.

"How did you get here?" she asked breathlessly.

"Something told me to follow you. And something is always going to tell me to follow you, Florence."

She pressed his hand. It was to her as if one of those book heroes had stepped out of a book. Book heroes always had tremendous fortunes and did not have to work for a living. Oddly enough, she was not afraid.

"Who was the man?" he asked.

"The Count Norfield. Some one has imposed upon the countess."

"Do you think so?" with a strange look in his eyes.

"What do you mean?"

"Nothing just now. The idea is to get out of here just as quickly as we can. See this painting?" He touched a spot in the wall and the painting slowly swung out like a door. "Come, we make our escape to the side lawn from here."

At the stable they were confronted with the knowledge that Norton's car was out of commission; Jones could do nothing with it. Then Norton suggested that he make an effort to commandeer the limousine of the countess; but there were men about, so the limousine was out of the question.

"Horse!" whispered Jones. "There are several saddle horses, already saddled. How about those people, the owners?"

"Oh, they are beyond reproach. They have doubtless been imposed upon, but let us get aboard first. I'll have to do some explaining, but it will be all right. We won't have to ride out in front where the pickickers are. There's a lane back of the stable, and a slight detour brings us back into the main road."

The three mounted and elated away. To Florence it had the air of a prank. She was beginning to have such a confidence in these two inventive men that she felt as if she was never going to be afraid any more.

When the Countess Olga saw the three horses it was an effort not to throw her people, who presently gave up the limousine while the girls chased in the limousine and laughed with prattled a horse company, who were quite unawary her own girls, and she was being snatched right under their very noses. The countess, under their very noses, she heard her while she sat in the stable. There was a horse which she was going to use. Her plans fall through at the very last moment of consummation, and that moment of consummation, and that moment of consummation, and that moment of consummation.

"Dear duck!" mused the reporter as, after telephoning, he headed for his office. "Queer duck indeed! What a game the wiles were going to be! And this man Jones was playing it like a master. It did not matter that some-

one else laid down the rules; it was the way in which they were interpreted.

Braine heard of the failure. The Black Hundred was finding its stock far below par value. Four valuable men looked up in the Tombs awaiting trial, to say nothing of the seven gunmen galloping in at the old war house. Braine began to suspect that his failures were less due to chance than to calculation, that at last he had considered a mind which would be recognized his fact earlier had it not been that revenge had temporarily blinded him. "The spirit of revenge over makes for mental clarity."

There was a meeting that night of the Black Hundred. Four men were called out, and they drew their chairs up to Vroom's table for instructions.

They were the men who held up bank messengers and got away with thousands. They had learned to swoop down upon their victims as the hawk swoops down upon the honor. The newspapers referred to them as the "sun" and the men took a deal of pride in the favors they had created.

Vroom went over the Hargrave case minutely, he left no detail unexplored. He said frankly the daughter of Stanley Hargrave must be caught and turned over to the care of the Black Hundred. It must be quick action. Four valuable members were in the Tombs. They might or might not weaken under pressure. For the first time in its American career the organization stood facing actual danger.

It was a possible chance that at one face was known to his neighbor. He, Vroom, and the boss alone knew who and what each man was. But the plans, the ramifications of the organization might become public property, and that would mean an end to an exceedingly profitable business.

The daughter of Hargrave rode his way to the country road. He was in a school near by.

"No four will make my own plans."

"If she should be injured?"

"Avoid it if possible."

"We have a free hand?"

"Absolutely."

"We risk a bad fall from her horse if it's a spirited one."

"Fretful breaks in the road," interpolated Braine. "As they approach, draw and order them to dismount. That method will prevent any accident."

"I'll plan it somehow. It looks easy."

"Nothing is easy where that girl is concerned. A thousand eyes seem to be watching her slightest move."

"We aren't leaving anything to chance. How many days will you give us?"

"Seven. A failure, mind you, will prove unhealthy to all concerned," with a menace which made the four stir uneasily.

"The telephone rang, Braine reached for the receiver.

"It's just entered the Hargrave house at the rear. Come at once," was the message.

"In your car outside?" Braine asked.

"We are never without it. Thank me for it. No one will stop us for speeding on a side street."

Fourteen minutes by the clock brought the car to a stand at the curb a few houses below Hargrave's home. The men got out. The watchman ran up.

"He is still inside," he whispered.

"Good. Spread out. If anyone leaves that house, catch him. If he runs too fast, shoot him. We can beat the police."

The man obeyed and the watchman ran back to his post. He was desperately hoping the affair would terminate tonight. He was growing weary of this eternal vigil, but he was only his fear of the man known as the boss that kept him at his post.

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girl had started. It was like falling off a log.

"Susan!" said Florence as she came into the kitchen after her exhilarating ride. "Did you hear pistol shots last night?"

"I heard some noise, but I was so sleepy I didn't try to figure out what it was."

"Did you, Jones?"

"Yes, Miss Florence. The shots came from the street. A policeman came running up later and said he saw two automobiles on the run. But evidently these weren't anybody but. One has to be careful at night now-days. There are pretty bad men abroad. Did you enjoy the ride?"

"Very much. But there were spots of blood on the walk near the corner."

"Blood?" Jones caught the back of a chair to steady himself.

"Yes. So some one was hurt. Oh, let's leave this place!" impulsively. "Yes, Miss Florence. Miss Parlow's. You could find a place in the village, Jones. But if I stay here much longer in this state of unrest I shall lose faith in everything and everybody. Whose is my father's enemies are, they do not lack prevention. They have made two attempts against my liberty, and sooner or later they will succeed. I am thinking over my shoulder all the time. If I hear a noise I jump."

"Miss Florence, if I thought it was, you should be picked off to Miss Parlow's. We might get an hour of the day or night passed without this house being watched. I seldom see anybody about. I can only sense the presence of a watcher. At Miss Parlow's you would be far more like a prisoner than here. I could not accept company you. I am forbidden to desert this house."

"My father's orders?"

"But either one way or the other. He merely gave steady at the rug."

"That blood!" She sprang from her chair, horrified. "It was this! He was here the night, and they shot him!"

"There, then, Miss Florence. The man was only slightly wounded. He's where they never look for him. The Jones continued, as with an effort: "Trust me, Miss Florence. I would not pay to run away. The whole affair would be repeated elsewhere. We might go to the other end of the world, but it would not serve us in the least. It is not a question of escape, but of who shall vanquish the other. There is nothing to do but remain here and fight. We have put four of them in the Tombs, to say nothing of the gunman. That is what we must do—put them in a safe place, one by one, till we reach where they never look for him. We must be as cunning as they may, we breathe in safety. But if they watch, so do we. There is never a moment when help is not within reach, no matter where they may be. If you do not deceive me, no real harm shall befall you. Don't cry. Be your father's daughter, as I am his servant."

"I am very unhappy!" And Florence had her head upon her friend's shoulder.

"Poor child!" Susan, however, recognized the wisdom of Jones' statements. They were safer here.

The morning ride continued. To the girl, who loved the open, it was glorious fun. Those mad gallops along the roads, the smell of earth and sea, the tangle in the blood, were the second best moments of her day. The first? She invariably blushed when she considered what these first best moments were. He was a brave young man, good looking, quick witted, and always cheerful. Why shouldn't she like him? Even Jones liked him—Jones, who didn't seem to like anybody. It was a matter whether he was wise or not; a worldly point of view was farthest from her youthful thoughts. It was her own affair; her own heart.

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Beroun Items.

Wm. Fisher was a county seat caller, Friday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. V. Vacinek last week.

G. Gridentrop visited a few days with his friend A. Osborne.

Andrew Ness was a south bound passenger to Minneapolis, Tuesday.

Henry Stephan and Martin Nelson were St. Paul visitors over Sunday.

Guest Strohkirch attended the Studt-Grote wedding at Rush City last week.

The dance Saturday was attended by a large crowd, a few attending from Pine City.

Mrs. J. Moticka and daughter Frances and Mrs. Tone of Pine City visited in town Saturday.

Miss Emma Pulkrabek departed for St. Paul, Monday, where he expects to spend the summer.

School closed here Tuesday with a picnic. Miss Luey Kunesch will leave for her home in Pine City today, after an eight months term.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hanscome and Mr. and Mrs. A. Strohkirch and V. Larson autoed to Grasston, Sunday afternoon, returning in the evening.

Greeley Items

School closes Friday, May 14, for the summer vacation.

Otto Grote entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday.

Miss Sylvia Sybrant entertained a May party Sunday evening.

Henry Studt transacted business in Mora, Friday and Saturday.

Henry Mohr of Pine City visited at the Otto Grote home Sunday.

Miss Alma Nelson entertained a May party at her home Friday evening.

Miss Emma Studt and George Studt returned home Thursday from Rush Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lundberg of Milaca arrived at the E. Colin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Rohlf and son Harley visited with the Hans Rohlf family Sunday.

Miss Bertha Mohr, of Pine City, arrived Sunday at the Otto Grote home to be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis and daughter Elenore visited at the E. Colin home Sunday.

Jno. Bergquist left for Minneapolis last week where he is now employed in a creamery.

Wm. Studt entertained friends at the home of his father, Henry Studt, Friday evening.

Miss Minnie Hoeffert arrived Wednesday from St. Paul to attend the Studt-Grote wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindgren attended the Dahlen-Carlson wedding, Thursday last, at West Rock.

Eric Colin left for Minneapolis, Monday. Harry Polin is assisting at the creamery in the meantime.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scheele and Mr. and Mrs. Studt of Rush Lake visited at the H. Studt home Friday evening.

The marriage of Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr to Fred Wahlberg will take place Friday, May 14, at Rush City.

Fred Strelow attended a birthday party at the Stahnke home in Dane-wood, Sunday. Mrs. Strelow visited at the Alb. Strelow home.

Miss Martha Danger returned to St. Paul Thursday after visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. Colin and attending the Studt-Grote wedding.

Miss Sylvia Sybrant returned Sunday to the home of her sister Mrs. L. Rohlf after spending several weeks with her parents at Ahoose Creek.

Those in attendance at the Studt-Grote wedding at Rush Lake were the Henry Studt, Henry Grote, Ott. Grove, Fred Leubman and Eric Colin families.

Christ Rohlf, of Heywood, Wis., returned to his home Thursday, after spending a few days with his

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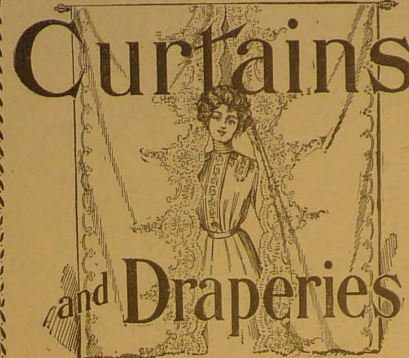
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nephew, H. Studt and attending the Studt Grote wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gutchow and son of White Bear arrived Tuesday to attend the Studt-Grote wedding, the former returned to his home Thursday and the latter returned Sunday, after visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boeck.

Meadow Lawn.

We are sorry to report that Frude Belle is very sick with typh-

oid fever. We all hope that he will be better soon.

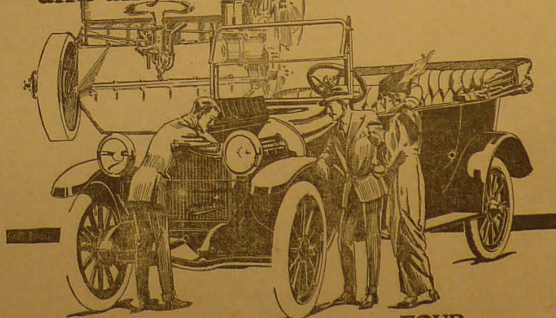
Everybody is busy getting in their corn and potatoes this week.

Information was received that the Chengwatana farmers club is a thing of the past, as at the last meeting held at Frank Williams', Saturday afternoon, the President resigned also several other members of the club stepped out when a petition was read which was gotten up by the young folks in regard to playing games. They are talking

of reorganizing.

Twelve of our citizens went down to Harris, Saturday, to visit the Oak Leaf orange that evening. They were entertained very nicely until 4 o'clock Sunday when they were taken to the station in automobiles in time to catch the limited. Messrs. John MacAdam, Wm. Lahart, Henry Stephan, Walter Purdy and Martin Nelson and Messames, Jno. MacAdam Steve Smith L. Madison and Misses Gertrude Holler, Mattie Lahart, Alice Groskopp and Nettie Purdy were in the party.

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