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Birch Creek

Nels S. Nelson was transacting business at Moose Lake last week. Mrs. Jones Johnson made a brief call on Mrs. John Hagen Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Rye visited with the Iver Pionees last Sunday. Miss Jennie Rye went to work for Mrs. M. J. Halla one day last week. Miss Halvorsen who has been visiting here departed for Duluth last week.

John Ekelund made a business call Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Johnson.

Miss Hansen and Miss Nyström were visiting Miss Kendall's school one day last week.

Subscribe for the Pine Poker and get all the news of the county and the Easter Greeting; it was a dandy. Herbert Oswald has been reported on the sick list and a number of other cases of sickness reported around here.

A basket party was given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hansen. A large number were present and all reported a good time.

Some of the young people were invited for supper, Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hagen; all reported a good time as the evening was spent with music and songs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen, Mrs. Arndt Nelson, and Hilda, Nels and Ben Nelson, Mrs. Nilsen and Mrs. Nilsen, Selmer Halla, Henry Erickson, Carl

and Henry Hansen and Miss Hansen were guests at the Overman home last Sunday.

Mr. Frank Lind was busy last Saturday loading a car of stock, household goods etc., getting ready to move to Marinette where they will make their new home. The Linds have made their home in this town for the past 25 years and were all sorry to see them leave without visiting them the best of success and happiness in their new home.

Millburn.

Mr. Burt Vale is laid up these days with a sprained wrist.

Mrs. P. Meyers and children from Duluth are visiting at the Burt Vale home.

Rev. Abrahamson conducted services in the Mission church both Sunday morning and evening.

Helen Brekke came home from Minneapolis Wednesday, where she spent the last couple of months.

Martin Gardner has been building on his farm east of here, and expects to move onto same in a short time.

John Nelson, who is employed at Minneapolis, was home Sunday to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Nelson. He returned on Sunday's limited.

John Lindquist arrived from Duluth Saturday with his household goods and will now reside on his farm at this place. Mrs. Lindquist and children are expected in a few days.

Little Boy Drowned

Little Harold Carlson, the 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carlson of Pine City was drowned at the Splittatozer dock, Wednesday afternoon.

The little fellow with Carl and John Holmberg had wandered down to the river about the middle of the afternoon and for a time had enjoyed themselves with throwing rocks from the shore into the water. Finally, Carl Holmberg, the eldest of the three, had started back toward home, calling the others, who were about the same age, to follow. He journeyed up over the bank and had been gone from the water's edge some little time when his little brother ran and called him to say that Harold had disappeared in the water.

What happened while Carl was away is problematical. Probably little Harold had thrown a rock that lit on the ice instead of in the water and had gone out to get it and give it another throw. His little companion only remembers of seeing him suddenly sink into the ice to his armpits and then slowly to disappear, then reappear at intervals and finally to be gone. Then he thought the time had come to call help and he ran to summon his brother.

Carl ran first to the Roy Carlson home but, finding no one at home, had gone on to H. W. Hartze's. Telling a boy's story he summoned the ladies to the scene of the accident. Mrs. Arthur Eddy of Brookpark, who was visiting at her parents home, Mrs. Roy Carlson and Miss Celia Hoffman were first there and distinguished the body near the surface about ten feet from shore. Supporting herself with a large stick, Mrs. Carlson crept out to the water's edge where she reached out for the body, carrying it back to shore.

Dr. Wiseman was hurriedly summoned and labored hard over the body for two hours, to an endeavor to bring back breath and life but without avail. Dr. Stowe from Rush City was also called but arrived too late to be of any possible assistance. The body had been in the water for at least 15 minutes—and no telling how much longer—when recovered and life was doubtless extinct at the time.

The funeral will probably be held Saturday afternoon from the home of the little one's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Carlson, at Rush City, interment being made there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson have resided at Pine City about a year and a half and he is building at this time on his farm northeast of Rush City whither they expect to move soon.

The accident is a sad one and elicits the deep sympathy of everyone.

Council Proceedings

The regular monthly meeting of the village council, Monday evening, was productive of much interesting material to our people. President Dossey appointed J. W. Axtell as trustee in the place of John Jumer who had failed to qualify since the election last month.

The bond of Village treasurer Boyte in the sum of \$8,000 with F. A. Hodge and P. W. McAllen as sureties was approved as was also the bond of City Clerk Burige for \$500 with F. M. Smith and J. Y. Breckenridge as sureties.

John Biederman was elected chief of police at a salary of \$55 per month.

Applications for the position of street commissioner were received from Peter Wasmek, and Frank Kuntz, Joe Houdak and Jacob Jarvin. A vote revealed 3 for Wasmek and 2 for Kuntz. The wages of the street commissioner were fixed at

\$1.75 per day.

Attorney Sobotka was re-elected village attorney at a salary of \$75 per year.

The salary of City Clerk Burige was fixed at \$15 per month and of Health officer Tofte at \$50 per year.

President Dossey appointed Clerk Burige and Councilman Axtell to look after the installation of water meters where city water is used and the work of putting them in will be begun next week.

City counsel Sobotka was directed to take up with the Railway the matter of safeguarding the crossings at each end of the depot property and report at the next meeting.

This action was prompted by the number of recent narrow escapes from injury of people driving over these crossings.

The following bills were unanimously allowed:

Eastern Minn. Power Co. light and power March	\$117.00
J. D. Wilcox, Marshal's salary	50.00
H. J. Burige, Clerk's salary	15.00
J. Dossey Pres. 1 year	10.00
A. Larson Treas. 1 yrs.	10.00
A. Carlson "	10.00
M. Prochaska "	10.00
T. W. Ling, clerk of election	2.40
A. H. Lambert "	2.40
W. J. Gottry, clerk "	2.40
J. Houdak, 10 days street work	15.00
J. Karas, 5 days street work	8.75
with team	1.75
Dr. Josephine Tofte, health officer 1 yr 250 postage \$3 jail inspection \$2	55.00
Ottocar Sobotka, attor. salary	
Neptune Meter Co. 41 water meters \$3.20 each freight 4.40	59.14
Geo. Sherwood, freight on meters and drayage	4.56
Smith Hardware Co., mdsr for pump house	3.40
W. S. Booth & son, blanks	1.75
Frank Pappas 1 1/2 days St. work	2.25
Tons claims allowed	\$ 672.05
Road and Bridge Fund Henry 2 days repairing bridge	34.00

Easter Programs

The following Easter programs will be given by the Sunday schools of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches next Sunday. The former will be held at their church in the evening at 8 o'clock and the latter at their church at 9:45 a. m.

By the Presbyterian Sunday school: Recitation, Vivian Asplund; Recitation, Cecil Blanchard; Recitation, Ione Sobotka; Song, Harold Ingelston; Recitation, Lynn Burige; Recitation, Naneen Smith; Recitation, Jessie Greig; Song, Primary department; Recitation, Harold Asplund; Song, Therrien children; Recitation, Ernest Wilcox; Recitation, Wiley children; Recitation, George Hayes; Recitation, Mildred Therrien; Song, Five little girls; Dialogue, Five little boys; Recitation, Emmet Ingelston; Dialogue, four little girls; Song, Boys Class; Recitation, Lorena Bede; Song, Leland Davis; Instrumental Duet, Gerlie Stephan and Vern Borchers; Song, Class of girls; Recitation, Ruth Wiseman; Song, Anna Wickstrom; Song, Excelsior Class.

By the Methodist Sunday school: Prayer, Rev. Parish; Recitation, Percy Flatten; Vocal Solo, E. A. Berlin; Bible reading, Theresa Mavis; Story, C. H. Sutherland; Geography, Mrs. H. H. Parish; Song by the School; Chalk talk, A. W. Piper; Recitation, Hazel St. Germain; Vocal Solo, Faith Pennington.

Rock Creek

Elfin Lund was a Rush City visitor Friday.

Mr. Alstad of Cloquet was a caller in town Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Gill returned to Rush City Wednesday noon.

Mamie and Babe Ericson left for the Twin cities last Tuesday.

Mr. Matheison left for Hopkins, Minn., last Thursday morning.

Miss Elsie Wilson is visiting at the Gust Grant home this week.

Inger Boinhoft was a county seat caller between trains Thursday.

Warren Taylor of Pine City spent Sunday at the Erickson home here.

Miss Lydia Krueger was a Pine

City caller between trains Saturday.

Miss Esther Johnson of Rush City is visiting at the Gill home this week.

Mrs. Allgood entertained a number of lady friends at her home last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Pepin and George Bornhoft attended the Woodman convention at Hinckley last week.

Miss Anderson who has been spending the winter in Minneapolis came home Wednesday.

Henry Haeg loaded a car with potatoes last Tuesday and left for Minneapolis with them Wednesday.

Groningen

F. C. Erickson and his brother in law arrived the first of the week with two car loads of household goods, machinery and stock and at once commenced moving onto their place near Lake Eleven. This makes four car loads of new settlers for Groningen this winter.

Assessors Will Get Busy Soon

County auditor Hamlin is this week sending out the books to the town and village assessors over the county together with a manual and some instructions. The material goes by express except in the instances of the towns close to the county seat.

Assessors will begin their work on May 1 and must have it finished in time to have their books in the auditor's hands on or before the first Monday in July.

This year they will value real estate as well as personal property.

Platted property is supposed to be valued at 40 per cent of its true and full value and unplatted prop-

erty at 30 per cent. That makes the villager pay 33 per cent more taxes on his real property than the farmer has to pay—but that serves him right.

The value of personal property is determined by the assessor by taking a figure half way between the owner's and his own estimate. If the owner tries to beat the game by putting an unreasonably low value on his personality we presume it is up to the assessor to jump a long way in the other direction so as to get a fair mean estimate. Household goods are supposed to be listed at 25 per cent of their real value. Livestock, farm implements and machinery, vehicles of all kinds, stocks of goods, manufacturers' machinery, office furniture and fixtures at 33 1-3 per cent. Elevators, bank stock and stock in corporations at 40 per cent.

Heretofore there have been only 37 classes of personal property but the new law divides this class of holdings up into 57 items and on account of this and other matters entering into the work of assessing, these officials will be harder worked than ever this year.

Two years ago the state tax commission increased the real estate values of the county as returned by the county board of equalization—and this board had made several changes in evening up the work of the different assessors over the county. The same was true of the assessment of last year on personal property. Of course every county in the state is "touched up" in the same way—and it furnishes the strongest argument for the fellows who are advocating a county assessor.

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Summary of Most Important News Events

Washington

Prohibition will be extended to the entire naval service, under an order issued by Secretary Daniels at Washington which will go into effect on July 1 next.

Nine members of the senate at Washington, headed by Senator La Follette, openly revolted against proceedings behind closed doors after an executive session in which the senate by a vote of 65 to 27 confirmed the nomination of Whitthrop M. Daniels of New Jersey to be a member of the Interstate commerce commission.

Dividing the United States, exclusive of Alaska, into 12 districts, the reserve bank organization committee at Washington named the following 12 cities as those in which federal reserve banks shall be located: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Richmond, Atlanta, Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis, Kansas City, Dallas and San Francisco.

The resignation of William L. Day as United States judge for the northern district of Ohio was received by Attorney General McKeenhold at Washington. He is a son of Justice William R. Day of the Supreme court and was appointed in May, 1911.

Whether or not eastern railroads shall make a general increase in freight rates may be decided by the interstate commerce commission at Washington within a month.

The Sims bill, repealing the toll exemption provision of the Panama canal act, was received by the senate at Washington and referred to the senate committee on intercommerce, which Senator O'Gorman of the New York who is leading the fight against the repeal, is chairman.

Senator La Follette introduced a bill in the senate at Washington to make unlawful any attempt to influence a proceeding before the interstate commerce commission except in accordance with its regulations.

Brig. Gen. William W. Hetherington will become chief of staff of the army on April 22, when the term of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, the present chief of staff, expires. Secretary of War Garrison made this announcement at Washington.

Pensions for widows and minor children of the officers and men who served in the Spanish war, the Philippine insurrection, the boxer uprising in China would be authorized by a bill which passed the house at Washington by a vote of 276 to 54.

Domestic

A 20-ton steel girder broke loose from a derrick and crashed through three floors of the framework of the new Equitable building at New York, carrying six workmen with it. Five of them were injured, fatally and the sixth was badly crushed.

The injunction against Edward Canine and other agents of the Federal league forbidding them from tampering with members of the Pirate team was made permanent by Judge Henderson at Hot Springs, Ark. This decision means a sweeping victory for President Barney Dreyfus of the Pittsburgh National league club.

The demands of 500 miners of the Pittsburgh-Buffalo coal company at Canonsburg, Pa., who went on strike in support of their demands for a run of mines bases of pay, were rejected. The mines are under guard.

Present rates on the Pennsylvania railroad system do not yield a fair return on the amount invested and are not an adequate return for the service rendered, declared President Samuel Insull, in writing a letter of increase of five per cent in rates before the interstate commerce commission at Washington.

Yeggen blew open the safe in the post office at Bill City, N. C., and escaped with \$775 in cash and stamps.

Your inches of snow fell at Interlaken, N. Y., and the thermometer dropped 24 degrees.

Suit for \$25,000 damages was filed in the street court at St. Louis against the Live Stock Exchange of East St. Louis, the National Stock Yards, two packing companies and 28 individual dealers, charging a monopoly for dealing in live stock.

Three persons were killed, another fatally injured, and 10 others less severely hurt on Sunday when the Wash river bridge collapsed and buried the Continental Limited train of the Wash system into the ditch and partly into the river at Alton, Ill.

The Western Federation of Miners, at a district meeting at Calumet, Mich., decided to continue the copper strike indefinitely and to supply tents to its families evicted.

Compromise by which Mrs. Ellen J. Golden, or Ewald, alleged common-law wife of L. P. Ewald, will receive \$300,000 cash and \$10,000 a year from the \$4,000,000 estate of a deceased iron master, L. P. Ewald, was agreed on by opposing counsel at Louisville, Ky.

"The real murderer of Mary Phagan in Atlanta, Ga., has been found, Leo M. Frank will not hang on April 17." In that fashion William J. Burns, head of the Burns Detective Agency, announced in Chicago his solution of the mystery that has set all of Georgia and much of the rest of the country by the ears.

Col. George W. Goethals is now governor of the Panama canal zone. In conformity with his own wishes, no ceremony marked the occasion. Colonel Goethals issued his last circular as chairman of the isthmian canal commission and his first circulars as governor, recommending a permanent form of government in the zone.

Mexican Revolt

The report reached the state department at Washington unofficially that the Huerta government had taken a step toward settling a permanent form of government for the United States government for its support of the constitutionalists by revoking the executor of George C. Carothers, consular agent at Torreon.

Major Flerro of General Villa's staff will be executed as the result of an investigation by a commission appointed by General Carranza into the killing of William S. Benton, British subject.

Gen. Francisco Villa ordered that the 600 Spaniards of Torreon, Mex., be deported. He issued instructions that trains be provided at once and that the exodus to El Paso, Tex., begin. The Spaniards' property will be confiscated, temporarily at least.

Following official advices at Washington from George C. Carothers, American consular agent at Torreon, of the flight of the Mexican federal troops from that city, came a prediction from Rear Admiral Fletcher that the important gulf port of Tampico probably would be abandoned by the federals without a fight.

Edward A. Powers, United States consular agent, was arrested by rebel authorities at Parral, Mex., on a charge of passing counterfeit rebel fiat money. He telegraphed the news to Marion Letcher, American consul at Chihuahua.

Torreon fell completely into the hands of Villa's rebels, says an announcement made by Gen. Venustiano Carranza at Juarez. Villa captured a large number of counterfeits of rebel fiat money. He telegraphed the news to Marion Letcher, American consul at Chihuahua.

President Wilson announced at Washington that John Lind, his personal representative in Mexico, would sail for the United States from Vera Cruz on a yacht, but could not return later after he had a rest.

Foreign

Macedonian rebels are attacking Koritsa in the vilayet of Monastir and the fall of the city is imminent.

Lord Roberts was elected president of the League of British Covenanters at a meeting held in Canton hall at New York, N. Y., and pledged the British Covenanters to do all in their power to prevent the establishment of home rule in Ireland were adopted.

Sixty-four members of the crew of the sealing steamer Newfoundland are known to have perished when ice floes on which they were hunting were driven into the sea by a gale near Belle Isle straits. Thirty-seven other hunters were rescued.

Personal

Frederick W. Weyerhaeuser, aged slightly, declared to be the richest man in the world, died at his mansion at Oak Knoll, Pasadena, Cal. His wealth, mostly lumber interests, is estimated to be valued at two hundred and three hundred million dollars.

Ellis Francis is held in jail at Alton, Ill., charged with the murder of his wife and three children, whose charred bodies were found in the ruins of their home.

The resignation of Douglas L. McKay as police commissioner of New York is to be Mayor Hiram's hand. There is a report that the mayor's secretary, Arthur Woods, once deputy police commissioner, will be appointed to the vacancy, April 15.

Newton C. Dougherty, former bank and school board head of Portland, Ill., was found guilty of forgery.

Mrs. L. M. Stevens, national president of the Women's Christian Temples in Portland, Me., was reported considerably worse. Her condition is critical.

Dr. Joseph E. Stubb announced his retirement as president of the University of New York, N. Y. His successor has not yet been announced.

F. WEYERHAEUSER, LUMBERMANS DIES AT WATER HOME

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RESERVE BANKS BY SPRING FEVER IS HEALTHY

ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE TRYING TO EXPEDITE WORK OF ESTABLISHING INSTITUTIONS.

WAY TO DEMONSTRATE WORTH

Well Be Shown by Caring for Grain Marketing Situation This Fall.

Washington, April 6.—Every effort will be exerted by the federal reserve bank organization committee to have all banks expedite the formal steps necessary to put the new currency system in operation as early as possible.

Members of the committee apparently have no expectation that there will be any financial crisis to face in a situation which in previous years has caused financial worry and which last fall led to direct loans from the United States treasury to national banks in the farming regions.

Under the law the formal steps to be taken by the banks might be delayed so that there would be little chance for the reserve banks to get up before autumn, but if the banks respond promptly there is little reason to believe that the organization will be deferred longer than a few months.

The committee has worked at full speed on its part of the preliminary work and the formal notice has just been sent to the banks, which ask entrance to the system, of the location of reserve banks and the limits of reserve districts. With the notices will go blanks on which banks must file some applications for stock in the respective reserve banks. Thirty days are allowed for banks to make the first payment of the required six per cent of their capital and surplus.

Must Subscribe \$4,000,000. As soon as banks in any one district have subscribed the \$4,000,000 capital, the organization will be promptly taken. The reserve bank will be given a charter and the member banks will exercise their right to elect six of the nine directors of each reserve bank.

Officials here are interested in what limitations may be placed upon clearing some associations, through the new system. The reserve board will have much power over such associations, but no one in authority cares to predict the direct loans to any curtailing activities. The board, however, is not expected to interfere with the local functions of any such association.

Secretary McAdoo announced the results of the election to banks at crop moving time last fall. Treasury funds were deposited in 193 banks in 62 cities in 29 states, to the amount of \$37,000,000. The first of the loans were repaid by April 1, the limit set by the treasury. The government received an interest at 2 per cent of \$20,000, representing a clear profit.

Mr. McAdoo said the amount reported by banks had been much less than he expected, and that the interest on the restoration of confidence when it became known that the treasury was ready to render such assistance.

Leaders in the fight do not expect speeches to change any votes, but that there will be a flood of oratorical effort which will far exceed in length and intensity the 20-hour debate on the bill in the house.

No one in close touch with the situation predicted how long the controversy in the senate will continue, but the most optimistic pronouncements do not look for the restoration of the repeal bill and attendant measures to be in committee at least a week and general debate cannot be expected in any sort of a hurry.

Wilson-McAdoo Wedding Soon. Washington, April 7.—The wedding of Miss Eleanor Wilson and Secretary McAdoo will take place in April, according to friends of Miss Wilson, although the White House still declines to indicate any date.

Dynamiters Ate to Pettion. Chicago, April 7.—A movement seeking a pardon for the members of the structural bridge and iron workers' convicted Indianapolis of dynamiting transporting dynamite in interstate commerce, has been begun here. Petition to President Wilson, managed by the men were circulated through their trials, were circulated at the meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor, which will be submitted by the delegates to their local unions for signatures.

SPRING FEVER IS HEALTHY

It Indicates Fresh Hopes and Renewed Buoyancy of Spirit.

How wonderfully light the spring wanderlust for the countryside grips one!

Spring fever, with all of its healthfulness, is the harbinger of fresh hopes and a buoyancy of spirit.

I noticed a passenger on a Detroit-Chicago train the other day who had started out on his trip with the evident intention of becoming deeply taken with one of the best sellers, between the two cities. You have done the same thing yourself.

But his book had been cast aside. He had read only a few pages. His interest in it had lagged.

From the car windows he was counting the fields now bare of snow. The ditches were carrying away the water and the stony ridges of the creek were now streams bearing the overflow to the rivers. The farmer, in his shirt sleeves, was repairing the fences after the winter drifts; the cattle showing proof of winter stalling and now heading here and there toward the meadows, seeking the new green patches of grass; the farm help, in field and stubble, was putting into repair the winter implements necessary feature, here looking after his plow and there his harrow, and on all sides were scenes which reminded the traveler that spring was here, at last!

As the train moved onward and glimpses of the painter as he worked of the weather-beaten buildings were revealed, the interest of the tourist was aroused when I asked him the reason, he answered: "Spring is here and I feel its blood flowing!"

The truth was, that like many others, he was planning the work he was to do during the summer. He was going out to the farm—his farm in Western Canada. He had his wells to dig, his horses to get into shape, his grain implements to fix up, his seed grain to prepare, and other details for the land that was ready to receive it. His was what might be termed an "unrest"—to get to the farm!

Thousands in Western Canada today are making the preparations that this interested man contemplated. The summer and autumn crops of the wheat, their spring plowing is being attended to, fences are being rebuilt or being put into repair; the country is one great hive of industry.

Railroads are in readiness to take care of a great rush of settlers, those charged with the reception of whom are prepared to meet them with courtesy and thus meet the rush with judgment and without the least friction. Thus, the enjoyment of the spring is being printed.

At many of the stations throughout many of the middle western states, trains of settlers' effects are in readiness to start for Western Canada. Not only in these states are scenes of this kind to be witnessed, but, also, on either coast and throughout the eastern states, the same activity is going among those going to Western Canada this spring. The crops have been heavy and all reports are that the winter was enjoyable, also, that the prospects for a satisfactory year were never better. There is plenty of land yet to be had by homesteading or otherwise. Adapted, as Western Canada is, to small grain farming, it is especially adapted to cattle raising and many of the farmers are placing small and large herds of cattle on their individual means will permit.

The illustrated literature sent out by the Canadian government agents tells the story of the country and the inquirer should send for a copy and if he is one of those who has an ambitious interest, you may be the gainer by a personal visit to the information straight, cold facts in themselves—Advertisement.

Nap in a Nutshell. Marks—Are you reading this new history of the Napoleonic tragedy that's being printed?

Parks—No. To me the tragedy of Napoleon may be summed up in two lines. The divorce of Josephine was the Waterloo of Napoleon, and his last battle the Waterloo.

RASH ITCHED AND BURNED. 400 South Hermitage Ave., Chicago, Ill.—I was attacked with a breaking out on the inside of my arms. It was small rash or pimples and it itched and burned, especially at night, so that before I knew it I had made myself sore. I had to wear the finest silk clothing I could wear, no woolen at all, because the least thing irritated it and made it worse. The rash itched and smarted until at times I was so miserable that I could not sleep.

"I had this trouble and took treatments for about one year, but they only gave me relief while taking them. The Chicago Cures using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I got relief right away. In three months I was a well man." (Signed) H. W. Foley, Nov. 5, 1911.

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Physically impossible. "Why aren't they going to try and do that stock?" "They're afraid 'wont hold water."

American Chemists in Session. Cincinnati, O., April 7.—The forty-fifth annual meeting of the American Chemical Society opened this morning with a general session of all divisions at the University of Cincinnati, where the members were welcomed by Major Spiegel and President Palmer of the University. President W. H. Richard of the society responded, and several papers were read. For four days the committees will make business and pleasure, and many industrial plants will be inspected.

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Pine City News

A girl wanted for general house work. Mrs. A. Pennington, Pine City, 39-1

Miss Portia Huber was a visitor at the Twin cities the latter part of last week.

Miss Bele is enjoying a month's vacation from her duties in the auditor's office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Asplund were visitors at the Twin cities the first of the week.

Attorney Running of St. James was a business visitor at the court house, Monday.

Mrs. Spickler returned home last Sunday from a few day's visit with friends at North Branch and Harris.

I am always in the market for hogs and cattle. Call me when you have any stock to offer.—J. J. Madden.

Wanted—To borrow \$350 at reasonable rate of interest on good real estate security.—Address "S", this office.

Attorney Roberts was at St. Paul the first of the week when he had a couple of cases before the state supreme court.

Miss Estella Norton arrived from Farmington last Sunday to spend the Easter vacation at her home in Hustletown.

Clayton Conger accompanied Mrs. Pennington home from Mora last Thursday, remaining until Sunday when he returned home.

Mrs. Otto Hanson and children arrived last week from Bruno at the home of her father, auditor Hamlin, for a few week's visit.

Miss Warren of the Corn and Clover land office and Miss Flavia Daniels were guests of relatives at the Twin cities last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Beiderman and daughter Ruth departed Saturday for St. Paul to visit with Mrs. Beiderman's daughter Mrs. Huntsa for a few days.

N. H. Utter, who makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. V. P. Joslin, departed Tuesday for St. Paul to visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

Century fountain pen was lost last week Monday between the school house and J. J. Madden residence. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

Mrs. R. A. Booth, who has been at Minneapolis since last August, came up to Pine City last Monday for a couple of weeks' visit at the Judge Wilcox home.

Cashier Erickson of the First National Bank and A. M. Mattson of the big store, were up from Rush City to take in the K. of P. ceremonies last evening.

Contractor Larson was a business visitor at Grantsburg, Harris, Stillwater, and the Twin cities the first of the week, looking after prospective business in his line.

Wanted—an experienced well driller to run a Sparta machine near Duluth. Good pay for capable man. Address, Louis Christensen, Greyson Farms, Rt. 3, Duluth.

More than half a dozen local Masons journeyed to Rush City last Saturday evening to assist in giving F. M. Smith and Rudolph Wikken the final touches of the work.

Wanted—Salesmen to sell our guaranteed Oils and Paints. Experience unnecessary. Extremely profitable offer to right party. The Glen Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

The Pythian temple No. 40 will meet at the K. of P. hall Friday evening, Apr. 10, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested as there is important business on hand.—Rilla Gottry, M. E. C.

Prof. Hughes of Heron Lake was here and at Brookpark the first of the week, looking after some land interests he had in this region. The professor has seven bands and orchestras under his direction in his home.

Mrs. August Wickstrom left for Minneapolis, yesterday to join her

husband who has been there the past week on business. They will visit for a few days with relatives and expect to be back the first of the week.

The D. of H. hall in Stok's hall next Wednesday evening will be a very enjoyable affair if all the signs aren't wrong. The excellent Schmidt orchestra from North Branch will furnish the harmonic inspiration.

Schuyler Kilgore moved the latter part of last week into his own home at the south end of Cross lake. Mr. Joslin, who has been living in the Kilgore house, is figuring on buying a place in town and will likely move soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fausta arrived last Friday from Chicago and are settled in the Abrahamson home for the present. Mr. Fausta will have charge of the newly installed watch repairing and jewelry department in the Smith Hardware store.

I have a McCormick mower, 2 plows, seeder, rake, 2 drags, 2 walking cultivators, potato hiller, 4 shovel scrapers, No. 1 wheel scraper, oak wagon rack, wagon box, numerous farm tools etc. that I will sell cheap.—E. L. Seavey, Pine City. 30-4

The Corn and Clover Land Co. had several lowans here and into the country yesterday. The visitors were much pleased with the country and at least three of them purchased. Messrs. Harro and Duxbury are getting in lots of buyers this year.

Little Alice Peterson from Rock Creek visited her friend Edna Simon at her home here the first of the week. Her father came up after her and on Tuesday returned home, accompanied by the girls and Mr. Simon who has been visiting there a few days.

Peter Holm sold his home near the Catholic church to Mr. Somerville last Friday and expects to move about the 15th into the Smith cottage on the west side of town. The Somervilles are living for the present in the Jos. Korbel house west of Dr. Wiseman's.

Misses Jessie Stephan, Genevieve and Irene Lambert, Anna Fisher and Marion McKusick left, last Saturday and Sunday to resume their school work at Hinkley, Paynesville, Beroun, Sandstone and Hector respectively, after a week's spring vacation at their homes here.

If you know of anyone who wants to buy horses or mules just do a little missionary work and get them here for McAllen's sale this week Saturday. Pine City can be and should be the live stock market for this part of the state. It would be an inestimable aid to business in general.

John Kilgore and George Rooker departed Thursday for Cogswell N. Dak. George Rooker came from Dak. last fall and spent the winter with Mr. Holler in Meadow Lawn. He came to Pine City Wednesday and spent the evening with Mr. Schuyler Kilgore. Their friends here dislike to see them go but wish them much success.

P. S. Duxbury arrived from his home at St. Paul last week and has gone onto the Henry Stelzner place about 6 miles southwest of town which was recently purchased by the Corn and Clover Land Co. and which he will operate this year. The Stelzners have moved to the Riley place, just west of town, which they have purchased.

Those "spotting"—say it with a long o—windows at Smith Hardware Co's have the festive robin beat a mile as a "harbinger of spring," for you can't look at those base ball fixins an fishing riggings without sort of feeling that the ice must sometime go out from around Beale's Ear an that the park on the north side will again ring with the plaudits of the fans.

A. W. Piper received word that his sister, Mrs. Dunning, had decided after she arrived home at Alma Center Wis., after her recent visit here, to return and locate and the folks and their car of household goods are expected the latter part of this week. Mrs. Dunning's son

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PERHAPS THE FAIREST THEM

But Little Dixie's Name Would Have Been Hard to Find in an Annual Spring Almanac.

Aunt Lindy had brought around her three grandchildren for her mistress to see. The three little darlings, in calico smocks, stood equidistant to the white Lindy proudly surveyed them. "What are their names, Lindy?" her mistress asked.

"Dey's names' after flowers, ma'am. Ah name 'em. De bligens' one's name Oladiola. De nex' one, she name 'Hollotose."

"Those are very pretty," her mistress said. "What is the littlest one named?"

"She name' Artubifical, ma'am."

Probably.

"I asked Miss Cayenne her opinion of me and she said she thought I'd be very attractive to the mice. What on earth do you suppose she meant by that?"

"It was just a polite way of saying that you were a piece of cheese."

Constipation causes and aggravates many serious diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The favorite family laxative. Adv.

The Weapons.

"This is certainly a fierce oyster war in the legislature."

"Are the factions shelling each other?"

Putnam Fidelity Dyes are the brightest and fastest. Adv.

The University of Nebraska has 52 women instructors.

What's Doing in Minnesota

Little Falls—Dunal Trettel, 45 years old, said to have been the only Polish lawyer in Minnesota. Is dead from tuberculosis.

Mankato—A contract has been awarded to the J. B. Nelson Construction company of this city for creating a pavilion at Minnesota state park.

Jackson—Mankato presbyter, including sixty-four churches in south-western Minnesota, will hold its annual meeting in this city, April 14 and 15.

Winnebago—A fourth dividend was paid last week to the depositors in the defunct State Bank of Commerce. The depositors have now received a total of 80 per cent.

Madella—At a meeting of the Commercial club action was taken by which Madella is to have a "white way" on twelve blocks. The work will be completed by July 1.

Winona—James A. Taveny, chairman in the United States of the International joint commission, went to Washington to attend the regular April meeting of the commission.

Faribault—"Nibe" Orpich of Faribault, was stabbed in the back with a butcher knife by a Mexican stranger, who is in jail. Though seriously wounded Orpich will probably recover. The two men quarrelled. Orpich is employed in a packing house.

Winona—Farmers in many parts of Southeastern and Southern Minnesota are preparing to begin their spring seeding, the early work being already under way. Railroad reports and assertions of farmers indicate that the frost is usually in the ground and that the soil is in prime condition.

Winona—Rev. G. W. Lutz, district superintendent of Winona district Methodism, has returned from Wykoff, where, assisted by the pastor, Rev. George H. Goodrich, he conducted a two weeks' series of meetings with splendid results. He reports the addition of sixty-five members to the church.

Tower. A delegation from the Commercial club of Tower, consisting of G. C. Carlson, vice president; J. D. Murphy, treasurer, and Dr. R. L. Burns and H. T. Olson, directors, will meet with the state game and fish commission to protest against the taking by the state of spawm from the fish of Lake Vermilion.

St. Paul—Dr. Howard Lankester, city health commissioner has issued orders to proprietors of the motion picture theaters in the city that no children under 12 years old be allowed to attend their performances unless accompanied by parents or guardians. This measure will be in force until April 20, when the Easter vacation ends.

Third River Falls—The third carload of dairy cattle shipped into this city this spring reached Thief River Falls, Saturday, from Winnechek county, Iowa. The shipment was comprised of Holstein and registered Durham cows. Never before has such interest in dairying been exhibited. Farmers predict that the county's output of milk, cream and butter for the coming year will be the heaviest ever known.

Kasota—The action against Chris Marsh, a traveling salesman for the Illinois Oil company, charged with filling farmers' tanks and barrels from a car without measuring the fluid, has failed. Marsh stood trial last week and was acquitted. He was arrested on a complaint of a state inspector of weights and measures. The court held that Marsh did not need a measure, as the capacity of the tanks and barrels was known, being of standard size.

The Island—The family and friends of Mr. Thomas Parkin will join with them in celebrating their golden wedding anniversary last week. Mr. and Mrs. Parkin have lived nearly all their married life on a farm near Pine Island. Mr. Parkin was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to America when 4 years of age. Mr. Parkin and Miss Anna Eliza Ross of Green county, Wisconsin, were married April 3, 1844, the groom leaving immediately to join his regiment. He was a member of Company C, Thirty-seventh Wisconsin volunteer infantry.

Fergus Falls—Suit has been begun in the United States court here by Mrs. J. T. Maybury of Bloxi, Miss., against the Wadena Land & Investment company. Mrs. Maybury alleges that a representative of the company informed her that her niece, her husband, J. A. Sedgwick, had embezzled \$3,800 of the company's funds, and that unless she made a settlement on the thief from Wadena county would take him back to Minnesota and he would be convicted and sent to state's prison. She had no means of knowing whether the charges were true or false, and supposes that the money would be carried out, she paid \$1,500 in cash and gave her notes for \$1,500 more in settlement.

Rodwood Falls—A recent report of the banks of Rodwood county disclosed an increase over the business transacted the year before of nearly one million dollars. The totals for 1913 were \$2,102,200.13 and for 1914, \$4,001,770.85, or an increase of \$1,900,000.12. The conditions generally attributed responsible for this increase are good crops and good roads leading to Rodwood county markets.

Anna—Avery R. Quinn was awarded \$5,000 damages in district court here for injuries received from a cave in at the insane hospital here last summer.

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Wisest Nation.

"It says here, 'One of the idols most revered by the Koreans is the figure of a woman, seated, resting her chin in her hand,'" said Mrs. Chatterly, reading the newspaper.

"Which proves that the Koreans are about the wisest nation on earth," suggested her husband.

"How's that, Joshua?"

"Well," said Mr. Chatterly, with distinct emphasis, "simply because they make a deity of a woman who has sense enough to give her chin a rest."

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Several hands were raised.

"Anna may tell us," said teacher.

"How many children would she have, Anna?"

"Enough."

Blindness is more common among men than women.

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Mustard is one of the most ancient of medicines. Pythagoras, who flourished between 500 and 600 years before Christ, mentions it. Hippocrates, who was born in 460 B. C., employed it. Pliny the Elder, writing in 77 A. D., describes three different kinds of mustard, and says the seeds were imported to Italy from Egypt originally.

The Romans used it as a stimulant after a cold bath; they mixed mustard oil and olive oil in equal parts and used this as a liniment for stiffness of the muscles. They knew the virtues of mustard poultices and of mustard as an emetic. As a remedy for the stings of scorpions and serpents, they pounded it, mixed it with vinegar and applied it to the wound.

They also made a drink out of it fermenting the seed in a fiery spirit. The liquor thus produced they called *mustum ardens*, which means burning wine. The word *mustard* is probably derived from this.

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The Old 'Un—Plink, my boy, pluck; first and last; that is the one essential to success in business.

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W. N. U., Minneapolis, No. 15-1914.

Brook Park.

Irene Swanson is spending Easter vacation at her home in Henriette.

Mr. Blume our harnessmaker and cobbler has more work than he can do.

Mrs. R. Hoagland and daughter Althea were Mora visitors on Monday last.

Mr. McGawan has bought forty acres of the Wilcox farm paying \$50 per acre.

The revival meetings will be continued but will be conducted by Mr. Parish of Ogilvie.

The Ellefson farm two miles east of here has been sold to a man from Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Elmer Parsons has gone to work again in the depot but his telegraph hand is nearly useless.

Miss Gertrude Miller is home from the Duluth Normal and will not return again this year.

Mrs. Shutt who has been visiting at H. F. Alderman's has been quite ill but at this time is much better.

Last week was a general time of moving, here. Several families moved and still more will move soon.

Miss Bull accompanied by Miss Coeffe are spending their Easter vacation in St. Cloud the home of the former.

The Leonard Otis sale last week was well attended and near \$3,000 worth of property was sold. Cows sold for from \$75 to \$90 apiece.

The price of land here has exceeded the expectations of our most sanguine optimist. Herbert Parsons refused \$82.50 for a forty acres of his farm.

While moving the depot a box car has been used as a stopping place for the trains but last Saturday they commenced stopping at the depot again as usual.

Donald Kilmer, five year old son of Rolla Kilmer is in a Twin city hospital where he was operated on recently for appendicitis. According to last reports he is doing well.

Ed Armstrong has resigned his position as butter maker at the creamery and another man has been hired. W. Armstrong and his wife will be missed here and all regret their departure.

On account of the difficulty experienced by the vans in bringing in their heavy loads through the mud it was thought best to have Easter vacation one week earlier than usual to see if the roads would not improve.

The old school house was sold last week and the town of Brookpark was the purchaser. Mr. Eddy has generously donated the town a lot and the building will be moved onto it and converted into a town hall thus supplying a long felt want.

The last entertainment of the lecture course was given at the church by the Illinois bell ringers and glee club, and, as at all the others, there was a large and appreciative house. To say that the entertainments have been highly enjoyed is stating it mildly.

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James Petronek was a county seat caller Monday.

Miss Ella Kub was a Pine City caller Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Stephan is reported on the sick list this week.

Frank Horejs transacted business at the county seat last Saturday.

Jos. and Miss Bessie Pulkrabek were visitors at Pine City Saturday.

Jos. Horejs of St. Paul arrived here Monday to attend to some business.

Earl Derr came home from Duluth Tuesday where he has been visiting for a few days.

Miss Josie Chalupnik left for Pine City Monday and is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. Frank Rys.

Gust Strohkirch went to Braham Sunday to visit with his brother

BIG AUCTION

at McAllen's Sale Barn Pine City

HORSES & MULES

This is all good stock. The auctioneer will make a statement as each horse is brought into the ring and the owner will stand behind every one of these, ready to make good every claim. Everything will be out in the open--no "jockeying."

SATURDAY, APR. 11

Beginning at One o'clock p. m.

Brown mare 6 yrs. old, weight 1620 pounds	Dark gray mare 6 yrs. old, wt. 1450 pounds
Bay gelding 7 " " " 1520 "	Dark gray mare 7 " " " 1380 "
Grey gelding 4 " " " 1200 "	Grey gelding 8 " " " 1360 "
Grey gelding 5 " " " 1300 "	Dark grey gelding 6 " " " 1290 "
Grey gelding 5 " " " 1250 "	Gray gelding 8 " " " 1300 "
Brown mare 7 " " " in foal, 1300 "	Grey mare 10 " " " 1240 "
Brown mare 5 years old, weight 1150 pounds	Brown gelding 4 year old, weight 1280 pounds
Bay mare 9 " " " 1100 "	Bay gelding 4 years old, weight 1310 pounds
Bay mare 10 " " " in foal, weight 1200 pounds	Bay gelding 4 years old, weight 1200 pounds
Span of Mules, weight 2400 pounds	Bay mare 7 years old, weight 1250 pounds
Mark grey mare, 6 yrs. old, in foal, weight 1240 pounds	Black Gelding, 4 years old, weight 1160 pounds
Dark grey mare, 7 years old, in foal, weight 1270 pounds	Bay mare 5 years old, weight 1330 pounds
Gray gelding 8 years old, weight 1200 pounds	Black mare 5 years old, weight 1330 pounds
Dark gray gelding, 5 years old, weight 1170 pounds	Bay mare 5 years old, weight 1110 pounds
White mare 11 years old, in foal, weight 1280 pounds	Span of Mules, 3 years old, weight 2100 pounds

Plenty of time given on approved security at 8 percent interest

P. W. McALLEN, Owner

F. R. DUXBURY, Auctioneer

WEBSTER HODGE, Clerk

Emil, who is receiving medical treatment at a hospital there.

Several of the young folks visited Frank Cabek at his home Wednesday evening. He has been laid up with rheumatism for several months.

Meadow Lawn.

Chas. Franklin was a Beroun visitor the last of the week.

The next Grange meeting will be held at the hall this evening--Thurs-

day and several new members will be taken in.

A number of young folks called on friends here last Sunday.

Asa Scofield sold his cattle, horses and hogs to A. M. Challeen last week.

Clarence and Silas Breckenbury spent Sunday in the central part of the village.

Miss Lydia Nichols is spending her Easter vacation with her par-

ents here, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Smith.

Jno. MacAdam and wife were callers at the Ben Hanfelt and Elmer Smith homes Sunday.

Jno. J. Holler departed on the noon train for Cloverton, Monday, to attend to business matters there.

Allen Scofield is getting ready to leave for the northern part of the state soon and he will rent his farm the coming summer and anyone

wishing a place should call on Mr. Scofield for terms.

Mrs. Ben Hanfel is seriously ill at her home and it may be found necessary to take her to the hospital to undergo an operation.

George Rooker who spent the winter here departed for North Dakota last Wednesday where he expects to visit for a time. We are glad to note that on his return it is his intention to purchase some land

and make this his future home. His parents live near Portland Ore., but Mr. Rooker says this place is good enough for him.

Seeds

The best is the cheapest. I have a full line of tested seeds or the fields and garden. I make a speciality of handling only such seeds as I believe will prove their worth. -Respectfully, J. J. Madden.