



Local News Condensed.

Get your spring chickens at Bann & Bann's. Read about Mrs. Engberg's new address in this paper. Chas. Peterson has bought his partner's interest in the saloon business.

C. B. Rowley has his ferry at the foot of main street ready for business. The board of county commissioners will hold an adjourned session next Wednesday.

The train from St. Paul now arrives here at 1:20 and remains twenty minutes for dinner. Bann & Bann have spring chickens for sale. If you want something nice and fresh, look it up at Bann & Bann's.

Each filled and crowned with Gold or Poreoline, and tooth extracted with Otholander, at Dr. Ribba's. Rev. C. O. Markham, of St. Paul, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

A drink of the cream soda is very refreshing after riding a wheel. Stop at McEdden Drug Co.'s and try it. Thomas Peterson and Miss Mary Peterson were licensed to wed by Clerk of the Court Parker on Wednesday.

Otto Wesserslager, a Wood Lake fruit grower, received first premium at the state fair, Horavanka apples and second on Pochinos. The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 22nd, at the residence of Mrs. T. W. Crawford, 152 Oak street.

Arrangements have been made for the appearance of the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette in this city at the opera house on the evening of Oct. 8th. The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 21st at 4 o'clock. Members are requested to be present, visitors welcome.

White Geo. A. Rosen, S. P. Alderman, J. T. Frazier and Geo. LaBar, were before the board of education. A special session of the board of education was held on Tuesday evening for the purpose of acting upon the resignation of teachers and to fill the vacancies occasioned thereby.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church will give a supper on Wednesday afternoon, September 22nd, at the residence of Mrs. F. W. Welland assisted by Mrs. A. E. Mcberg, Mrs. A. L. Hoffman and Mrs. G. A. Keene. The gentlemen are cordially invited to supper. Jas. Hoislop, who according to a special to the St. Paul Dispatch from his correspondent in this city, was sentenced to be hanged in Canada, was seen in Brainerd a few days ago by Sheriff Riddler and county Attorney F. W. Lyon. He was bald and heavily at that time—Little Falls Transcript.

The city council holds a special meeting tonight. Peter Maber will leave Brainerd in a few days to take charge of a restaurant which he recently purchased in St. Paul, the location being on St. Peter street between 3d and 4th.

Frank Green, formerly superintendent of the Minnesota division of the N. P., is now superintendent of the Montana Railway Co. with headquarters at Castle Junction, says the Stoplex World. Joel Smith has just closed a big deal with the Pillsbury's for the putting in of a large amount of logs in the Stoplex Brook country and saving the same into lumber. He will at once put in a saw mill and begin active operations for the season's work.

J. Denis' machine shop at Little Falls was badly damaged by fire yesterday, all the patterns, machinery, belts, etc., in the second story being destroyed. The fire caught from the burning building of the Falls City Manufacturing Co., which was totally destroyed.

Ferry New Running. I desire to announce to the traveling public that the Mississippi River Ferry is now ready and convenient and that the following rates will be charged: Single trips 15 cents; over and back 15 cents; foot passengers 10 cents. Special rates will be made to parties using the ferry daily. Business will be received between the hours of 7 a. m. and 10 p. m. The ferry is located at the foot of Main street just north of the railroad bridge.

Opera House Change. James H. Smith, of the insurance firm of Smith & Winslow, succeeded H. O. Stivers as manager of the SLEEPER OPERA HOUSE, the latter gentleman having surrendered his lease on the property. Mr. Stivers is entitled to credit for his management and his retiring efforts give the Brainerd public good, clean entertainment. Mr. Smith has had many years of experience in the business and he is confident that the theatre-going people will be pleased to learn that he is again to direct the destinies of the popular play-house.

Very Happily Surprised. A very pleasant surprise was given Rev. G. W. Gallagher on Wednesday night at his home by the members of the S. L. Bann. After a delightful dinner and the reading of a letter addressed by Mr. Bann, a purse of one hundred dollars, subscribed by the gentlemen present, was handed to Gallagher in a very appropriate speech by Mr. P. Frazier. Gallagher was so completely surprised that he would not have believed that he had so many friends who were so desirous of his welfare, but he managed to express his thanks in words of great appreciation. The gentlemen making the present were: Messrs. J. L. Bann, W. H. Lester, A. F. Ferris, J. N. Nevers, H. Ribba, H. R. Swartz, McFarland, H. White, Geo. A. Rosen, S. P. Alderman, J. T. Frazier and Geo. LaBar.

Board of Education. A special session of the board of education was held on Tuesday evening for the purpose of acting upon the resignation of teachers and to fill the vacancies occasioned thereby. The resignation of Miss Lella Whiteley, Miss Jean Small, and Miss Jennie H. Crowe were read and accepted and the communication from the latter and upon the table. The board proceeded to the election of teachers and Miss Mary Small and Miss Louise White were selected. Several ballots being taken on the remaining vacancy without a choice and the matter was laid over until the next meeting when a teacher will be chosen to fill the position.

The matter of selling the old lead pipe in the Washington school was referred to the repair committee and the purchasing committee was empowered to purchase chemicals, etc. for the high school. The matter of changing the present system of vertical copy books was referred to the text book committee with power to act and the board adjourned.

A Sad Accident. Frank Sherman returned Tuesday morning from Wiggins county where he was called on Thursday of last week by a telegram announcing the accidental death of his sister, Annie Sherman. The young lady's parents reside at Hollingson and she was returning from her farm where she had been to take her father and on the return her brother had occupied the rig with her putting his foot upon the buggy when he got in striking her on the left side near the breast, killing her instantly. The young lady was well known in Brainerd having spent some time here last winter visiting her brother and family and the news of her death is received with regret by a large acquaintance here, and the sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaving family.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Thomas Cannon went to St. Paul yesterday. D. Mahoney was a Little Falls visitor yesterday. S. W. Bearsh arrived in the city from Minnesota yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Kellahan and children went to Crow Wing today. Mrs. Sophia Stevens, of Fargo, is visiting friends in Brainerd. Mrs. W. J. Havill, of Minneapolis, arrived in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. E. E. Stuart arrived in the city from Little Falls Wednesday. Miss Esther Chrysler is spending the week with her sister at Staples. Mrs. G. W. Gallagher arrived in the city Saturday last from Spokane.

Dr. McPherson and G. C. Foster went to Walker on business Wednesday. Mrs. A. Olson returned from month's visit in Minneapolis on Tuesday. Mrs. M. Looe, of St. Cloud, has been visiting Brainerd friends during the week.

Miss Lottie Brady returned to her home at Trout Lake, Goodhue county, today. W. H. Mander went to Duluth Wednesday morning on legal business. Miss Hannah Jabie left on Wednesday for a visit with her sister in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clark left Wednesday for a few days in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Mrs. Wm. Erb, who has been visiting at Duluth for some days, returned at Duluth on Tuesday.

Miss Abbe Anderson departed Tuesday to visit at the home of the blind at Parkhurst. W. E. Sealey, chief of the pine land inspectors, was in the city yesterday from Crookston.

Mrs. Max Nair, of Bay Lake, who has been visiting J. A. Wilson and family returned home today. C. A. Althright left Tuesday for Minneapolis where he will resume his law studies at the University.

J. J. Frost and wife left Tuesday for a visit of some days with George Frost and family near Pine River. N. D. Towne, of Quincy, Ill., is spending the week in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Westfall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman went to Little Falls Wednesday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Otto Schlenker. Louis Tache and A. F. Ferris spent Wednesday and Thursday on J. H. Knop's game preserve at Pine Mountain Lake.

Mrs. E. H. Smith has been entertaining Mrs. Mattie Britton and Clarence W. Smith of Brainerd—Minneapolis Journal. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Stivers returned to their home at Little Falls Monday afternoon after spending some time visiting Brainerd friends.

Mrs. Geo. Soben returned to her home at Hastings on Tuesday accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Geo. Frey and Mrs. Arthur Hagberg. I. R. Lothrop, of Dickinson, N. D., was in the city Tuesday. The gentleman is in the employ of the Northern Pacific in the capacity of roadmaster.

Mrs. E. P. Fluelen, of Calista, Minn., arrived in the city Tuesday and her husband will join her here in a short time. Mrs. Philetia is a niece of E. E. Woolen.

Mrs. Angus Morry started for her home at Missoula, Mont., on Thursday, after having spent the summer here with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dixby.

Her. D. P. McKay accompanied Miss Millicent Mallum, Roy Millspaugh and Floyd Brown to St. Paul on Monday where the latter have entered MacMaster college.

Frank Stivers returned to Walker today after spending a week in Brainerd. Mr. Stivers has been engaged in the construction of the New Pandeola hotel that place during the summer.

Mrs. B. A. Young and daughter, Miss Edie, of Pittsburg, arrived in the city today and will remain for some time. Mrs. Young is a sister of M. McFarland, and the mother of Mrs. R. Ahrens.

State High School Inspector Aiton, of Minneapolis was in the city Tuesday for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of our city schools. Rev. Archibald Speers accompanied Mrs. Speers to Ashbury hospital, Minneapolis, on Monday, where she will receive treatment for a broken hip, an accident which occurred some months ago and since which time she has not been able to leave her bed.

T. McMaster returned from his western trip Tuesday morning, and was well pleased with the present and future prospects of the cities in Montana and other states in which he has been, and since which time she has not been able to leave her bed. Brainerdites, and all were doing well.

POINTONS NEWS ITEMS. Sam. Hastings has bought him a horse and buggy. T. G. Pointon, Geo. Book and Henry Millwood are at court this week.

Ben. and Mrs. Wm. Bond, on Sept. 6th, a daughter. All doing well. The continued wet weather has damaged large quantities of hay in the bunch and swath in this vicinity.

Ernest Herd, of Bay Lake, will preach at the Pointon's school house next Sabbath. Let everybody attend. Shant Ervonen was through this town on Monday and Tuesday sunning jurore. He stopped at the Bush farm over night.

J. A. Babby accompanied with his daughters, Mrs. Mary, Miss Helen Babby and a cousin from Rice, Benson county, to visit at the Bush farm last week. A party of young men from Iowa Falls, Iowa, are camping on the Edwards' homestead in the north part of town. They will hunt, fish and trap for a few weeks.

Elder Dawson is busy this week fruit for the Ashbury Hospital, Minneapolis. He will have a large consignment of fruit in the city on Tuesday. Mr. Geo. Pointon, a brother of T. G. Pointon, arrived from Chicago on Thursday last. The gentleman came to accept a position in the Brainerd office. He visited his brother and family over Sunday.

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Monday Eve'g, Sept. 20th,
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