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## ST. PAUL GRAFT TRIAL NEAR CLOSE

### New Witness Contradicts Testimony of Defendants.

The taking of testimony has been declared closed by Judge Morrison in the second Flanagan-Turner graft trial at St. Paul and the attorneys began summing up.

William B. Miller, former license inspector and court officer, who accompanied Flanagan and Turner to Milwaukee, told more of the details of the Milwaukee trip under cross-examination. He contradicted the testimony of Flanagan and Turner to the effect they had not discussed with Miller the arrest of Coplovich in connection with the graft investigation and had not mentioned the story Dorothy Hazard told in police court about paying \$1,000 for alleged protection.

Judge F. M. Catlin also proved a good witness for the state. He related a vigorous denial to telling Flanagan, when the latter succeeded him as acting chief of police, that arrangements had been made to permit the Dorsey woman to open a resort at St. Paul. Flanagan had testified Catlin had told him the Dorsey woman would be permitted to open a resort in the huge house, once occupied by Mabel Mitchell.

Police Commissioner Loomis testified as to warning Flanagan about permitting Willie Wolf to "hang around Central station," and as to mentioning Sam Coplovich to the then acting chief in a similar connection. Emmet Brown, indicted by the grand jury on a perjury charge and who has entered a plea of not guilty, was permitted by Judge Morrison to correct her testimony. The woman said Flanagan had been at her house several times. She recalled two visits there in company with Willie Wolf. In her previous testimony she stated Flanagan had never visited her house.

## BIG GROWTH IN REVENUES

Minnesota Will Collect About \$17,000,000 During 1914.

The state of Minnesota will receive from taxation and other revenue sources approximately \$17,000,000 during 1914, according to a table prepared by Secretary J. S. Pardoe of the state efficiency and economy commission. The startling growth of the state's income is indicated by a comparison with 1912 when the total was but \$12,550,000. Mr. Pardoe's estimate, although most conservative, shows an increase of \$4,652,000 in the course of two years.

The next task before the commission and its secretary is to analyze the method of disposing of those funds. The members are trying to find out exactly what is done with the money thus collected, where it goes and the work it accomplishes. When this is ascertained the commission believes it will be able better to suggest economy measures.

## PRIZE EAR OF CORN STOLEN

Minnesota Exhibit at Dallas Show is Gone.

An ear of corn from Minnesota, shown at exhibition as "the \$1,000 ear," one of the attractions at the national corn exhibition at Dallas, Tex., has been stolen. J. J. Furlong, president of the Minnesota state fair in charge of the ear, informed the police it was taken from a desk in the lobby of a Dallas hotel.

James J. Hill awarded a prize of \$1,000 for this ear, which is fourteen inches long. It was Mr. Hill's property.

## A Pleasant Finlayson Affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill of Finlayson entertained a number of friends at their home in the bustling 'burg last Sunday in honor of their fourth wedding anniversary.

The popular real estate man who, by the way, is a whole lot of a chef, prepared most of the dishes himself and he had everything from soup to cigarettes a-la-Virna or a-la-Venus, in Bordeaux or a-la-Caribad.

It was a meal to be remembered—long after the pepsin had played out.

## A Model Town.

The following paper was read at the Men's Club Monday night, and would it not be a good idea for Pine City to go after it?

A perfect village, to be a model for Minnesota, is to be built, if the plans of the city planning committee of the League of Minnesota Municipalities can realize.

No city as yet has been selected for the experiment. At a meeting held yesterday at the university it was decided to proceed at once to communicate with the cities belonging to the league to determine upon one where the results would be most satisfactory.

Every phase of city welfare will be gone into. The plans will be broad enough to provide for the growth of the city for several years in the future.

## QUESTIONS CONSIDERED.

Among the questions that will be considered will be the need of sewage and water supply, laying out of streets, parks and playgrounds. Housing, sanitary conditions, and everything that would go to make the town an ideal place to live in will be considered.

Various state departments and departments of the university will be asked to co-operate in the survey. In this way expert knowledge on the various matters will be obtained.

A town of one or two thousand will undoubtedly be chosen as typical of the largest number of places in the state. The question of the future growth of the place will also be taken into consideration, as the plans will be made for development along many lines.

After the survey has been made and the plans laid for the town it is hoped that it will serve as a model for other cities and towns in the state and in this way create a campaign for town betterment.

J. E. Jenks, president of the league; R. H. Price, head of the extension division of the university, and Mayor Nye, chairman of town planning committee of the league, are among those who are interested in working out the scheme.

The beautifying of the villages of the state is one of the purposes of the league," said the mayor yesterday. "Villages are handicapped in improving themselves because of lack of funds and lack of authority. With the league interested, the survey ought to be of great benefit to the town."

## STATE NEWS BITS

### Minor Happenings of the Week Throughout Minnesota.

A concerted campaign can eradicate hog cholera in Minnesota just as it has been wiped out of the hog pens at the University of Minnesota farm, thus saving the farmers thousands of dollars annually, was the declaration of Dr. H. Preston Hawkins, in charge of the farm serum plant, who spoke before a meeting of the Minnesota Swine Breeders' association at the farm.

Mrs. Sophie L. Rice, wife of A. E. Rice, former lieutenant governor of Minnesota and now a member of the board of regents of the state university, is dead at Wilmar. She was born in Sweden, Jan. 31, 1854. Her health had been falling for several years. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Captain Chairman A. Rice, now stationed with his command in Cuba.

Lying in a manger in a barn at the rear of their home at St. Charles the body of Mrs. Jennie Dowling, wife of E. J. Dowling, was found by searchers. A silk scarf, the improvised noose of which had been broken, was suspended from a chandelier directly above and told the means of her death. She is said to have threatened to end her life several times.

The census bureau places the value of Minnesota's 1913 crops at \$194,178,000. These figures include the production of corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, buckwheat, flaxseed, direct potatoes, sweet potatoes, hay and lint cotton. In comparison with the 1912 crop this shows a total increase for Minnesota of over \$20,000,000.

B. F. Nelson, vice president of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota, was elected president of the board to succeed John Lind, who resigned because his mission in Mexico prevented further service on the board. Fred B. Snyder was elected vice president to succeed Mr. Nelson.

Mrs. C. J. Cannon, thirty-five years old, died at St. Paul from burns received a few hours before. Mrs. Cannon was preparing dinner for her husband and family when her dress caught fire from the stove and she was severely burned before her husband smothered the blaze.

Mrs. Sennah Shoop Cogley is dead at Blomington. She was the mother of sixteen children, seven of whom, with her husband John W. Cogley, are in his ninetieth year, survive. Three years ago the Cogleys celebrated their diamond anniversary, having been married sixty years.

Two weeks of married life brought such domestic troubles to Max T. Johnson according to a note he left, that he shot himself through the head at the family apartments in St. Paul. He died almost instantly, and his wife, who became hysterical, was taken to the city hospital.

The state highway commission will soon notify all county auditors that this is the first year the statewide 1 mill tax for good road purposes provided for by the last legislature will be levied. The total to be realized from this tax will be approximately \$1,300,000.

Lars Anderson and Lars Gustave Nelson, both residents of Minnesota, were run down and killed by an Inland Duluth passenger train in the Mill City. Carl H. Anderson, brother of Lars Anderson, escaped death by jumping. He was slightly injured.

President Ellert of the Minneapolis school board has recommended that there be no automatic increase in teachers' salaries next year. The board studies this every teacher in the Mill City schools will be paid exactly the salary now allowed.

Henry Ellert, twenty-eight years old, a machinist at the Omaha road shops at St. Paul, was instantly killed when his head struck the door of the cab of an engine that was moving out of the building.

More than 10,000,000 persons, an average of 28,000 daily, used the St. Paul Union Depot in 1913. More than 10,000,000 tickets were sold and more than 10,000,000 passengers were handled in the depot in 1913 than ever before in a similar period.

Professor J. S. Young, University of Minnesota, has been appointed on the advisory board of the state aluminum waste commission in place of Allen D. Albers of Minneapolis, who is unable to serve.

## Old Resident Suicides.

Nils Anderson who lived with his son John on his farm about 1 1/2 miles northeast of Rock Creek, committed suicide last Sunday afternoon by cutting his throat with a razor, living only a short time after the rash deed was committed.

Mr. Anderson was born in Sweden, April 1st, 1825, and came to Pine City in May, 1898, when he purchased the place on which he died, within two days after he and his family arrived. He has continued to reside there up to the time of his death, his wife passing away there 15 years ago this coming summer.

The old gentleman has been ailing for some years with lung trouble and has been gradually growing worse and has several times made the remark that he wished the end might come soon. But those about him had no thought that he would ever take any rash step to end his life. His son had been with him all the afternoon, some of the time reading from the psalm book of the Lutheran church, and had left the room only to return 15 minutes later to find his father sitting on the side of the bed with his throat terribly slashed.

Mr. Anderson Jr. at once ran over to the home of his neighbor, Wm. Doran, to call him, and the two returned to the house only a minute before death came. The funeral was held from the home at 1 p. m., Wednesday, Rev. Johnson of the West Rock Methodist church preaching the funeral sermon. The remains were interred in the cemetery at the Pine Grove church on the Government road. The pall-bearers were Adolph Bjork, Nils Peterson, F. Smith, John Nordland, Hokan Hokanson and Mr. Johnson.

Disseas leaves three children to mourn his loss, John A. and Oscar in Rock Creek town and Mrs. Sigrid Nordstad who lives in the old land.

## License at Henriette Revoked.

The monthly meeting of the county commissioners was held at Pine City last Monday afternoon and drew quite an attendance.

The most important matter acted on was the Hoberg, attorney license at Henriette. County attorney King of Kanabec county appeared, bearing a request from the board of commissioners of his county that the license be revoked because of its evil influences. Attorney Sobota for Mr. Hoberg, put up a strenuous fight but to no avail. When the vote was taken it stood two and two—and Chairman Derr cast the deciding vote against.

The only other matter of more than routine that was taken up was the matter of a rock crusher to put onto the roads. The matter was talked over to considerable extent but no decision was reached. Several requests were received for abatement of taxes, some being granted and some denied.

Next week we will give the official report of all the proceedings.

## Rosin—Karas.

Miss Julia Rosin and Anton Karas were married by Father Leo in the church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock a. m. last Monday, the wedding being followed by a reception and bountiful wedding dinner at the home of the bride's parents.

At the wedding the bride was gowned in white satin while Miss Rose Karas, who was bridesmaid, wore pink satin. Edward Rosin was best man at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Karas expect to leave soon for Storrum, N. D., where they will make their future home.

## ABOUT THE STATE

### News of Especial Interest to Minnesota Readers.

## PROGRESSIVES IN THE FIELD

### Decide to Nominates Complete State and Congressional Tickets for Next Election.

One hundred representatives of the Progressive party in Minnesota met at the Merchants hotel at St. Paul and decided to place a complete state and congressional ticket in the field in the approaching campaign.

County option, suffrage and opposition to a public utilities commission, as proposed by Governor Eberhart, were features of the resolutions adopted, which virtually constitute the party's platform. W. T. Coe of Minneapolis headed the resolutions committee.

The principles of the Minette and Nolan bills were endorsed "for the present." The platform also proposes a law that estimates of the cost of government shall be set out in a proposed budget printed and circulated long enough before election for the people to inspect it before voting. It also recommends that all subordinate state employes be placed under civil service.

The pending constitutional amendments for the initiative, referendum and recall were characterized as the most important measures before the people. The conference went on record as reaffirming allegiance to the national Progressive platform. The Progressives condemn vigorously all fusion with the Republican party.

Prospective candidates for nomination under the Progressive banner were discussed informally. Among those mentioned as good gubernatorial were Congressman C. A. Lindbergh of Little Falls, Congressman F. M. Nye of Minneapolis and Captain J. Gunderson of Alexandria. Captain T. P. Kelly of Owatonna was mentioned as a possible candidate for congress from the First district.

Congressman C. R. Davis of St. Peter and Sydney Anderson of Lumberton were scored at the conference by O. K. Davis, secretary of the national Progressive committee, as being loud in their talk, but lacking in performance.

## Attention Land Owners.

The Corn and Clover Land Co. has been incorporated recently with H. W. Hartness president and F. R. Duxbury, secretary and treasurer, with office at Pine City, Minnesota.

The business of this firm is buying and selling real estate. If you have a farm for sale or wish to buy one, we should be glad to figure with you. We are doing an extensive line of advertising and have many prospective buyers for various kinds of land, improved and unimproved. Your farm may be the one that suits them.

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## How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

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There is another and a better way. You don't have to know the names of the alum powders. Use Royal Baking Powder only; that assures you a cream of tartar powder, and the purest and most healthful baking powder beyond question.

### WHAT MEANS A BOOST?



You take a look in the big book that was compiled by your Uncle Noah and you will find it there. To "hit" or "speak against," "upbraid" or "reprove" (1) a "push upward," (2) "blowing hard." Just those Webster's were the real English dictionary weren't they?

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1914.

The Center City News has new editorial and business management in the persons of Clarence S. Williams and son—the News reflects their energy. We wish them all the good that can be gotten out of one of the richest fields, measured in bank deposits and credits, of any in this part of the state.

Bro. J. "Woody" Wilcox, who has in the past handled the steering gear of the Graston Advance and the Ogilvie Sentinel, and who also once straddled the tripod of the Hinkley Enterprise as associate Editor when J. F. Folsom was at the helm besides having more recently assisted Bro. Linsley on the Willow River Farmer, has assumed responsibility for the destinies of the Chicago City Tribune and we offer the bet that he has hit his native heath. We wish Mr. Wilcox and The Tribune unlimited success.

Even the Democrats admit that Governor Eberhart's sure of re-nomination and—they're casting about for their strongest timber to poose him at the general election in the fall. They sacrificed Hon. P. M. Ringdahl by submitting the impossible task to him two years ago and one wing of the party wants to run Congressman Hammond this year though it looks as though he much prefers his present position with its \$7,500 salary to being given the empty honor of a nomination for governor, knowing that he can't be elected.

Out of an even dozen state papers which copied the verse entitled "February," appearing in this paper two weeks ago, only two credited it to the Mirror.—that's hardly fair boys, but what do we care? We're glad you considered it worth clipping.—Prison Mirror.

The Mirror is hurt but doesn't like to say so. We don't blame them. There are a lot of so-called Editors who are good only with the shears and who aren't men enough to acknowledge the fact by crediting. Some men are brighter than others but when you find a one-man paper that sparkles conspicuously every week you can make up your mind that the Editor is a mighty good cribber.

## Big Surprise to Many in Pine City

Local people are surprised at the QUICK results received from simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-Jika, the German aperientis remedy. J. Y. Breckenridge states that this simple remedy antiseptizes the digestive system and draws off the impurities so thoroughly that A SINGLE DOSE removes sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

## POULTRY DEPARTMENT

G. H. Washburn, Editor

We tried the experiment of making the admission to the Show free this year. It was the writer's expectation based on the belief that the farmers would appreciate it and give us the patronage we were entitled to receive. We have always had faith in the farmers—we were reared on the farm and have always had a warm place in our hearts for those who till the soil—but we shall have to acknowledge that the farmers around Pine City disappointed us. While we believe poultry show should be free to all, we shall vote to charge admission next year—we can't run a show on wind, at least we didn't find very many this year who were willing to accept such payment. Perhaps it is true of poultry shows as of many other things—people appreciate what they pay for.

We are planning something for the coming year that ought to appeal to a good many people. We have quite a number of settings of eggs from pure bred chickens, eggs that cost from \$5.00 to \$25.00 per setting that we will put out on shares. We will let any member of our Association have one or two of these settings—they will be shipped direct from the party who is to furnish them whenever they are wanted—on the following terms: We furnish good eggs and the one who gets them is to incubate them and raise the chicks. Now at least by Thanksgiving we are to have our choice of one third of the chicks raised, while we will not promise to take either sex, we will probably take more males than females.

We are confining this to our own membership as we believe that any one who will not join our association will not be interested enough to take proper care of the chicks. Furthermore, we feel that we are getting the short end of the deal—we run a lot of risk and can not protect ourselves.

Our membership fee is \$1.00 and we give a year's subscription to the Poultry Herald, published at St. Paul and the Western Poultry Journal published at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. These are both 50c papers and the best poultry papers published in the West. If any one who is interested in poultry will read either one of them for six months and will come and tell me he hasn't received the worth of his money the writer will give him back his money. We will also give to the eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, thirtieth, forty-fourth, fifty-fifth, and sixty-sixth numbers a present of a package of Henase, one of the best lice-killers known.

The eggs that we furnish are from some of the best breeders in the United States—men that we know will treat you right. Some of them are our own members, and they will not need to be shipped far, if at all. Those sent from a distance can be sent by parcel post.

Anyone wanting to take advantage of this offer should let the writer know soon as there are only a limited number of settings to let out. These chickens that we get for our shares will be sold at the show next Dec. and the proceeds invested in Show coops—we want our own coops and when we get them we can furnish our members with coops free.

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## Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Defiant having been made in the payment of the sum of eighty-seven and 10/100 (\$87.50) Dollars was and is due to the said mortgagee on the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and recorded in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, to wit: A power of sale mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ed and F. Beckner, Mortgagees to John C. Jensen, now by written assignment dated the 14th day of August, 1913 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of August, 1913, Book 25, Block 25, of Mortgagee, page 22.

And whereas the said John C. Jensen, an agent and broker of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the said principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable in the date of this notice under the power of sale therein contained and under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the lien in actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Two hundred one hundred seventeen and 20/100 (\$217.20) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of this notice, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, or any other step to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to wit:

The fractional West Half of Northwest Quarter (W1/2 NW1/4) and the fractional Northeast Quarter of Northwest Quarter (NE1/4 NW1/4) of Section 27, T. 2 North and Range 41 East of the North of Range Twenty-one (21) West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota, with the heretofore and hereafter unincumbered and unleased interest in the same, which will be made by the Sheriff of said Pine County, in the first day of April, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two hundred one hundred seventeen and 20/100 (\$217.20) Dollars and interest, and the taxes, and on said premises, and Seventy-five (\$75.00) Dollars attorney's fees, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption, at any time within three months from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated this 14th day of April, A. D. 1914. JOHN C. JENSEN, Assignee of Mortgage. ALBERT RUNNING, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage, St. James, Minnesota. First publication Feb. 19.

## Sheriff's Sale.

State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Pine, District Court, Nineteenth Judicial District, (Greenwald Cook, Plaintiff.)

Willis B. Cook, Defendant. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in force, issued out of the District Court, Nineteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, for the County of Pine, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff, Plaintiff and against Willis B. Cook, Defendant, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE1/4 NE1/4) of Section Thirty (30), Township Four (4), Range Eighteen (18), in Pine County, Minnesota, according to the plat and Government Survey thereon, and that I shall, on Monday, the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the Village of Pine City in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest in the above named Willis B. Cook, in and to the above described property, together with all taxes and assessments due on said premises, and all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 23rd day of January, 1914, at the rate of six per cent, annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

R. J. HAWLEY, Sheriff of Pine County, Minn., Plaintiff's Attorney, Pine City, Minn. Dated Pine City, Minn., February 7th, 1914. First publication Feb. 19, 1914.

## Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of Andrew P. Lind, Probate Court, in the Matter of the Estate of Andrew P. Lind—Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the above named estate of said decedent, being duly filed in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby give notice that on the 14th day of June, 1914, leaving a last will and testament which is on file in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said A. J. Lind, Now Therefore, notice of each of you, also hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before the Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Pine City, County of Pine, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable, Robert Wilcox, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 13th day of February, 1914. (Court Seal) Judge, G. S. L. Rebers, Attorney for Petitioner.

## Hearing on Petition to Sell Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Keith Rice, Probate Court, in the Matter of the Estate of Keith Rice, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the above named estate of said decedent, being duly filed in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby give notice that on the 14th day of June, 1914, leaving a last will and testament which is on file in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said A. J. Lind, Now Therefore, notice of each of you, also hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before the Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Pine City, County of Pine, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 13th day of February, 1914. (Court Seal) Judge, G. S. L. Rebers, Attorney for Petitioner.

## Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of John Bruze, Probate Court, in the Matter of the Estate of John Bruze, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the above named estate of said decedent, being duly filed in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby give notice that on the 14th day of June, 1914, leaving a last will and testament which is on file in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said A. J. Lind, Now Therefore, notice of each of you, also hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before the Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Pine City, County of Pine, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

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Notice is hereby given that proposals for the deposits of funds of Pine County, Minnesota, for two years from the first day of April, 1914, will be received by the undersigned Auditor in the office of the County Board of Audit, at the office of the County Auditor in Pine City, Minn., up to 9 o'clock a.m. of March 23rd, 1914, when said proposals will be opened.

Said proposals shall state what interest will be paid on monthly balances, the amount deposited, conditioned that the said funds and accrued interest shall be held subject to draft and payment at all times on demand. Each proposal must be accompanied by the bond of some surety company, authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota, which bond for State taxes shall be in the amount of \$10,000 and National taxes in the amount of \$5,000.

All banks or bankers submitting proposals shall state the assessed value of the capital stock of said bank or banking institution as same appears on the tax lists of the several counties of the state.

ROBERT DARR, Chairman, County Commissioners.

W. H. LAWLEY, County Auditor.

A. W. GIBSON, Clerk of District Court.

Robert D. Sorenson, Pine County, Minnesota—Auditor's Seal.

## Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of John Gray, Probate Court, in the Matter of the Estate of John Gray, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the determination of the descent of said land, the determination of the descent of the estate of said decedent, the petition of John J. Gray, having been filed in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby give notice that on the 14th day of June, 1914, leaving a last will and testament which is on file in the Probate Court of said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said A. J. Lind, Now Therefore, notice of each of you, also hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before the Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Pine City, County of Pine, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

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400 Lemons	Per dozen 30c
150 Salmon	10c
50 Tooth Picks	2 for 5c
100 Chambray	Per yard 6c
80 Outing	Per yard 5c
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250 Skirt Lining	Per yard 15c
100 Yarn	10c
100 Rick Rack	5c
50 Pencils	2 for 5c

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## Pine City News

Miss Florence Engler who teaches at Grasson, was home over Sunday.

Miss Fortia Huber visited over Sunday with friends at Cambridge Minn.

Edward Pries is spending the week visiting with friends at Duluth.

Mrs. L. Inman is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Chaffee, at Hinckley.

White Oak posts for sale at 6c a piece.—R. E. Hamlin, Route 3, Pine City. Telephone 238—Call 11.

The Misses Hildur Wickstrom and Jennie Edin visited over Sunday at the Edwin Roden home at Sandstone.

Miss Lillian Lambert left last Thursday for a couple of weeks visit with her brother Jack at Virginia, Minn.

Miss Olive Swanson of the Mercantile store force visited with relatives and friends at Duluth over Sunday.

Mrs. C. Freeman of Sandstone, came down Saturday to visit for a few days at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Resch.

Mrs. Shanks of Minneapolis came up the latter part of last week to take care of her sister, Mrs. Eugene Wilcox, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Dan Horrihan and Mrs. J. J. Madden departed Monday for Winnepeg, for a visit of a couple of weeks with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Fred A. Hodge returned last Thursday afternoon from a four weeks' stay at the sanatorium at Battle Creek, Mich., much improved in health.

Mrs. Nick Perkins and baby arrived home from Sandstone, Monday where they have been at the home of Mrs. Perkins' sister, Mrs. Alex Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fratter and their daughter, Mrs. Beimetel who have been visiting at the J. Resch home, left for their homes at Pierz, Minn., the first of the week.

Jack Heywood of Aitkin, Minn., visited friends and relatives here last week Friday. He was on his way home from the Twin cities and couldn't resist running in on the home folks to say hello.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ellstrom were down from Sandstone for a visit over Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Miller. On account of the noon train being late on Monday they remained over until the limited.

Mrs. Dan Waldron and children who have been visiting with the Conkner and Heywood families here in town, left for a short visit at the Jack Heywood home at Aitkin, Minn., before returning to their home at Waupton, N. D.

Miss Helen Moore departed Monday for Riverside, Cal., to visit for some time with her father, W. H. Moore. She has been making her home for the past six years at the S. P. Lundin home and her many friends here hope she will not conclude to remain there.

About fifty of the friends of the Door brothers drove out to their place, about four miles from town, last Tuesday evening and surprised them. Dancing and cards were enjoyed until an early hour and a delicious lunch was served. Prizes were captured during the evening by Mrs. C. Freeman, Alvin Nelson, Miss Ruth Kelate and Carl Madison.

F. E. and Mrs. Smith were at Stillwater the latter part of last week when they attended the wedding of Mrs. Smith's sister, Miss Bertha Caesar of Stillwater to Mr. Mark Merriman of Chisholm, which was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents at 2 p.m., on Thursday. Miss Caesar is well known in our village where she has visited a great deal and congratulations and good wishes are numerous. Mr. and Mrs. Merriman arrived here Sunday afternoon for a few days' visit at the Smith home, leaving yesterday for Chisholm where he is in the employ of the Oliver Mining Co. and where they will reside.

Ben Sagmoen is confined to his home wrestling with a case of tonsillitis.

Miss Hattie Lambert was a visitor at Hinckley a couple of days the first of the week.

Fred Bandel of St. Paul is a guest at the A. Biederman home. He came Tuesday.

Miss Irene Lambert returned to her school at Beroun Monday after spending Sunday at her home here.

Miss E. Bush, of the local high school force, visited with her parents at Minneapolis over Sunday.

Miss Isabel Pepin departed Saturday for Kerriek to visit with her sister, Miss Blanth who teaches there.

Miss Agnes Chalupsky of Beroun returned to her home Moday, after spending a few days with Mrs. J. Kohra.

Miss Mary Kohra went to Beroun last Wednesday to visit for a time with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Chalupsky.

Miss Alvina Grimm went to the Twin cities last week Thursday expecting to remain for a week shopping and visiting.

Mr. J. S. Fritzen who has been visiting for a few weeks with friends and relatives at Minneapolis came home last week Friday.

Miss Mary Youngbauer who has been engaged at St. Paul for some time came home last Thursday to visit with her parents for a while.

Lost—A fountain pen, at or near the school house. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to Miss Helen Jumer, at the school house at Pokegama lake.

There will be a basket social given at the G. A. R. Hall, Saturday evening, Feb. 28, by the Swedish Temperance lodge. Come and bring a basket for you are invited.

Rev. Father Giroux of Duluth was here Wednesday to call on Father Leo. Father Giroux was stationed at Sandstone for some time, prior to the first of 1913.

German services will be held in the Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and in the afternoon German services will be held in the Pokegama school house at 2 o'clock.

The ladies of the M. E. church will have a sale of "home cooked" food and will also serve lunch in the K. of P. hall after 1 o'clock p. m. next Wednesday. They will also have aprons and home made candies for sale.

Mrs. S. G. L. Roberts and Mrs. Joe Hurley went to Minneapolis Tuesday, to attend the funeral of their uncle, Wm. Pufford, who died suddenly Sunday evening of heart failure. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

The Smith Hardware Co. received two cars of farm machinery the latter part of last week—the first of their big spring installment. They will handle the John Deere and J. I. Case machinery this year—two that are recognized everywhere as of the very best.

The following letters are advertised as uncalled for at the local post office on Monday, Feb. 16:—W. A. Berquist, Miss Ada Brunner, Miss Laura Corbet, Willie Danielson, Miss Helen Dehm, W. J. Dorgan, Adam Schneider, Miss C. M. Olson, Mrs. Grover Shellinger and James Tuma.

A Young ladies club, known as The Fair Heart-Breakers, entertained about 30 of their friends at a party at the Immaculate Conception hall, last Saturday evening. Dainty refreshments were served by the young ladies and those present report it one of the pleasantest parties of the season.

A Valentine party was held at the C. U. Peters home last Saturday evening to about twenty-five invited guests. The rooms were decorated with red hearts and the evening was spent in card playing and dancing. At 12 o'clock a bountiful lunch was served. The guests from away who attended were Messrs. Alfred Peterson of Ashby and James Quinlin of St. Paul.

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When you buy shoes the first thing you consider is price and, in determining that you always consider wearing quality, comfort and style.

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The Famous  
**"Crawford"**  
The Stout  
**"Endicott Johnson"**  
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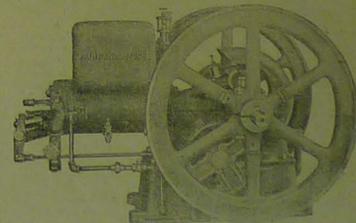
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**HARDWARE W. A. SAUSER PINE CITY JEWELRY** Minnesota

The Best Place in Pine County to Buy Hardware and Jewelry.

John Gray was a Rush City caller last Friday going down to attend the dances that evening.

Miss Alvina Brandes came up from St. Paul last Tuesday to spend a few days at home before leaving for LaMour, N. D. which place she left for today, expecting to remain for some time.

Wanted, competent girl who can cook and is willing to do general housework at my home at St. Paul. Apply to Mrs. W. F. Cantwell, Experiment station [U. of M. farm], St. Paul, Minn. 26-2

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sauser were called to Lakeville Minn., the first of the week, by the death of Mrs. J. E. Sauser—Mr. Sauser's brother's wife. They expected to be home the last of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McCleary and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perkins made up a jolly party to St. Paul last Wednesday afternoon, on the limited to take in the theatre in the evening.

The entertainment given in Steki's hall, Tuesday evening by the Degree of Honor drew a house full and netted the society about \$22 out of a gross income of \$28. Every number on the program was good and the crowd was greatly pleased.

The entertainment by the D. D. class of the Methodist Sunday school in their church, Monday evening, was an especially pleasing entertainment. The program was good from top to bottom—and the lunch! The boys simply out-did themselves.

Cards received from A. A. Toftte state that after a two days visit with relatives in Wisconsin he departed on one for Florida. He says he is basking in the sunshine down midst the oranges and roses about Sanford, Florida, and he's glad he left just when he did.—Grasson Advance.

Dr. McLaughlin, graduate of Chicago Veterinary college, will be at the Riverside Livery, Pine City, every Saturday from 12:30 to 5:30.



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OF INTEREST TO SCANDINAVIANS

Recent Happenings in This Country and Abroad.

CABINET FORCED TO RESIGN

Swedish Ministry Quits Because of Differences Over Proposed Increase in Armaments—Norway's Savings Banks Have Total Deposits of More Than \$153,000,000—Denmark Axes Revenues Rights to Prince Throno.

It is stated that King Haakon is reading his speeches from the throne and that he is not inclined to be a party to the present situation.

Mr. Albert Saastad, the Swedish press minister, and his entire cabinet, as a result of the resignation of the Swedish cabinet, have resigned.

A large concert, with Madame Nissa Giese as the soloist, is being given in the city of Copenhagen.

The army of the king, which is being trained in the city of Copenhagen, is being trained in the city of Copenhagen.

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**A List of Real Estate**

IN THE

**County of Pine, Minnesota**

Upon which Taxes have been and are delinquent for each and all of the 15 years next prior to the year 1914.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, )  
County of Pine, ) ss.

The State of Minnesota, to all persons, companies or corporations who have or claim any estate, right, title or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several parcels of land described in the list hereto attached.

The list of all Real Estate in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota upon which Taxes have become and are delinquent for each and all of the fifteen (15) years next prior to the year 1914, to-wit: for the years 1899 to 1913 inclusive, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County, of which this hereto attached is a copy. Therefore you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any parcel of land described in said list, in, to, or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim or lien, and, in default thereof, judgment will be entered against such parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest, and costs.

A. W. QUINN,  
Clerk of the District Court of the County of Pine.

A list of all Real Estate in the County of Pine and State of Minnesota upon which Taxes have become and are delinquent for each and all of the fifteen (15) years next prior to the year 1914, to-wit: for the years 1899 to 1913 inclusive. Such list contains a description of each piece of parcel of land upon which Taxes are delinquent as aforesaid, and opposite such description the name of the person to whom assessed and the assessed value thereof for the year 1912, the amount of Taxes and interest due thereon at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum during the time said Taxes have been delinquent up to and including the 15th day of March, 1914 (that being the date upon which the judgment will be entered), all according to the provisions of an act entitled "An Act to enforce payment of Real Estate Taxes which have become and are delinquent for each and all of the fifteen (15) years next prior to the year 1914" known as Chapter 543 of the Laws of 1912.

Names of Owners or in whose name it is so listed	Subdivision of Section	Sec. Town Range Acres	Assessed Valuation for		Taxes and Interest due to March 31, 1914	
			1912	1913		
E. L. Trask, 26% of 26 1/2	16 43	29 40	173	91.20	21.74	122.94
E. L. Trask, 26% of 26 1/2	16 43	29 40	173	91.45	21.81	123.26
E. L. Trask, 26% of 26 1/2	16 43	29 40	173	92.48	22.64	126.12
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Carl C. Henny, Trustee

STATE OF MINNESOTA, )  
County of Pine, ) ss.

W. H. Hamlin, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the County Auditor of the County of Pine, that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, that the same is a correct list of Real Estate Taxes which have become and are delinquent in said County for each and all of the fifteen (15) years next prior to the year 1914.

W. H. HAMLIN,  
Auditor of Pine County.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of January, 1914,  
(Register of Deeds' Seal)  
JAMES E. WARD,  
Register of Deeds,  
Pine County, Minn.

Filed in office of Clerk of District Court, Pine County, Minn., this 21st day of January, 1914.  
A. W. QUINN, Clerk.

**Rock Creek**

Billy Lund is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Gill was a Rush City visitor Tuesday.

Billy Lund was a Pine City visitor last Friday.

Edna Wilson was a Pine City caller between trains Saturday.

Maime Erickson and Leger Barnhart were Pine City callers between trains Thursday.

Mrs. P. J. VanDyke and daughter, Ruby, spent Friday afternoon at the Gill residence.

The basket ball game—Rock Creek vs. Finlayson—resulted in Finlayson's favor. Score 17 to 21.

Quite a number of ladies from town attended the Lutheran society at Mrs. Geo. Lindstrom's Thursday.

Mrs. Morrow, Jennie and Anna Strandberg, spent Tuesday afternoon at the R. J. VanDyke residence.

Glenn Colman left for Waterloo, Ia., Saturday, where he will work. His brother Erle will take care of the farm here.

Basket ball—Rock Creek vs. Rush City—in Johnson's hall Saturday evening, Feb. 28. Everybody come and stay for the dance.

Mrs. J. R. VanDyke and Mrs. Morrow will serve supper for the Ladies Aid in Henderson's hall Friday evening, Feb. 29. Everybody welcome.

The Sunday school class gave a Valentine party at the Erickson home on Saturday evening. The rooms were prettily decorated with hearts, tulips, carnations and hyacinths. The evening was spent in playing games, music, etc. A delicious lunch was served at midnight, and at 2 o'clock all departed for their homes after having enjoyed a very good time.

**Groningen Items.**

Alfred Hagline was a Sandstone caller Saturday.

N. O. Erickson was a Groningen shopper Monday.

Mr. Wyrup, of Frisland, was seen in town last Thursday.

Chas. Nelson's mother has been on the sick list for the past week.

J. R. Johnson drove his trotter to Finlayson last Friday evening.

Chas. Lawrence was seen on our streets last Saturday, happy as ever.

R. Alm, who is employed at Finlayson, was a Groningen caller last Monday.

Gust Bjorklund hauled a load of hay for J. R. Johnson to feed to his trotters.

J. P. Yettec and son Ed., of Lake Eleven, were Groningen shoppers last Saturday.

Annie Lindquist, of Moose Lake, visited at O. E. Osland's last week, returning home Monday.

O. E. Anderson has departed for Moline, Ill., where he will build a house and make his future home.

The Ladies' club will meet again Feb. 26 at Mrs. Osland's. Be sure and all come. A good time is assured.

W. H. Barnick was seen on our streets last week. He has a pair of horses for sale, also some farm lands.

John Larson, who has been sick since last fall, is not showing any signs of improvement, so Mr. Larson says.

The Railroad company some time ago put phones in to be used for train orders. They were put into use last Sunday at 12 m.

Rubbers, mittens, caps for boys and men, reduced—not in sizes or quality—but in prices, to avoid carrying them over. All new stock, at J. R. Johnson's.

O. E. Osland is busy storing hard water these days, taking it from Miller lake. The ice is of excellent quality, about 20 inches of clear ice.

Fred Olson is doing the sawing.

Mr. and Mrs. Soderstrom, of St. Paul, visited at the home of M. Ortblad over Sunday. Messrs. Ortblad and Soderstrom were chums in old Sweden, so you see it is certainly a pleasure to meet old friends.

In some manner fire started in a clothes closet at the Will Ziegler home last Saturday forenoon. A great deal of wearing apparel was burned, and some damage was done to the house. A more disastrous fire would surely have occurred but for the timely assistance of neighbors and parties who happened to be on the road. Take warning to be careful with fire.

In some manner O. E. Anderson got tangled up when he got to Minneapolis. He got into a matrimonial tangle and couldn't get out, so what did he do but bring Mrs. O. E. Anderson back with him. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Matka Camp. Both are well known here, and Mrs. Anderson has resided here for a couple of years. The Ladies' club and others of this place

surprised the Newlyweds last Saturday afternoon and gave them many presents and useful presents after wishing them a long and prosperous wedded life, lunch was served and all departed, those who were married thinking of the time when they were married, and the younger ones wondering who is next.

The annual report of the Ladies' Helping Hand Club, which was started a year ago, closed last February shows that the sick committee has made nearly 20 visits to the sick, bringing them fruits, etc.; money received from dogs, suppers, sales, etc., \$73.61; money given to Sunday school, minister, school district entertainment, and two girls, \$27.00; supplies bought for the Club, \$28.31. This is the only club at this place, and it certainly has done fine this year. Let's all turn out and boost for a good thing. The officers for this quarter are as follows: President, Mrs. J. A. Nelson; secretary, Mrs. H. E. Johnson; treasurer, Mrs. Osland. Long life to the club.

**THE WORD'S BEST**

**McLaughlin's**

**Manor House Coffee**

Steet Out or Whole

The World's four finest and rarest Coffees are combined in the blend that is making it the most perfect Coffee obtainable.

**Finlayson**

Dentist Stuckney, of Hinckley, was here Tuesday.

Emil Kukkola has returned from a trip to Minneapolis.

S. A. Kollner, George Johnson and Chas. Froelke were here Friday.

August Bahnmann is laid up with a combination of grip and tonsillitis.

Carl Piff and associates purchased several hundred acres of land last week.

Miss Ella went to Rush City Friday, to attend the funeral of her aged grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Piff gave a dinner party last Sunday in honor of their fourth wedding anniversary.

John Norfolk jr., has rented the rear part of the old postoffice building, where he intends to buy cream.

A party of young people drove to Willow River last Saturday, to attend the big masquerade at that place.

John Pello's home was entirely consumed by fire on Friday. It caught fire from an overheated stove pipe on the second floor.

The Farmers' Loan and Exchange Co. has placed the bill for lumber for the new office building with the Finlayson branch of the Pine City Saw Mill Co.

Harry Irvin, of Stillwater, has shipped his household goods here and he will soon join our community. He has accepted a position at the lumber yard office.

A number of farmers held a meeting last Saturday in the Finnish hall, discussing the advisability of establishing a co-operative store. The meeting adjourned until next Saturday.

Sam Matka is a progressive farmer. On Monday he purchased a disc harrow and a two-horse cultivator, which he took home, stating that he believes that in the winter is the time to get ready for next summer's work on the farm.

**Millburn.**

Miss Johnson visited at Boyd's Sunday.

Glasgow visited at Rhoadwer's on Tuesday evening.

Jim Ruby and family visited with Joe Roubinek and family Sunday.

Florence Spierling is staying at the Ole Hang home during the illness of Mrs. Haug.

Helen and Ole Brekke returned to Minneapolis Saturday after a short visit at their home.

Mr. Bruig, of Minneapolis, has bought the John O'Riley farm, and expects to move down with his family in the near future.

A number of our young people gathered at John O'Riley's on Saturday evening and spent the evening in pulling candy. A very good time was reported.

Call on Geo. Sherwood for draying or moving. Adv.

**The International Land Co.**

**Real Estate, Farm Loans, Insurance and Loans.**

Carl Piff, Manager. Finlayson Minn.

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Improved farms at from \$25 to \$75 per acre on easy terms.

**Notice is Hereby Given**

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ) ss.  
County of Pine, )

Pine City, Minnesota, )  
February 27, 1914. )

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a Petition has been filed in my office praying for the establishment, construction and improvement of the Proposed State rural highway described in the copy of said petition hereto attached; that said petition will be considered and heard by and before the Board of County Commissioners of Pine County, State of Minnesota, in the court room, in the court house, at the Village of Pine City, in said county, on Monday, the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1914, at one o'clock P. M.; and that a true copy of said petition is as follows, to-wit:

**Petition for a State Rural Highway**

Under Chapter 254 Laws of 1911.

To Honorable County Board of Pine County, in the State of Minnesota:

Your Petitioners respectfully represent and show:

I.—That they are the owners of the lands described after their respective signatures hereto, and that said lands so owned by your petitioners will be liable to be affected by or assessed for the expense of the establishment, construction and improvement of the State Rural Highway hereinafter described.

II.—That the establishment, construction and improvement and each of the same, of such highway, will be a public benefit and will promote the public health, and that the necessity therefor is as follows: To secure a Trunk Line Road; Assist in the Development of Eastern Minnesota and place us in touch [other than by railroad] with the principal markets of the state.

III.—That your petitioners desire to have such State Rural Highway established, constructed and improved, including all necessary ditches, drains, culverts and bridges in the following manner:

Maximum grades 5 per cent. Width of roadway [standard] 20 feet. Surfacing to a width of .....feet. Earth road

In accordance with the standard specifications of the State Highway Commission for roads of that character, and for bridges and culverts of the character required.

IV.—That the proposed starting point, route and termini of such State Rural Highway are as follows:

Beginning at the S. 1-8 post on the east line of Sec. 10, T. 42 R. 20, thence south 1 mile to S. E. cor. of said Sec. 10; thence east two miles between sections 11 and 14, 12 and 13, T. 42 R. 20, thence north four miles on range line between Townships 42 Ranges 19 and 20 and Townships 43 Ranges 19 and 20 to the N. E. cor. of Sec. 25, T. 43 R. 20; thence east one mile between sections 19 and 30, T. 43 R. 19; thence North three miles between sections 19 and 20; 18 and 17; 7 and 8, T. 43 R. 19; thence east two miles between sections 5 and 8; 4 and 9 T. 43 R. 19; thence north one mile between sections 3 and 4, T. 43 R. 19; thence east about 1 1/2 miles to the line of the Great Northern Railway, thence practically paralleling said railroad across sections 35 and 25, T. 44 R. 19, sections 30 and 19, 44-18, to the Village limits of Bruno through which the main street is taken to a point about the 1/2 post between sections 19 and 20, T. 44 R. 18; thence north to the Great Northern railway, thence northeasterly paralleling said railway through sections 20-17-16-9 and 3, in T. 44 R. 18 and sections 35-26-25 and 24 in T. 45 R. 18 and sections 19-18-8 and 4, T. 45 R. 17, connecting with the Carlton County road at the N. E. cor. of Sec. 4, R. 45 T. 17 and ending there. The route being indicated on a map hereto attached and made a part hereof.

V.—That said proposed State Rural Highway is wholly within the County of Pine in the State of Minnesota, [and when completed] will connect with a similar road or roads in an adjoining county now proposed or already constructed therein, and will thus become a part of an extensive state system of substantially improved highways.]

VI.—That copies of the general plan and detailed estimate of the cost of said proposed State Rural Highway are hereto appended and made a part hereof, and duplicate copies of such general plan and detailed estimate were, previous to the signing hereof, filed with the Auditor of said Pine County, and with the State Highway Commission.

WHEREFORE your petitioners ask that your Honorable Body approve this petition, and after its approval by the State Highway Commission, that you proceed as by law provided for the establishment, construction and improvement herein set forth.

Dated August 7th, 1913.

**Names of Petitioners. Description of Land Owned in said County.**

Fred Petersen ..... S. E. of the S. E. Sec. 26-45-18  
A. M. Dougan ..... SW 1/4 & W 1/4 of SE Sect 20-44-18  
L. C. Peterson ..... NW of SW of Sec 17-43-19  
James Slaven ..... NW of NE-14-16-17-NW of NW-10-45-17  
J. D. Johnson ..... NE1 of Sec 35-45-18  
A. J. Warren ..... NE1 of Sec 35-45-18  
W. P. Hogan ..... N1 NW1 35-45-18

STATE OF MINNESOTA ) ss.  
County of Pine )

On the 7th day of August, 1913, before me, a notary public within and for said County, personally appeared each of the above named petitioners, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing petition, and each of said petitioners acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, and each of said petitioners said that said petition is true.

(Notarial Seal) JAS. H. HOGAN  
Notary Public, Pine County, Minn.  
My Commission expires Dec 15-1913

That the general plan and estimated cost of said proposed State Rural Highway are on file in and may be examined at the office of the county auditor.

Dated February 10th, 1914.

**W. H. HAMLIN**  
Auditor of Pine County