

# The Pine County Pioneer.

ED. C. GOTTRY, Proprietor.

DEVOTED TO THE GENERAL INTERESTS OF PINE COUNTY, AND THE WELFARE OF ITS READERS.

TERMS: \$1.50 PER ANNUM.

VOL. XXVI.

PINE CITY, PINE COUNTY, MINNESOTA, APRIL 21, 1911.

No. 19

F. A. HODGE, 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.

## ABSTRACTS OF TITLE

To all Lands in Pine County.

On Short Notice At Legal Rates.

MINNESOTA LAND & ABSTRACT CO.

PINE CITY, MINNESOTA

## L. HAVEL LARSON KILLED EXPIRES

Was Run Over By Train At Beroun Last Sunday

Dies Tuesday Night Friday, April 14th

Louis Havel, Who Was Run Over By Train 63 at Beroun Sunday, Dies Tuesday, 4:40 P. M.

Last Sunday afternoon at Beroun Louis Havel, who lived with his parents near that place, was run over by passenger train No. 63. Havel, with a number of others, was standing on the depot platform when the train was ready to leave for Pine City, and just for amusement tried to board the moving train. In doing so he missed his hold and was thrown beneath the wheels crushing his left leg at the thigh and smashing three toes on his right foot. He was immediately placed aboard the train and brought to Pine City and taken to Doctor Wiseman's office, where aid was tendered him. Mrs. Dr. Toftte was called and together Doctors Wiseman and Toftte performed the necessary amputations. Havel's left leg was amputated at the hip and three toes on his right foot were taken off.

L. Havel, father of the boy was summoned and immediately came down. At six o'clock that evening the amputations were completed and Havel was in a better condition than could be expected, but Tuesday afternoon he passed away at the residence of John Atkinson, gangrene having set in and affecting the stump of his leg thereby causing his death.

Louis Havel was twenty-two years of age, and has lived with his parents near Beroun since they settled there a number of years ago.

He had been employed in the woods all winter and three weeks previous to the accident had just arrived home from his duties in the northern part of the state.

The funeral was held from the Havel home at Beroun Thursday April 20th and the body laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at Beroun.

### CITIZENS TO MEET

A meeting of the citizens of Pine City is called for at the Village hall this evening for the purpose of organizing a Club for the betterment of the Village. All those having the interests of the Village at heart and are anxious to see Pine City the best town in Northwestern Minnesota should be sure and attend the meeting in the Village hall this evening.

Carl Larson, Who Worked for Pine City Mercantile Co., Dies at His Home Last Friday

Carl F. Larson was born in the southern part of Sweden, August 1st, 1885. He came to this country with his mother, sister and brother eleven years ago the 28th day of last November. He was educated in the old country, and took a course in a correspondence school in this country. He began working for the Pine City Mercantile Co. about nine years ago and has worked for them ever since with the exception of a year when he worked for the Pine City Mill & Electric Co.

He was married to Miss Clara Gustafson the 24th day of March, 1910. He was taken seriously ill with pleurisy in February and was confined to his bed for about three weeks, and he had for his duties about a month. He was not strong enough to be at work, but was too ambitious. He was taken seriously ill at noon on Friday, April 14th and, although everything that medical science could do was done, he passed away at his home at a quarter of eight that evening.

Carl was a young man who had spent the greater portion of his life in this place and yet when he died it was said that he did not have an enemy, and was beloved by all who knew him. He was of a genial good natured temperament and had a kind word and pleasant smile for all.

He leaves a loving wife, a sorrowing mother, sister and brother, beside numerous friends to mourn his loss.

He was a member of the A. O. U. W. and Knights of Pythias lodges and the fire department. The funeral was well attended by the members of these organizations. Rev. Knudson, of New Duluth, preached the funeral sermon and the remains were laid to rest in Birchwood cemetery. The pall bearers were: Carl Holmberg, Roy Carlson, Joseph Carlson, Albert Handak, Peter Heim and F. M. Smith, all who had known him for a long time.

The burial offerings were many and beautiful, and showed the regard in which Carl was held. A very large crowd attended the funeral.

## IS THIS FAKING

The Free Trial Given by Mail-Order Houses

## A No Good Buggy

The Farmer Buys a Buggy From a Mail-Order Concern and at End of 30 Days Finds He's Stung

The fellow who attempted to make friends with a bull pup and found himself so tightly gripped by the animal that he shouted for someone to "help him let go" could sympathize with the farmer who bought a "mail order" buggy on 30 days trial.

Before the expiration of the 30 days he found that he had been "stung". He notified the concern that he wanted his money back. Told them the buggy was nothing but a "rattletrap" and that he could buy a much better one from the local dealer for less money.

Back came a letter telling the purchaser that he must be mistaken, the buggy had been carefully inspected before shipment and was in perfect condition.

Again the farmer wrote, stating in detail the various ways in which the vehicle was unsatisfactory.

The mail order concern came back at him with a sassy letter asking if he expected a \$200 buggy for \$50 and declaring that there was nothing wrong with the vehicle.

By this time the patience of the customer was about exhausted and he wrote a sharp reply, insisting on the return of his money.

The mail order house paid no attention to this letter, so he wrote again.

He still has the buggy and is still "kicking." If he ever succeeds in "letting go" and getting his money back his bill for postage stamps and stationery and the wear and tear on his temper will almost pay for another buggy.

The real facts are that mail order concerns employ correspondents whose sole business it is to handle "kicks."

These men earn their salaries by using every possible argument and threat to induce "kickers" to keep inferior goods sold on the "free trial" plan and stringing out the correspondence until customers give up the fight for "a square deal."

A vehicle dealer in a nearby town had his business all torn to pieces by the mail order houses.

This dealer got the name of the manufacturer who sold the buggies to the mail order concern. Then he went to the manufacturer and bought twelve buggies, sold them at a lower price than the mail order house and made a profit of 33 1/2 per cent.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Byron Plumb entered the fifth grade Monday.

Willie Lubrecht has left school for the present.

Herbert Chertier entered the first primary Monday.

Marion Plumb and Mabel Weed entered the second grade Monday.

Jarvis and Vernon Plumb and Kenneth Clark entered the seventh grade Monday.

Where were you at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon? You should have seen the Mora-Pine City ball game. It was a good one. There will be more games later. Be sure and attend.

The Elma Paley Child Opera to be given by the primary pupils will take place in Stekl's hall Friday evening May 19th. Keep this in mind and make your arrangements to attend.

## IS FIRST VICTORY

Mora Loses To Pine City on Saturday Afternoon

## Game Goes 7 To 6

Mora and Pine City Cross Bats Here Saturday, and Mora Loses Game To the 6 to 7 Tune

Last Saturday afternoon the Mora and Pine City High school baseball teams met on the north side of the river and had a battle royal. Mora had a strong team, but Pine City was there with the science, and had their opponents going from the start. The batteries were Struble and Handschu for Mora, and C. Pennington and Cunningham for the locals. The game follows:

Mora to bat; Seybold and Woodbeck fanned; Struble out at first; no runs, C. Pennington walked, J. Gray fanned, Cunningham hit for 2 bases, C. Pennington going to third; Wandel singled, scoring C. Pennington, Cunningham going to third; W. Pennington fanned and Wandel stole second; Curtis fanned; one run.

Handschu hit for 3 bases, Miller fanned; Schenk singled scoring Handschu; Heegel hit for 2 bases scoring Schenk; George out, Wandel to W. Pennington; Verzt fanned; two runs. Kendall hit for 2 sacks, Bele and Stekl fanning; C. Pennington walked, Gray singled scoring Kendall, C. Pennington going to third after stealing second; Cunningham singled scoring Pennington; two runs.

Seybold out on drive to first, Woodbeck got his base on balls and scored Handschu's home run; Struble fanned, Miller singled and wet to second on Schenk's sacrifice; Schenk out Wandel to W. Pennington; two runs. Pennington struck out to Handschu; Curtis and Kendall fanned; no runs.

Heegel walked; George drove to Kendall; Kendall threw to second, cutting off Heegel; Stekl threw to Pennington, making a double play; Verzt walked and was thrown out at second; no runs.

Stibel and Bele fanned; C. Pennington walked for the third time, stole second and went to third on Gray's second; Cunningham fanned; no runs. Seybold out, C. Pennington to W. Pennington; Woodbeck fanned and Pennington went out, Wandel to W. Pennington; no runs.

Wandel out, Handschu to Woodbeck; W. Pennington and Curtis fanned; no runs. Handschu flew out to Curtis; Miller singled, stole second and was put out at third on Schenk's single to Kendall; felled out; Cunningham to Pennington; no runs.

Kendall and Stekl fanned; Bele singled, stole second and scored on C. Pennington's two-bagger; Gray fanned; one run. George singled and went to second on Verzt's single; George caught stealing third; Seybold singled and Verzt caught trying to steal second; Stekl stole second and scored on scoring Woodbeck; Handschu flew out to W. Pennington; two runs.

Cunningham hit for three sacks and scored on Wandel's single; W. Pennington fanned and Curtis went out Handschu to Woodbeck; Kendall fanned; one run. Miller flew out to Stekl and Schenk fanned; Heegel flew out to Kendall; no runs. Stekl struck out; Bele singled, stole second and scored on C. Pennington's two base hit; Pennington scored on Chertier's two bagger; Cunningham and Wandel fanned; two runs.

George flew out to Kendall; Verzt singled and went to second; Seybold and Woodbeck went out Cunningham and Pennington; no runs. This ended the first game of the season. The last half of the ninth was not played.

Score: Mora 6, Pine City 7.

\*Took Gray's place in 8th inning.

### GLEWOOD

Willie Parent is laid up with a felon on his hand.

Geo. N. Stevens and wife spent Sunday at G. Rydholm's.

The farmers' in this neighborhood are busy sowing their grain.

Miss Kate Pahl, of Minneapolis, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. V. Pajin.

Chas. Miller and wife are visiting with Mrs. Miller's parents, M. Berg, in', for a few days.

Andrew and George Carlson will soon have the Karriok barn finished. It looks up in fine style, and improves the looks of Prosperous Hill.

## SODA FOUNTAIN OPEN FOR EASTER

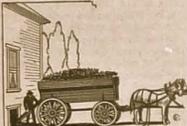
With the very best and purest of Syrups, Flavors and Fruits

BUCKEYE ROOT BEER, the finest you ever tasted, and a long list of other drinks---ICE CREAM And the World Famous Chocolate Dreams of J. George Smith. We are the agents for this candy and you know that it has no superior in the world.

"J. George Smith Chocolate Dreams"

Come and see us. We will try and give you the BEST OF SERVICE.

YOU KNOW THE PLACE,  
**BRECKENRIDGE'S PHARMACY,**  
Main Street - Pine City, Minn.



**We Deliver Coal Promptly**

You will get coal from us that is free from slate and screenings and high in carbon and low in ash.

This means that a ton of our coal lasts longer and gives more heat with less smoke and soot than ordinary coal.

We have a large supply of all sizes for heating and domestic use. Better let us fill your bin now with clean, dry coal before the stormy weather arrives.

**MIDLAND LUMBER & COAL COMPANY,**  
FRED PAGENKOPF, Agent.

**Electric Light.....**

An installation of Electric Lights will give you more Satisfaction than a bank account. Clean, Bright and Ready when you want them.

**Electric Power.....**

A small Motor to do your work will save you many dollars in a year. Ready Night or Day.

**Electric Heat.....**

Toast your bread, heat your water, light your cigars, iron your clothes, heat your rooms, and many other uses.

## PINE CITY ELECTRIC POWER CO.

**Polansky Bros., Duluth.**

The Polansky Bros., of Duluth, who have E. Johnson, of Rock Creek, as their Agent, are in the market for Live Stock. If you will let Mr. Johnson know when you wish to sell Live Stock, he will quote you prices. Highest Market Price.

EVAN JOHNSON, Agent.





# PURE SEEDS LARGE STOCK

Pine City Milling Company,

Complete seed stocks at

PINE CITY and MOOSE LAKE

## PINE COUNTY PIONEER

ED. C. GOTRY, Editor and Prop.

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

Pine City, Minnesota, April 21 '11

THERE certainly is fighting blood in the Daughters of the Revolution and no mistake.

THE Canadian parliament stands ready to pass the reciprocity measure as soon as they get the proper tip from Washington. All that is wanting just now is the proper action of the Washington law-makers.

NO, it isn't always the man who talks most about the public interest who is the public spirited citizen, but it is frequently the man who is the first on his street to get his premises cleaned up in the spring.

HAVE our municipal affairs been run just to your liking during the past? If not why not get together and see that they are in the future? The only reason why the officers of the village have not done as you wanted them to was because they did not know just what was wanted.

BOB DUBIN didn't make any mistake when he made the fight of his term in the legislature on the Good Roads proposition. Bob is one of the fellows who can usually be depended upon to be on the right side of most questions which affect the public interest.

PRESIDENT TAFT didn't waste much paper in preparing his message to Congress. It looks as though he thought that the best thing congress could do for the country was to get together pass the Reciprocity measure and adjourn, and there are many people who think the President was right when he thought so too.

THIS democratic congress bids fair to repeat the history made by Democratic congresses in the past. If the present congress would pass the reciprocity bill and adjourn it would establish itself as a conservative and sensible body. If it remains in session all summer and plays politics as it bids fair to do it will disgust the people and do the full share toward perpetuating the reputation the party has gained for senseless stupidity.

STARTLING head lines announcing that train load after train load of citizens are crossing the border into Canada are paid for at the rate of so much per inch by people who have lands to exploit. The country to the northwest of us has been pretty well settled up and if it was as good as many would have us believe it would not be necessary to do so much advertising. We have right here in the United States better land and a far better climate than anything offered by the Canadian Northwest and it isn't necessary to leave the best government under the sun in order to take advantage of it either.

IT is astonishing the way people will flock to a sale of "bankrupt stocks" and other fake sales put on by traveling merchants, who go about the country with stocks of shelf-worn and damaged goods, and sell them at prices far in advance of the regular price charged by local merchants for a better class of goods. The mere fact that these people make money by traveling around with these goods is the best evidence in the world that they are selling them at a price which makes them a profitable investment—for the man who unloads them on the consumer. The safest place to buy goods in the long run is of the man who will be here next season to replace those that prove unsatisfactory.

WHEN President Vail of the Telegraph and Telephone company came out flat footed a few days ago in his address to the directors and informed them that in his opinion government control of public service corporations had come to stay and that in his opinion the wisest thing that could be done was to meet the demand for publicity and take the public into the confidence of the corporation. This is a fact which the officers of the large corporations should have learned years ago. The average man is willing to treat corporations whether public service corporations or the ordinary business enterprise with the same courtesy and fairness he expects in his private dealings but he wants the corporations to be fair with him. There is nothing to be gained on either side of the controversy by underhanded dealing. The corporation must make its money off of the public and the public can use and needs the aggregate wealth of the large corporation in order that large enterprises may be financed. When the corporation treats the public with fairness there will be no occasion for

anti-corporation agitation. It is the unfair advantage which the corporation seeks which injures the honest corporation and stirs up antagonism which is detrimental to the interests of both the public and the corporation. A better understanding between the public and its corporate servants would be to the advantage of both.

### IS THIS YOUR INNOCENT BOY

I will paint you a sign, rumseller,  
And hang it above your door;  
A truer and better signboard  
Than ever you had before.  
I will paint with the skill of a master,

And many shall pause to see  
This wonderful piece of painting,  
So like the reality.

I will paint yourself, rumseller,  
As you wait for that fair young boy  
Just in the morn of manhood,  
A mother's pride and joy.

He has no thought of stopping,  
But you greet him with a smile,  
And you seem so gay and friendly  
That he pauses to chat awhile.

I will paint you again, rumseller;  
I will paint you as you stand  
Holding a glass of liquor  
Sparkling in either hand.

He wavers, but you urge him—  
"Drink! pledge me just this one,"  
And he lifts the glass and drains it,  
And the bellish work is done.

And next I will paint a drunkard—  
Only a year has flown—  
But into a loathsome creature  
The fair young boy has grown.

The work was sure and rapid;  
I will paint him as he lies  
In death-like drunken slumber,  
Under the wintry skies.

I will paint the form of the mother  
As she stands by her darling's side;  
Her beautiful boy, who was dearer  
Than all the world beside.

I will paint the shape of a coffin,  
And label it one word—"Lost!"  
I will paint all this, rumseller;  
Will paint it free of cost.

The sin, the shame and the sorrow,  
The crime, the want and the woe  
That were born there in your rum-  
shop.

No hand can paint, you know,  
But I'll paint your sign, rumseller,  
And many shall pause to view  
That wonderful swinging signboard  
So terribly, fearfully true.

Written by a young man in prison,  
A drunkard!

## Planet Jr.

"makes it only play to work a garden"

This is exactly what a Planet Jr gardener says. And he says what over a million farmers and gardeners think. They know the time and labor their Planet Jr's save. Aren't you ready to give up the drudgery of farm and garden? Planet Jr implements are ready to lighten your labor, enlarge and better your crops, and increase your profits. Made by a practical farmer and manufacturer with over 35 years' experience. Fully guaranteed.



and get a catalog.  
It is free.

Smith Hardware Co. Pine City.

## Seeds! Seeds! Seeds!

Are you going to have a garden? If so, let us supply you with seeds. Our line is complete. Silver Mine Oats at 48c. per bushel.

Pine City Merc. Co.



## "Paragon Standard"

The New Paragon sets a high mark for great value. Never before in Sewing Machine History has a truly Quality Machine been offered AT SUCH A LOW PRICE.

Has Drop Head with Automatic Lift; has four side drawers and center drawer; the cabinet is a very popular design, substantially constructed of beautifully grained, Sound Heart, Quarter-sawn Golden Oak, kiln dried, hand rubbed and highly polished.

We have compared the "PARAGON" with all other sewing machines that sell at a much higher price, and are convinced that the "NEW PARAGON" is by far THE BEST MACHINE offered by anyone at a much higher price. A full set of attachments and all the accessories goes with each machine. Words and cuts cannot adequately describe the high standard of accuracy embodied in the "NEW PARAGON."

W. A. SAUSER, Pine City, Minn.

The 'Best Place In Pine County To Buy Hardware And Jewelry.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure  
Digests what you eat.

**COUNTY SEAT NEWS**

—The Easter services in the M. E. church were well attended.

—J. A. Peterson was a caller in the cities the fore part of the week.

—Mrs. A. W. Anplund is quite ill with a severe cold.

—Henry Rath, of St. Paul, was here on business Monday.

—J. M. Allen was a passenger to Hinckley Tuesday on business.

—J. Y. Breckenridge transacted business in the twin cities yesterday.

—Steve Tallon returned from a visit to the twin cities Wednesday.

—Ed. Preis was a passenger to Minneapolis Wednesday.

—Mrs. John Heywood transacted business in St. Paul Wednesday. She returned the same day.

—The orchestra plays in the M. E. church every Sunday morning at 9:45. Come.

—Pat Connor moved his family onto his farm two miles southeast of town the first of the week.

—Gust Teich moved into the Susan Sheaver house in the western part of town Monday.

—Adam Biedermann transacted business in St. Paul and Stillwater Wednesday.

—County Superintendent Otis returned from a trip through the northern part of the county Thursday.

—John Carlson, of Rush City, transacted business here the fore part of the week.

—Mrs. Ross Rath, who has been ill for the past week, is now able to be around again.

—Miss Ida Sommer, of Rush City sister of Adolph Sommer, of this place died at her home Sunday.

—Mrs. Lahodny was a business visitor in the twin cities Saturday, returning Monday.

—A. R. W. Olsen, editor of the Piker, was in the twin cities Sunday, returning Monday.

—Joe Kalb, who is employed on the Soo Line, returned to his duties Tuesday, after spending a week here with his parents.

—Miss Lillie Wolstad, who teaches school at Buffalo Lake, was the guest of Miss Margarita Culver the latter part of last week.

—Miss Kate Theiry, who has been in St. Paul for some time, arrived here last Saturday and will spend some time at her home near this place.

—Superintendent W. J. McAdam was a passenger to St. Paul Thursday, where he was called to attend a meeting of school superintendents.

—Please save up all your papers and magazines and notify Mrs. Henry Baizge, and there will be a team to collect them Thursday afternoon.

—Frank Bartos, who has been employed in St. Paul for the past four or five months, spent a couple of days here with his parents this week.

—The Misses Pennington who spent their Easter vacation here with their parents, returned to their school duties up on the Range Monday.

—Charles Witttrup departed for Hibbing Tuesday, where he will attend a quarterly conference for the Duluth district of the M. E. Church.

—Dennis Dasey, who has been employed in Duluth all winter, returned here Tuesday and will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

—"Bud" Vaughan, of St. Paul, returned to his home Monday, after spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

—The Misses Emma Neubauer and Magdalena Becher spent a few days with friends in Rush City last week. They returned Saturday.

—Webster Hodge returned to his studies at the State university Monday, after spending a few days here with his parents.

—Edgar Vaughan returned to his home in St. Paul Monday, after spending a week with relatives and friends in this place.

—Miss Alma Becher, who has been staying with her sister, Emma, at White Pine all winter, returned to her home here Monday.

—Little Miss Mable Witttrup, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks, is slowly recovering.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fritzen and son, Fred, departed for Minneapolis Monday. They were accompanied by Mr. Nelson, of Pokegama.

—Bernie Lambert returned to his work at Two Harbors Monday, after spending Easter here with his parents.

—Dr. L. R. Kowalk transacted professional business in the northern part of the county the fore part of the week.

—A reception of members will consume a part of the time during the morning service in the M. E. church Sunday.

—Mrs. Williams and several friends drove over in their auto from Mora Monday and visited at the E. L. Seavey home. Mrs. Williams is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seavey.

—Brownie Gray has installed a fine new lighting plant in his pool and billiard room. It certainly improves the appearance of the place a whole lot.

—A deal was closed Monday morning whereby Albert Pangerl became the owner of the Moore farm. Consideration four thousand five hundred dollars.

—Mrs. Knight, of Taylors Falls, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Seavey, has returned to her home after a couple of days visit with relatives and friends in this place.

—Robert Greig and wife, of Taylors Falls, arrived here Tuesday and in the future will make this place their home. Mr. Greig was formerly a commissioner of the Inter-state park at Taylors Falls.

—James Hurley, wife and two sons William and Frank were called to St. Paul Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. M. B. Hurley, who died at her home in Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Tuesday. Further particulars next week.

—Monday morning while Mrs. Gene Barnum was on her way home from town, the horse she was driving took fright at a calf in the road, throwing Mrs. Barnum out of the buggy. Her child, who was with her, was also thrown out and cut about the head.

—Dr. Dick, of Wesley church, Dr. Jordan, of First church, Dr. Montgomery, of Fowler church, and Dr. Gillies, of Hennepin church, all located in Minneapolis, will speak in the Methodist church in this place the second Monday in May. Watch these columns for further particulars.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this method of expressing our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors for their sympathy and aid at the death of our beloved husband, son and brother. We especially wish to thank the members of the A. O. W. K. of P., D. of H., Pythian Sisters lodges and the Pine City Fire Dept., for their aid and beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. C. E. LARSON, MRS. C. SPEAR- ING AND FAMILY, AND C. GUSTAFSON AND FAMILY.

**LETTERS ADVERTISED**

Remaining uncalled for at the Post Office at Pine City for the week ending April 17, 1911.

Lara Blomquist.  
Charles Cottrell.  
Ben Lard.  
Barbara Lee.  
Barbara Lee.  
Barbara Lee.  
Barbara Lee.  
William Lancout.  
Walter Schulze.  
Fred Schwartz.  
Dugald Thompson.

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

J. Y. Breckenridge,  
P. M.

**DEER VALLEY**

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce were Rush City and Rock Creek visitors on business Monday.

Dick Caroon is now busy seeding since he quit the Stevens saw mill. He was employed as engineer there.

Mr. H. Frieholm was up in Luck Creek last week on business after a some squinty which he had there at the time he unloaded his car.

John Collin's two sons came up last Monday. The older one will only remain a few weeks, but the younger one will stay with his father.

Mrs. Collins, who has been visiting her parents in Fort Dodge, Iowa, is now on her way home, but will stop in Minneapolis and visit her daughter, who is ill in that place.

Our teacher, Miss Dorschek, of the Deer Valley school, is very sorry to lose some of her pupils. The Franson children were excellent scholars.

Mr. Kornick has nearly completed his large new barn, and we suppose he will give a dance there in the near future. It would not be complete without a little shake-up, you know.

**POKEGAMA**

George Olsen has sold his farm.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Teich, a daughter.

Frank Zastera attended the funeral at Pine City Monday.

Charles Lewis transacted business in Pine City this week.

Dr. Wiseman was a professional caller at T. E. Ryan's Tuesday.

Mrs. Doctor Fritzen came up from Minneapolis and returned Monday.

C. F. Ramsay and John F. Holm are serving on the Jury in Pine City this week.

Otto Grant and wife, of Pine City, visited at the home of Mrs. Grand's parents last week.

The stock-holders of the Pokegama Rural Telephone company held a meeting Saturday evening and the following business was transacted: Voted that the directors order the phones that have been contracted for. Voted that O. Wicklund be chosen trouble man. On motion it was resolved that J. S. Fritzen, John F. Holm and A. Anderson be chosen as a committee to get up a telephone book and have same printed. An assessment was made to pay further expenses in completing the line.

**ROCK CREEK**

Wm. Stevens and wife were county seat visitors on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shogren visited with friends at the county seat last week.

Mrs. Soukup, our blacksmith's wife and infant daughter, visited in Pine City Tuesday.

Our land office has already received a goodly number of inquiries in regard to farm and wild lands.

Our farmers are all busy seeding, they report the rain Tuesday as doing an immense amount of good.

The dance given by the Modern Woodman was quite a success, and it helped out their funds quite a little.

Messrs. Skorlund, Bush and Anderson went to Rush City Saturday evening to take another degree in the Masonic order which they joined last winter.

Mrs. Johnson went to Duluth Saturday to purchase goods. By the number of boxes that have been opened here the fore part of the week she must have purchased quite a large bill of goods.

There has been over a thousand bushels of potatoes bought by our produce buyers, Erickson and Anderson, the latter claiming 800 bushels as his share. There is no end to the amount of hay that has been shipped from here.

The auction of John Franson's goods held at the Martinson place Tuesday, was well attended and everything brought a good price. We are sorry to lose such a good family, but wish them success no matter where they may go.

Miss Emma Pastohr arrived from Minneapolis, Tuesday to pay a visit to her friends Chas. Heineman and wife. The lady will visit for a few days and then depart for Germany to visit with her parents, where she may remain. We all wish her a pleasant and enjoyable journey.

Chas. Heineman accompanied his wife to Pine City Saturday, where she

sent to her for treatment for her sore throat. Dr. Y. ... station with his auto and took her to his office where she received treatment, and took her back to the station in the same vehicle. Mr. Heineman and wife are thankful to the doctor for his kindness.

**WILLOW RIVER**

There are quite a number of land seekers around these days.

Auditor Hamlin, of Pine City, was a Willow River caller Saturday.

Eddie Clough was home from Congress for a few days last week.

H. J. Carlson, of Moose Lake was in town Saturday with his automobile.

Homer Solich left for Biwabik last week where he goes to work in the round house.

Mrs. Pearl Ehamke went to Biwabik last Saturday to visit with her parents for a few days.

Mrs. J. J. Lund left for Winona Tuesday where she will remain with her parents for a while.

We had another welcome rain Tuesday. It will start the grass and that will make the farmers rejoice.

There was a wreck Tuesday between Willow and Rutledge so that passenger train No. 61 was delayed for two and a half hours.

Peter Praxel is having the hall over the State bank fixed up. When completed it will make a nice room for the lodges to meet in.

Our Marshal has his hands full these days looking after the grass-widows, whose husbands are away working, and see that they are not molested.

There was a nice bunch of Oddfellows here Saturday to the institution of the lodge of that Order, from Carlton, Moose Lake, Hinckley and Pine City.

Rudolph Halemek, of Skibo, was visiting friends here for a couple of days the fore part of the week. Rudolph is engineer in the saw mill at Skibo.

Last Saturday was a big day here. The L. O. O. F. started a lodge here with eleven new members beside the old ones, which makes a nice little lodge.

**WANT ADS.**

For Sale—80 acres good unimproved land, 2 1/2 miles from Pine City. Also 120 acres unimproved land 3 miles south of Brookpark. Address H. care of Pioneer.

For Sale—I will sell my farm of 40 acres, one mile north of Pine City. Good five room house, large barn and hay barn, two good wells of water. The buildings are all in good repair. For terms and particulars inquire of Gerd E. Kruse, Pine City, Minn.

BABY CHICKS FOR SALE FROM extra layers Pure Bred W. Wyandotta, S. & R. C. W. Leghorns, 10 c. each; mixed breeds, 6 c. at home, 7 c. to ship; orders accepted only 4 weeks in advance, when accompanied by at least \$3 in cash, balance when notified that chicks are ready; Pure Bred W. Wyandotte eggs, 75 c. for 15. Mrs. William Lewis, Pine City, Minn. R. 4. 5-17.

**IF YOUR INCOME**

were a dollar or two less each week than it is at present, wouldn't you live just as well as you do now?

Why not start an account at this bank and deposit the dollar or two?

The sooner you start the bank account habit and let thrift and economy get a good, solid grip, the better for you, and the larger your accumulations will grow.

There is no expense attached to starting an account at this bank—we furnish bank and check books free of charge.

**Pine City State Bank**  
D. GREELEY, Cashier.

**CLOTHING**

Cut Prices on all Fall and Winter Goods. Come in and look over our line. We have the Latest Styles in Young Men's Suits. Plain and Fancy Domestic and Imported Worsteds are here for you to choose from. Blue Serge is again popular. Let us take your order for a nice, Tailor Made Suit. Also Gents' Furnishings . . .



Designed by Leopold, Scholten & Henscheid Chicago

**JOHN JELINEK - Tailor - PINE CITY.**

**SHOE PROBLEM SOLVED**

Quality added to value equals the sum of a good shoe. It's what you get when you buy The "BORCHERS" SHOE

We sell these shoes because we know there's a hundred cents worth of satisfaction in every dollar invested.

Borchers' Shoe Store.



**CUSTOM PLANING and FEED MILL**

For work in either branch I am prepared to give entire Satisfaction. A trial will convince.

**J. W. AXTELL,** PINE CITY, MINN.

**PROFESSIONAL CARDS.**

**R. L. WISEMAN**  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Office and residence in house just south of the Rybak block.  
Pine City.

**A. & JOSEPHINE TOFTE.**  
Physicians and Surgeons  
Office in Old Telephone Building.  
All calls promptly responded to.  
Pine City

**B. L. STEPHAN,**  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Office at Drug Store.  
Hinckley.

**W. H. LAMSON,**  
County Attorney  
At Court House Pine City, Every Monday.  
Hinckley, Minnesota.

**OTTOAR SOBOTKA**  
Attorney and Counselor at Law.  
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.  
Office—Rybak Block.  
Pine City.

**S. G. L. ROBERTS,**  
Attorney at Law.  
Pine City.

**K. W. KNAPP,**  
Dentist.  
Office in Rybak Building,  
Phone No. 61.  
Pine City.

**THE BEST GRAIN FIELDS**  
In the state are drawn on for the manufacture of the justly celebrated Golden Key Flour. We take pride in the good name this flour has won for itself that we are always careful in quality of grain & milling to keep the grade up to the high standard. Ask your grocer for it.



**PINE CITY MILLING & ELECTRIC CO.**

**YOUR SUBSCRIPTION PAID**





