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MID-SUMMER PLEASURES

Picnics Over County Mark Longest Days of Year

FARMERS CLUBS HAVE A TIME

Sandstone, Friesland, Hinkle Farmers Gather at Grindstone Lake

The Friesland Farmers' Club was host and the Sandstone and Hinkle clubs were guests at a picnic in Stinson's park at Grindstone lake last Friday. There were upwards of 250 present and the day was ideal.

Thos. Raleigh, an Equity organizer from Lake Elmo, spoke on markets, Mr. Chapman of the St. Anthony college general farm topics and P. A. Christensen of Hinkle, Pine county's candidate for state senator, on silos. The Young People's aid of the Dell Grove congregation, furnished excellent music.

A booth was maintained and the total receipts of the day were \$89.98 while the expenses for races, prizes, park, organ, confections, labor etc. amounted to \$84.48, leaving a credit of \$5.50 for the club treasury.

Prizes for the best bouquet of home grown flowers were won by Misses Oakland and Alice Loken while the races were won as follows: Race, Boys under 12; Clarence Willner, Albert Kanis and Theo. Gustafson.

Boys 12 to 16, Geo. Youngkrantz, Clarence Loken and Russell Cook. Young ladies, May Plaggerman, Myrtle Olson and Ida Sjodal.

Girls under 12, Jessie Wiemer, Persilla Volk and Lola Goff.

Girls 12 to 16 years, Francis Feyma, Bonnie Goble and Alice Anderson.

Free for all race, Henry Olson, Jake York and Rudolph Johnson. Men over 40 years, John York, Gustafson and Frank Loken.

Fast race, men over 40 years, Jim Hanson, Frank Loken and N. Wicklund.

Midsummer Night Entertainment

There were over 300 present at the Midsummer night entertainment at the Pine Grove church east of Pine City, Tuesday evening and \$70 was taken in. There was fine music by the young people, lots of baskets to auction and plenty of other things to eat. Rev. Hedlin and Hon. J. Adam Bede spoke, the former dwelling particularly on the Midsummer night in the Old Country when the sun never sets. Mr. Bede dwelt on the value of providing the young folks of the country regions with a good time so that they may be kept from seeking the cities instead. Messrs. Magnus Challen and Ed Galles were out from town with their axes and others would have been there if the severe storm had not come up just at that time.

Annual Picnic

The annual Sunday school picnic held on the fair grounds yesterday, brought together a crowd of over 150. There were all kinds of games under the direction of Fred Berlin, John Curtis and Rev. Parish and the ladies put up a lunch that will be remembered for a year to come. Then, too, there were free ice cream cones for the children--and a general dandy time.

Old Landmark Gone

The old hotel barn that has been an eye-sore for years, is no more. It stood on the best business corner and seemed to block all further progress down that street, but now the lot has been cleared and a good two-story building adorns the south half and another will, very likely, be built on the corner this season.

Mr. Olson has a new modern barn, built along sanitary lines, large well lighted and ventilated stalls. Feed and water supply are handy. Large carriage room and hay mow. Frank Lund had charge of the building and Nyrud & Miller did the outside decoration.--Sturgeon Lake Hustler.

About The Chautauqua

Stewart Bottom of the Vawter Chautauqua system was here the first of the week to place banners and streamers and daters around the streets and some out into the country.

A meeting of the Chautauqua guarantors was held in the K. of P. hall Monday evening to organize and plan the campaign for selling season tickets. There are 35 on the list and they are pledged for \$10 apiece to make up any deficit in the \$600 guaranteed toward the expenses of the Vawter people.

Every cent of this must be secured from the sale of season tickets at \$1.50 each for adults or \$1.00 each for children from 6 to 14 years before the course opens on July 6. After that--during the time the Chautauqua is in session--season tickets will go to \$2 for adults and \$1.50 for children but sales will not count against the guarantee of \$600 from the 35 men here. So if you want to help these men out, buy now.

Tuesday and Wednesday committees scoured the town for sales and to date the number of adult tickets sold is 235 while 64 children's tickets have been taken.

The latter part of the week the country and nearby towns will be canvassed and considerable sales are confidently expected there. Already numerous people in the county and from northern Chisago have stated their intention to camp here during the course and take in everything it offers.

There will be something for the children all the time--morning, afternoon and evening and the grown ups will find entertainments for them every one of the five afternoons and evenings.

Admission may be paid at the gate if desired but these will total \$1.75 for the evening entertainments alone and \$1.50 more for the afternoons if paid separately. So it may be seen that the season ticket at \$1.50 is much the cheaper, even though you only intend to attend the evening entertainments.

There is much misunderstanding as to what this Chautauqua is. It is not a circus nor a religious meeting as have both been suggested to us. It is a five-day flow of lecture and music that will both entertain and instruct every one who attends. It is held in a tent only because sufficiently large halls are not generally found in towns where the Chautauquas are held. It offers the best opportunity along these lines that has ever been offered in this part of the state.

The tent will be placed in the lower park, near the water tower.

Visited at Pine City

John Kruger of Rock Creek drove to Pine City Saturday and remained over Sunday visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-laws. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Ausmus. Little Clarence Ausmus returned with him to remain for an extended visit with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Kruger.

ROCK CREEK BOY KILLED

Run Over By Cars At St. Paul

DIES ON WAY TO HOSPITAL

Young Man Had Gone to Sainly City in Search of Employment

Forest Bruce, the 16 year old son of Henry Bruce who lives about 8 miles east of Rock Creek was killed while attempting to swing aboard a moving St. Paul road transfer train in that city, Monday afternoon. He lost his grip and fell under the wheels. Twelve cars passed over his legs just above the knees. The boy died in the police ambulance before it could reach the City hospital.

His body was identified at the morgue by Mrs. J. R. Robertson, 383 Clinton avenue, a sister, with whom Forest had been living since he went to St. Paul two weeks ago to seek employment.

Early yesterday afternoon the boy left his sister's home and joined Wade Casura, 149 East Congress street. They were looking for work when they met Wm. Hogan and Ray Hustler, transients, in the railroad yards. The freight train approached rapidly from the south at 5:30 p. m. Bruce announced his intention of catching it, according to Casura, and had clutched the grab-iron of a box car, when he was dragged off the ground lost his hold and fell under the wheels.

Casura said he and the other boys tried to dissuade Bruce from the attempted ride but that Bruce laughed at their fears.

Vesely--Ambroz

James Vesely and Miss Albena Ambroz were joined in wedlock at the office of the probate court by Judge Wilcox at 10 a. m. Tuesday. Miss Julia Ambroz sister of the bride and Jos. Ant. Hejny acted as bridesmaid and best man. In the evening a big wedding hall was given in Steki's hall a full house of relatives and friends danced to the music of Yotti's concertina until daylight.

Fire Works! Fire Works!!

You can get 'em at The Leader, Sat., June 27. We have a large variety to choose from and our prices are right.

Mrs. J. S. Curtis visited at Rush City between trains Thursday.

Astronomically Speaking.

Before he became a newspaper man James S. Black was a collector in Finland for awhile. He was given a bill against Director Lowell of the observatory and trapped on the long hill from the town to see the astronomer one hot June morning when the mountain sun blazed its hottest. Arrived at the top, Black inquired of an attendant if Lowell was there. After the manner of collectors he followed up a negative answer with inquiries as to his probable return. "Will he be back this afternoon?" "No." "Will he be back tomorrow?" "No." "Will he be back next day?" "The attendant couldn't say." "Well," said Black, getting desperate, "do you know when he will be back?" "Oh, he'll be back for the transit of Venus," said the attendant. "That finished it," said Black in telling the story. "Not being an astronomer, I gave up that bill,"--Popular Magazine.

Presbyterian Church Notes

A royal welcome was given the pastor in the form of a public reception held in the church on Thursday evening, June 8th, which date was chosen because it was the wedding anniversary of the pastor and his wife. In spite of the inclement weather a goodly company gathered to enjoy the festive occasion and the good things to eat provided by the ladies of the church. The rooms were beautifully decorated--an evidence of much painstaking labor--which added to the good cheer. Music by the quartette--Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. K. W. Knapp, Messrs. McCleary and Geo. Wandell and readings by Mrs. F. R. Duxbury formed a pleasing and substantial part of the program. A reception committee together with Mr. and Mrs. Harte presented the strangers and made everyone feel at home. All felt better acquainted and carried home with them more enthusiasm for the church for having braved the weather to attend.

Sunday morning, June 28th, the pastor will preach on the subject "The Model Church" the subject announced two weeks ago but not presented at that time. Services at 11:00 a. m. The evening sermon at 8:00 p. m. will be upon the subject "Spending or Investing."

Rev. Clark was at Duluth Monday, to attend a short special meeting of Presbytery.

The Children's Day exercises which took the place of Sunday school and church last Sunday were attended by a well filled house and were greatly enjoyed. The church was prettily decorated and the children, with musical help from Rev. and Mrs. Clark, presented a very pleasing program.

The Sunday school and church picnic which was to have been held at the Asplund cottage on Cross lake, was postponed on account of the wet ground and will probably be held today.

German Luth. Church Notes

Rev. Leuker has been at Rush City all the week, so far, though he is expected home this evening. He will be compelled to be there most of the time from now until after August at the confirmation class will graduate there about Sept. 1.

The pastor was at Kroschel last Sunday to assist at the Mission feast.

There will be German services in the church at 2:30. The Young People's society will meet in the school house tomorrow [Friday] evening at 7:30.

M. E. Church Notes

The ladies' aid met at the home of Mrs. Robt. Greig yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Parish went to Ogilvie, Tuesday, to be present at the wedding at high noon yesterday of his uncle Rev. Justus Parish.

Catholic Church Notes

The Ladies' Alter society met at the home of Mrs. F. Kunesh Tuesday. Messdames Kunesh, Peter Wosnek and Thos. Fitzgerald entertained. There was quite a large attendance and over 20 was realized.

Hon. W. G. Calderwood, Prohibition candidate for governor, who was billed to speak here Tuesday afternoon, was unable to be present owing to being called to Washington in connection with the "dry" decision of the Supreme court affecting a large part of Northern Minnesota. He was compelled to cancel several engagements in this region which he hopes to be able to fill later.

FINAL ELECTION FIGURES

Outcome of Recount by Canvassing Board

NO CHANGES FOR WINNERS

Result By Precinct Same as Given in This Paper Last Week

The result of the primary election in Pine county, as worked out by the board of canvassers brought out that there were 1,872 male and 192 female votes cast and counted. Of these only 16 were Progressives and the Democrats only cast 271, the balance being Republican. The total vote was as follows:

Republican

GOVERNOR

William E. Lee	682	101
Elwood L. Raab	57	126
Adolph O. Eberhart	596	81

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Elias Steenerson	462
J. A. A. Burquist	761

STATE AUDITOR

Jacob A. O. Preus	890	105
Henry Rines	825	62
Julius H. Block	155	116

STATE TREASURER

Walter J. Smith	669
R. L. Johnson	666

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Lyndon A. Smith	747
James Mahan	599

CLERK OF SUPREME COURT

G. D. McCubrey	349
Irring A. Caswell	891

RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSIONER

John F. Rosenwald	255	97
J. C. White	185	67
J. S. Arneson	209	71
O. P. B. Jacobson	619	72

MEMBER OF CONGRESS, 10TH DISTRICT

Lowell E. Jepson	398	129
Victor L. Johnson	387	120
J. Adam Bede	590	80

Democrat

GOVERNOR

Daniel William Lawler	192
Winfield S. Hammond	79

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS, 10TH DISTRICT

Harry S. Swenson	151
A. S. Dowdall, Jr.	99

Non-Partisan

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT

George L. Bunn	291
Charles B. Elliott	213
Alva R. Hunt	195
Albert Johnson	601
P. W. Morrison	153
William Watts	118

SENATOR, 56TH DISTRICT

J. A. Rystrom	392
Peter A. Christianson	674
S. G. L. Roberts	648

REPRESENTATIVE IN THE LEGISLATURE, 56TH DISTRICT

H. R. Berg	390
Adolph S. Larson	683
C. W. Mobeck	287
Wm. E. Nielsen	304
Elias Nordgren	287
Charles A. Peterson	409

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Ottawa Sobotta	480
W. S. Ervin	578
W. H. Lamson	704

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

C. W. Galley	611
Louis Anderson	484
R. H. Blankenship	871

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, 3RD DISTRICT

John Von Rueden	106
M. Bullis	187
Herman De Boer	71
Andrew P. Edin	185

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, 1ST DISTRICT

Wm. F. Anderson	26
Gust Anderson	56
N. P. Johnson	12
W. H. Lehn	5
J. M. Morrow	38
Matz Peterson	34
Henry Studt	65

Germans in the Lead

Usually at election time the talk of the strength of the various nationalities in this state comes up for consideration and in order to set you right on the population of each nationality in this state we publish the following taken from the latest bulletin, issued by the government at Washington, D. C.:

German... 20 per cent or 403,117

Norwegian... 13.9 per cent or 286,884

Swedish... 13.7 per cent or 282,037

English and Celtic... 10 per cent or 212,844

Polish... 2.4 per cent or 49,142

Finnish... 2.1 per cent or 43,719

French... 2.1 per cent or 43,670

Danish... 2 per cent or 41,782

Bohemian and Moravian 1.6 per cent or 33,247

Other nationalities of foreign white stock: Yiddish and Hebrew, 17,877; Italian, 13,592; Dutch and Frisians 11,418; Slavonians, 10,661; Serbo-Croatians, 7,901; Slovak, 2,740; Magyar 2,374; Greek, 2,076; Flemish 2,068; Russian, 1,517.

In St. Paul the German group of the foreign white stock represents 24 per cent; English and Celtic 1.5 per cent; Swedish 12 per cent Norwegian 5 per cent and Danish 1.5 per cent. The total foreign white stock in St. Paul represents 71 per cent of the total white population.

In Minneapolis the Swedish group represents 18 per cent; English and Celtic, 14 per cent; Norwegian, 12 per cent; Germans, 11 per cent, and Danish, 2 per cent. The total foreign white population of Minneapolis represented 68 per cent of the total white population.

From the foregoing, it may be gleaned that the Germans are in the lead as an individual nationality, while if you count the Swedes and Norwegians together--that is the Scandinavians--the latter exceed the German population by 165,804. There are in all 668,921 Scandinavians in Minnesota and 409,117 Germans. There are according to the foregoing bulletin, 4,847 more Norwegians than Swedes in Minnesota so that the contention that the Swedes are greater in point of number in this state apparently lacks authentic foundation.

Figuring it strictly by nationality, that is counting the Swedes for themselves and the Norwegians for themselves, the Germans lead in point of population in this state, their number being not less than 403,117.

Ship Buffalo

Mark's buffaloes were put on the cars Tuesday to be shipped back to Miles City, Montana, where they will be used in the annual "Stampede" there on July 4-5-6. The animals will have to be unloaded at Fargo to be inspected before they can be shipped in that State. Mr. Mark has engaged to furnish a bunch of unriddable bronchos and a bunch of buffalo for several other parties, including Winnipeg and Seattle, for similar Wild West exhibitions during the next few weeks. Adam Bowker and Norman Kenoy will be in charge of the animals.--Willow River Farmer.

Court will convene next Monday for the trial of court cases.

The Pine Poker.

PINE CITY, MINNESOTA

NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

KERNELS CULLED FROM THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS.

STORIES FROM OVER GLOBE

Items From Happenings of World Arranged in Their Briefest and Most Succinct Form for the Busy Reader.

Washington

A high official of the interstate commerce commission at Washington intimated that the decision in the freight rate case would be handed down July 3, following the close of the New York stock market for the day.

An agreement that will end the strike of about five thousand men in the Kanawha coal fields of West Virginia was reached at Washington when representatives of the operators and the mine workers accepted proposals offered by the three conciliators appointed by Secretary of Labor Wilson.

President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, the first in a message to the senate and the second in a note to the chief executive, directly apply the extension of the treaty negotiated with Colombia to the part the United States played in connection with the separation of Panama from its mother country. The president transmitted the treaty to the senate with a request for its ratification.

Domestic

Emerson D. Dietrich, twenty-four years old and a Cornell graduate, was mangled and torn to pieces by five half-famished and blood-crazed lions caged in an animal car in the yards of the Santa Fe railroad at Clark and Sixteenth streets, Chicago. The lions were the property of an "animal act" which was to show at a Chicago theater, and Dietrich was manager of the company.

Election of officers of the Modern Woodmen of America by the triennial convention of the order at Toledo, O., resulted in a victory for the administration adherents, the insurgents of the convention being defeated in all contests. A. R. Talbot of Lincoln, Neb., was re-elected grand council.

Grand Rapids's most baffling murder mystery, the Thompson trial tragedy, when gunner killed Ed Smith, J. N. Thompson and Paul Tompkins, receiving \$2,200 worth of diamonds, was cleared by an alleged confession made by Walter "Vepper" Lawrence to Prosecutor Phelps.

Yale won the four-mile varsity race on the Thames at New London, Conn., from Harvard by the narrow margin of three feet in one of the most sensational finishes ever witnessed. Only one-fifth of a second separated the two shells. The official time was: Yale, 21:16; Harvard, 21:15.

Twenty-two election officials were sentenced for frauds in connection with the special national convention amendment election in the Twelfth assembly district of New York. Six of them, inspectors, were sent to the penitentiary for six months. The others, including inspectors and poll and ballot clerks, were fined \$100 each.

More than ten thousand women—and a large number of men—stormed the Auditorium theater in Chicago in a desperate struggle to gain admittance to the already filled theater and hear Miss Margaret Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, speak at the closing session of the tenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. Miss Wilson suggested turning every public schoolhouse into a council chamber for citizenship.

The American Academy of Medicine, an organization that specializes in medical sociology, began its thirty-ninth annual meeting at Atlantic City, N. J.

Police Inspector Martin at Boston was shot to death in a safe by Laurence Robinson, who he tried to arrest on a murder charge. Robinson was captured after a running fight with the police in the shopping district in which 50 shots were fired.

The worst disaster in the history of aviation occurred at the military aerodrome on the outskirts of Vienna when this week, including five army and navy officers, were killed in a collision between an aeroplane and a dirigible balloon.

Twelve persons were drowned when a motor launch in which they were returning home after a day's excursion struck a submerged stump in the Geneva canal, near Yverdon, Switzerland, and exploded. Four others were saved.

Robert M. Maloney, known on the stage as "Willard the Wizard," committed suicide in the county jail at Cincinnati, O., by jumping from the fourth tier of cells, where he was being held pending action by the grand jury on a charge that he killed his wife and babe in a hotel December 30 last.

The body of a woman, apparently young from her head, nose and legs had been out, was found floating in the Hudson river at Schenectady, N. Y.

G. Gregory and William Devaney were arrested at Butte, Mont., on warrants charging that they were instigators of the riot which broke up the parade of the miners' union.

State's Attorney Macley Hoyme of Chicago appointed assistants to take charge of the criminal prosecution of former Senator William Lorimer, C. B. Munday and the other recipients of the LaSalle Street Trust & Savings bank. Evidence indicates that deposits were received after Lorimer and Munday leave the bank was insolvent. W. C. Niblack, vice-president of the Chicago Title & Trust company, was appointed receiver of the bank.

Mexican War

Representative Kent of California told the president and Secretary Bryan at Washington he had telegraphic information from Mexico that General Carranza was about to leave his headquarters and flee to Laredo, Tex. Mr. Kent did not give the name of his informant.

General Villa, in answer to a message sent him, telegraphed the following from Torreon: "I answer to your message. I am going to the front of the division of the north and continue to march on the City of Mexico as commander-in-chief."

Lazaro de la Garza, Villa's commercial manager, is going to a convention for the Spaniards of the Laguna district to return to their homes.

General Villa's resignation as commander of the constitutionalist army of the central division has not been accepted and the threatened breach between Villa and General Carranza has been averted, says a statement issued from General Carranza's headquarters at Saltillo.

Personal

Mrs. Joseph Means, pioneer resident of Bloomington, Ill., was killed and her son-in-law, W. R. Bach, a lawyer, seriously injured when the latter's automobile struck her at Vespello.

W. L. Brock, an American aviator, won the round-trip air race between Henden and Manchester, England.

William C. Niblack, receiver of the LaSalle Street Trust & Savings bank of Chicago took possession of the institution and immediately the bronzed doors, closed since a week ago last Friday, swung open.

George T. Marjoe of San Francisco will be ambassador to Russia, according to a report from the White House at Washington.

Suit for \$100,000 damages for alleged breach of promise has been brought against August Gimmert of Cincinnati, father of the duchess of Manchester, by Miss Ivy Waream, a dog fancier of New York.

C. G. Theodore Roosevelt suffered a recurring touch of jungle fever shortly after the Emperor sailed from Southampton, according to a wireless message from the liner to London.

Premier Asquith has capitulated to the suffragists. He has consented to receive a deputation of East-end working women in Downing street, London.

Foreign

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Nordica, the singer, who died recently in Estavilla, were held in the King's Weigh House church, Grosvenor square, London, where Mrs. Nordica and George W. Young of New York were married five years ago. The body was cremated in Golder's green cemetery.

An explosion entombed 225 of the 500 coal miners employed in mine No. 30 of the Hillcrest Colliers, Ltd., at Hillcrest, Alberta. Of the 45 rescued 30 are injured. The explosion was the result of the 40 mine experts laboring in the dead shafting gases, no hope of resuming alive the 182 men yet in the mine is expressed. Thomas Quigley, superintendent of the mine, and Thomas Corbett, official of the miners' union, are among the entombed. It is generally believed that the explosion was due to the forming of gas.

The betrothal was announced in London of the son of Russian minister serving on the date of Grafon, to Edith Havemeyer, daughter of the late G. Havemeyer of New York. The son is said to be a doctor and a widower with a son and two daughters.

During the thick fog which hung over the English channel the North German Lloyd liner Bielefeld, with between three hundred and fifty and four hundred persons on board, was wrecked on the British coast near Portland, England.

LEE AND HAMMOND ARE THE NOMINEES

Democratic Race Was Close--Long Prairie Man Easy Winner.

EBERHART LOSES OUT IN COUNTY DISTRICTS AND IN MINNEAPOLIS--CONGRATULATES VICTOR.

Minneapolis, June 22.—Congressman Winfield Sillamund is the democratic nominee for governor of Minnesota. Dan W. Lawler of St. Paul, who had been leading on the returns of last Tuesday's primary, his hold gradually getting weaker, has dropped to second place. Corrected returns from Blue Earth and Polk counties wiped out Lawler's plurality and Hammond is now well ahead, with a prospect that the complete vote will show him nominated by close to 1,000.

Rines Concedes Defeat.

With 71 counties reported officially and the remainder heard from by wire Henry Rines of Mora, one of the Republican candidates for state auditor, conceded defeat.

So far are Ramsey, St. Louis, Washburn, Dakota, Becker, Crow Wing, Itasca, Lake, Morrison and Stearns, and some of these are incomplete, so their vote may show a reversal. Lee carried every Winona county, which his friend competitor, who was being carried nearly every county in the third district, where Eberhart was supposed to be strongest.

The hand of nearly county to date in Lyon, which gave Lee 1,195 to 309 for Eberhart, or almost four to one. Lyon county is the home of G. B. Bjornson, secretary of the Lee campaign committee.

Halbert Well in Lead.

The 71 counties which have reported their vote, including Mora, show Halbert a sufficiently large enough vote to justify the statement that he has defeated his opponent, Edward N. Westwood, and will go on the ticket as the Progressive nominee for governor.

Returns on all other candidates for legislative offices that change the result. Lyndon A. Smith, treasurer, lost, leads James A. Mannheim by thousands of votes.

Justices Run Evenly.

Justice of the supreme court and Judge Johnson of Red Wing, are the nominees for the office of associate justice. They both polled practically the same number of votes. J. A. A. Burnip has steadily increased for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor, but his returns showed Steensson pushing Burdick close.

Walter J. Smith, state treasurer, led his opponent, H. E. Johnson of Austin, by more than 30,000 votes in 1917 precincts. O. P. B. Jacobson has a lead of nearly that amount over his opponent in the race for the Republican nomination for railroad and warehouse commissioner. I. A. Caswell clerk of the supreme court, led by nearly 30,000 over McCurry, his opponent.

Congressional Results Defined.

In the First District Sydney Anderson has a lead of nearly 9,000 over his former secretary, O. M. Leving, inasmuch as the Democrats and Socialists have no vote in the county. Mr. Anderson is certain of reelection as representative in congress from the First.

In the Second District, Franklin F. Elsworth, the young Mankato attorney, who has twice before received the Republican nomination, and who was defeated both times by W. S. Hammond, the retiring member, gets away with the nomination for the third time, defeating Julius E. Haycraft, the present senator from Martin and Watwan counties, by 1151. Jenn A. Fillette, a Mankato attorney, is the Democratic nominee and J. H. Hollister of Slayey Eye will run as a Socialist.

In the Third District, C. R. Davis was nominated without opposition, while in the Fourth district Fred C. Stevens had a similar pliancy. In the Fifth district George R. Smith, the present member, defeated Ernest Lundeen by a vote of 11,205 to 9,243. Three counties are missing from the Sixth district, but Charles A. Linbergh, the present member, has defeated his opponent, H. J. Maxfield, by over 9,000.

Volstead Not Opposed.

In the Seventh district Andrew J. Volstead, the present member, had no opposition in the race for the third general election. In the Eighth district only Carlton county has reached the office of the secretary of state, but he was not out here at the general election. In the Ninth district, Becker, Marshall and Norman counties have not yet reported, but Harry Steensson, the sitting member, wins out by several thousand.

Sacrifices Life for Science.

New Rochelle, N. Y., June 20.—"Taking a place in the annals of medical history with the two noblest health surgeons who gave their lives that the world might know more of yellow fever and spotted fever, Miss Marion C. Mains died here this contracted diphtheria in experiments seeking a preventive serum. Miss Mains was only 20 years old. Her extraordinary ability in bacteriological research led to her appointment as special technician at the polytechnic hospital here.

Fires At German Diplomat.

Champaign, Ill., June 18.—Count Johann von Herstorff, ambassador from Germany to the United States, narrowly escaped death when a special policeman fired point blank at the automobile in which he was riding, but he was injured. The count was on his way to the commencement exercises of the University of Illinois. The shot went wild and was being driven to the camp in an auto and his chauffeur refused to stop when ordered.

Three Drowned in Well.

Driftwood, Pa., June 18.—While playing near his home here Harold Jordan, aged 11, fell into an abandoned well. He cries attracted the attention of Rodney Eves, aged 17, who climbed into the well in an attempt to save him. Finding he could not bring the boy to the surface, Eves called for help and was answered by John Jordan. Harold was killed when the well reached the boys they clung to him so that his hold on the rough sides was broken and all were drowned.

PREUS WINS REPUBLICAN AUDITORSHIP FIGHT DEFEATING RINES.

CLOSELY FOUGHT RACE LIKELY SETTLED WITHOUT A CONTEST.

PRIMARY ELECTION CHOICES

REPUBLICAN STATE CANDIDATES.
Governor—William E. Lee, Long Prairie.
Lieutenant Governor—J. A. A. Burnip, St. Louis.
Secretary of State—J. A. A. Burnip, St. Louis.
State Auditor—Andrew J. Rine, Mankato.
State Treasurer—Walter J. Smith, Slayey.
Attorney General—Lyndon A. Smith, Slayey.
Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—P. B. Jacobson, Slayey.
Clerk of the Supreme Court—I. A. Caswell, Anoka.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CANDIDATES.
Governor—Winfield S. Hammond, St. James.
Lieutenant Governor—C. M. Anarist, Minneapolis.
Secretary of State—N. N. Bergheim, Little Falls.
State Auditor—Andrew J. Rine, Mankato.
State Treasurer—Neil M. Engelbert, Benson.
Attorney General—Neil M. Cronin, Minneapolis.
Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Loren A. Smith, Truman.
JUDGES DISTRICT COURT.
J. H. Steele, J. W. Moynihan, Daniel Fish, Charles G. Woynton, W. B. Anderson, Frank Healey.

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINEES.

First District—Republican, Sydney Anderson, Lanesboro Democrat, H. H. Mather, Roseau Democrat.
Second District—Republican, Franklin F. Elsworth, Mankato Democrat, A. Fillette, Mankato Socialist, J. H. Hollister, Slayey Progressive, Paul F. Deibel, Worthington.
Third District—Republican, Charles R. Davis, St. Peter Democrat, Carlos Evers, Mankato Progressive, J. J. Burdick, Stillwater.
Fourth District—Republican, Fred E. Stevens, St. Paul Democrat, C. C. Van Dyke, St. Paul Socialist, William MacDuff, St. Paul Progressive, E. E. Lennox, St. Paul.
Fifth District—Republican, George R. Smith, Democrat, John H. Long, Socialist, Thomas Van Leuzer, Progressive, Fred M. Poyers.
Sixth District—Republican, C. A. Lindberg, Little Falls, Democrat, J. A. Du Bois, Slayey, Center, Socialist, J. Thompson, Belmar, Progressive, T. J. Shanley, Slayey.
Seventh District—Republican, A. J. Voth, Granite Falls.
Eighth District—Republican, Charles E. Nelson, Duluth Socialist, A. E. Towse, Duluth Progressive, G. H. Hieber, Chisholm.
Ninth District—Republican, Harry Steensson, Crookston Socialist, M. A. Hartland.
Tenth District—Republican, L. E. Johnson, Wabasha Progressive, Harry Swenson, Minneapolis Progressive, T. H. Scholt, Excelsior.

over his opponent, Luther Osborn of Glyndon.

In the Tenth district, the new representative district from Minnesota, Lowell E. Jensen, former senator from Hennepin county, won by a decisive vote.

In this district there will be Democratic opposition in the person of Harold S. Swenson of Minneapolis, who, unless Pine county changes the count, will have won over his opponent, A. S. Dowdall, Jr., the young Minneapolis attorney, by only 22 votes, the difference in Pine county to be added to either count. Seven of the eight counties give Mr. Swenson 1,061 to 1,029 for A. S. Dowdall, Jr.

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RECOGNIZED WORK OF ARTIST

Negro Quick to Hand Out What Might Be Called Important Pieces of Misinformation.

Charles R. Knight, the artist, whose reproductions of dinosaurs and creatures of long ago are known the world over, prefers, however, to be known as a painter and sculptor of modern animals. He has modeled from the living model as much as possible, and this has taken him to the zoos in many cities. He was telling his experiences at the zoo in Washington. "One afternoon an important looking negro came along with his best girl," he said. "They stopped for a minute and looked at the sketch I was making of a deer. 'Yer know what he ain't doin', don't yer?' asked the negro of his companion. 'Reckon,' answered the woman. 'Does yoh?'

"'Shoh. He's making a landscape ob one er dem habitats. Dere's mo' habitats in de world den dere's anywheres else in der United States.'"

ERUPTION DISFIGURED FACE

Lock Box 35, Maurice, Ia.—"In the spring of '12, my little daughter, age five years, had a breaking out on her lip and part of her cheek that was large for ringworm. It resembled a large ringworm, only it differed in that it was covered with watery blisters that itched and burned terribly, made worse by her scratching it. Then the blisters would break through and let out a watery substance. She was very cross and fretful while she had it and had very little rest at night. When the eruption was at its worst the teacher of the school sent her home and would not allow her to attend until the disfigurement of her face was gone."

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TELEGRAPH OPERATORS ON THE EXCHANGE FLOOR



SCENE IN THE GREAT PIT, CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

PREPARING SAMPLES FOR THE EXCHANGE FLOOR



TRADERS CHECKING UP DEALS

WHAT undoubtedly is the most unique sign language employed anywhere in the world is to be found in Chicago. It is different from other sign languages in that it is called into use only during the hours of 9:30 a. m. and 1 p. m. each work day, and because of the fact that before and after these periods its users depend upon ordinary methods of speech for communication.

The most remarkable feature of this sign language lies in the fact that its characters while only nine in number are each of such far-reaching importance that thousands of dollars are involved practically every time one of them is made.

This extraordinary system of communication is the means by which brokers on the Chicago board of trade conduct their business of buying and selling on the open market. It peculiarly distinguishes this institution, being unlike that used on the floor of any other exchange in the world.

To the casual visitor watching the crowds congregated about the different pits during the times of a flurry in prices the signs used by the traders have no intelligible meaning, but to the experienced trader a simple movement of the hand attracts attention and at the same time conveys all the information necessary to consummate a deal.

This sign language has developed with the growth of the board and its use has long since become a necessity. The turmoil and hurry-burry resulting from a thousand traders seeking to attract attention in the excitement of the hour, added to the click of hundreds of high-keyed telegraph instruments and the noise of a small army of messenger and errand boys scurrying about, makes articulate speech practically impossible. Then, too, the eye is quicker than the ear, and the signals given with the hand or by a gesture of the head mean as much as a telegram to the party addressed and frequently permits the closing of a trade, when, if time had been taken in an attempt to reach the other side of the counter, some change might have taken place in the market and the opportune moment would have been lost.

The sign manual of the pit trader is simplicity itself, and with a very little practice anyone can become adept at it. Although, of course, this does not mean that it will perfect him as a master in the strategy and generalship demanded of a good broker. For instance, wheat having sold at 90 cents, a trader catches the eye of some one opposite in the pit who has 50,000 bushels to sell, and partly by telegraphy and partly by a motion of the clenched fist, signals that he will take the 50th wheat at 90. The seller, in reply, holds up his right hand with the index finger extended horizontally. Indicated by the sign, he grants 1/2 cent more than the price quoted, or 90 1/2 cents. The buyer motions acceptance and signals back "1/4". The seller and buyer then note on their cards "50th 50 at 1/2 Jones" and "50th 50 at 1/4 Smith", respectively, the number of bushels bought and sold always meaning so many thousands. After leaving the pit the two traders meet and check the accounts.

All prices are indicated by the hand and fingers

State News

Important Doings
of the Past Few Days
Throughout Min-
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ITASCA TO HAVE GOOD ROADS

Contracts Awarded Which Assure Completion of Duluth-St. Vincent Highway in County.

Grand Rapids.—The commissioners of Itasca county have awarded the contracts which practically complete the Duluth-St. Vincent road. That portion of the highway from Wadena eastward to the St. Louis county line was awarded to Louis Lefebvre of Cloquet at a contract price of \$10,000. The road from Spring Lake to Rice Lake, a distance of nine miles, was awarded to A. A. Mitchell for \$15,000. This road connects at the east end with the Deer River-Northome road, and at the western terminus with the International Falls road. The letting of the work from Wadena to the St. Louis county line finishes the contracts for the Duluth-St. Vincent line through Itasca county.

Of the \$100,000 bond issue of last year for the purpose of constructing highways in the county, there now remains unappropriated the sum of \$50,000. The disposition of this sum was provided by stipulation in the bonds sold, as follows: Twenty thousand dollars to be expended on the Ardennant-Moose Park road, \$20,000 on the Taconite-Kewatin road, and \$10,000 on the Edle-Busticoin road. According to the terms of the bonds sold this \$50,000 cannot be used in any other manner.

ANOTHER MINE FOR CROSBY

Property to Be Worked Adjoins Platted Portion of the Village.

Crosby.—Rumors that a shaft would be sunk and active mining operations commenced on the Hans Anderson property, adjoining the platted portion of the village of Crosby, have been confirmed and Crosby will have another large underground mine within its limits before another year.

Officials of the Merrimac Mining company, which has leased the Hans Anderson and Chisholm & Williams farms and the south half of the south west quarter of section one, say that as soon as the Northern Pacific Railway completes a spur track into the properties work will be commenced on the sinking of a shaft and the mine will be put on a producing basis as early as possible.

John A. Savage, for seven years general superintendent of the Sherrill Furnace company's mines in the Lake Superior district, but who recently resigned to organize the John A. Savage company, is president and treasurer of the Merrimac Mining company, and associated with him are men who have the financial backing to develop the new mine on a broad basis.

LAKEFIELD IS IMPROVING

Much Building in Progress—Market Day Feature Also Taken Up by Progressive Town.

Lakefield.—Lakefield is experiencing another year of heavy building and improvement. William Mueller's brick block, Sokolik's store building and James Rosi's implement warehouse are recent additions.

Lakefield is just beginning to hold market days under the management of the Commercial club. An automobile parade, baseball games, street sports, speaking and music with a special feature of the affair being a street auction of farm products.

The continued wet weather had a depressing effect on business, as all lowlands are under water, and creeks, ponds and lakes are very high. The prospects for a good crop have not been bright under these conditions.

The public school playground and the improvements to the city park under the direction of the Ladies' Civic club are progressing nicely. The work is being done by free donations of time and material by the business and laboring men of the town, all of whom seem to be taking a strong interest.

Lantern Sets Fire to Elevator.

Melvilla.—Fire destroyed the Star elevator here owned by Pierce Elevator Co. Manager Hoff was in the pit underneath the building in the pit with a lantern, which was overturned and the flames spread quickly all over the building.

Endeavors Close Sessions.

Hastings.—Rev. John Pollock of Belfast, Ireland, president of the European Christian Endeavor union was the principal speaker at the closing sessions of the state Christian Endeavor convention here Sunday. At the meeting he was welcomed over by J. C. Thomas of Minneapolis. Dr. Pollock spoke on "Sabbath Observance." At the evening service he described the growth and present place of the Christian Endeavor in the British Isles and on the continent.

TO EXPEDITE INDIAN CASES

Government Plans First of 1,300 Trials—Not to Commence Until 800 Cases.

Minneapolis.—C. C. Daniels, attorney in charge of White Earth Indian reservation matters for the department of justice, in a statement of importance to all the country residents to the reservation, announces that the government will be prepared to take up the first of the 1,300 cases involving title to Indian lands at the November term of the federal district court at Fargo, N. D. "Every effort will be made to expedite these cases," Mr. Daniels said, "and the department is in full sympathy with the desires of the business interests of Detroit and other towns near the reservation that the entire matter be cleared up as rapidly as possible."

Mr. Daniels said that although there is an impression that the recent supreme court decision defining the status of Indian mixed bloods under the Clapp act has cleared up 800 of the pending cases, this is not the situation.

"All cases that the government brought were started on the theory that fullblood Indians made the sales, and on information to that effect obtained by the department," he said. "While the United States supreme court decision was not so important, and indeed so further progress towards clearing up the matter could be made until it was handed down, it does not of itself dispose of the cases. The situation as to trial of the cases remains the same, and the government is entitled to win all cases where it can prove its contention that fullblood Indians made the transfers."

Mr. Daniels said that the 1,300 cases involve about 1,000 allotments and about \$1,000,000 worth of timber. "We are entitled to win all cases and recover for the timber value where our contention is proved," he said.

SMALL VILLAGE IS INUNDED

Cloudburst in Southern Minnesota Turns Streets into Mill Races—No Fatalities.

Winona, Minn., June 23.—Large damage is reported from various portions of Southern Minnesota, as the result of heavy rains Sunday. The most serious, and at the same time attended with the most miraculous escape from serious loss, was at Minnesota City, a village of some 200 people six miles north of here.

Rollingstone creek, on which Minnesota City is located, overflowed its banks following a cloudburst about 5 o'clock, causing a mill dam half a mile above the town to go out. The water in the creek is said to have risen at the rate of more than three feet an hour.

Two great channels were cut through the streets of the village, each from 20 to 25 feet deep and 75 feet wide to 100 feet wide, yet not a building was damaged.

One is a racing river more than 20 feet deep and nearly 75 feet wide. Farmers throughout this part of the state report considerable loss to stock by the storm.

DIES AT AGE OF 103 YEARS

Jerome Yates, Buried at Sleepy Eye, Was a Dodge County Farmer.

Sleepy Eye.—Jerome Yates, 103 years of age, died at the home of his son, Ralph P. Yates, in this city, May 30, 1911, in the administration of James Madison. He went into business in Mississippi as a young man, but finally settled in Rock county, Wis., where he followed farming. Then he located on a farm in Dodge county, Minn., where he lived until old age made it necessary for him to retire. At one time he was next door neighbor to Horard Grewery, New York City, and often chatted with the great editor.

Fremont of State Elected.

Farmington.—The State Volunteer Fremont's association in annual convention here, elected the following officers: President, Jerry Collins, Pine City; first vice president, Alfred McAlpine, Chisholm; second vice president, Charles Waldick, Montevideo; secretary, Andrew Mylie, St. Paul. The contestants for second vice president were Montevideo, South St. Paul and Moorhead. At one time the convention was in an uproar and the constitution was changed to elect officers hereafter by the Australian ballot system.

Old Settlers Have Outing.

Windom.—The Old Settlers' association of Cottonwood county enjoyed a picnic at Stordin last week. About 3,000 persons were present. William Prentiss of Chicago, an attorney, and who located in the county in 1870 and was one of the first teachers in the Windom schools, delivered the address of the day. He also addressed the people of Dell County, speaking on good citizenship and how to obtain it.

Reward for "Bearded Bandit"

Minneapolis, June 23.—The bold hold-up man known locally as the "bearded bandit" who has robbed a dozen or more stores in the outlying districts within the past two months during early evening business hours, is still at large.

Every city detective is detailed to find the man who shot and killed John E. Erickson in the John E. Erickson & Son shoe store, Saturday night and \$500 reward is offered for his capture.

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Economy, pints	\$.75
Economy, quarts	\$.85
Economy, half gallons	1.00
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Sure Seal, quarts	1.10
Sure Seal, half gallon	1.20
Ball Masons, pints	1.00
Ball Masons, quarts	1.10
Ball Masons, half gallon	1.20

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Pine City News

Miss Ella Cobb went to St. Paul,
Tuesday, for a week's visit.

Switches made of your hair combings.—Bessie M. Carey, Pine City, Minn., 40-4

Switches made from your hair combings.—Write Bessie M. Carey, Box 54, R. F. D. 1, Pine City, 48-3

Get your fire works Sat., June 27, at the Leader. Large stock, little prices. See the window display.

Nine Hinckley young ladies are guests this week of Miss Edith Empey at her parents' cottage on northeast Cross lake.

Capt. Netzer was confined to his home by heart trouble the first of the week but everyone is glad to see him down on the firing line again.

Mrs. Wolstead arrived from Harmony last Thursday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, while house remodeling is going on at home.

A special dinner will be served at Inglenook Inn, every Sunday at 50 cents per plate. Reservations should be made by postal or phone before Saturday night.—Mrs. Leslon, 42-11

A piano recital will be given by the pupils of Miss Thomas, assisted by Miss Ethel Opden of Rush City, at the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, July 1st. Admission 10 cents. Everybody attend. 42-2

The W. C. T. U. will hold its last meeting before the summer vacation—until September—at Mrs. Asplund's cottage on Cross lake next Tuesday. Supper will be served and husbands of members are invited to attend and partake.

Auditor Hamlin left, last Saturday, for Shakopee to take the mud baths. They'll have to use some mud to cover a man of his size. Abstractor Therrien is assisting Miss Huber in the auditor's office during the Chief's absence—and seems to fit in well.

Oscar Larson and wife went to Sandstone yesterday to attend the wedding last evening of his brother Albin and Miss Bruce, daughter of one of the pioneers of the eastern part of the county. The wedding will take place at the I. O. G. T. hall and will be a lodge affair.

J. E. Johnson and Aug. Anderson of Pine City, Minn., came over last week and went up to Webster and visited Victor Johnson and sons until the first of the week, going back home Monday. They were favorably impressed with the Webster country and with the farm of Mr. Johnson.—Grantsburg Journal.

About 30 young folks attended a lawn party given in honor of Misses Mabel and Eva Utter at the home of Miss Bessie Kilgore, Monday evening. Ice cream and cake was served at about midnight and a very pleasant time was had. The Misses Utter left for their home at St. Paul, Wednesday, after a 10 days visit here.

Bernard Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lambert of this place, and Miss Margaret Hayes of Two Harbors were married by Rev. Fr. Pat in the Catholic church at Two Harbors, Monday. Miss Lillian Lambert of this place attended the bride and Martin Muth of Ely was best man. The couple left at once for a visit with relatives here and at the Twin cities and will be at home at Ely, where the groom has charge of the telephone system, after the trip. They arrived here yesterday and expect to leave tomorrow for the cities. Bernard is known to almost every man, woman and child in town notwithstanding his five years at Hibbing and everyone joins in congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life together.

Mrs. Ben Handfelt passed away at her home in Meadow Lawn, last Friday, after a lingering illness from cancer of the intestines. Funeral services were held in the Catholic church here and the remains were shipped on Sunday's limited, accompanied by her husband, to their old home at Farley, Ia., where mass was said and an interment took place the following day. Mrs. Handfelt had not been well for nearly two years but it is only since last December that the disease had completely destroyed her health. This spring she underwent an operation in the University hospital at Minneapolis that only exposed the certain fatality of her malady. She was born at Cottage Hill, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1860 and was married at Dubuque, Feb. 2, 1900. She was a devoted mother, a kind friend and a devoted Catholic. Besides her husband she leaves, a sister, three brothers and six children, the eldest of these twins of 13 years and the youngest a little boy of 2.

Good Roads

At a meeting of business men in the R. F. hall Monday evening the condition of the roads leading into the village was discussed—and a trifle. The failure of the village to observe Good Roads day the first of this week was deplored and it was decided to observe next Tuesday, the 30th, as Good Roads day here the stores closing and everyone getting out onto the roads to help improve them. An effort will be made to have a lunch served by the ladies at noon but this is not assured yet.

Remarkable results were obtained in some localities last Tuesday—for instance, the people of Mendota turned out and built, or at least, "fixed up" 15 miles of road. Of course there are a lot of them, but great work was also done at Rush City and at other points closer at hand—many of the farmers turning out to aid in the work.

On our Good Roads holiday lots ought to be accomplished to help get the roads in shape so that our farmers can get into town without miring on the way.

Don't forget the social on the Harte lawn next Tuesday evening.

Get your fire works Sat., June 27 at The Leader. Large stock little prices. See the window display.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nelson of Nicolett, Minn. are guests at the Staeeke home.

The county commissioners will meet at the court house at 1 p. m. on Friday of this week.

Miss Irene Taeko of St. Paul came up Thursday and visited a few days with her friend Miss Mildred Rath.

J. A. Carlson was at Waverly, Wednesday, to attend the wedding of a younger brother. He was at Harris on the 10th to attend the wedding of a sister.

A. P. Jensen of St. Louis Park, who has land east of Rutledge on which he expects to make his home in future, was here Tuesday looking after tax matters.

Miss Emma Janoushek came home last Saturday from St. Paul where she has been for the past 5 months. She and her sister, Miss Anna will leave Saturday for Hopkins where they will visit for a month.

The new store, "The Leader," in the Chouinard building, will have their opening day next Saturday and on another page of this paper note some of their special bargains in the introductory sale. The owners are Messrs. Berlin and Sutherland of Pine City and the gentlemen have spent much time in preparing an attractive place of business.—Cambridge Ind. Press.

Chas. A. Mall and family arrived from Chicago yesterday to occupy their cottage near the Tuxedo at Pokegama lake during the summer. Mr. Mall was up the first of the month and installed a sturdy new 22 foot launch that is as good as any in these waters. He later underwent an operation for appendicitis and will recuperate here for a couple of weeks this trip—returning later in the season.

Bogue Bros. have purchased the Smith Hdw. Co. machine shop and opened up under the new name in the old location last Thursday. They expect to add to the plant and prepare themselves for anything in their line. J. F. has been here since the first of the year when he purchased a 200 acre tract east of town. G. A. is a more recent arrival. They expect to move their parents up soon and make the permanent family home here.

Chief Collins of the fire department and Mrs. Collins returned yesterday from a week's absence, during which J. M. attended the state firemen's convention at Fairmont. He brings back enthusiastic praise for the treatment Fairmont handed out to its visitors and hopes we will be able to do as well next year when the convention will meet here. He says there were about 1800 delegates and as many more visitors present last week and estimates that there will be fully 5,000 here at the next gathering. The Chief is already laying his plans for care and entertainment of the visitors.

Dwain P. Brown passed away last Sunday night at the home of his son Miles, near Greeley postoffice after an illness since early spring from ulcer of the bowel. The remains were shipped, Tuesday, to his old home at Esperance, N. Y., accompanied by his two sons, Winifred and Henry of Fayette, Ia., and Henry of Chicago, who arrived that day for the purpose. Deceased was 71 years of age and was a member of the G. A. R. at Lambert where he had made his home of recent years. He arrived Apr. 11 to visit at the home of his son at Greeley and recuperate from the illness from which he was already suffering—which finally caused death.

Fourth of July

IS COMING

Remember, We Have the Thing to Wear

Light millinery, white goods, parasols, gloves, ready-to-wear dresses, white shoes, oxfords, etc for the ladies. Lightest underwear, Sox, negligee and dress shirts, neckwear, 2 and 3-piece nobby suits, straw hats, light felt hats, shoes—in fact everything for men and boys.

The Good Things To Eat

Fruit, canned meats, relishes, olives, dried meats, smoked meats, bread—and a hundred other things you'll want for the picnic or the table.

FLAGS AND BUNTING

And remember that after the Fourth comes haying—and we're all ready to fix you out with anything for that season—always at a right price.

THE PINE CITY

Mercantile Company

"THE BIG STORE"

Don't forget Good Roads day next Tuesday, the 30th. Everyone will be out.

Miss Frances Pegg of Sandstone began work Monday in the office of the Smith Hardware Company.

Chrs. Erickson and wife went to Duluth, Tuesday, to visit for a time at the home of their daughter, Mrs. White.

For Sale—One black two year old male, weight now 1100 lbs.—Inquire Eman, Kabat, Brookpark, Minn., Route 3. 42-4

J. W. Chalupsky was down from Beroun, Tuesday, closing up affairs following his recent auction sale and making some local arrangements prior to leaving today with his family for Medicine Hat, Canada, where he will join his brother Albin and brother-in-law, C. V. Drazen, in beginning the operation of their new brewery there soon under the name of the Medicine Hat Brewing Co. Mr. Drazen has been on the ground over a year and Albert went up last December from Albin where he was previously located. They will have the only brewery at that town and there is no other within 180 miles. J. W. has been a resident of Beroun for 18 years and has seen the country improved wonderfully during that time besides having a prominent hand in its development. He has made hosts of friends and leaves for his western home with general good will and well wishes.

Mrs. Mary R. Gray passed away at her home on the east shore of Cross lake, shortly after 4 o'clock, Monday afternoon after a lingering illness from cancer of the breast. The funeral was held at 4:30 p. m., Tuesday, the remains being laid in the cemetery here. Deceased was born May 1, 1857 at Perry, Mo. About 81 years ago she was married to Rev. W. K. Gray in Texas, the family removing to Paynesville, Minn., about 10 years ago and to this place some four years later when Mr. Gray was placed in charge of the Methodist church here. In the course of a lake trip, taken for his health, Mr. Gray was suddenly stricken with pneumonia and passed away at Port Arthur, Can., just four years to a day prior to the death of his wife. Mrs. Gray leaves three grown children—Richardson and Miss Fannie A. of this place and Rev. George V. E. of Ellroy, Wis. She was a woman of remarkable character and unselfishness and her friends and admirers are only limited by the number who knew her.

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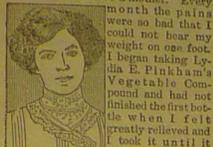
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MRS. WINN'S ADVICE TO WOMEN

Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and be Restored to Health.

Kansas City, Mo.—"The doctor told me I would never be a mother again."



"I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and had not finished the first bottle when I felt greatly relieved and I took it until it made me sound and well, and I now have two nice baby girls. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly for what it has done for me. I always speak a word in favor of your medicine to other women who suffer when I have an opportunity."—Mrs. H. T. Wynn, 4225 Fremont Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Read What Another Woman says

Cumming, Ga.—"I tell some suffering woman every day of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it has done for me. I could not get to sleep, had a bad stomach and was in misery all the time. I could not do my housework or walk any distance without suffering great pain. I tried doctor's medicines and different patent medicines but failed to get relief. My husband brought home your Vegetable Compound and in two weeks I could eat anything, could sleep like a healthy baby, and walk a long distance without feeling tired. I can highly recommend your Vegetable Compound to women who suffer as I did, and you are at liberty to use this letter."—Mrs. CHARLIE BAGLEY, R. 3, Cumming, Ga.

WRONG KIND OF GARDENING

Form That Patient Had Been Indulging In Was Not What Doctor Would Have Recommended.

"Now comes the season when the wife goes to the country and the husband, in the words of the immortal song, shouts 'Hereay! Hereay!'"

Thus Jerome S. McWade, in an after dinner speech at Deloit began his response to a toast on "The Ladies."

"When the ladies are with us, we are safe," he resumed, "but when they go off to country or shore, leaving us in town alone, then our troubles begin."

"A man one summer day called on a doctor.

"Doc," he said, "I'm all run down."

"You look it, too," said the doctor sympathetically. "I'm going to prescribe drugs for a man in your condition. No sir, what I'm going to prescribe is rest in gardening."

"The patient started and his unhealthy pallor turned to a dull brick red."

"That doc!" he said, "gardening is the cause of all my trouble."

"Humph, what kind of gardening?" said the doctor incredulously.

"Root," the man replied.

Valuable Information.

A happy couple were on their way to the city. They had to change trains at a small station. The porter, while struggling with the luggage, noticed that the young lady's trunk was dotted with ricks. He approached the young man and, pulling a folded paper from his pocket, said: "A present for you, sir, with the company's compliments."

"Indeed," said the traveler, "what is it?"

"A railway map, sir."

"Oh, thank you; but what are these marks in blue pencil?"

"That's the beauty of it, sir; those marks show just where the tunnels are and their length."—London Tit-Bits.

Don't Poison Baby.

Forty years ago almost every mother thought her child must have a medicine to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a few drops too many will produce death. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined by the use of opium and morphine, each of which is a narcotic named to children at all, or to anybody without feeling them. The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, and whose use produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should never permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician knowing of what it is composed. **CASORIN DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS**, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Casorin always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Lacking in Self-Assertion. Almer Applody—Jay Green ain't got no more pride and Independences about him than a rabbit.

Ashton Allied—Say he ain't?

Almer Applody—Nah! Whenever he takes a ride on the cars he never stands up and down the aisle, he stands out on the back platform, to show everybody that he knows his rights, but just sits still in his seat like he was in church!—Puck.

FOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU that this is the best medicine for Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Allergies, Eczema, Scabies, Ringworm, Itch, and all other skin diseases. It is the only medicine that is absolutely necessary to begin at the foot is that of the chiropodist.

Probably the original home of contention was jawbone.

The Army of Constipation

Is Growing Smaller Every Day. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they not only give relief—they permanently constipate. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

Black Leg

LOSES SURELY PREVENTED by Carter's Blackleg Pills. Losses of money and business are caused by Blackleg. It is a disease of the legs, and is caused by the use of the wrong kind of shoes. It is a disease of the legs, and is caused by the use of the wrong kind of shoes. It is a disease of the legs, and is caused by the use of the wrong kind of shoes.

Daisy Fly Killer

Wanted! A man who will take a job as a secondary consideration. Brother Buckaloo—White wash you would be the two dollars, isn't it? The Colonel—I have no washcloth. Brother Buckaloo—Sense me, boss, but it don't make no difference to me whether you ain't got no washcloth or not. It's de money I'm lookin' out for.

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MAY SAVE MEXICO FROM CIVIL STRIFE

REBELS AND HUERTA DELEGATES TO CONFER IN FORMALITY AT NIAGARA FALLS. PLAN LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Almost Sure Armistice Will Be Declared Until Final Agreement Is Reached—Hopes of Mediators Are Buoyed as Result.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 24.—Through the invitation of the United States government and the good offices of the three South American mediators, representatives of the two warring factions in Mexico, the Constitutionalists and the Huerta government, met here today for the first time in an informal conference, distinct from the mediation proceedings.

To save Mexico from further spoliation and the possibility of a foreign war, the Constitutionalists apparently have been prevailed upon to meet their countrymen. The Huerta delegates, in a peace conference whose object shall be the ending of the civil strife which has divided Mexico in the last eighteen months. The belief is great that this plan stands a good chance of being carried to success if the recent differences between Generals Villa and Carranza are sufficiently composed to guarantee that the Constitutionalists delegates can work without embarrassment.

Arrangements for the meeting are as yet in a former state. Plans now in detail has not come from General Carranza, but it was the expectation last night of the mediators, American and Huerta delegates, that today or Wednesday at the latest, they will not only be able to announce the personnel of the Constitutional delegates, but the place of meeting and its general purposes.

Hopes Are Buoyed.

The new plan has buoyed the hopes of the principals to mediation. The South American envoys discussed it briefly with the American delegates yesterday and later had a conference with the Huerta delegates. It was formally asked if they would meet Constitutional representatives. The Huerta delegates replied they were willing to enter any conference with their countrymen which had for its object the prevention of bloodshed and the destruction of property and sought to establish a national government on a firm basis.

The Conversation between the mediators and the Huerta delegates turned to general international questions as could be advanced in the absence of Constitutionalists, particularly the conditions under which American forces will be withdrawn from Vera Cruz, which is expected to result in the satisfactory establishment of a new provisional government. The plan which the mediators have worked out is to continue the formal mediation conference to a consideration of international questions, treating with the Huerta and American delegates on these points. On internal questions the Huerta and Constitutional delegates would be expected to confer alone.

Armistice Very Likely.

It is practically certain that an armistice will be declared by the Constitutionalists until an agreement of a definite character is reached in the informal conference as to the establishment of the provisional government. On arriving at such an understanding it would be expected that a general suspension of hostilities and mutuality of amnesty would be proclaimed and the Constitutionalists delegates then might be formally admitted to the mediation proceedings for the signing of the final protocol recording the solution of the differences between Mexico and the United States.

TO CROSS OCEAN IN LAUNCH

Winnipeg Youth Will Attempt to Win \$25,000 Prize With 30-Foot Motor Boat.

Winnipeg, Man., June 24.—Lawrence (Larple), aged 22, will in August attempt to cross the Atlantic in a 30-foot motor boat, accompanied by three friends. The trip will be taken in an endeavor to win a \$25,000 prize offered by the London Mail.

Marple, who is sales manager for a Winnipeg realty firm, was at one time appointed on a Liverpool-Seattle line of steamers and believes by taking a northerly route via Belle Isle Straits he can make the trip in 7 days and 7 hours, averaging 15 miles per hour.

A Canadian firm of launch builders will construct Larple's craft, which will carry a minute wireless apparatus with a radius of six miles.

Hammond On Way Home. Washington, June 23.—According to information received in Washington Representative Hammond has left Hanover, N. H., for Minneapolis. Mr. Hammond left the capital last Saturday for New Hampshire to attend his constituency at Dartmouth, believing at that time that he had been defeated for the gubernatorial nomination in last week's primaries, but shortly after his departure his office at the capitol was informed by wire that he had the nomination.

WANTED TO KNOW THE FIGURE

Fortune Hunter's Mother Was Not Dealing in Uncertainty, If She Could Help It.

Miss Jeannette Gilder, the brilliant critic, toyed with a pink and gold mustache cup at the mustache cup to conclude the flat Taste exhibition in New York.

"The mustache cup," said Miss Gilder, "holds its own even better than the hand-painted cupid. But, after all, there is spiritual as well as material had taste, and a national had taste exhibition is now in order.

"In the forefront of it I'd put the fortune hunter. Not all our fortune hunters come from across the water. I heard of one the other day who belongs to the oldest family in America.

"But his family is very poor, and so he and his mother have decided that he must marry for money. They were discussing recently, the pair of them, a western girl.

"Her fortune is large but vague," said the mother. "Besides, she is gauche. Her feet are broad and flat. She has a cold front tooth. Her French is execrable. She—"

"Oh, I could make something out of her," the fortune hunter asserted confidently.

"Yes, but how much—that's the question," said his mother."

Minding the Doctor.

"It isn't strange that Bob Hillard should have won the heart and hand of a girl with three millions, for Bob, despite his years, is the handsomest and most elegant creature going."

The speaker, a dramatic critic of Chicago, smiled and continued:

"The last time Bob acted here I met him one morning promenading. And he was superb—top hat, stick, black morning coat spots fitting without a wrinkle, and one of those cigarette tubes that had just come out of a tube of gold and amber, a foot long, or possibly 18 inches.

"As we chatted, and as he smoked his Egyptian cigarette through his extraordinary tube, I said to him: "Why on earth, Bob, do you use such long cigarette tubes as that?"

"My doctor has ordered me," he replied, "to keep away from tobacco."

Can't Tell, These Days.

The two men had been observing the antics of a strange man in silence and finally broke into speech.

Crawford—What's the matter with that fellow who is bobbing onto the lamp post and shuffling his feet?

Crabshaw—There was a time when I'd have said he was drunk, but now perhaps he's practicing a new dance—Jig.

It is better to be honest than rich, but there's no reason why a man can't be both.



Too Late. On an Atlantic City pier, gazing sadly out over the blue water, a veteran of the Civil War talked about the late General Skelton.

"A good man," he said, "a brave man, but a most theatrical one. In the black tragedy of his youth, he was kind to his wife, but something marred, something vitiated his goodness—I think it was theatricalism—and the poor young woman died two years after he took her back.

"Once, at an army reunion, I heard Skelton rebuke a man who was running down wives and marriages. Skelton said with a queer smile, a significant smile, perhaps, 'Ah, Jim, the trouble with the average married man is that he doesn't know what a jewel his wife is till he comes to put her in a casket.'"

Lowest Bidder. "I have come to ask for the hand of your daughter," announced the young man.

"Have a chair," said her father, kindly. "I presume you have made an estimate of what it will cost to keep my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"I have, sir."

"And your figures?"

"Ten thousand dollars a year."

"I'm sorry, my boy," said the older man, "but I cannot afford to throw away \$2,000 a year. Another suitor has figured he can do it for \$8,000."

Mental Arithmetic. Teacher—Tommy, if I spent one-third of a certain sum of money, and \$3 represented five-sixths of the remainder, what did I have?"

Tommy—The Jimjams.

Lots of colors don't harmonize. For instance, red liquor shouldn't be used for the blues.

Post Toasties

For That Bedtime Snack

The kiddies need something that is dainty and appetizing, don't they? And you want to be sure that they have a food that is easily digested—one that will not disturb their sleep.

Post Toasties are surprisingly good at any time.

They are made of the hearts of the finest Indian corn, perfectly cooked, delicately sweetened and salted, rolled into thin, ribbonary flakes and toasted to a crisp, golden brown.

They have that indescribable flavour—sweet and delicious, that so delights the taste.

Just pour from the package and add cream and sugar, or sprinkle over fresh berries or fruit.

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All notices under this head must be paid in advance. Three lines for 10 cents. Additional lines 5 cents each.

This Column is run in the Pine Packer at Pine City and the Tribune at Sandstone, giving all notices published in it circulation in every part of the county.

Registered Holstein Bull
For service on my farm three miles northeast of Pine City. Terms, \$2.00 cash. AUGUST WICKERHOLM, 29-47.

Horses for Sale
One mare, 6 years old, weight about 1400; one gelding, 5 years old, weight about 1400; one mare in foal. If you are interested, call me or come and see me. I am 7 miles southeast of town. Wm Plessel, Rt. 5, Pine City. Clover Leaf Pigs.

Full Blood Berkshire boar pigs, 2 months old, for sale.—Ole Herrod, Pine City Rt. 5 44-3

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Plans and specifications may be seen at above named office, or at the office of the State Highway Commission at St. Paul.

Each proposal must be accompanied by cash or certified check for not less than 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the County Treasurer of said County.

Bids will be received for one or more subdivisions or for entire job.

All bids must be in accordance with instructions to bidders and upon the blank forms furnished by W. J. Beckley, District Engineer at Pine City. The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. H. HAMLIN, County Auditor.
By J. E. TIERHORN, Deputy Auditor.
(First publication June 25th.)

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Green Valley.

Miss Fanny Satava is visiting at the Osmun home.

Mr. Jerry Brock visited at the Novak home Sunday.

Miss Zilla Brooks went to Hinckley to visit with Mrs. Alexander.

A number of young folks attended the ball game at Beroun Sunday.

Miss Mary Pobuda went to Pine City, Friday, to remain for some time.

Miss Jennie Edin spent Friday and Saturday at the Henderson home.

Mr. Bosta and son-in-law from Iowa City are looking for land in this vicinity.

Misses Frances and Pauline Valvoda visited in the cities the "first part of the week."

Mr. and Mrs. Basil and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Broz and family visited at the Frank Broz home.

Little Willie Pobuda who hurt his foot with a pitchfork is improving under the doctor's care.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mr. Loyd Brooks at his uncle's home. A good time was reported by all.

The old settlers annual picnic was held last Thursday at Cross Lake. A large crowd attended and a delicious dinner was served at noon. Everyone enjoyed the launch rides given by Rev. H. J. Parish.

Dear Editor:

I wish to correct the error that was made on purpose by Beroun last week, about the ball game played June 7th. The Beroun side had two score keepers, they must have added the scores of both. The scores were six and four in favor of Green Valley. Score Keeper.

Class History and Prophecy

The following "class prophecy and history" was given at the recent High School graduation exercise here by Miss Caroline Stephan. We chose it from among all the excellent material on the program not because it was of marked merit—for then we should give every number—but because its nature allowed it to have the greatest personal touch and interest to the community—hence of the greatest newspaper value. It follows:

Some one has said that a nation which is happy, does not make history. Viewing it in that light, the "Class of 1914" must have been happy indeed, for their history is of the briefest.

The oldest members of the class, in point of time, not of age, for that is a tender subject, are Catherine Hurley, Mayme Kubicek, and Helen Bede, who entered the primary class, together, in our old school house. Most of the rest of us joined them in the various grades, but when we became Freshmen, three more of our present number came to us, John Curtis, Helen Breckenridge, and Godfrey Nelson.

We have seen many teachers come and go but through it all our superintendent, Mr. McAdam, has remained constant. There have been two principals during our High School life, Miss Carner, the first year, and Miss Southworth, the past three. For three years Miss Walker had charge of the mathematics and science, and was particularly missed when she left, for the part she took in the student activities. The Latin class has been unusually distinguished for it has had a different teacher every year—it has taken four teachers to bring them to their present state of efficiency. We all share the honor of having had four music teachers. It may be due to the fact that, each in turn has left us that No. 8—Forsaken—is our favorite song.

In our first year, we had a hard

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time, knowing when to pass to our classes and how to conduct ourselves as befitting High School students. With a meekness we cannot at present understand, we were quite overwhelmed with the strangeness of it all and the awe of the upper classes. Mastering our new subjects was far more difficult than anything we had previously experienced. Some of us tried out in the preliminary debate and to Eleanor Clark fell the honor of making the team, thus representing the class.

Our second year was not a notable one. The Caesar class were very proud of their little wooden structure in a pan of dirt, which they christened "Caesar's Bridge". To some of us, it looked like a combination of sticks and shavings, tied together and stuck in some sand, but when they began to quote Latin to us, we were so impressed we even believed all they told us.

By some good fortune we all became juniors together. This was indeed a memorable year. Some of us took to playing tennis, but with indifferent results, although Frank Bele persisted in his practice, and represented us in tournament at the track meet at Rosh City. It was there that John Curtis won the "Flying Wedge". With what fear did we make our initial appearance. How could we anticipate the confidence and generous support that the town would give us. It was in this year, that Miss Walker left the school, and was adopted by the class as an honorary member.

Our senior year found our ranks thinned. Mayme Kubicek deserted to Wisconsin, William Challen to St. John's, while Edith Hamlin and John Curtis fell by the way-side, to enter Normal, in preparation for their teaching. This, our last year, has been an eventful one.

Encouraged by our success as juniors, together with the Athletic Association, we put on the "Hoodoo". Altho we remembered the support the town in the preceding year we were unprepared for the whooped enthusiasm which they showed us, making the evening the greatest financial success which has ever come to the school. One other honor has befallen us. Anna Bergin, the latest addition to the class, won the girl's oratorical contest, at the track meet at Mora, adding that much desired pennant to our collection. This then is our past, what of our future?

I will now relate to you a strange experience through which I have just passed, one in which it was given me to read as in an open book, the future of my classmates. Come with me in fancy and I will show you the visions as they were revealed to me.

It was a bright, cold night and I was sitting alone at my window gazing out upon the fields and woods bathed with bright moonlight. I had tried for hours to sleep, but a weird feeling of unrest had taken possession of me. As I looked upon the landscape, all nature seemed asleep, and the stillness oppressive. It seemed as though the Ruler of the Universe or some great magician had declared a rest for all the world but me. As I thought of the past of our class and wished that I might see the future of my classmates, the clock struck twelve.

As I glanced about the room, I noticed how the moonlight seemed to rest on each familiar object and as I watched it a brighter light seemed to linger on a crystal paper-

weight, lying on my table. Thinking of the tales of the crystal gazers and their prophecies, which are always true, I picked up the crystal. At first, then wonderingly, for I realized that a change seemed to have taken place in the face of the crystal. It was clouded as with a mist, but as I looked, the mist seemed to brighten, to take form, until strange pictures appeared, pictures of the world, of oceans, mountains, rivers, plains and cities. As the pictures passed, at intervals, bright spots, widely separated, drew my attention. At first, I could not understand the meaning of them but as I watched and thought how soon the class would be divided, these luminous spots took meaning, they were our future fields of labor. Brighter and brighter glowed the pictures, until I could see clearly in them, the prophecy of our futures.

First appears a large auditorium filled with a vast multitude, listening with wrapt attention to the able discussion of one of the momentous questions of the day, by the eloquent orator, our classmate, "George Berglin."

A film seems to pass over the face of the crystal, blotting out this vision, but again as it brightens, I see, seated upon a village green, surrounded by a throng of young children, eagerly listening as she tells the tales of old folks lore, our classmate, "Helen Bede." Her ambition to be one of the foremost storytellers of the day is gratified. The light in the crystal fades, and I wonder if this be all. I gaze intently and as if in answer to my question, another scene appears. In one of the famous laboratories, devoted to scientific research, I see a portly man, with evidence of success in his bearing. He is perfecting a discovery of his own, which will be of benefit to all humanity. Behold Godfrey Nelson, whose gray hair and furrowed brow bear evidence of the fact that he has given years of careful life work—analytical chemistry.

Another picture the crystal furnishes me. A vine clad cottage on the shore of a beautiful lake. Upon the porch sits Winifred Daley, now a matronly woman, a group of children at her side. Contentment and happiness are written upon her face.

Again the light in the crystal fades, and thinking that this is all, I am about to lay it down, when it slowly brightens, showing forth its pictures misty at first, but plainly at last. I see Anna Bergin, a matron of a girls College, doing well her chosen work, and holding the love and confidence of teachers and scholars. Standing before a large class, in the same College, demonstrating the study of Domestic Science, is another of our classmates, Kathryn Belle, who by diligent work and application has met with a deserved success.

As this picture fades from the crystal, another takes its place, this time a book, one of the greatest literary triumphs of the age; a book, praised by critics and taking the reading world by storm. Glancing at the title page, I read the name of Eleanor Clark.

After this for a time, strange pictures show themselves in the face of the crystal, following, each other in quick succession, pictures of people unknown to me, but at last one face, which I recognize, stands out clearly, the face of Helen Breckenridge, in a College of Pharmacy at the head of her class praised by the teachers for careful, accurate work following her chosen path in life, and bidding fair to be a success.

Gazing intently into the crystal, that I may not lose one of these pictures, I see on the stage of a large opera house, in one of our Western cities, the rising theatrical star Mary Roberts whose fame as an actress has been heralded from foreign lands. One fitted by nature, and study for this work.

The passing pictures in the crystal take us to a scene in a foreign land. Meeting with almost insurmountable difficulties, as he directs the construction of a work, regarded as a feat of Civil Engineering some day to be recorded all over the world, stands Frank Bele, ordering

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HIGHEST CASH PRICES
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LAURENTIA CREAMERY CO.
RUSH CITY, MINNESOTA
A trial can will satisfy you. Checks will be sent for every can if desired, or weekly.

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An old friend of the boss back in Ohio advertised for "five loads of his top wood," and a wag of a fellow reading the ad closed a deal for the delivery of the wood, received his pay in advance, and then delivered the goods—five loads of brush on tree tops. Well, the old man was pretty hot until he had been shown the ad. The joke stuck.
In our advertising we endeavor to lead your thoughts along the lines of common honesty. This lumber and building supplies business is a plain transaction. We know our business and the chief thing about it is that we want you to know we know it. Do you get me? I hope so. Now come in and say things!
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Pine City
GENERAL ENGINE AND MACHINE SHOP

his work with a confidence which inspires his subordinates and workmen.

My eyes grow dim with gazing and I almost fall asleep, when a scene brighter than usual flashes from the crystal. In a large, palatial home, surrounded by friends and relatives, dwells Catherine Hurley, a charming hostess and a happy wife.

Following quickly, another scene appears. In a large High School, in one of our great cities, Edith Hamlin, a principal doing her work conscientiously and well.

The light in the crystal dims, and the pictures fade. Let me see, have I seen the future of all of my classmates? Yes, of all, but myself. Can it be that for me no grand future has been arranged? I gaze again anxiously into the crystal, hoping that it will yet reveal my future. A picture of a scroll appears, upon which is written my name.

As the scroll slowly unrolls, I read these words: "For you, contentment. Do well the little things that are given you to do."

The pictures fade from the crystal no mist appears, and it reflects nothing but the silver rays of the moon which fall alike upon the different objects of the room, and the smiling landscape, and thankful that it been given me to see these prophetic visions of my classmates, I prepare for rest.

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All persons are forbidden to use city water hydrants except firemen in case of fire.
J. M. Collins
Chief of Fire Dept.