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### LIGHTS ON AT NORTH BRANCH AND HARRIS.

EASTERN MINNESOTA POWER COMPANY STARTS SERVICE AT NORTH BRANCH AND HARRIS.

At six o'clock Tuesday evening the falls of Chengwatana were given an additional burden to carry, for at that time current was turned on the transmission line supplying North Branch and Harris, and although traveling a distance of twenty-eight miles, the quality of the light distributed is pronounced by the residents of these villages as unsurpassed, and there is no doubt but that the company will receive liberal patronage for both light and power.

The building of this extension was commenced December 15th and during the cold weather in January was pushed right along, not a day being lost. The last month has been spent in building the distributing lines in the above towns and connecting the same to the consumers property, the wiring of which has been completed during the past winter.

Prior to the commencement of work on the Harris-North Branch line, the company completed and connected a line connecting Braham in Isanti county and the work just completed, makes over thirty-six miles of transmission and distributing lines built during the past winter.

The company has franchisees in Stanchfield, Grandy, Isanti, Mora, Princeton and Grasston, and no doubt work on one of these extensions will be commenced in the near future.

It will no doubt be of interest to our readers that the great power of Snake River was recognized and made considerable capital of many years ago. At the time the city of Chengwatana was platted and promoted by New York capitalists, (this being before Minnesota became a state,) a strip of land was reserved on each side of the river for mills and factories, and the great power available was the promoters' chief talking point. This was before the days of electrical transmission and a few of our present residents remember that at the time the St. Paul and Duluth Railway was being built from St. Paul to Duluth, the owners of the townsite of Chengwatana refused them certain concessions which they asked to build around that way and as a result the road was put through on the west side of Cross Lake which resulted in Chengwatana becoming extinct and Pine City being built up.

It is probably on this account that this valuable water power property has laid undeveloped for such a great number of years but with the advent of electrical transmission this power has been harnessed and has been carried to points of transportation.

### QUIET HOME WEDDING.

(Tuesday afternoon at the Gustafson home in this place occurred the marriage of Miss Jennie O. Gustafson to Mr. Carl F. Grandt, Rev. Luebker, of the Lutheran church of this place, officiating. Emma Gustafson a sister of the bride and Hans Grandt were the attendants. //

After the ceremony a bounteous wedding dinner was served at the G. A. R. hall and it was here that a very enjoyable afternoon and evening were spent.

The bride is one of the younger daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson of this place and her friends are those who know her. The groom is a quiet, industrious young Pine County farmer, who will make an excellent life-mate for the lady of his choice. They will make their future home on a farm situated east of Cross Lake.

—Jobwork that please—Pioneer.

### METHODIST BANQUET WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Last Wednesday evening in the Town Hall the Sunday School of the Methodist church of this city sat down to the best banquet of any kind that was ever enjoyed by as large a crowd of the people of our town, given under local management. Covers were laid for nearly two hundred people and almost every place was taken. The tables were tastily decorated with cut flowers. The entire Sunday School was seated by classes, and surely presented a splendid appearance as one and all with happy faces surrounded the tables loaded with the sumptuous repast provided by the committee on provisions.

When all had satisfied their hunger, Allen Collette, the Toastmaster arose and made a few remarks, which soon convinced the program committee and all the people present that no mistake had been made in the choice of the man for that place, his wit and humor each time in the right place adding much to the program. The orchestra entertained very skillfully before, during and after the program. The program was rich in fun and wholesome suggestions. The toasts were given by Supt. A. W. Piper, Rev. W. G. Boyle, of Mora, Mrs. Chatterton, and the pastor. The Superintendent was well received and gave a very entertaining and helpful toast. Rev. Boyle, of Mora, took the house by his personality, good stories and good judgement shown in the wise and helpful suggestions which he gave to the people assembled. Boyle "made good" in the opinion of all who heard him. Mrs. Chatterton gave us an exceedingly brilliant toast in the form of poetry, composed by herself, to the girls of our Sunday School. The pastor gave a toast to our boys, in which he encouraged the boys to activity and the adults to the support of the boys in all their good deeds.

The musical part of the program was well taken care of by a vocal solo by Frank Gottry, an instrumental by Miss Thomas and a cornet solo by Mr. Logan, all of which deserve special mention but for lack of space we are compelled simply to say that they all executed their parts in a very pleasing manner.

The banquet on the whole was a great success, and all who were there will look forward to a like occasion next year.

### EXCURSION RATES TO ST. PAUL account STATE S. S. CONVENTION.

Go to St. Paul April 9th and combine profit, pleasure and business. Take advantage of the reduced rates and do your spring shopping. Tickets will be on sale at all railroad stations in Minnesota April 5th and will be good for returning anytime to and including April 15th.

There are 1232 pastors, 2154 superintendents, 2500 county and district officers, 20,125 teachers and 225,758 scholars interested in the Sunday School Convention at St. Paul, April 9-11. Every Sunday School in this county is urged to send delegates.

P. H. Welshimer of Canton, Ohio is the greatest Sunday School pastor in America today. He will tell us in St. Paul how he increased his Sunday School membership from 250 to 3,000 nine years, and his church membership from 350 to 1800. Hear him at the State Convention.

—F. M. Stuck who resides south of here was called to Minneapolis last Tuesday by the serious illness of his wife. Mrs. Stuck was taken ill while visiting with some Minneapolis friends and it was deemed necessary to take her to a hospital. Her friends in this place hope for her speedy recovery.

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# THE PINE COUNTRY PIONEER

W. P. GOTTRY, Publisher.  
PINE CITY, MINN.

People hats are to be worn this spring.  
Let the thaw do its worst. The ice crop is safe.

A water has stopped a woman from smoking in public. Give her a tip, probably.

Railroad trains should never forget that it is their prime duty to stay on the track.

Professional crier opens never find a pearl, but it is a cold day when amateurs do not.

Now that another German warship has been launched Britain will have to hurry and launch two.

Enlightened women believe the declaration that "woman's work is never done" to be unconstitutional.

By correcting the calendar China misses a new year this time, but it is happy in having a new birthday.

A burglar in New York has invented a burglar alarm, which does a very unprofessional thing to do.

Everybody must have noticed that the weather began to moderate as soon as Arizona came into the Union.

A scientist says a man should walk on all fours. So he does when he is searching for the elusive cat button.

We are informed that the price of stink hats will be raised next summer, but what's the use of borrowing trouble?

Wolves and bears howl very few people in this country nowadays, but the deadly railroad frog gathers them in right along.

A Los Angeles society host is going to give a submarine ball. Of course, the queen of the occasion will be a diving bell.

A hen near Tarrytown, N. Y., laid an egg in a snowdrift. She probably knew that the cold storage men would get it, anyway.

A Philadelphia man claims that he knows how to live on one dollar a week. Only weaklings will wish to discover his secret.

Several University of Minnesota students are taking lessons in the lumber trade. They are ambitious to become lumberjacks.

A calamity howler tells us that woman is twice as expensive now as she was seven years ago, but probably she is worth it.

It is calculated by Prof. John Boaler that the world is at least 710,000,000 years old. That is long enough for its debts to be outlawed.

A man who died of pneumonia was found to have a silver spoon in his stomach, although he was not born with one in his mouth.

Burglars stole \$28 worth of perfume and \$60 worth of candy. No wonder Prof. Shalier Matthews says the world is being fertilized.

The Brooklyn church that keeps burglar alarms on its doors because they may have more or less faith in humanity, but it is taking no chances.

Possibly the preacher who said that a girl should not be courted more than six hours a week has had experience with daughters, and gas bills.

The Denver Times has discovered that sneezkraft promotes longevity. Probably it does kill all the germs in the house while it is being cooked.

That story of a man who preferred death to leaving Chicago inspired immediately curiosity to learn to what fearful place they intended taking him.

Children propose now that they have got rid of their pigstails and the Manchus to wear such clothes as white men wear. We hope they will refrain from eating their "pinks."

"The mirror has done more to advance the human race than any other invention," says a scientist. Which may be accounted for in the fact that people seldom talk when they are looking in mirrors.

They are going to establish a school for sinners in Boston. Evidently what the institution will be is not plain, but it will probably be more common than that conveyed from the sinners by observations and pop-sicles.

Manila reform saved their penitents but not their faces.

A Denver preacher tells us that the hanging is what makes dancing popular. If he hangs he will not only save, we are told, considerable to the benefit of his food market.

A Connecticut couple who have been married seventy-seven years declare that a divorce suit has never been opened between them. Before long it may be necessary to provide veterans membership in the Annapolis club.

# MAINE IS BURIED

BATTLESHIP TO GULF OF MEXICO AND SUNK IN LAST RESTING PLACE.

## NATIONS JOIN IN CEREMONY

Bodies Are Carried by Cuban Sailors and Artillerymen Through Streets of Havana and Placed in Custody of American Men.

Havana, Cuba, March 18.—Solemn rites connected with sinking the battleship Maine and the carrying to their last resting place the bodies of many of her gallant sailors were held here. The old ship is being sunk in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico, the smoke of the saluting guns of war vessels serving for a salute, while with all the pomp of national mourning the bodies of the sailors are being brought back to Washington.

Followed in procession by the president of the Cuban Republic and by all the other high dignitaries of Cuba, and amid a vast concourse of Cubans, the bodies of the sailors and the bodies of the Cuban sailors and artillerymen through the streets of Havana, Cuban infantry lined the side walks, on which a multitude uncovered as the bodies passed from the mortuary chamber in the palace to the side of the harbor. There they were formally placed in the custody of officers of the United States navy, in the service of which they had given their lives.

Chapel Is Draped in Black.  
The mortuary chapel in which the bodies lay until the arrival of the sea and land forces was draped and covered with many lighted candles in silver stands. The coffins were arranged along the walls, covered with black and draped with Cuban and American flags. The bodies lay in state and a continuous procession passed to pay their last respects.

As the coffin was borne out a guard of honor saluted and all along the line the salute was continuous until the procession reached the harbor.

Hundreds of wreaths, crosses and other floral emblems were sent to be placed on the coffins. At the harbor itself stood a guard of honor of Spanish-American war veterans and facing these was another guard of honor of Cuban soldiers. The day was clear and warm and the people of Havana came out to see the procession almost to a man.

Floral Offerings Cover Decks.  
The sinking of the wreck of the Maine took place in the afternoon, the old battleship with her decks hidden beneath masses of floral offerings and escorted by warships belonging to the United States navy and the Cuban navy was towed out to sea. Under the salutes of cannon from the Cuban fortress she proceeded to find her resting place in the unsonorous depths of the gulf.

## SAVES TRAIN AFTER DREAM

Georgian Walks Six Miles in Night and Succeeds in Warning Passengers at River.

Atlanta, Ga., March 18.—O. T. Kitchens, a section foreman, awakening from a sleep in which he had dreamed that a near by railroad trestle of the Southern railroad had been washed away although suffering from illness, arose from his bed and went to South river, six miles from here, before dawn to discover that his dream was a reality.

The foreman found that the stream, swollen by heavy rains, had carried away a trestle spanning a 65-foot chasm.  
Standing on the opposite bank, the man put his hands to his lips, and repeatedly "yelled" but in vain. Finally he heard an answering shout and he called out a warning to J. E. Daniel, the man who had heard him. Daniel had heard the train and as it neared the bank of the stream.

## LIKES CURB ON U. S. SAILORS

Assistant Naval Secretary Bekman Winthrop Talk on Return From Port Royal Station.

Washington, March 18.—Assistant Naval Secretary Bekman Winthrop, who has just returned from an inspection trip to the Port Royal naval station, is delighted with the workings of the new detention system of dealing with sailors convicted of breaches of discipline and the new regulations now practiced there. Mr. Winthrop found 200 men under detention and on probation under the care of Major Hatch of the marine corps, and was convinced that the reformatory influence of the system is marked.

## BACON HONORED BY FRANCE

Retiring American Ambassador Banquet on Eve of His Departure by Government.

Paris, March 18.—Robert Bacon, the retiring American ambassador, was the guest of the American section of the Franco-American committee at the Cafe Volp. The function was to show the French public the services of the retiring ambassador and Arthur Hays Sulzberger, secretary to the American embassy, who will soon take up his residence in the city of Paris as ambassador. Many distinguished Frenchmen as well as prominent Americans residing here attended.

## MRS. JACK GALLATIN.



Mrs. Gallatin is a daughter of "Al" Adams, the one-time policy king. She is to be married to Francis B. Hall, a young Cincinnati millionaire. Mrs. Gallatin was divorced from Jack Gallatin last August.

## CONFERENCE ON DEMAND OF ENGINEERS RESUMED

Men Ask Increased Wage Scale Because of Responsibilities Due to Faster Schedules.

New York, March 16.—A second of a series of conferences between a committee of locomotive engineers and a committee representing forty-eight railroads in the eastern territory, which will continue over a greater part of the month, was held to consider the demands of the engine drivers for increased wages. The demands are not based on the higher cost of living, but on the increased responsibilities of the engineers because of faster train schedules. The demands are detailed and complex and the purpose of the conference was to afford an opportunity for a presentation of the reasons of the engineers for an increased scale.

## MINERS' TERMS ARE REFUSED

Suspension in U. S. Mines Predicted by President White to Occur on April 1.

New York, March 16.—"All negotiations with the anthracite coal operators are off," declared John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers of America, at the adjournment of the meeting between the miners and operators, in which the miners declined the operators' counter proposition. "I look for a general suspension of work April 1," he added. "Will there be a strike?" he asked.

"I can't say as to that," he replied. "The miners' officials will discuss that matter this afternoon."

The meeting between the miners and operators was brief. Mr. White read to the operators the miners' reply to their rejection of the miners' demands. It was receded without comment and the meeting adjourned without delay. None of the operators was willing to talk.

## PANAMA VOLCANO A MYTH

Emission of Steam and Gas from Canal Due to Oxidation of Iron Pyrites.

Washington, March 16.—An explanation of the mysterious emission of steam and hot gases from crevices in the famous Panama canal, which gave rise to a report that a volcano existed under the Panama canal zone, is given by the Canal Record just received from Panama.

It is declared that the phenomena is attributable entirely to the oxidation of iron pyrites, caused by its exposure to air, and that the temperature developed disappears in the course of a few days after the pyrites is uncovered.  
The only untoward effect of the gas is to endanger the safety of the excavators, who are obliged to insert iron rods in the drill holes to test the temperature and thus guard against the premature explosion of dynamite.

## EVANGELINE C. BOOTH ILL

Commander So Broken Down From Trip Through South Sea Can't Handle Work.

Louisville, Ky., March 18.—Evangeline C. Booth, commander of the 8th Cavalry in America, arrived in this city from her tour of the south so broken down physically that she was unable to walk. Her right arm is virtually paralyzed as a result of the nervous strain she has undergone and she carried it in a sling. Her legs and all neural attention were omitted but she quickly addressed a mass meeting at night.

May Refuse Carnegie Offer.  
Virginia, Minn., March 16.—Andrew Carnegie has been "turned down" here, as he proposed \$400,000 city funds from the "trustman," the city council has decided it does not want the money.

# 2 CONVICTS KILLED

BIG FIGHT OCCURRED BETWEEN OFFICERS AND PRISONERS NEAR SPRINGFIELD.

## HID IN FARMER'S WAGON

Murderers in Wagon Driven by Farmer Who Was Forced to Drive Toward Springfield.

Louisville, Nebraska.—The three convicts, Gray, O'Leary, and Morley, who, last week murdered three officials at the state penitentiary at Lincoln, were surrounded from Omaha, Mo., by a posse of 200 men. All three were shot dead and he is back in prison. Harry Blunt, whom they compelled to aid them, was also killed. The three convicts were driven towards Springfield a sleigh by Harry Blunt, a farmer who resides three miles north of town. The convicts lay down in the body of the vehicle forcing the farmer to expose himself to the bullets of the posse as soon as they get within five distance.

The three convicts approached the Blunt home and ordered the farmer to take them in his sleigh to Springfield. He refused at first, but they covered him with their guns and ordered him to expose himself to the bullets of the pursuing posse was a mile behind the fleeing convicts. Two other posse members were a short distance in the rear.

There was a running battle for three miles before the three men were killed and Morley surrendered. Young Blunt was shot to death.

A special train came from Omaha and another already had arrived from Plattsmouth carrying large posse. Another posse from Lincoln, headed by a sheriff's posse and a body of national guard.

The three murderers, Taylor, Morley and O'Leary, were shot on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall, on a farm, five miles east and a mile north of Springfield. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Hall so securely that they could not liberate themselves, they tore the telephone instrument from its place, cut the wires and hid in the Hall home at 10:30 p. m. Saturday. During their stay they compelled the people at the farmhouse to serve them with food and permitted no one to leave the house.

Blunt was 22 years old and had been married two months. His young wife was pregnant when his body was returned to the family home by his brother.

After leaving the Hall home, the outlaw went to Train's home, obtained a handcar and went to Morlock, where they burglarized two stores and secured arms, ammunition and clothing. They then reached the storehandcar at Meadow, threw the car into the Missouri river and started north toward Omaha on foot.

## MANIC SENT BOMB

Gotham Police Expect Another Case on Rosalby Order.

New York, March 19.—No arrests were made in connection with the effort of the police department to clear up the mysterious attempt to blow up Judge Otto A. Rosalby of the court of general sessions with a bomb. If any promising clues developed they were divulged to the district attorney.

The brand case was not mentioned seriously in any quarter.  
Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty, who is the theory that a maniac is at large in the city aiming to destroy "enemies of society," as they are termed to describe him, and that he was responsible for the death of Helen Taylor, who was killed by a bomb last month and for the sending of the maniac to the insane asylum. On this theory another attempt may be expected at any time.

Judge Rosalby was back on the bench in general sessions and every person entering the court rooms was searched for weapons. This precaution, however, was without result.

## THE MARKETS

Wheat, March 18.—Wheat, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Corn, March 18.—Corn, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Cotton, March 18.—Cotton, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Sugar, March 18.—Sugar, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Rice, March 18.—Rice, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Oil, March 18.—Oil, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Lard, March 18.—Lard, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Beans, March 18.—Beans, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Peas, March 18.—Peas, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Lentils, March 18.—Lentils, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Chickens, March 18.—Chickens, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Eggs, March 18.—Eggs, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Butter, March 18.—Butter, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Tallow, March 18.—Tallow, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Hides, March 18.—Hides, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Wool, March 18.—Wool, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Iron, March 18.—Iron, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Steel, March 18.—Steel, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Lead, March 18.—Lead, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Zinc, March 18.—Zinc, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Tin, March 18.—Tin, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Silver, March 18.—Silver, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Gold, March 18.—Gold, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00. Money, March 18.—Money, May, 1.00; July, 1.00; September, 1.00; December, 1.00.

## T. R. IN MINNESOTA

Will Speak in Minneapolis and Duluth.

Minneapolis.—The plans for the entertainment of Colonel Roosevelt when he comes to Minnesota next week are being made at the state hotel headquarters in St. Paul. The information is that he will make two speeches in this state. He is to have the first one in Duluth and the second one in Minneapolis, which will be a Twin City union meeting.

# KILL TRIO IN COURT

FRIENDS OF MOONSHINER IN MOB SHOOT VIRGINIA JUDGE, SHERIFF AND PROSECUTOR.

## LED BY OUTLAW'S BROTHERS

Posse in Pursuit as Band Flees on Horseback into Blue Ridge Mountains—Governor Threatens to Call Troops to Arrest Slayers.

Bonhoe, Va., March 15.—Meneset reports have reached here of the assassination at Hillsville, the remote county seat of Carroll county, of Circuit Judge Thornton Massie, Sheriff Louis Webb and Commonwealth Attorney William Foster by a mob of mountain outlaws, one of whose number was to have been tried on the charge of illicit distilling.

It is said that three jurors, the clerk of the court and several spectators were wounded in the battle that followed the appearance of the mountaineers.

A pitched battle followed the attack of the mountaineers and several citizens are reported to have been severely injured. After their murderous assault on the court officers the "moonshiners" rode hard for the mountains and had a good start on the heavily organized posse of citizens which is in pursuit. More killings are likely.

Officers Start Pursuit.  
A posse of citizens left here with law officers for Hillsville, but part of the journey will have to be made on horseback.

Brothers, one of a family of three brothers, who have been engaged in illicit distilling in the Blue Ridge mountains for years had recently been arrested and brought into Hillsville for trial. There had been reports that an attempt at rescue would be made, but little attention was paid to them. During the day two other Alton brothers, with scores of their cohorts from the mountains, rode into town armed with rifles.

One report is that the defendant in the case actually did the shooting in open court. Hillsville is a remote county and communication even by wire is difficult.

Hold Multia Ready.  
Richmond, Va., March 15.—Gov. Mann has offered a reward of \$1,000 for the murderers who escaped from Hillsville court house, after having slain the court officers.

The governor also has ordered Roanoke law-enforcement officials to be prepared to proceed to Hillsville if their services should be required.

News from Hillsville 15.—It is reported here from Hillsville that Juror Douglas also had been killed and that Floyd Allen, one of the mountaineers, has been fatally wounded and is under arrest.

## SEND STUDENTS TO LIMA

Leading Universities of United States Being Urged to Do So by Pan-American Union.

Washington, March 18.—The importance of sending at least four or five students from the United States to the international congress of American students, which will meet in July at Lima, Peru, is being urged upon leading universities of this country by the Pan-American Union. The Congress is composed entirely of undergraduates, who discuss educational problems from the undergraduate point of view. No American delegates attended either of the first two meetings of the congress.

## TO LEVEL PASTORS' SALARIES

New Jersey Methodists to Indorse Plan at General Conference at Minneapolis.

Asbury Park, N. J., March 18.—The lay delegates to the Methodist Episcopal conference here have instructed their five delegates at the general conference at Minneapolis next May to vote for a uniform salary for ministers, within the conference districts, the salary to be fixed by the individual conferences.

"This may be declared socialistic," said one of the speakers supporting the resolution, "but it will at least put an end to the Methodist ministerial auction block."

## TATF HAS COTTON SCHEDULE

Tariff Board Reports—Message on Product Probable in the Next Week.

Washington, March 16.—A summary of the tariff board's investigation of the cotton schedule was laid before President Taft. It is probable that the president will begin writing his message on cotton at once. It may be sent to congress next week.

## TEXTILE PAY RAISE REJECTED

Fall River (Mass.) Council Demands 15, Not 8, Per Cent. Increase Offered by Employers.

Fall River, Mass., March 18.—The Fall River Textile council, representing 3,000 operatives, has virtually rejected the 8 per cent. wage increase offered by the manufacturers and has demanded a flat increase of 15 per cent.

Held in \$148,000 Bond.  
Los Angeles, Cal., March 15.—Earl Stanford, accused of having embezzled \$148,000, is under arrest at Los Angeles.

# REGULATING THE STOMACH.

That Important Organ Works According to the Quality of the Blood That is Furnished to It.

There is the most intimate relation between the condition of the blood and the activity of the stomach. The blood depends upon the stomach for a large part of its nourishment; while every act of digestion, from the time the food enters the stomach until it is digested into pure, well-oxygenated blood. The stomach works only according to the quality of the blood.

The most common cause of indigestion is anemia, or lack of blood. Indigestion is not a simple disturbance of the health of the body nor any form of exhaustion or lowered vitality, that may not lead to stomach trouble. Indigestion of the blood is the one common cause of indigestion. Thin, impure blood weakens the muscles of the stomach and lessens the product of the glands which furnish the digestive fluids.

Nothing will more promptly cure indigestion than a course of the well-oxygenated blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People increase the red corpuscles, the carriers of the blood, until the blood is rich and red. A thorough trial of these pills gives a hearty appetite, perfect digestion, and health.

Mrs. Emma M. Mayne, of No. 65 Second avenue, Chicago, writes: "I had just worked myself into a feverish state, with a family of five children and, while in this state, I had a severe attack with severe kind of stomach trouble. I doctored with several physicians and saw a specialist in Chicago but received little help. I could not eat anything with relish and could not sleep. I would vomit and have terrible headaches and dizzy spells. I got very thin and my friends thought I was going to die. I doctored for a year or so without help. While visiting a niece she told me that she had Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, so I tried them. They soon helped me and a few boxes entirely cured me."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60c. per box; six boxes for \$3.00. Write to Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Send for free booklet, "What to Eat and How to Eat."

## THE ONE GIRL FOR HIM.



The Girl (who has been suffering from eczema). The doctor told me that I must never talk for more than two minutes at a time.

The Man—How delightful Darling will you marry me?

## PHYSICIAN SAID ECZEMA CAME FROM TEETHING

"When my little girl was about eight months old, she was taken with a very irritating breaking out which came on her face, neck and back. When she first came down with it, it came in little watery blisters under her eyes, and on her cheeks, then after a few days it would dry down in scaly, white scabs. In the daytime she was quite worrisome and would cry and scratch her face nearly all the time."

I consulted our physician and found she was suffering from eczema, which he said came from her teething. I used the ointment he gave me and without any relief at all. Then I wrote for a book on Cuticura, and purchased some Cuticura Soap and Ointment at the drug store. I did as I found directions in the Cuticura Booklet, and when she was one year old, she was entirely cured. Now she is three years old, and in the last few months, she has never been troubled with eczema, since she was cured by the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. (Signed) Mrs. Frederick Craver, 211 Lewis St., Syracuse, N. Y., May 6, 1911. Also Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

They Should.  
"My parents used to threaten to beat some sense into my head."

"These are threats that parents never carry out should be discouraged in every way possible."

Doing is the great thing. For it, results are secured. What is right, is time they come to like doing it—Rushin.

When the Millennium comes Godfear Ted and Holy Church will not be longer dead.

Loves laughs at locksmiths, but it sometimes cries over spilled milk.

PAIRED FOR BENT OF BALD OR CROOK'S HEAD.  
Los Angeles, Cal., March 15.—Earl Stanford, accused of having embezzled \$148,000, is under arrest at Los Angeles.

Some people love to tell the truth—when they think it will hurt.



## PINE COUNTY PIONEER

ED. C. GOTTRY, Editor and Prop.

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

Pine City, Minnesota, Mar. 22, 1912

What is "Teddy" going to talk through, having thrown his hat in the ring? Willow River Farmer.

It begins to look as though some of the fellows in Mexico are playing their hand in such a way as to force American intervention. Their game might work with a hot head like a certain citizen of Oyster Bay in the President's chair but your Uncle William will keep cool and will not lose his head.

The confession of the "chief investigator" in the McNamara case of attempted jury bribing makes the clouds gathering around Clarence Darrow's head look a little darker. It begins to look as though the courts were on the right track and were going to land in the state prison the men who were responsible for the attempt to corrupt the courts of California in this notorious case. Darrow will be one of the chief supporters of Roosevelt's latest scheme for referring court decisions to popular vote and he will be joined by hundreds of others who are afraid of an honest, fearless judiciary.

Roosevelt has reasons for desiring the overthrow of our admirable system of administering the law. He hasn't been particularly fond of the courts since they arose and sat down on his scheme of getting even with his personal enemies by an attempt at punishing the publishers of certain newspapers which had criticized him for "criminal libel." Roosevelt held in check by the courts made a fairly good President; Roosevelt without the check of a wisely administered law in the hands of a fearless judiciary would be a tyrant who would put Robespierre to shame and plunge our nation into a riot of bloodshed and crime.

The time for town meetings in this state is drawing near and now is the time to discuss town matters. The summer of 1912 will see more good permanent road work done in the United States than was ever undertaken in any one year. In almost every state in the union the question of good roads is being agitated as never before and the counties where there is the most activity are the counties where real estate values are climbing higher and higher each year. The key to the rural population is the public highway and the amount of money wasted by careless and unscientific work on our roads is appalling. The people are waking up to the need of better roads and less waste in working the highways. The towns where the highway tax is payable in cash are towns where results are being obtained. Now is the time to agitate the matter of the proper expenditure of the money that goes on the highways each year.

If the Free Trade Bureau is correct you should be getting shoes for nothing with a bonus for buying them thrown in. A few months ago they were telling you that the cost of shoes was largely due to the high tariff on the leather and that if the tariff was reduced you would get them so much cheaper. The tariff was not only reduced but it was entirely taken off and what was done to the prices? Have you seen any shoes given away lately? The prices are as high or higher than they were before. There have been some perceptible efforts though and that is a large number of Americans thrown out of employment in large tanneries whose work came from the tanning of foreign hides which were previously imported free while the finished leather was protected. The same thing may be said of print paper. There is now no duty on Canadian paper but the prices are as high and for some grades higher than before the removal of the duty. The only difference has been that we are using more paper made by Canadian labor and less made by American labor. The proof of the pudding is in showing the strings.

## GRAND AND PETIT JURORS CHOSEN.

The following list of jurors has been selected to serve at the Spring term of the District Court. Grand Jury convenes April 9th, 1912, at one o'clock p. m.

GRAND JURY	
G. A. Robinson	Pine Town
F. G. Smith	Rock Creek
Frank Mortenson	Hinckley
C. K. Berg	Rock Creek
Fred Hartz	Royalton
Charles F. Johnson	Sandstone
M. E. Robey	"
Frank Baumbach	Mission Creek
A. S. Larsen	Sandstone
A. J. Hall	"
H. W. Harte	Pine City Vil.
August Borg	Pine Town
J. S. Enfield	Royalton
John Thunberg	"
Herbert E. Dane	Rock Creek
Matt McGrath	Kerrick
Alex Kelly	Sandstone
J. M. Odegard	Pine Town
John A. Johnson	Royalton
Ed Halva	Willow River
S. M. Lund	Kerrick
T. E. Ryan	Pokegama
Adolph Bjork	Rock Creek

The Petit Jury convenes April 10th, 1912, at one o'clock p. m.

PETIT JURY	
Marion Lones	Pine City Vil.
Oscar Ellstrom	" " "
Nels Breiland	Bruno
A. L. Peterson	Windemere
John Tate	Rock Creek
A. H. Fuchs	Hinckley
Charles Edstrom	Sandstone
David Lindstrom	Rock Creek
Hal Sherrick	Willow River
John Lynds	Sandstone
James Manakowski	Sturgeon Lake
Nels Dahlberg	Royalton
Joseph Adamczak	Windemere
John Mullen	Bremen
Gust Gjertsen	Sandstone
Edward Clough	Willow River
A. P. Sipprel	Rock Creek
Vincent Selenaki	Windemere
Harry Madison	Sandstone
George Klein	Duquette
Charles Swanson	Windemere
John Krestang	Kerrick
Leonard Larsen	Pine City Vil.
P. H. Uden	Royalton

### M. E. CHURCH LOCALS.

BY REV. PARISH

We will welcome you to all the services of our church.

We were glad to see the capacity of our church so seriously taxed by the large attendance at Sunday School last Sunday. Do it again good folks, and we'll make some provision for seating.

We are glad to report the organization of another class in our Sunday School. The officers are:

President	Joe Prochaska.
Vice Pres.	Dewey Kilmer.
Secretary	Geo. Prochaska.
Treasurer	Leslie Richards.
Teacher	Philip Hamlin.

Their colors are Blue and White.

## ST. PATRICK ENTERTAINMENT

The St. Patrick's entertainment given in Stekl's hall Tuesday evening for the benefit of St. Mary's Catholic church was well attended, the chairs and a good portion of the benches being filled with a very appreciative audience.

Those who took part certainly did themselves proud, as each and everyone of the children of the parish that were on the stage acquitted themselves in a manner that was a credit to themselves and their instructors.

The entertainment was commenced at the appointed hour, and lasted for about three hours, during which time the audience were kept in good humor and thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

One of the special features of the evening's entertainment was the speech by Rev. P. Floyd, of Duluth. The reverend gentleman, who is a native Ireland, gave a history of the Emerald Isle and told how she had suffered for over 800 years. He also told the part the Irish had taken in the history of our own country, and the part they have taken in our wars, from the war of the Revolution down to our late war with Spain.

He kept his audience interested from beginning to end, and they were all sorry that he did not speak longer.

Taking the entertainment from first to last it was exceedingly fine, and all those who failed to attend missed a treat.

—There are two kinds of job work; the ordinary kind and the Pioneer kind. You want the Pioneer kind.

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"It's in the Oil." All good paint is ground in PURE LINSEED OIL. No matter how good the other materials may be, the paint is useless if mixed in poor oil.

The Linseed Oil used in Minnesota Paints we KNOW is right. They buy the finest, selected Northwestern flaxseed, press out the oil in the good old-fashioned way, refine, settle and age it themselves—it never leaves their hands from the time it comes from the farmer until it is mixed in the paint. Do you know any other paint made like this?

Like the MINNESOTA LINSEED OIL, all other materials used in

**Minnesota Paints** are the very finest that can be had. The result is acknowledged to be *The Best Paints Made*. They've been making them just this way for 37 years—full Government Measure, cover more surface, look better and last longer than any other paint.

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**Smith Hardware Company.**

## Good Oil Makes Good Paint.

THE most important part of any paint is the linseed oil. Without pure linseed oil, paint will in a short time dry up, scale off, and leave the lumber exposed to the action of the weather. The only way for the manufacturer to be sure of the quality and age of the linseed oil is to make it himself. Minnesota Paints are made from our own Minnesota Linseed Oil. This is what makes it better, as the linseed oil is never out of our control until it is sealed up in the can and shipped as *Minnesota Paints*. In Minnesota Linseed Oil we grind pure White Lead and XX New Jersey Zinc, the two best paint pigments known. The grinding and mixing is done with the latest improved heavy machinery by expert workmen, supervised by practical paint men whose experience has extended over forty years. Do you wonder that

## Minnesota Paints

have been known for forty years as "The Best Paints Made." We make "A Special Paint for Every Paintable Surface." Figure how much surface a gallon will cover and protect satisfactorily. Minnesota Paints, on this basis, are the cheapest paints on the market.

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Paint your floors in colors that harmonize with the wall decorations and rugs.

In addition to the comfort and "cozy look," painted floors are a source of joy on cleaning day. With a damp cloth around the broom you can clean them in a jiffy. It's play rather than hard work to do it. Then, too, they are always dry, sanitary and healthful. Of course, you must use Vindex Floor Paint.

It dries hard over night, wears remarkably well, far longer and better than you think.

Its Good Paint, that's the reason.

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Best Place in Pine County to buy Hardware and Jewelry.

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Saturday, March 30th, 1912

40 head of fine farm horses. All native bred and first class stuff.

Usual Terms. All Welcome.

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**Your Money.**

We will give you full value for every dollar you spend with Us and We Guarantee to Save

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**The Reliance Lumber Co.**

Pine City, - - Minnesota.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS

—Job work, the kind that suits, at the Pioneer office.

—Mrs. A. Pennington is reported on the sick list this week.

—Ed. Andrehus, of Foley, was a business caller here yesterday.

—Mrs. John Kalb was reported on the sick list the fore part of the week.

—FOR SALE—60 acres in sec. 30, and 40 acres in sec. 24. Inquire of V. Linger.

—R. G. Pemberton, of Willow River, was a Pine City caller the first of the week.

—A number of Henriette citizens transacted business affairs in this place Tuesday.

—FOR SALE OR RENT—A good nine room house and two lots. Well situated. Inquire of Lillian Lambert.

—Anna Nelson and Lydia Kreuger, of Rock Creek, were Pine City callers Saturday.

—J. A. Peterson returned home yesterday morning after a two months sojourn in sunny California.

—W. H. McGrath, of Stillwater, transacted business affairs in this city the fore part of this week.

—Marion McKusick returned to Winona, Monday, after having spent the Easter vacation at her home.

—FOR SALE—My one-story six room cottage with one or two lots, or vacant lot only.

SUSAN SHEARER,  
Phone no. 11. Pine City, Minn.

—Mrs. Henry Spahr, of St. Paul, spent the past week with relatives and old friends in this place.

Henry Hoeller who has spent the past winter in the Dominion, returned to his home in this place Sunday.

—Gertrude Reinbolt was a passenger to St. Paul last Friday, where she went for a short visit with relatives.

—Frank McGrath, of Rush City, exchanged greetings with acquaintances in this place the fore part of the week.

—FOR RENT—120 acres, 90 in cultivation, 40 plowed last fall 7 of which is new breaking being pastured for 23 years. For further information write or phone

D. J. MCKAY  
Rush City, Minn.

—Mrs. Robt Harte and daughter, of Hinckley, spent the fore part of the week at the H. W. Harte home in this city.

—Chester Beck, of Rutledge, visited Miss Grace Wittrop and took in the M. E. Sunday school banquet Wednesday evening.

—FOR SALE—A 30 acre farm one half mile from postoffice. Good 3 room frame house, large barn, good well. Will be sold cheap if taken soon. Inquire at this office or of Sam Crawford, Pine City, Minn.

—Walter Johnson, manager of the Beliance Lumber Co. of this place, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

—Rudolph Wosmek arrived home from Hamline the latter part of last week and will spend the Easter vacation in this place.

—The Thos. Henderson family moved into the Kowalke building situated west of the Piper furniture store the first of the week.

—Geo. Gray, who is employed at Farmington, arrived in this place Sunday morning and will spend a week here with relatives.

—Adeline Bele who is employed at the Minnesota Transfer office in St. Paul, spent Tuesday at the home of her parents in this place.

—Vlad. Bele, who is attending Hamline "U" came up Friday morning and will spend the Easter vacation with his parents.

—Chas. Sherwood returned yesterday morning from a few days visit with relatives and friends in Ashland, and Superior Wisconsin.

—FOR SALE—S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 sec. 17 Township 41 Range 17 and W. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4 sec. 29 Township 41 Range 17. For prices and terms inquire of G. R. Wedin, Grantsburg, Wis.

—"The Shop" where good printing is done—The Pioneer.

If you want to sell a farm or if you want to buy a farm, see H. W. Harte, at Pine City State Bank.

—Albert Jumer and Russell Bede arrived home yesterday morning from St. Paul, where they have been students at the School of Agriculture.

—Genevieve Lambert and Jessie Stephan returned to Duluth, Sunday, after having spent their Easter vacation with their parents in this place.

—Work on the new dam is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and all will be ready April let, at which time the Chengwatana dam is to be removed.

—FOR SALE—Improved and wild land in lots of from 40 to 160 acres each. All first-class land in the clover belt. Inquire of O. P. Larson, R. F. D. 5, Box 64, Pine City, Minn. (w2)

—Jones Gray was taken with a slight stroke of paralysis Monday afternoon and is unable to make his mail route. In his illness, his son Royal is making the trip.

—WANTED—Representative for Secret Service Company. Address George A. Behn, 445 First Nat'l Bank Building, Chicago, Ill.

—The snowy covering that has clothed the fields in such an efficient manner the past winter is fast disappearing and it won't be long until spring is here in all its glory. Already wagons are being used about town and from all reports it will only be a matter of a few days until runners will be supplanted by wheels. Cheer up! this isn't such a bad old world after all.

—WILL sell or trade a 1 1/2-story building with a three-room flat in rear of store; I will take from five to forty acres of improved or unimproved land or will take vacant lots; this business property is located at Rock Creek, Minn., on the Northern Pacific railroad; good opening for general merchandise, as there is now only one store in the place; will give possession at once. See N. O. Hage, 878 Payne ave., St. Paul, Minn.

—FOR EXCHANGE— I have a nearly new Brush runabout, with a glass front, speedometer, extra tires, and a complete tool set, which I will trade for land. Inquire at this office or of Geo. Atchison, Free Press Bldg Mankato, Minn.

—On Saturday evening March 30th, Theodore Vita, heavy-weight wrestling champion, and Lodge Fiska, the giant Pole, will meet in this place and struggle for the honors. Vita hails from Hopkins and is said to be very fast. Fiska is a veritable giant and every one who attended the Miller-Fiska match, will vouch for Fiska's ability as a mat artist. This will undoubtedly be a great match. Don't miss it!

—Early Sunday morning, or to be more explicit between closing time Saturday night and opening time Sunday morning some one entered the Cranton confectionery store and made free with the change found in the till. After securing between eight and ten dollars in silver the early bird departed. This is not the first time that things of this kind have occurred, and something should be done to see that no more of it is allowed to take place.

—W. F. Richards one of the best known well diggers in this section, with head-quarters in Henriette, was called to Mora last week to repair the pumping station at that place. From Mora Mr. Richards goes to Milaca where he has more work along this line. Mr. Richards makes a specialty of deep well drilling and guarantees all work. He uses the best machinery obtainable and has met with good success in all of his undertakings. It will pay you to see Mr. Richards before putting in that well.

—John Robinson, of Royaltown Minn. has accepted a position as Manager of the Pine City Milling Co. and assumed the duties of that position on Monday of this week. Mr. Robinson has had a long experience in some of the best mills in this state and there is no doubt but that the business will progress under his management, the same that it has in the past. Henry Buirge, head miller for that establishment, will continue in that capacity, which insures that the quality of the celebrated Gold-

# GROCERIES Cheapest

in Large Quantities

**TO LIVE You** must continue to eat. That means that you must have food ALWAYS in the house. Why not buy that food in large quantities and save money? It will keep just as well with YOU as it will with US.

We would rather sell you a large quantity and give you a liberal discount than have all the trouble of handling small orders. Think it over come in get our prices in quantities—they will astonish you.

So me Specials;

7 lbs. steel cut oats 25 cts. Salt pork per pound 10 cts.  
30 cent coffee 25 cts. Picnic Hams per lb. 12 cts.

## A. W. Asplund,

Pine City, Minnesota.

en Key flour will be maintained "The Best on the Market," as in the past. Mr. Robinson's family will arrive in Pine City about the first of April, he having rented the Victor Olson house.

—A birthday surprise was tendered Mose Latour in honor of his fifty-sixth birthday, March 15, 1912. The party was given by R. V. Brian and H. O. Latour and was held at the M. Latour home in Colbyville. Games and card playing were the program of the evening. The following guests were present: Wm. Latour, wife and son Alvin; A. Stevenson, wife and daughters, Pearl and and their son Page; A. D. Scullin and wife; A. Leitch and wife; Misses Esther and Bonnie Carroll, Flora and Martha Palmer, Irene Brian, Alice Cameron, Mayme Hanson, Ruth Johnson; R. Scullin and wife; and Mesdames H. O., Archie, Samuel, Gilbert, Robert, and Dennis Latour; Geo. E. Carroll, R. V. Brian.

LETTERS ADVERTISED

Remaining uncalled for at the Post Office at Pine City for the week ending Mar. 18, 1912.

Inga Helsinki.  
Ellen Lind.  
Nina MacMonagle.

Persons claiming the above letters will please say "advertised," giving date of this list. Will be sent to the Dead Letter office Mar. 25th 1912.

J. Y. Breckenridge,  
P. M.

DEER VALLEY

John Collins and wife were county seat visitors on business Monday.

Mr. Carpenter and son were Rock Creek visitors on business last week.

Mr. Berglund was a Pine City and Rock Creek visitor the fore part of the week.

Jas. Carlson and Mr. Palmer are hauling baled hay for Wm. Danner that he sold to the Farmers' store at Rock Creek.

Joe Parent jr., was a Rock Creek and Pine City visitor on urgent business Monday.

Mr. Bruce and wife took a trip to the county seat last week, returning by the way of Rock Creek.

Mrs. John Tate was out to Rock Creek Thursday to attend the meeting of the Royal Neighbors.

Steve Gillig was a county seat and Rock Creek visitor on business the latter part of last week.

E. J. Heineman and family went out to Rock Creek to visit with Mr. Heineman's parents last Friday. The children enjoyed their visit with grandpa and grandma very much.

A brother of the new settler that moved into the Valley this winter has come up from Minneapolis to remain for a month or so, after which he will return to the flour city and resume his old position there.

MEADOW LAWN

J. F. Holler has returned from Eyergreen.

Mrs. D. W. Scofield spent Sunday at the Allen Scofield home.

Chas. Purdy and family spent Sunday at Chas. Franklin's.

Cheer up! Spring is coming. Look for the signs, plenty of them.

The bottle-baby pig is doing fine. Inquire of the owner, Tom Nichols.

M. K. Smith and family and Mrs. McAdam spent Sunday afternoon at the Clynne home.

Mattie Lahart and Miss Wright spent Sunday at the home of the latter, near Pine City.

Victor Plaisted, happy-go-lucky-and-as-you-please, spent Sunday with the boys at M. K. Smith's.

Tuesday Arlo Nichols left for Okabea accompanied by John Clynne, for whom he will work during the summer.

Delbert Carrier and wife have left their home at Husletown, and departed Tuesday for Okabea, where they have rented a farm.

Mr. Auman and wife entertained most royally a party of their friends Friday evening. Those present report having had a fine time.

Alfred Decker returned from St. Paul where he had been staying with his brother, Aca, who is receiving medical treatment in the saintly city. He is reported to be improving and we all hope to have him back with us soon.

Hark! Hark! Good people hark! Come to our social here, March 23rd at Meadow Lawn school. The prices are not very dear. Fifteen cents for supper, Five cents for fish, or For candy or ice cream too. Bring all your pals, Both boys and girls, And a good time is assured unto you.

## The Pine City State Bank

This Bank offers to its Customers all the advantages of the MOST MODERN BANKING PRACTICE.

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Accounts of responsible persons are desired on a basis of mutual profit and advantage.

Pine City State Bank  
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# Curtains and Draperies

## FASCINATING curtains and draperies for every need in your home. We have them all. Come in and have a look around even if you do not purchase.

Here is the prettiest selection you ever saw in your life. "They will make your mouth water" to use the kiddies' expression. And the prices will suit you. We have bought "right" and can afford to give bargains that will delight you. Come early and get a good pick.

These are Some Specials.

Good plain cream scrim	10 cts. a yard
Good print pattern scrim	12 "
Good net dainty for curtains	15 "
Bargain Lace curtains per pair	45 cents
A special good Arabian Lace curtain	\$1.50 per pair

**'PIPER' the Pine City FURNITURE MAN.**



# DR. WILEY RESIGNS

CHIEF OF CHEMISTRY BUREAU OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE CAUSES SURPRISE.

SILENT ABOUT HIS PLANS

Action Follows Long Conference of Secretary Wilson and Foe of Food Adulteration—Expert Refuses to Make Statement at This Time.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture, sent his resignation to Secretary Wilson.

Dr. Wiley's action came as a dramatic climax to a long conference he had with Secretary Wilson in the latter's private office. The secretary would make no statement other than that Dr. Wiley had handed in his resignation. No reasons were given, he said, nor did Dr. Wiley outline his plans for the future.

Dr. Wiley had been unhappy for a long time in his connection with the department of agriculture. He has asserted that he has been hampered in the administration of his office and harassed by other officials. The recent Wiley-Wilson-McCabe controversy was an outcropping of the friction that long had existed.

Complimented by Investigators. A house committee which recently investigated the department complained that Dr. Wiley in the highest regard and scored his associates in the department.

Dr. Wiley entered the service of the government as chief chemist in 1883, serving in that capacity ever since then. Because of alleged technical irregularities in the employment of Dr. H. H. Babay, a New York consulting chemist, Dr. Wiley several months ago was recommended for dismissal by Secretary Wilson and Attorney General Wickersham. President Taft set those recommendations aside.

Rumor He Would Enter Politics. One rumor was that Dr. Wiley would enter politics and might become a candidate for vice-president on the Democratic ticket. He denied this with a laugh.

Dr. Wiley recently was quoted as saying: "I have for a long time been working to make peace in the department. This, however, cannot be done as long as there are such incongruous elements as are now to be found there. It is my hoping that a solution of the difficulties may be found."

Promises to Issue Statement.

"If I decide to withdraw I shall issue a statement which will be no difficulty in understanding."

Dr. Wiley at that time was asked whether he had expressed his views to Secretary Wilson. He replied that he had done so long ago.

"I have told him what kind of people could get along together in the department and what kind could not."

At the cabinet meeting President Taft was informed of Dr. Wiley's resignation by Secretary Wilson. To the newspaper men after the cabinet meeting Secretary Wilson said: "The relations between me and Dr. Wiley always have been pleasant personally."

He would say nothing more.

SHIP ON ROCKS; 40 ESCAPE

Line From Boat to Shore Aids Rescue of Crew From Steamer Islesworth.

Hullfax, N. S., March 15.—The new steamer Islesworth, under charter to the Dominion Coal company, broke three or her propeller blades on a trip from Boston to Louisbourg, and in consequence she is ashore off Chatham Head, at the entrance to the harbor, and will be at total loss.

The Islesworth had a crew of 40 men, all of whom got to land with difficulty.

A boat was sent ashore with a line, which was used to get all the crew ashore. Five trips were made, the boat being pulled to and fro by the line, each man being becoming increasingly perilous in a rising sea.

AVIATOR WITTEE IS KILLED

Biplane Collapses in Mist of Flight Near Suburb of Berlin and Falls to Earth.

Berlin, Germany, March 16.—Herz Wittee, who took a prominent part in the last Berlin aviation meeting at Johannisthal, was killed. He was making a flight in the vicinity of the suburb of Teltow when his Wright biplane collapsed and fell.

# OLIVER C. CARPENTER.



Mr. Carpenter is the manager of Colwell's Hardware, New York, political headquarters. He is a New York lawyer who served under Roosevelt in the past. He was an assistant to George D. Coe, lawyer in the campaign of 1904.

TRIES TO ASSASSINATE KING VICTOR OF ITALY

Anarchist Fires Three Bullets at Italian Ruler—Crowd Tries to Lynch "Red." Who is Hampered Roughly.

Rome, March 15.—An attempt to assassinate King Victor Emmanuel of Italy was made by an anarchist in Rome.

The would-be regicide fired several shots from a revolver at the king, but Victor Emmanuel escaped unhurt.

One of his majesty's bodyguards, who was in the immediate vicinity of the king, was dangerously wounded.

The shots were fired from a very short distance.

The assassin was arrested. He chose for his attempt the anniversary of the birthday of the late King Humbert, the father of the present king, who died the victim of an assassin's bullet at Monza on July 29, 1900.

The attempt on the king's life was made as his majesty, with Queen Helena, was going from the palace to the Pantheon to take part in the annual memorial service in honor of the late King Humbert. The royal carriage was preceded and followed by an escort of cuirassiers.

The procession was passing along the Via Lata when three shots were fired from the crowd. The soldiers following the carriage immediately dashed forward, and as they did so their commander fell from his horse.

The wounded officer was moved to one side by some of his men, while the others dashed up to the royal carriage, where they found the king and queen sitting calm and unmoved.

Meanwhile the crowd seized the man who had fired the shots and attempted to lynch him. He was so badly handled that he was scarcely able to answer questions when he was handed over to the police.

SIX OF THE OSPINAS ILL

Much Sickness in the Family of Former Colombian Minister—To Leave U. S. in June.

Washington, March 16.—Sickness has invaded the family of Senor Ospina, until recently the Colombian minister to the United States. His wife has been seriously ill with cancer several weeks. Now her mother and father, who are visiting here, have been taken sick with the grip, and Senor Ospina and two children also are suffering from the same ailment.

Senor Ospina had intended to leave Washington after severing his connection with the legation, but does not expect to leave before June.

Mrs. K. L. Lorillard Kills Self. New York, March 15.—Mrs. Kathleen Lewis Lorillard, wife of Beckman Lorillard, a grandson of Peter Lorillard, killed herself in the bathroom of her apartments at the Holland house, by hanging with a trunk strap. She had suffered an attack of neurasthenia.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK—CATTLE.....	20 00 20 00
Sheep.....	18 00 18 00
PORK—Wheat.....	3 75 3 75
WHEAT—May.....	1 00 1 00
CORN.....	0 90 0 90
OATS—No. 2.....	0 80 0 80
RYE.....	0 80 0 80
BUTTER—Creamery.....	22 00 22 00
EGGS.....	22 00 22 00
CHEESE.....	10 00 10 00

MEXICO REFUSED U. S. ARMS

House Adopts Concurrent Resolution Passed by Senate—Taft to Forbid Shipments.

Washington, March 16.—The house, after a brief discussion, adopted the concurrent resolution passed by the senate authorizing the president to prohibit the exportation of war supplies to any American country where domestic violence exists. In signing the resolution President Taft will issue a proclamation specifically forbidding the shipment of arms to Mexican revolutionaries.

Representative Longworth, a member of the committee, presented a report giving the dissenting views of the minority on the bill.

BUTTERMILK VERY NUTRITIOUS.

Washington, March 16.—An ordinary glass of buttermilk contains about as much nutriment as two ounces of bread, a good-sized potato or half a pint of oysters, according to a department of agriculture bulletin on the utilization of dairy bi-products as food.

# SPARKS FROM LIVE WIRES

The Southeastern Minnesota Educational association at Rochester, Minn., elected H. A. Kent of Winona president.

Judge Donworth at Tacoma, Wash., announced that his record books found the United States district bench. He resigned recently.

Peter Georgia, author of the Greek drama "Oedipus," was sentenced at Mason City, Ia., to seven years in prison for obtaining money under false pretenses.

Madame Gattarone, twelve years old, and his brother, Emil, aged ten, fell from a log on which they were loafing in the River Desperado, near St. Louis, and were drowned.

Engineers of the Canadian government are at Ottawa, Ont., tabulating information on the effect of the Chicago drainage canal on Lake and St. Lawrence river navigation.

While a trawler was doing in Winthrop county jail, at Fort Wayne, Ind., Ray Mosher, a "trusty," took his keys and escaped with Ray Holmes, who was charged with forgery.

Gora, Oswald West of Oregon and Thomas L. Oddie of Nevada selected the first sites allotted on the grounds of the Panama-Pacific international exhibition at San Francisco, Cal.

Hope Phil X. will have to pay \$20 inheritance tax on a bequest of \$500 made to him by Johanna Strant of Milwaukee. Probate Judge Karno made the ruling under a Wisconsin law.

After agreeing to a closer federation with the Illinois State Teachers' association, the Central Illinois Teachers' association of Decatur, Ill., elected officers, choosing Dr. W. C. Bagley for president.

The present season's crop of Cuban tobacco will exceed the largest crop previously recorded by close to 75,000 boxes, according to New York experts, who have recently returned from an extended visit to the Cuban markets.

William C. Whitney's estate near Princeton, Mass., perhaps the largest private game preserve in the east, is to be perpetuated by action of the owners in transferring this to a trust association headed by Harry Payne Whitney.

Mrs. A. E. Thomas and seven children all ragged and barefooted, arrived at Hialeah, Fla., half starved. Her husband, A. E. Thomas, an American, was killed by Mexican bandits or rebels south of Nogales, Sonora, three weeks ago.

Aviator Charles K. Hamilton claims to have established a new American biplane record by a thirty-three-minute flight between Sacramento, Calif., and Marysville, Cal., a distance of 42.7 miles. He made the trip at an average speed of 78.9 miles an hour.

Judge Benjamin Means of Newton, Kan., received a money order for 50 cents from a man in Oklahoma, who says he stole some grapes from Means' Indiana farm forty-two years ago.

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# COLDS AND CHILLS BRING KIDNEY ILLS

Colds, chills and grip strain the kidneys and cause backache, urinary disorders and uric acid troubles. Doan's Kidney Pills are very useful in the early stages.

They also relieve urinary disorders, keep the kidneys well and prevent colds from settling on the kidneys.

Mrs. E. A. Bonnet, Johnson Ave., Los Gatos, Cal., says: "I took cold or overworked, I had such severe pains through my back, I could hardly move. My limbs ached until I scarcely knew what I was about, and headaches and dizziness distressed me. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and was entirely relieved. It is over two years since I have had any kidney trouble to speak of."

"When Your Back Is Lame, Remember the Name—DOAN'S" See all stores. Foster-Niburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Guess What. Tom—Yes, Miss Roxley and I are strangers now. I've been asked not to call there again.

Jack—I'll bet old Roxley had a hand in that.

Tom—Well, or not a hand exactly.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets first put up 18 years ago. They regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated tiny granules.

Nothing Hard About That. "The woman I marry," he said, "must be able to blink." "Oh," she replied, "I can do that. I blink every time I am seen anywhere with you!"—San Francisco Chronicle.

As a corrective for indigestion and a regulator of the system, no remedy can excel in purity and efficiency Genuin's Tea.

Parlez-Vous Français? He—Does she speak French at all? She—Well, yes, but only enough to make herself unattractive—Judge.

"Fish Eye" is Epidemic in the Spring. Try Murre's Eye Lenses for Fish Eye Relief.

It often happens that when a man knows his duty he tries to stave it off by seeking advice.

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**Notice of Cancellation of Land Contract.**

To ROSS M. REASON: Please take notice—Whereas, default has been made in that certain contract of sale and purchase made and entered into on the 15th day of September, 1910, by F. A. Savage Land Company, vendor, and Ross M. Reason, vendee, for the sale and purchase of the following described lands in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast quarter (1/4) of the Southeast quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Forty-two (42), Range Eighteen (18), also the Northeast quarter (1/4) of the Northeast quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Forty-two (42), Range Eighteen (18).

Which said default consists in the failure to pay the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) due on the first day of each month thereafter beginning April 1st, 1911, and ending March 1st, 1912, both dates inclusive.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the said F. A. Savage Land Company, does hereby elect and declare said contract, cancelled and terminated, and all rights, title and interest acquired thereunder by said Ross M. Reason shall be forfeited, null and void from the date of this notice upon him, and the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) shall, upon the expiration of this notice, be paid to the service of the vendee.

Dated, March 21st, 1912.  
F. A. SAVAGE LAND COMPANY, By C. E. Parry, Attorney for Vendor, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Mar. 15-22-29 April 5.

**Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon.**

Estate of Lewis S. Larson, State of Minnesota, County of Pine, in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lewis S. Larson, Deceased.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Anna Larson, widow.

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof, and that Monday the 17th day of June, 1912, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Room at the Court House at Pine City, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, appointed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice be given by the publication of this order in the Pine County Pioneer as provided by law.

Dated March 16th, 1912.  
ROBERT WILCOE, (SEA.) Judge of Probate. Mar. 22-29 Apr. 5-12

**WANT ADS.**

—BABY CHICKS— 12 cents per  
Wyandotters, R. & S. C. W. Leghorns, all separate farm raised. Mixed breeds 7 cents. Cash with order.  
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Said stock to be paid for as follows:

10 per cent on demand, 10 per cent February 1st 1912, 10 per cent March 1st 1912, 10 per cent April 1st, 1912 10 per cent May 1st 1912, 10 per cent June 1st 1912, and the balance July 1st 1912.
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A. W. Piper 5 " 25
Dan Hoffman 1 " 5
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**Notice of Cancellation of Land Contract.**

To JOSEPH M. GREGORY: Please take notice—Whereas, default has been made in that certain contract of sale and purchase made and entered into on the 22nd day of October, 1910, by F. A. Savage Land Company, vendor, and Joseph M. Gregory, vendee, for the sale and purchase of the following described lands in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The South 1/4 (1/4) of the Southwest quarter (1/4) of Section seven (7), Township Forty-two (42), Range Eighteen (18).

Which said default consists in the failure to pay Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) due on the 15th day of each month of March, 1911, and on each month thereafter to and including the 15th day of the month of March, 1912.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the said F. A. Savage Land Company, does hereby elect and declare said contract, cancelled and terminated, and all rights, title and interest acquired thereunder by said Joseph M. Gregory shall be forfeited, null and void from the date of this notice upon him, and the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) shall, upon the expiration of this notice, be paid to the service of the vendee.

Dated, March 21st, 1912.  
F. A. SAVAGE LAND COMPANY, By C. E. Parry, Attorney for Vendor, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Mar. 15-22-29 Apr. 5.

**Notice of Cancellation of Land Contract.**

To FRED WADSWORTH: Please take notice—Whereas, default has been made in that certain contract of sale and purchase made and entered into on the 20th day of August, 1910, by F. A. Savage Land Company, vendor, and Fred Wadsworth, vendee, for the sale and purchase of the following described lands in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast quarter (1/4) of the Southeast quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Forty-two (42), Range Eighteen (18).

Which said default consists in the failure to pay the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) due on the 1st day of each month of the first days of January, February and March, of the year 1912.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the said F. A. Savage Land Company, does hereby elect and declare said contract, cancelled and terminated, and all rights, title and interest acquired thereunder by said Fred Wadsworth shall be forfeited, null and void from the date of this notice upon him, and the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) shall, upon the expiration of this notice, be paid to the service of the vendee.

Dated, March 21st, 1912.  
F. A. SAVAGE LAND COMPANY, By C. E. Parry, Attorney for Vendor, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Mar. 15-22-29 April 5.

**ROCK CREEK**

Aug. Shogren was a Rush City visitor on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Lennorath and sister paid the county seat a visit Monday.

Mrs. Marie Doran visited at the Halesman home Monday afternoon.

Nels Sherwood visited with relatives and friends at the county seat Tuesday.

Aug. Altman drove to Pine City Tuesday for a ton of coal for George Lennorath.

Mrs. F. Wilson boarded the north bound train Monday to be absent for a few days.

E. Johnson is building a house around his ice to take the place of the one that was burned.

The R. N. A. camp have rented the hall, and in the future will hold their meetings in the same.

The temperance society held their regular meeting in the hall Tuesday evening and report having had a fine time.

Mr. Alexander, who was in the twin cities consulting a specialist in regard to his health returned home Tuesday.

A sister of our constable, John L. Peterson, who was home on a visit, returned to the twin cities on Saturday's north train.

Mr. Lind, who purchased the Peterson farm near town last fall, is here regular every morning with milk for the creamery.

The M. W. A. camp will give a play and dance in the hall some time after lent for the benefit of the Foresters. The date will be announced later.

Relatives and friends were at the station Friday to say farewell to John Myers and family and to wish them Gods speed no matter where they may go.

The M. W. A. camp was well attended last Saturday evening. Consul Geo. Lennorath was selected as a delegate to the meeting to be held in Minneapolis soon.

Geo. Lennorath wife, sister-in-law, Mr. Strommen and wife took dinner Sunday at the Felix Wilson home. They report having spent a very pleasant time at the Wilson farm.

Thos. Gill, the station agent, is erecting another new cottage on his land, that will be occupied as soon as completed. He is certainly not afraid to invest his money in Rock Creek.

Chas. Heineman, who is now a justice of the peace, will present one of the finest certificates that can be had free to the first couple married by him. Here's a chance young people, now get busy.

Mr. Simons and Philip Nessel, who are in the west have written back that they are at Stocton, Cal., and are well pleased with that part of the country. We would not be surprised if they sold their land here and moved out west.

Go-to-L. Stevens sold two cars of potatoes here for which he received a dollar and five cents a bushel. We have been informed that he still has in the neighborhood of 2,000 bushels yet for sale. This shows that the land around here is great for raising spuds.

**CORNELL**

O. E. Lind took a trip to Graeton Monday.

Mr. Nightingale was delivering wood here Monday.

Chas. Peterson, the bank cashier, is now driving a fine team of horses.

Axel Berglin has made another horse trade, and now has an elegant driving team.

Quite a number from this neighborhood took in the sale at Opgren's last Thursday.

Howard Aldrich was over from Mora Monday to look over his saw mill after the accident.

Ed. Peterson and wife, H. Reichardt and wife were visitors at the Ellis Cron home Sunday.

It is reported that A. E. Hoaglan who moved to Washington some time ago will return to Cornell this spring.

The Ladies Aid oyster supper at the L. Lewis home Saturday evening was well attended. All report having had a good time.

The Sunday school and regular service held in the school house Sunday, were well attended, in spite of the snowy weather.

Mr. Cron and wife, father and mother of the Cron boys, returned to their home west of Mora Monday, after having spent Sunday with their sons.

Bert. Wallace has returned from Iowa and brought a fine team of horses and farm implements with him. He now has a team he can well feel proud of.

F. J. Braag, the hardware man is busily engaged setting up farm machinery. Now is the time to get your machinery. His stock is all new and prices are right.

Our saw mill had a little accident last Saturday when a belt broke and tore a part of the roof of the mill shed. No one was hurt, and the mill was in running order again Monday.

**GOOD NEWS,**

Many Pine City Readers Have Heard and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Pine City are glad to hear that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is had for more thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. One citizen was telling the good news of his experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Peter Hoin, Pine City, Minn., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family and have proved so satisfactory that I cheerfully give my testimony for their efficacy. This remedy is particularly effective in curing dull, nagging pains across the kidneys and lameness in the back. Our supply of Doan's Kidney Pills has always been procured at Breckenridge's Pharmacy and we have never lost an opportunity to recommend them."

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