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F. A. H. J. President. P. W. McAlLEN, Vice-Pres. JAMES D. BOYLE, Cashier.

## FIRST STATE BANK PINE COUNTY.

(INCORPORATED)

Commercial Banking in all its Branches.

Insurance written in Reliable Companies.  
Drafts on domestic points sold cheaper than express or postoffice money orders.  
Drafts on Europe sold. Land Bought and sold.

Taxes Paid for Non-Residents.  
PINE CITY, MINNESOTA.

### OLD BOARD'S ACTION INDOORSD.

Resolutions Offered by Ives and Passed by His Fellow Commissioners to Purchase the Dean Farm at Hinckley, to be Used as a County Poor Farm. Windy Contentment Settled.

Last Monday afternoon by a vote of three to one the county commissioners decided that the M. C. Dean farm near Hinckley be purchased and used as a poor farm for Pine County. Commissioner Ives of this Dist. introduced a motion to the effect that the present Board act in accordance with the action taken and the good judgment shown by the preceding Board of Commissioners who selected the same farm during a session on May the 26th, 1904. The only other farm reported favorable at that time was the Patrick property another piece of land, near Hinckley, and the vote on that occasion stood three to two for the Dean property.

The motion made by Mr. Ives was seconded by Com. Johnson, and after being put to a vote, resulted as follows: Ayes—Ives, Johnson, Westcott; nays—Parish. Chairman Clough did not vote.

The property selected is a fine piece of land, with good buildings upon the same and an elegant stream of spring water coursing within its borders. The land has been pretty thoroughly cultivated, but has a goodly amount of timber which can be utilized as best seen fit by the overseer, who should be wisely selected by the Commissioners.

\$8,400 is the price that the Board has contracted to pay for the farm. The latter consists of 250 acres and therefore Mr. Dean will realize a cash compensation of \$30.00 per acre therefrom.

Steps will very likely be taken very soon toward the selection of a county farmer and overseer, etc., and indeed this matter of business cannot be transacted any too soon for the spring work of preparing a crop is fast approaching.

So thus ends a contention that has been fought ever since election time last fall, the principal reason given by the opponents of the poor farm being that the selection made by the commissioners was bad, that the large tract of land represented was excessive. As is generally the case in all rights of a title nature two factions are generally the controlling agitators and one faction is bound to win and the winning side generally represents the right.

Whether the selection made is a good one remains to be seen, but we as a public newspaper, representing the rights of the people and doing all in our best judgment to assist what we think to be right, have always concluded that a large improved farm is superior for the county as a poor farm than a small unimproved tract of land, which one of our esteemed contemporaries thought would be best. For our diligence in working up some of the agitation and because the Pioneer contained several lengthy articles written by the editor, please, we were made the target for a number of innocent shots from other county papers insinuating that this combination of ink and paper was a wool pulling, and that we were said anything, unless personally notified. And also that some "silly" writer sat on the

Pioneer staff—who was terribly interested was chucking the goose quill for the benefit of the money lenders of Pine City and in turn was inserting the results of the chucking into these columns to be mentally devoured by the unwieldy lambs. In fact, our carcass was, seemingly, cut, dried and smoked and our ashes tossed to the four winds. We, in turn, offset all of these "deadly" attacks and bombastical assertions with arguments straight from the shoulder and from sources known to be conservative and right. Now, we hope that those papers and individuals that have been so much in disfavor of the present selection will come in out of the wet, and in the words of Hon. J. Adam Bede, "love one another and love us, and stop sitting up nights hating each other." "Cut, cut, kedeckit."

### Council Proceeding.

Pine City, Minn.  
March 6th 1905.  
The Common Council of this village met at the recorder's office at 8 o'clock p. m. The meeting was called to order by the President. Members present, P. E. Smith, Pres; P. J. Rybak, C. H. Laing, councilmen; E. Poferi, recorder. The minutes of the meeting of Feb. 6th were read and on motion were approved. The following claims against this village were audited and on motion allowed paid and the recorder was instructed to issue orders for the several specified amount, to wit:

Pine City Milling & Etc. Co. Lights Feb.	\$700.00
1230 lbs coal	41.25
P. A. Johnson, Care of Engines, Feb.	5.00
John Griffith, Mareha Feb.	20.00
E. W. Laing, light well pump	12.00
E. Poferi, recorder's salary, Feb.	10.00
L. Poferi, Justice fees	2.00
P. E. Smith, Mide	14.25
Waterless Engine Works, Mide	20.00

The president appointed A. Carlson and James Karas as Judges of the village election and C. H. Laing, P. J. Rybak and E. Poferi as the board of audit.

Complaint being made about the present dumping ground, the recorder was instructed to see M. E. Wegscheider about getting his consent to have said dumping grounds removed onto his place.

No further business appearing council on motion adjourned.  
E. Poferi, Recorder.

### Meadow Lawn.

Mrs. May Purdy has been quite ill, but is slowly improving.

John McAdam and family visited relatives at Pine City Tuesday.

Nels Edridge and Charley Dilo were Pine City callers Wednesday.

Orin Snodgrass is the lucky man to draw the shot gun at the Guyman dance.

One Level has moved onto the place which he just purchased of M. E. Edridge, of Minneapolis.

Mr. Guyman gave a dance Tuesday night to a large crowd. All report having had a fine time.

Schuyler Kligens is moving back to Pine City. Schuyler don't like farming as there is not work enough for him.

By the Town Route.  
The pills that act as a tonic, and not as a drastic purge, are Dr. Williams' Little Family Pills. They cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, etc. Early Bowls are small, easy to take and easy to get a safe dose. Made in Hamilton, Mass., at Valley City, N. D. says "I've been cured of chronic constipation." Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

### "FARE THEE WELL."

Reception Tendered Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Albrecht by the K. of P. Lodge. A Social Success.

One of those delightful parties for which the local order of the K. of P. lodge is noted occurred Tuesday evening in Castle Hall. The party was tendered as a farewell reception to ex-county treasurer G. J. Albrecht and wife. Nearly two hundred Pine Cityites were present, making it one of the most largely attended affairs of the kind ever held in this place, and showed the tributes of esteem which Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht's neighbors were wont to give to them.

An elegant program of musical numbers, readings and speeches, was opened by Chairman of the evening, R. P. Allen, when he introduced the following:  
Instrumental Duett—"Turco in Italia"..... Agnes Hurley and L. H. Claggett  
Solo—"A Dream"..... Nilsen Nielsen  
Speech..... P. E. Smith  
Reading—"Both Sides of the Story"..... C. Kahler Bigler  
Story of Damon and Pythias..... D. Greeley  
Reading—"An Old Sweetheart of Mine"..... Kate Barrum  
Solo—"Blue Bells"..... Essie Lambert  
Speech..... J. Y. Breckenridge  
Response..... G. J. Albrecht  
Solo—"My Last Farewell"..... Arthur Olson

After the speech by Mr. Breckenridge, which was a pathetic appeal for eye leaking and a conglomerated string of wit and humor in which he, on behalf of the Order, bade the guests of honor a fond, sad, and still, humorous adieu. Mr. Albrecht was called for a responsive speech, which was not on the program and for which our ex-county treasurer was not prepared. Nevertheless he made a good impression by a few well chosen remarks, which were concluded by a statement to the effect that his wife was better qualified and more capable than he of speaking at such a gathering. Mrs. Albrecht was thereupon called for a speech, but as she adheres strictly to parliamentary rules and as the call was not seconded, she refrained from responding.

After the program cards and other games were played, and little social gatherings of those who cared only to be conversant were seated about in groups. Every person present seemed happy, and the K. P.s. proved themselves royal hosts. A mid-night luncheon of light refreshments was served after which the majority of those present sought their path homeward thoroughly satisfied with their evening's entertainment.

### Died at an Advanced Age.

One of the very old residents of Pine county, Mrs. Anna Rundell, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. W. Purdy, at Meadow Lawn last Friday. She lived to the ripe old age of 84 years, 4 months and 23 days, and the direct cause of her death was dropsy of the heart.

Mrs. Anna Rundell was born in Washington county, Penn., July 31st, 1820. She was married to Daniel Hess, Jan. 15th, 1839, in Rappahannock county, Ind. Eight children were born to them, four boys and four girls, of whom three still survive. They moved from Indiana to Dane, Wis., and from there to Fairbault county, this state, and thence to Moody county, S. Dak. in 1881. While there her husband died.

She resided in Dakota seventeen years, and was married to Mr. Rindell of Spring Valley, Minn. In 1898 she moved to Pine county and resided with her daughter, Mrs. Purdy, 12 miles east of this place in Meadow Lawn, up to the time of her death. Two of her grandchildren, Mrs. H. Hain and Mrs. Alice Barnes, of Aurora, S. Dak., arrived here two days before her demise.

The funeral services were held at Meadow Lawn school house and were conducted by Rev. Herbert Parson.

### WILL REMODEL FOR HOTEL.

The Hurley Block Will be Converted into Modern, Up-to-Date Hotel. Addition to be Built.

A large new brick hotel is now assured for Pine City right in the business center of town. It was so decided Wednesday, when plans for the building arrived.

Geo. Reiss, the St. Paul contractor and builder, was in town Saturday last and looked over the Hurley block and has perfected plans for remodeling the same into a first-class, up-to-date hotel.

That portion of the building now used as a saloon will be remodeled into a hotel lobby, and the harness shop section will be used as a dining room. The building will be extended back to within eight feet of the Voltaire butcher shop which will allow for an eight-foot alleyway. Between the lobby at the front of the building and the buffet which will be in the extreme rear, a sample room and reading and writing rooms will be installed, and a hallway will extend from the lobby to the buffet.

Between the dining room and kitchen a silver and crockery room will be installed, and a store room will occupy the northwest corner room of the hotel. It is intended to build two approaches to the main stairway leading to the upstairs apartments, one from the lobby and the other from the dining room. And this will be in connection with the outside entrance. The plans allow for twenty-five sleeping apartments, all on the second floor. Each room will contain a closet. A bath and toilet room is also designed to occupy space on the second floor, and a large parlor will be located in the northeast corner room.

Take it all in all the hotel will be one of the best hotels along the "line."

Mr. Hurley has made arrangements to have his harness shop removed to the Smith building as soon as the latter is ready for occupancy, and which is to be built between the Pipe furniture store and Pennington's property.

### Local Carriers Exposed.

A Fatal Disease Raging Among the Rural Carriers Throughout the Land.

The Rural Free Delivery News has the following regarding a disease afflicting rural carriers:

"According to reports a horrible disease is raging among rural carriers in some parts of the country. Among medical men it is known as penicilliosis or lockjaw or locking of the jaw. It is now known to be caused by thoughtless patrons placing pennies in mail boxes for postage.

"The symptoms are as follows: First the victim is seen to have a fixed penetrating gaze, the thumb and forefingers begin to lengthen and the tongue will protrude. But owing to the fearful strain of looking and feeling for coppers the continued locking of stamps, the disease rapidly develops and the last stage is soon reached, when all that is visible of the carrier is two eyes, large as saucers thumbs and forefingers many times their natural length, and a tongue of which anteaete might be proud. The only way of knowing they are carriers is by their language which is peculiar though rich and interesting form of speech adorned by many on finding unstamped letters in the box. The only cure for the plague known is for the rural patrons to stamp their letters during the winter."

Surly is a simple remedy which can be applied with the greatest ease.

### Horses for Sale at the Lambert Barn

Great bargains in horses. Come and look over the stock. Have a team of good drivers that will be sold cheap.

### WOMEN FAINT IN CRUSH TO SECURE BARGAINS

AT THE OPENING OF THE TEN-CENT COUNTER AT BRECKENRIDGE'S PHARMACY IN THIS CITY.

WHAT approached almost the dimensions of a riot in which a number of women were crushed following the opening of the 10c Window and Counter at the Drug Store last Saturday morning. Women fainted in the crowd that tried to get into the place. It was rumored at one time that several persons had been killed in the crush but it later developed that no one was seriously hurt. The cause of the trouble was the offering of unusual bargains which appealed to women and could not be duplicated in the city for five times what was asked for them. Watch the Future Sales. Every Saturday now will be Bargain Day. Something new every Bargain Day that you can't get any other time. Remember the days and place.

### Flour, Feed, Seeds.

We carry a full line of these, and we positively guarantee our GOLDEN LINK FLOUR to be first-class, and will please the hard to please, and we can at all times fill your orders for Feed and Seeds. Our motto on seeds is: The best is the cheapest.

COAL! COAL! COAL! COAL!  
We carry a stock of hard and soft Coal, and are prepared to fill all orders for same.

We want your LIVE STOCK and PRODUCE of all Kinds.

The Farmers Exchange, J. J. MADDEN

### LUMBER.

If you want to buy Lumber, Lath, Shingles, or anything in the building line, let us figure with you. Our Stock is complete and our prices attractive.

P. W. McAlLEN, PINE CITY.

### THROUGH GOOD FLOUR.

Through good flour like our Pride of Pine City, Golden Key or Butter Cup

brand, good bread is an assured fact. Indeed, it is almost impossible to make bad bread with it, for it is so pure, wholesome and nutritious that the bread can't help being the kind that satisfies the palate and benefits the entire system.

Today is the best time to try it.

PINE CITY MILLING & BLEC. CO.







PINE COUNTY PIONEER.

ED. C. GOTTRY, Editor and Prop.

Entered in the Post Office at Pine City as Second Class Matter.

PINE CITY, MINN., Mar. 10, 1905.

Bro. Hay has at last discovered that Sandstone captured a medal for strawberries at the World's Fair...

You'll have to knock harder than that to wake us up, don't you think so? Why, my dear Hineckley brother, we've been boosting this county for the past twenty years...

A newspaper man of this town who tells all day Saturday and until late Sunday morning, and who lives a comfortable distance from town...

Don't borrow newspapers. Buy them. Oh, how cheap! But, how worth! This one wholds a newspaper may want it just when the borrower has got it.

Postpone the church services on Easter Sunday to some time during the afternoon. The ladies will then have more of an opportunity to show what the milliner and their worst half's pocket book did for the floral display.

We are thinking strongly of going to Sandstone next season to get some of the deliciously advertised strawberries grown there.

The Western Publisher is full of useful knowledge and other good things. Among the latter is 'The Japanese advance in advertising in all things. Here is an illustration.

Attention cannot be admitted by many that patent medicines are the most pleasant stuffs under the sun when taken internally...

Evergreen. We are not all dead in Evergreen yet, on the contrary, every thing is booming.

The young people of Evergreen met at the home of Miss Liza Oleson's Friday night and enjoyed dancing till a late hour.

A meeting will be held at Danforth's March 14 for the purpose of raising money to build roads in Evergreen.

Random Selections from our Cabinet And Other Thoughts.

We counted two bonfires this week.

Have you mentioned the thermometer this week?

Less conceit and more brains would do many an upstart a world of good.

The annual village and town election office coxers will soon be around to get up a surprise party ticket.

It is almost possible to see the peep of spring upon the lawn, and the peep of spring in the henery is about due.

Old Jupiter Pluvius gave us our first installment of riving water, direct from above Wednesday night. (Thanks awfully!)

Strike and hurt a man on some tender spot and chances are he'll keep quiet and not let the knocker know about his weakness.

Wanted—A Commercial club with some real live members, not afraid of hard work. Also a water works and sewer system. Inquire at Pine City.

The members of the Pine City I. O. P. lodge seem to have an extra sense stored away and use it when ever they entertain in their hall.

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Geo. Hiller will move his family to his home here this week. Gladys's Cillies has been sick for a few days but is recovering.

APPREHENSION.

A Story That is Now Going the Rounds in Army and Navy Circles in Manila.

A veteran of the Mindanao campaign, says the Manila Volcano, was telling the other evening at the Army and Navy club to a lieutenant recently from the states, young in years and young in commission, of the curious animals to be found in that island.

"One of the strangest creatures I saw there," said he, "was what we called the 'red devil.' It was the identical part of the red devil pictured on a well-known brand of devilled ham, only it had no fork to its tail. It was in color a brilliant red.

"What was the matter?" asked the young lieutenant, solicitously, after a painful pause.

"Apprehension," ironically answered the veteran in answering voice.

"Apprehension! Pray, for what?" "Apprehension that it might receive civil promotion."

TAKEN FOR A DEAD MAN.

Predicament of a Tired Reporter Who Overlays—Then He Becomes Very Much Alive.

A newspaper man of this town who tells all day Saturday and until late Sunday morning, and who lives a comfortable distance from town, felt too tired Sunday morning to take the long journey home and went to a prominent hotel, say the Wheeling intelligence.

"I tell you," said an agitated voice, "I tried four times to awaken him and he never answered. I tell you I believe the man's dead and we had better break in the door."

Try—Dr. Hess Stock Food, Poultry Panacea and Instant Lungs Killer. The best preparations on the market for horses, cattle, hogs and poultry.

Order for Creditors to Present Claims—No Debts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, In Probate Court of Pine County of Pine.

In the Matter of the Estate of George L. Parlin, Deceased.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of George L. Parlin, deceased, last of the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, being granted to E. J. Parlin.

It is Ordered, that the 30th day of June 1905, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at a general term of said Probate Court to be held at the Court House in the Village of Pine City in said County of Pine and State of Minnesota, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will, in and to the said Court, receive and determine all claims and debts against and due to the said estate.

Robert Wilson, Judge of Probate.

Mar. 10, 1905.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, In Probate Court of Pine County of Pine.

In the Matter of the estate of Frank Augusta, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue and in pursuance of an order by the Probate Court of Pine County, in the matter of the above entitled matter for the purpose of selling the real estate of the said deceased, the undersigned administrator of said estate, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in and to the Court House in the Village of Pine City in said County of Pine and State of Minnesota, did sell to the following named parties the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast (N.E. 1/4) Quarter of the Section 12, Township 35 North, Range 10 West, and the Southeast (S.E. 1/4) Quarter of the Section 12, Township 35 North, Range 10 West.

Terms of sale will be cash.

Dated March 10, 1905.

FLORIAN H. EWING, Administrator.

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, In Probate Court of Pine County of Pine.

Special Term, February 10th, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Irene Winblad, Deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Irene Winblad, deceased, named said County of Pine, was submitted to the Probate Court.

And whereas, John Kolomo has filed therein a petition for the appointment of an administrator of said estate, and the said Court has appointed said John Kolomo as administrator of said estate.

It is ordered, that the proof of said instrument be taken on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in and to the Court House in the Village of Pine City in said County of Pine and State of Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, District Court, County of Pine, First Judicial District.

By the Court, ROBERT WILCOX, Judge of Probate.

MAILED, Feb. 17, Mar. 2.

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You and each of you are hereby summoned to answer the complaint of the Plaintiff herein, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court in Pine City, County of Pine, State of Minnesota, and to file your answer to said complaint at the office of the undersigned at the office named above on or before the 15th day of March, 1905.

F. V. COMFORT, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

Dated at Stillwater, Minnesota, a December 25th, A. D. 1904.

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Wire and Nails. A GOOD TIME to buy wire and nails is in the spring of the year. They always advance in price when the building season opens. We have a carload of each and the price is low. Better buy them NOW.

Smith, The Hardware Man

Hardware and Jewelry. We have the Goods and the prices are the lowest of the low. Call and inspect our goods and get our prices and you'll be convinced.

D. GREEBLEY Dealer in Hardware, Jewelry and Furniture. We still have a few Real Bargains in Furniture. Marked down below cost. Ask to see them.



# DESPERATE STRUGGLE TO ESCAPE THE LAW

## FIGHT OF JOHN F. GAYNOR AND BENJAMIN D. GREENE TO PREVENT EX-TRADITION FROM CANADA.

### EXILE IS SPENT IN LUXURY.

Exciting Incidents Have Marked Careers of Two Americans Charged with Defrauding Government of Millions of Dollars.

Decision of British Privy Council Makes Return of Fugitives Possible—Story of Case That Has Attracted International Attention.

Quebec.—As the result of the recent decision of the British privy council, two fugitives from American justice will probably soon be taken to the United States to stand trial for their serious offense against the law.

Years ago, before extradition treaties had been arranged with European countries, the Canadian dominion or the South and Central American republics. It was a common practice of American criminals to seek refuge outside the borders of the "States." Canada, being easy of access, was a favorite harbor for embezzlers and defrauders, and many there defied the efforts of justice to bring them to trial.

Even after agreements had been effected with most of the countries, men who had decamped with considerable sums preferred taking their chances with the extradition laws and with government officials whose decisions they could often influence with their ill-gotten wealth, rather than remain at home where certain punishment awaited them.

**Brief History of Case.**

The decision of King Edward's jurists was made in connection with a case that has attracted international attention, that of John F. Gaynor and Benjamin D. Greene, who, together with

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gained his freedom, he is more tactful than ever.

**How Government Was Fleeced.**

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**Kidnaped by Detectives.**

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# SPORTS AND ATHLETICS

Barney Oldfield, the daring young automobile champion, recently announced a match with W. Gordon Brainerd, of New York, for a race for \$1,000 a side. The contest will take place in May or June. A professional chauffeur will probably drive Gordon's machine. The first set of races will be run over an eastern track, with Oldfield having the choice of tracks at Cicero, Cleveland or Detroit for the return engagement. The big race will race five-mile heats, best two in three, from a starting start, starting from the opposite side of the track. Oldfield is renowned for his nerve and daring, and is perhaps the greatest single-handed driving car. His records have started the automobile world. Piloting the modern juggernauts with a headstrong hand, and asserting his control of distance and pace, around the treacherous turns of a circular track is apparently an easy task for the champion. Only twice last season were his daring drives interrupted by accidents. In St. Louis, during the ten-mile contest for the world's fair trophy, the dust and loose dirt thrown up by a competitor blinded him for a second, and while he was trying hard to open his eyes, his goggles having been crushed, he fell with broken glass and dirt, the Great Dragon plowed its way through the fence, killing two persons and injuring 20. Barney was horribly crushed and had his bones broken. For a period of ten weeks he was in the hospital, and announced his retirement from the profession he had learned for so long. Only the sporting stories to the effect that he had lost his nerve caused him to return to the game, and he wound up the season with a bad accident at San Bernardino, Cal., at establishing new world's records for circular tracks from one to fifty miles at Los Angeles. Barney Oldfield holds every automobile record on the slate, beginning with the mile at 53 seconds and ending with the 50 miles in 48:56. These records were all made on a circular track, and while the official record is placed at 32 seconds, Barney has driven a mile in 32.45. He expects to place the straightaway mile on the Florida track to 20 seconds, and as the present mark is 32.45 seconds, it seems that his prediction of a "two-miles-a-minute" car is coming true. Oldfield, who was formerly champion bicycle rider, declares he fully realizes the dangers of his hazardous occupation and says he will soon retire. In a recent interview he said he cared nothing for the records he holds or the applause of the crowd, and is in the business solely for the money he gets for his work.



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Jack Taylor has been acquitted of the charges of dishonesty made against him by National league officials. Taylor was found guilty, fined \$400, and he will not be allowed to play ball until the fine is paid. Taylor was charged with throwing a game last summer at the game between the St. Louis and Pittsburgh teams. The Jack Taylor three members of the team, Hermann, Soden and Pulliam, who tried the case, were unanimous in their verdict. Before the present controversy over Taylor the St. Louis and Pittsburgh teams probably will be brought in behalf of the player by his attorney, John M. Ward, against the persons who have been instrumental in having discredited the charges of crookedness against him.

Charles F. Conklin, of Chicago, won the national amateur billiard championship of America in his recent tournament in the "Windy City."

Donovan, one of the greatest racers that ever looked through a bridle is dead. He was destroyed a few days ago, as he ran against a tree and fractured his skull. Donovan's turf career only covered two seasons, but during that short period he won 15 out of 22 races, and his total winnings amounted to \$75,885, or about \$10,000 less than Lexington, whose high-water mark yet stands.

A. F. Duffy, the American runner, made his first appearance in the Australian athletics at Melbourne, Victoria, the other day. He finished second in both events in which he competed. In the 100 yards championship race he was defeated on the tape by Mueller of Bendigo in the slow time of 1:02.5. Morgan of Melbourne, with five yards' start, beat the American, who ran from scratch, in the 100-yard handicap. The time in the latter race was 1:07.3.

**Last.**

The British had the best bound their prisoners to the cannon's mouth. "No," said the victims; "we don't think it is in the least dangerous to be the man behind the gun."

Owing, however, to the demerit of the English, the point passed unopposed.—N. Y. Sun.

**Provoked Beyond Endurance.**

Police Justice—Prisoner, you are charged with kicking your wife in the stomach, hitting her ear off and knocking out two front teeth. What had she done to provoke such a brutal assault? The Prisoner—She said I wasn't no gentleman.—Cleveland Leader.



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Capt. Oberlin M. Carter, were indicted in Savannah, Ga., December 8, 1889, charged with embezzlement and defrauding the United States government in the performance of government contracts for the improvement of the Savannah river and harbor and harbor work in that district, the illicit profits being estimated at \$2,000,000.

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Efforts to extradite Gaynor and Greene from Montreal were progressing favorably and the extradition commission was sitting in Montreal when Gaynor and Greene went to Quebec. A question arose as to whether they could be brought back and detectives kidnaped them and took them to Montreal. There was a big legal fight over this action and a Quebec judge issued a writ of habeas corpus which was served on the jailer at Montreal, who delivered up the prisoners without notification to the extradition tribunal and permitted them to be rushed back to Quebec. Efforts to quash the writ of habeas corpus under which they had been returned were denied by Justice Caron.

After a long legal controversy Gaynor and Greene obtained their liberty within the limits of the province of Quebec. The United States government then appealed to the privy council of England, the highest court in that country.

According to the decision the American government can now continue its work of securing the extradition of Gaynor and Greene. The whole question of their return to the United States is now in the hands of the Canadian extradition commission at Montreal. Judge Caron, of Quebec, set the two men at liberty on the ground that the extradi-

tion treaty did not cover the charge made against them, which was conspiracy to embezzle. The privy council has decided that Judge Caron had no right to interfere, and that the crime for which the two Americans were indicted comes within the terms of the treaty.

**Woman Causes a Quarrel.**

During their five years' residence in the Dominion these two fugitives, although living in luxury, were socially ostracized. For a long time after they fled to Quebec the exiles lived in a sumptuous style at the Chateau Frontenac, where their lavish expenditures amused and sometimes awed the simple people of that city. They were together every day, but they had a quarrel and separated. For months they were not on speaking terms. It was this estrangement that led them to abandon their palatial quarters and take up separate private residences.

It is said that there was a woman in the case, and that Greene leased a house in the outskirts of the city in the name of Gaynor, which fact, when he discovered it, was bitterly resented by Gaynor for domestic reasons. Gaynor declared to his companions in the barroom of the Chateau Frontenac that Greene was ungrateful and that he would not have a coat to his back were it not for him and his wife.

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How would you like to read the above headlines in your paper next October. If you knew the above to be true would you not do a great many things which you will not do on account of the uncertainty connected with the raising of a crop?

No doubt you will say it all depends on the weather for a good crop and on the war continuing in the far East for good prices, but this is not true in either case.

A merchant may have a large stock of the very best of goods, but if he does not open his store with regularity, use his trade right and let the people who buy know he is doing these things he will never be successful. In other words, if he wants the business he has to go after it.

A farmer may have the best land in the state, the weather may be the most favorable, but if he doesn't plant GOOD seeds and give his CROPS his attention he will not get an abundant yield or the best quality. Any farmer who will plant poor or dirty seed on his valuable land is not entitled to a good crop and

should not expect it. There is a certain amount of speculation in every line and the farmer has his share. Of course the results depend a great deal upon the system employed and how it is carried out, but it is a matter of chance to a great extent.

The one thing a farmer can do is to plant good clean seed. This kind of seed can be bought at the seed store which is located in the Rybak block, Pine City, Minn., and owned by the Pine City Milling & Electric Co. They have men whose daily work is to handle grain of every kind. These men select the seed grain that is offered, and you can feel assured that it is the best that can be bought.

You will be well repaid by a visit to this store as the line of seeds exhibited is without doubt the largest and finest this side of the twin cities.

The fact that you do not live close to Pine City does not prevent you from buying at this store as your mail order will have the same careful attention that you yourself would get were you here. Shipment will be made the same day order is received. A postal card addressed to them will bring a complete price list. Allen's Flour, Feed and Seed Store.

### TO RAISE RATTLESNAKES.

New York Will Establish Ranch and Grow Serpents for the Restaurant Market.

Buffalo, N. Y.—A farm of 200 acres near Niagara gorge has been purchased by Perry H. Hunt, of New York city, who declares his intention to establish a rattlesnake ranch and raise to supply for the New York restaurant market. Mr. Hunt said that there was a growing demand in New York restaurants for the flesh of the rattlesnake.

"It has been served in a few places for some two years," he said, "and the increasing demand justifies me in making this venture. Naturally, the supply is limited and the prices are high, and for a time at least I hope to make some money. My plan is to raise as many of the snakes as possible from their hiding places by decoys of live rabbits. These I shall confine in pens, and reserving some of the finer specimens, will fatten the remainder and breed as fast as possible. I will feed them on rabbits mostly, although the menu will be varied by occasional frogs and chickens. I hope to 'harvest' not less than 5,000 rattlers the first year, and I will begin operations as soon as the rattlesnakes make their appearance in the spring."

The locality of the "farm" is ideal for its purposes. From time immemorial the vicinity of the Niagara gorge and Whitpool has been the haunt of the North American rattlesnake, the largest of its kind. The guides point out a rattlesnake cave, a rattlesnake den, and the famous Devil's Hole and Foster's Flats have long been avoided by local visitors and tourists, as they are infested with great numbers of these creatures.

In the gorge, the loose, rocky formations and the large areas accessible to man but the most adventurous and intrepid geological and botanical explorers, are peculiarly suitable to the habits of this snake.

The rattlesnakes are good navigators, and cross and recross the river near its widest rapids.

Mr. Hunt says the flesh of a rattlesnake is not unlike that of a roast sucking pig, white and exceedingly palatable.

### REVIVE MYSTERY PLAYS.

Benedictine Monks Reproduce Bible Stories at Famous Monastery in Germany.

Berlin—An interesting attempt has been made at the famous Benedictine monastery of the Maria-Laach to revive the medieval mystery plays. The magnificent church was crowded with sightseers. The altar was screened by a thick curtain, which was drawn when the abbot and confraternity took their seats in the choir. Thereupon a host of angels, all clad in white, appeared, among them being the Archangel Michael and Lucifer. Suddenly the altar was illuminated and the manager of Bethlehem was disclosed. Michael and the good angels kneel in adoration, but Lucifer turns his back in contempt. As he does so his white robe falls to the ground and he is revealed in all his blackness. He is then driven away and Michael takes Lucifer's white robe and presents it before the altar.

The second scene represented the temptation of Adam by the serpent. Lucifer appears again, bearing the serpent all decked with flowers, which fall from his scaly neck. While this scene is being enacted before the altar the choir sings words in Latin illustrating the proceedings. A procession was then formed and the vast congregation sank on its knees as the abbot and his monks carried an elaborately decorated image of the virgin to the altar. The abbot's benediction closed this singular revival of a medieval custom which is said to have had a profoundly emotional influence on those who witnessed it.

### NEW DELICACY FOR TABLE.

Hybrid Buffalo the Latest Thing in England—Compare Between Bison and Beef.

London—The latest delicacy to tempt the appetites of British epicures is a compromise between buffalo meat and beef.

A couple of two-year-old buffaloes, the result of crosses between a bison and a North American bison and Highland cattle, were sold at Newcastle cattle market the other day. They had been bred by Mr. Leyland, of Hagenstein castle, Northumberland, who has been engaged for several years in experimenting in this direction.

The animals were exactly like their North American cousins in appearance, except that they were stronger and thicker in the hind-quarters. They had been reared and fed as wild cattle, so great difficulty was experienced in conveying them to market.

Although they were accommodated in special boxes their fury was so great that one broke its neck on the journey, and the other had to be shot in the market.

The beef, it is said, will be found of a richer quality than that obtained from a buffalo, and if kept for a month or so, more palatable than that of an ordinary buffalo.

### River Steamer A Store.

A German tradesman has converted a Thine steamer into a department store, and is visiting towns along the river with a diverse stock of goods. Now a freight company is being formed to take a train of giant automobiles through France, each machine being devoted to a special department, like a store.

Out of the Ordinary. A Chicago woman left her husband because he was not gay enough for her. That is better than the usual Chicago custom of getting too gay.



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### A Safe Cough Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

It taken this month, keeps you well all summer. It makes the little ones eat, sleep and grow. A spring tonic for the whole family. Hillier's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. L. E. Breckenridge

### Pineapple for Consumption.

It has long been known by the natives of South America that the juice of the fruit of the ripe pineapple being of such antiseptic qualities, will thoroughly destroy the germs of cancer, consumption and leprosy. A preparation, known as Syrup of Pineapple Exportator, prepared by Ross Bros. & Co., contains these essential qualities. It is sold by L. E. Breckenridge for 50 cents.

### A Chicago Alderman Ores His Election to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for affections of the throat and lungs," says Hon. John Stenick, 220 So. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two years ago during a political campaign, I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop, as I could not speak about it. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept right on talking through the campaign, and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the council. It is every day for sale by J. Y. Breckenridge."

It will bring rich, red blood, firm flesh and muscles. That's what Hillier's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Taken this month, keeps you well all summer. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. L. E. Breckenridge.

### A Destructive Pin.

To draw the hair out of a burn, or heal a cut, without leaving a scar, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles, J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harbinger, Central, Ala., writes: "I have used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in my family for Piles, cuts and burns. It's the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

The reason that coughs and colds produce constipation and weaken the lungs is because they interfere with all digestion. That new discovery known as Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar cures all Coughs, Croup, Whooping cough and assists in expelling colic from the system by gently moving the bowels. It is pleasant to take and contains no opiates. Sold by J. Y. Breckenridge.

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### Champion Liniment for Rheumatism.

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Expeller is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several courses the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by L. E. Breckenridge.

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