

WANTS. Advertisement of "Wants" section.

WANTED - Room man or woman... WANTED - Room man or woman... WANTED - Room man or woman...

The Belle of Brainerd. Would not have been half so charming if he had not begun with. Rare Perfumes. The McFadden Drug Co.

Lots... For Sale in New Towns. On the Fosston Extension of the Great Northern Railway. A. A. WHITE, ST. PAUL, MINN. RHODES & PAINE. Wagon & Carriage Makers.

NEW CITY HALL.

The Council Considered the Matter of Building a New City Building. The city council held a regular meeting on Monday evening.

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BRAINERD BOY UNFORTUNATE.

Thos. R. Congdon and Wife, Formerly of This City, Lost All by Fire. The New York Journal of last Friday, Feb. 2nd, contained the following account of the destruction by fire of the art studio of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Congdon, brother of J. O. Congdon, of this city.

The portrait is not damaged. Mrs. Congdon's shoulders and her hair were burned. The artist and his wife had returned in November from a summer of study in Holland.

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the Meeting of the Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held Feb. 6th, 1900. Pursuant to adjournment the Board met at 10 o'clock a. m.

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OSTEOPATHY

Thousands of Cases Cured after all other methods of Treatment have failed... DR. H. F. SIMMONS, Osteopathy. Formerly of Staff of Operators at Northern Institute of Minneapolis.

JOHN LARSON. Flour, Feed, Lime, Salt, And Coal. Office on 6th St. near old Mill track, Drapau's Old Stand.

Table listing various items and prices: W. H. Mantor, drawing jurors 8.00; E. E. Beard, stationary for sheriff 4.00; D. Archibald, per diem and mileage, locating Pine River bridge and Pine River and Deau Lake road 44.50; J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage, locating the Pine River bridge and viewing roads 19.00; N. B. Chase, work locating Ctripressor on tax title lands 16.50; A. Atherton, work locating Ctripressor on tax title lands 37.25; J. H. Gibson, assisting in surveying roads 1.90; S. F. Alderman, money expended in telephone messages and telegrams in state cases 8.27; The board adjourned till first Tuesday in March, 1900. A. MARLON, County Auditor.

CONFLICT AVERTED

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END OF THE STRIFE

AGREEMENT DRAWN UP BETWEEN DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS

Democratic State Society Every Party Contended For—General Assembly to be in Session Tomorrow

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Various small news items and advertisements at the bottom of the page.

STORIES OF LINCOLN

One of Mr. Lincoln's characteristics was his inextinguishable tenderness toward slaves. He wrote in the margin of his copy of the Declaration of Independence: "The most manly of his underlying charity covered a multitude of sin in a soldier, his love justice with unyielding and selfless affection, but he hated every defiler from the great army of humanity." He was devoted with the love of a mother to the sick and wounded. He was always equal to the situation, whether a sleeping soldier by one stroke of the pen from an exhausted grave or writing that bold and steady signature to the proclamation.



"I'D GIVE THEM JERUSALEM!" One of the most famous phrases which the black race give him a crown of thorns. As the negro preacher in Vicksburg said of him: "Massa Lincoln, he stay where he know ebber. 'Twas; he walk de earth like de Lord." He knew freedom. Abraham Lincoln could say true things which just resonated forever. He released some prisoners on the other side of the "river" in 1842. The wife of one of these inmates "that her husband was a religious man, even if he was a rebel." Mr. Lincoln wrote the release slowly, as if in doubt, and without smiling, but said to the now happy wife, but said with keen irony: "You may your husband is a religious man. Tell him when you meet him that I say I am not much of a judge of religion, but in my opinion the religion that sets men to rebel and as they think, that government does not sufficiently help some men to eat their bread in the sweat of their own faces is not the sort of religion upon which people can get to heaven."

Mr. Lincoln once told Horace Deming, a Connecticut farmer, when he had been imported to join a church, that "when any church will receive over its altar as its sole qualification the Savior's condensed statement of the substance of law and duty. Then shall love the Lord thy God with all thy soul, and thy neighbor as thyself; that church will join with all my heart."

His great good sense was shown in his making Dick Gower a lieutenant in the regular army. Dick had blown his bravery and his capacity among the western Indians, but was rejected by the board of military martials at Washington because he "did not know what an abate, or cohesion, or hollow square was." "Well," sharply said the "dilettante officer" with a single exclamation, "what would you do with your command if the cavalry should charge on you?" "I'd give them Jesus, that's what I would do, and I'd make a bottom square to every mother's son of them."

Lincoln signed his commission and Dick made a famous soldier.

McClellan then requested his chief of staff to find a copy of the letter. It was speedily produced, and Gen. McClellan proceeded to crush Mr. Lincoln by reading his vituperative attack on the general, with reflections on Lincoln's conduct of the war. Lincoln's peaceful smile vanished. When the letter ended he rose quickly, looking neither to the right nor left, not waiting for any farewell to Gen. McClellan.

He seemed oppressed with the consciousness of the danger of the military as well as the political situation of things. He drove slowly with Gen. Blair over to the boat, which was to convey them from Harrison's landing back to Washington. When the vessel had started, Mr. Lincoln, for the first time since leaving McClellan's tent, broke the silence and said to Gen. Blair: "Frank, I now understand this man. That letter to God, McClellan's bid for the presidency, I will stop that game. Now is the time to issue the proclamation emancipating the slaves."

His forthwith issued the proclamation of emancipation. With a week after the world was started by a new charter of freedom for the slave.

Gen. McClellan's speech at Philadelphia, in his late years changed his views about President Lincoln. He told an interesting story about the proclamation of emancipation. The classic and scholarly Vaux had been making speeches in Connecticut, and came home with Frank P. Blair of Missouri, who was very close to the man who was the first of the man's great patriots. He said the man who was the first of the man's great patriots was the man who was the first of the man's great patriots.

Lincoln's birthday, began to overtake stronger than ever. The man's life, says a writer in Harper's Round Table. Hundreds of books have been written and written his good deeds for centuries to come, but it is a pleasure to read now and then of some little act of kindness that will stand alone illustrating the nobility of his character. During all that dreary period when the drift was swayed the country Lincoln held the reins of the government, and although worn out with the unending toil, he never neglected an opportunity to help those who suffered.

One day a poor woman, whose tears had worn furrows down her cheeks, gained an audience with Lincoln, and in a few words related the sad tale of her husband, who had fought in the Union army, only to lose his life, and of her three boys who were then fighting. She requested the discharge of her oldest boy, that she might have some one to support her. Lincoln's heart responded to the appeal, and he replied: "Certainly, if you have given us all, and your grief has been taken away, you are justly entitled to one of your boys." The poor woman went away light of heart, only to return later, tearfully begging the release of her second son. The discharge of the first one had come too late. He was killed before it reached him. Sadly Lincoln set down and wrote the requisite order for the release of the second son, and rising, an entry: "Now you have one and I have one of the two boys left; that is no more than right." Weeping, he buried out to send her precious order.

Lincoln wrote the order. He was the late Vice-President Gerrit A. Hobart delighted in informal chats about people and things beyond the Bohemian. The ways of newspaper men strangely interested him. He said once that he envied them because of their loving freedom and the ease with which they seemed to write. He considered writing a greater art than speaking. "I find no trouble in talking to an audience," he said, "but when it comes to putting my thoughts on paper I find it a great task. Words are more critical than hearts. The art of writing is the greater."

He was a New Yorker for twenty years. He was a cavaler horse of his future by one of the items of expense in the maintenance of the army in the Philippines.

Lincoln and the widow. The 12th of February Abraham Lincoln's humble homes.

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THE OLDEST MAN IN THE WORLD

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters by Using Peruna.



Mr. Isaac Brock, born in Buncombe Co., North Carolina, March 1, 1768. Says: "I attribute my extreme old age to the use of Peruna."

Before United States was formed. Saw 22 Presidents elected. Peruna has protected him from all sudden changes. Always conquered the grippe with Peruna. Witness in a land suit at age of 110 years. Believes Peruna the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

Isaac Brock, a citizen of McDowell county, North Carolina, born March 1, 1768. In speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says:

"After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience."

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper remedy for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate."

"During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed that these affections to be different diseases, but in reading Dr. Hartman's books I have found out that these affections are the same and that they are properly called catarrh."

"I had several long sleazes with the grippe. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that the grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for the grippe and found it to be just the thing."

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy."

Very truly yours,
Isaac Brock.

For a free book on catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

WESTERN CANADA.

Prog. Progress and Climate. Isaac Brock, from Mrs. A. B. Brigham, late of Mason City (Ia.) Republican, writes: "Mr. A. B. Brigham, late of that place, but now of Ross Creek, Alberta, Canada, so masterly describes, most of the districts of Western Canada, and he takes pleasure in presenting same to the attention of our readers: Ross Creek, Alberta, N. W. T., Canada, Aug. 7, 1889."

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"The Beaver Hills are covered with small green willows which are easily gotten rid of before breaking up the land. Here and there poplar, birch and tamarack trees abound. Small grasses are common. The soil in these hills is much richer than the bottom lands, being a kind of loess, and with very little water, it is very productive. There is no tough soil to break, and it is very productive. Wheat, oats and barley do fairly well, and vegetables are the same that can be raised in the States, especially the large and solid, easily producing from 200 to 300 bushels per acre, and best of all, never a 'fairy bog' to wrestle with. Wild fruit, strawberries, gooseberries, raspberries and cherries, are found in the hills. Small tree fruit does fairly well, and red and white currants in my garden are as large again as common ones raised here."

"We have long days during the months of June and July; one can see red and blue in the twilight, some nights less than 2 hours of darkness. And the birds are singing a lot of notes. There again, it rains so easily. You look toward the west and see a little cloud coming up, and a gentle shower follows, the sun shines forth again, and a little while you forget it has rained."

"Cattle are unknown here and the lumber and lightning is very light. We had two storms last summer accompanied with wind and hail, but nothing to lodge the grain. The average heat is about 18 degrees. We had three or four days in July at 90. The nights are always cool."

"The winter season is one of great activity. All the fencing is going on and then and loss for the farm buildings. By paying 25 cents you are granted a acre on the land office to cut logs upon vacant lands. The men are all busy with the snow now, and the ditches, not even around the buildings, and this is a great saving of time to the farmer. Hay is hauled from the bottom lands all winter long, and a man can work outside every day as far as the weather is concerned. There are cold snaps when it reaches 40 and 48 below zero, and in the mountains and the mountains 100 miles west. The men and the men are mostly Canadian, Scotch, Swede, and we have some sprinkling of people from the States. The creeks abound in small streams."

"We are now in the midst of hay-making (Aug. 7). When it will not cut until early September, the hay is little later than usual, but the crop will be immense. I send you a sample of wheat. And here is the height is almost even with my shoulder, average 50 inches. New comers lacking wisdom can hire their grain cut for 75 cents per acre. Prairie chickens are here of the thousands. The water is good. We have a well 15 feet deep. In the creek the water is soft and of a yellow color. Now for the drawbacks (we have them) but nothing very serious. The mosquitoes are simply abundant, especially after a shower. They again we are surrounded with mosquitoes; we have no less than 10 single men in this neighborhood, on matrimony's seat. When a female mosquito says 'Yes, I will be your wife' the demand for matrimony is great. In conclusion, if the remainder of our lives were here with us, we should better enjoy life on Ross Creek, and send the money for my head of cattle to send it will be a pretty fair price."

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HOME-MADE PHILOSOPHY.

Many a man makes as big a mistake in 'world' as Adam did in eating 'green apples.' Death is only a pain in the moment of life. You or he is going to stay up and night. Beware of your friends when you first begin to succumb in life, and have money to lend. No odds what makes in the state of our government, the same old poverty millions of people will be here to run it. Wealth is the only reward this life now offers to the greedy. We will just as well work for a big soap bubble that will burst and leave you in the end. The best, earnest thinker is always radical and severe. The dog that is 'highly dignified' out at farm under a pinkish sun-stem, cannot keep his dirt flat.

A hull lot of good-looking people will try to throw wide open the mental door of youth, but they insist on putting up a screen door over it. A picture of a girl with a big front aperture, how much will she be worth? You're a novelty. 'Byrnes' (Ireland)."

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PENCILING.

Women don't always treat men as they treat men are all the time treating women. The man who is always ready to favor for other people seldom has for occupation. The man with a weed in his eye doesn't look well on the street with a weed in his mouth. Speaking of critical situations, a man who is getting 300 a week, is earning only 100 bolts one. One of the first things a couple ought to do after they are married is to be all the letters that they wrote to each other during their courtship.

With Thanksgiving day and Christmas both past, the average man who has a long time to look forward to a big dinner. The last season of grand opera in Chicago was not financially successful. The way to make grand opera successful in Chicago is to interpolate a few wing dances and two oops, some every act—downville style.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The average girl loves to have presiding management. You can't measure a man's religion by the length of his hair. The Duke is considered a ecclesiastic by the hardiest man of the world. A handkerchief is the only one of the chief symbols of a cold in the face. 'Thank you. Some people can be proud in a looking glass, while others can't.

Some men are so old that they don't think it need to ascertain what day it is.

The Brainerd Dispatch.

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Legal Rates for Legal Notices.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6 1909

The Cass Lake Times is now printed all at home, an evidence of prosperity.

The Northern Pacific gross earnings for the six months ending Dec. 31, were \$16,000,000.

Brainerd wants the next Sixth district congressional convention and proposes to make a bustle for it.

FOOTBALLERS DOWNHILL has joined the ranks of the spiritistic and pacifist theory announced his belief in the theory at a meeting in Minneapolis.

The supreme court in a decision Monday held that the barber license law is sound. It intimated, however, that the section limiting the number of apprentices would probably fall if questioned.

SOUTH DAKOTA people are disgusted with Senator Pitts and his course in attempting to make a hero out of Aguinaldo. His utterances are repudiated by republicans and deplored by a large majority of democrats and populists.

JOHN LIND is not the only man who fears for democratic success next fall, for the Lind-Carter-Harris race has declined to be a candidate for governor of Illinois? They are both willing to see other man lead their party to defeat.

At the opening of a vaudeville theater at Bemidji Tuesday evening Russell Whipple, a safety saloon keeper, shot and instantly killed Bennie Moore, a local bartender. If this thing continues in northern Minnesota Kentucky will have to look well for her laurels.

They All Preled It. The late democratic candidate for vice president, Arthur Sewall, predicts the re-election of President McKinley and says "Keep the Philippines." Mr. Sewall, like a sensible man, ends his interview as follows: "The fact is, the country has been too prosperous to warrant any hope of a change in the national administration, and people are slow to take up reform measures when times are as good as they are at present."

Enlarge the State Central Committee. It is proposed to enlarge the state central committee for the coming campaign, by giving each county a member. This plan is similar to that which was adopted in the state, where the science of politics has been made considerably more exact than in Minnesota. Of course a committee of the size necessary to give each county representation would be unwieldy if the entire membership were consulted continually, but with a small executive committee to direct the work in general and the county members to look after details, more effective work can be done in 1909 than ever before.

In speaking of the matter the Duluth Tribune says: "This matter of an effective committee should engage the earnest attention of all good republicans, and as much care should be displayed in selecting managers as is used in choosing candidates. The 1908 campaign is an object lesson which will long be remembered, and we probably will not again in a long time witness the pitiable spectacle of a man with no grasp of the situation and no judgment in matters political managing the affairs of the party for no other reason than that he was a personal friend of the candidate for governor."

So far the most prominent identified for the lead of the committee are, K. M. Johnson, Robert Jensen of Minneapolis and Al Ferris of Brainerd. Of the lot, Mr. Ferris in our opinion, is the best qualified for the position. He is a man of good judgment, unquestioned honesty and unswerving loyalty. He has a wide acquaintance and is in every way so qualified and situated as to be able to do the work acceptably.

Two good second hand cutters for sale at D. M. Clark & Co.

LIFE IN THE PHILIPPINES

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S. & J. W. KOOP, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Flour and Feed. Brick Manufacturer. Railroad Ties Bought For Cash. Goods Promptly Delivered to All Parts of the City.

For Anything in the Grocery Line. Call on P. M. LAGERQUIST. We Carry the finest Stock in the Northwest, and our Goods are always Fresh and up-to-date. Staple and Fancy Groceries. FLOUR AND FEED. Lagerquist Block, South Sixth Street.

General Repair Shop. T. A. MARTIN, Proprietor. Constructing and Repairing Bicycles a Specialty. Bicycle Material, Supplies and Extras of Every Description For Sale. We do repairing and guarantee our work to be first class. We also do General Repairing of all descriptions and have the facilities to turn work out in short order, and to your entire satisfaction. 6th St. North, Next Door to Old Roller Rink.

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Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine. Rotary Motion and Ball Bearings. For Sale by the DAVIS MUSIC HOUSE, BRainerd.

NORTHERN PACIFIC BANK

U. N. PARKER, President. H. D. TROGLAWNY, Cashier. County, School and City Orders Bought.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Brainerd, Minn. A. F. FERRIS, President. G. D. LABAR, Cashier. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL - \$200,000

John Liljindahl, Blacksmith and Wagon Maker, Quince St., near Mill.

All Kinds of Repair Work Done Promptly, Horse Shoeing a Specialty.

JOHN LILJINDAHL, Why does the boy hate the beer?

Hamm's Beer. Drink a beer you know is pure. The N. P. Bottling Co. Agents Everywhere.

H & E Sample Rooms. Choice Wines and Liquors, Fine Imported and Domestic Cigars.

BRAINERD LUMBER CO. FOR Low Prices on Lumber.

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

DEERWOOD NEWS ITEMS. Miss Lena Olson arrived home on a visit to her parents. Mrs. Robert Archibald is the possessor of a fine organ...

Mr. P. K. Wetzel arrived on Monday to resume his duties as school master. Mr. Morford, the postmaster, has been making great improvements in the postoffice building...

When Traveling East or South, Remember that Wisconsin Central Ry. trains leaving St. Paul and Minneapolis daily for Milwaukee, Chicago and Manitowish, connect with all eastern and southern lines...

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett spent the week in Brainerd. Al. Closterman, of Brainerd, was in town a couple of days this week.

The Nome Gold Fields. The first map folder or circular respecting the Klondike gold strike of 1898 was issued by the Northern Pacific railway...

There seems to be some mistake about the services at the school house. A number of people gathered there for prayer meeting on Sunday evening...

Store your goods with D. M. Clark & Co. A Frightful Blunder. Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise...

Brainerd & Northern MINNESOTA RY. TIME CARD. Trains Arrive and Depart from the Northern Pacific Depot.

Read What N. P. Inspector of Coal says About MATT. J. JOHNSON'S Great Blood and Rheumatism Cure. A FREE TRIAL 6088 A HARMLESS CURE.

FARMS For Sale. STOCK FARMS Improved and Unimproved, large and small, from 5 to 1500 acres...

Wanted Trains - Mining Cars. EARLY ROUND, 7:00 a.m. to Duluth, 7:30 a.m. to St. Paul, 8:00 a.m. to Chicago...

Burlington Route Best Line to Chicago and St. Louis. "The Limited," the finest train in the world, leaves Minneapolis 7:00 p.m....

IT'S NOT NECESSARY! PENNYROYAL PILLS. Maps and Township Plats. FARMERS' WIVES Gen. Estn Lots of Money. PEABODY & BAKER.

Worthless Stuff!

What a lot of trash is sold as cough cures. The hollow drum makes the loudest noise—the biggest advertisement often covers worthlessness.

Sixty years of cures and such testimony as the following have taught us what Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will do.

"I had a most stubborn cough for many years. It depended on sleep and made me lose flesh rapidly. I was treated by many eminent physicians, but could get no permanent relief. It was then that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and I now sleep with my old flesh in back, and I enjoy myself in every way as though of seventy-four."—R. N. Mann, Fall Mills, Tenn., Feb. 7, 1899.

It's the does-you-would-be-done-by cough medicine. Try a 25-cent bottle.

SAZER'S SEARED CORN

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JOHNS SAZER SEED CO. LA CROSSE, WIS.

POWER'S FISH BRAND POMMEL SLICKER

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VICTORY FOR TORIES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 8.—The amendment to the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne is defeated—defeat by the Tories. The House of Commons has been divided 141 to 129 in favor of the amendment. The vote is a majority of not to exceed 150 was expected. The amendment offered by Sir Joseph Chamberlain is a brother of the late Sir Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of the House of Commons.

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London, Feb. 8.—A note is received from the Hon. Mr. Balfour, secretary of the House of Commons, regarding the House of Commons. The House of Commons is expected to be a great victory for the government, as a majority of not to exceed 150 was expected.

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NO MORE GRIPS

New Line Now Open to the Public.
 This the C. C. Line to Certain Other With a View to the Public.
 No more grips—no more or any other. The new line is now open to the public. The C. C. Line is a great improvement on the old line. It is a great improvement on the old line.

IT CAME OUT ALL RIGHT.
 The village blacksmith stood within the shade of the chestnut tree. He heard a heavy cart rumble past. The cart was loaded with heavy iron. The blacksmith was a great craftsman.

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MILLIONS OF WOMEN USE CUTICURA SOAP exclusively for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for loosening the scalp of crusts, scales, and dandruff, for the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and healing red, rough, and sore hands, in the form of baths for annoying irritations, inflammations, and chafes, or too free or offensive perspiration, in the form of washes, for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sensitive antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, and especially mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. No amount of persuasion can induce those who have once used it to use any other, especially for preserving and purifying the skin, scalp, and hair of infants and children. CUTICURA SOAP combines delicate emollient properties derived from CUTICURA, the great skin cure, with the purest of cleansing ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated or toilet soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in ONE SOAP all that is best in TWENTY-FIVE OTHERS, the BEST SKIN AND COMPLEXION SOAP, the BEST TOILET AND NURSERY SOAP, and the BEST BABY SOAP in the world.

Local News Condensed.

Hoffman neglects chaste lousa. The new steel bridge on the Northern Pacific road has been building at Moley is now completed.

Last night was the coldest night of the season, the local thermometer registering 29 degrees below zero.

Dr. Alderman and Mrs. Peter Peterson have a new daughter at their home in South-west Brainerd since Wednesday, January 30.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Mr. John Lee and Miss Sophia Strindberg at John Hakala's hall in South-east Brainerd, tomorrow (Saturday) evening, Feb. 10th, 1900, at 8 o'clock.

At a meeting of Brainerd Lodge No. 47, A. O. U. W., last night, A. H. Bennett, Otto Reinhardt and P. Johnson were chosen delegates to attend the state convention of the order next month in St. Paul.

Andrew J. Wick's will is still pending with the city limits, near the Sanitarium. On the 20th of January he killed one across the river from Howe's mill. He reports there are a great many wolves in the country around the city.

The fire department was called out on Saturday to extinguish a small blaze at the residence of C. A. McLagan, on 5th street north. The damage was about \$50, the property being owned by the Brainerd Building and Loan association.

A circular has been issued by the board of managers of the state prison at Stillwater fixing the price of food for the city limits, near the Sanitarium. On the 20th of January he killed one across the river from Howe's mill. He reports there are a great many wolves in the country around the city.

Geo. Chasewood was before the municipal court on Monday charged with assault by his wife. He was arrested on Saturday and enjoyed the hospitality of the lock-up over Sunday. He admitted the charge and was given one day in jail. He is said to be kind and considerate when sober but drink makes him abusive.

G. W. Stirlaway was in the city from the Lake Emily country Saturday and incidentally enrolled his name on the Duxbury subscription book. Mr. Stirlaway says his section of the country is fast settling up. An application has been made for a postoffice at Lake Emily and a school will be opened shortly, there being nearly 40 scholars to start in with which number three families furnish 24.

Mrs. J. N. Nevers was given a pleasant surprise on Saturday by a group of lady friends, who invaded her home with a large supply of good things to eat, and took possession for the afternoon and evening, the occasion being the lady's birthday anniversary. Those present were Mrs. C. M. Patek, Mrs. H. I. Cohen, Mrs. D. D. Smith, Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll, Mrs. F. W. Wieland, Mrs. H. Spalding, Mrs. Fannie F. Smith, Mrs. N. McFadden and Mrs. Geo. Ames.

The Knights of the Macabees will give their third annual banquet ball on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14, at Gardner hall and the occasion will undoubtedly be a very pleasant one. Music will be furnished by the Kelsey orchestra. The gentlemen in charge are Executive committee—J. C. Smallwood, G. M. Grant, A. Dickinson, R. Guthrie, A. Hagadorn, reception—G. Raymond, H. Simpson, J. McCulloch, M. Betts, Geo. Bouch, A. Hagberg, door—Louis Homan, Ed Herman, A. Dickinson, H. Hagadorn, J. C. Smallwood.

The reception given by Mrs. Walter Courtney, Mrs. Thomas J. Hartley and Mrs. F. A. Parmer at the home of the latter, on Friday afternoon last, was one of the most delightful social events of the season. The rooms were beautifully decorated, the prevailing colors being pink and white. The dining room was especially pleasing. Streams of pink satin ribbons and smilax were festooned from the chandelier to the corners of the table, on the center of which was an immense bouquet of pink roses. Delicious and delicious refreshments were served to the numerous guests. It was a pleasant occasion.

A disastrous fire at Rush City Tuesday night destroyed the city lighting plant, postoffice, bank, telephone office and a number of business houses.

Wm. Flyke, of St. Cloud, the well known base ball pitcher, has left for Hot Springs, where he will go into training with the Chicago team, he having signed with them for the season.

George Berganti and Andy Wesley have opened a saloon in the building on Fifth street just vacated by P. O'Connor, the latter having moved into the Dressing building on Fifth street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Frank Bennett, 128 9th street north, next Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 to 6:30. Feb. 14th, 1900. Lunch will be served, charge 15 cts.

Marriage license have been issued the first part of the week as follows: Feb. 4th Ralph Balow to Anna Wright, both of Cross Wing; Feb. 7th, Martin Oppgaard to Sarah Hanks, both of whom resided at Bay Lake.

H. Harrison had the misfortune to have a valuable bull cow on Wednesday night. The animal was apparently as well as ever at night, but was found dead in the barn Thursday morning. He valued her at \$50.

DEATHS.

James W. Kelley, age 77 years, died Saturday, Feb. 3rd, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. D. Ford, on 6th street south, of dropsy, after an illness of two months' duration. Mr. Kelley has resided in this city for several years, and was employed most of the time as janitor of the Y. M. C. A. He was an old soldier, serving in the civil war in Co. K, 25th Wis. Vol. Infantry. He was a member of the Grand Army, of which he was a member, on Monday afternoon Feb. 5th, Pap Thomas Post No. 20, of this city attending in a body. The services were conducted by Rev. Gulow, and the remains were buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

H. P. Schwarzkopf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schwarzkopf, died at the family home on Norwood street, on Sunday, February 4th, of influenza, aged two years. The remains were taken to St. Paul on Monday by the bereaved parents for burial.

Harry Hatton, age 11 years, died at the Sanitarium on Saturday Feb. 3rd, of appendicitis. He was brought to the Sanitarium for treatment, and his remains were shipped to Mandan the next day for burial.

Arthur G. Wake, age three years, died at the Sanitarium, on Saturday, of tuberculosis, and his remains were shipped to Mandan the next day for burial.

Isa Alger, age three years, died at Cross Lake on Sunday, February 4th, of pneumonia. The remains were brought to this city and shipped to North Bend, Todd county.

Ole P. Nelson, died on Monday February 4th, of Consumption, at his home in Southeast Brainerd, aged 43 years. Deceased has been a sufferer from this dread disease for some years. Two children of the family have died recently of the same malady, and others of the family are reported affected. They were in very poor circumstances, actually suffering for the necessities of life. A few days ago Dr. Thabes, city health officer, took the matter in hand and removed Mrs. Nelson and three children away from home to the Mahlum house in Southeast Brainerd and provided them with suitable clothing and food at the expense of the city. The funeral of deceased occurred at the house yesterday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., Rev. Miklien officiating.

Mrs. Mary Lingman, aged 70 years and 7 months, died at her home in Long Lake town on Thursday, Feb. 8, from paralysis. Mrs. Lingman was an old resident of the county coming to Brainerd 27 years ago with her husband, and later settling on the farm southeast of the city. Mr. Lingman died some five years later. The deceased leaves three sons and one daughter, Andrew, John, Frank, Paul, Barney and Mary, to mourn her death. The funeral will occur Monday at 10 o'clock from St. Francis Catholic church.

PERSISTENT PERSONAL NOTES.

J. M. Elder went to Duluth yesterday noon.

Wm. Pugh was a Little Falls visitor on Wednesday.

D. R. Elder, of St. Paul, was in the city on Tuesday.

Hon. Joseph Woods, of Breckenridge, is in the city.

W. A. McCosham went to Duluth Tuesday on business.

F. J. Slipp has gone to St. Paul to receive treatment for his eyes.

J. O. Hassel went to the Twin Cities on Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. O. Wister left Brainerd on Tuesday for Minneapolis.

Hon. A. F. Ferris and F. B. Johnson leave next Thursday for the coast and will be absent about a month.

Mrs. J. R. Westfall and Miss Clara Small left Brainerd yesterday on their trip to the coast.

T. J. Davis arrived in the city from Missoula, Mont., last Friday for a short visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Blair, of Grand Forks, arrived in the city on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cole.

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CHURCH WORK AND SERVICES.

Under This Head will be found Church Notices Handled in full.

Minister's alliance meets Monday at 2:30 at the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

Rev. A. P. Sjodal occupied the pulpit of the Swedish Mission church at St. Cloud Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Smallwood last Wednesday afternoon.

At a business meeting of the Epworth League held on Wednesday evening at the M. E. parsonage, seven young people were received into membership.

Rev. Mr. Turner, of Devil's Lake, N. D., will hold services in St. Paul's Episcopal church next Sunday, Feb. 11, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion will be administered at the morning services.

The morning subject at the People's church will be "Self Respect." Evening subject: "There is no Difference." Sunday school at 12 m.; Juniors 4 p. m.; Senior C. E. at 6:30. Prayer meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening in the city on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cole.

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The report of the supply committee to purchase a new Century Calligraph typewriter was adopted. Bills aggregating over 1,800 were allowed.

The pay roll amounting to \$2,110.77 was allowed and ordered paid.

G. W. Northrup made an offer to purchase the old 6th street school building for \$175. It was referred to the committee on buildings.

The finance committee was authorized to negotiate a loan to meet current expenses.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENT!

We have just received this week a small lot of Ladies' Fur Collarettes, in medium grades at a discount of 20 Per Cent., from their regular wholesale fur prices. Will give our customers the benefit of this fortunate purchase. Prices \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3, \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$6.50 each.

Another Mention of CLOAK PRICES. For this month would not come unless this COLD SNAP. Don't fail to price our lines of Cloaks. It will be a revelation to you. They are very cheap.

Don't Forget Our Reduced Prices on Ladies Fine Kid Shoes.

Get Your Boy A new Suit of substantial wearing CLOTHES now, while we are making reductions on the stock and prices.

Careful Buyers are Watching Our Dress Goods/Stock. It means a saving to the buyer. The way we lay the stuffs go.

A Few Children's Long CLOAKS. For about \$10 on the Dollar, for your inspection.

Some Snapping Snaps! Sold softly some sorts of soft Woolen Blankets. Chop the profits off for you.

JUST WATCH THE SMOKE. All along the line of Fire of LOW PRICES. In this store this month.

HENRY I. COHEN

Front St., Sleeper Block.

BOOK-KEEPING. Practical Course for Practical Business Men at the Business College.

New System of Book-keeping will soon be introduced in the Brainerd Business College, which is especially adapted for short term students. This system combines book-keeping and Business Practice in a carefully arranged series of six lectures.

WHERE'S the LEAK? I can find it and stop the damage. What I'll charge for the work will be economy, not expense. Don't be afraid I'll refuse a job, but don't be afraid I can't do a good one.

F. J. MURPHY, Laurel Street, Between Sixth and Seventh.

HOTEL VENDOME. First Class Central Location. EUROPEAN PLAN. 24 Fourth St. S., Minneapolis. Rates—\$10, \$12, and \$15.00 per day. Single Room, Bed Room and Bath \$1.25 per day. Call at my restaurant across the street.

Advertisement for Capt. S. R. Adams, First Lieutenant Wm. Nelson and Second Lieutenant C. A. Wilkins, of Co. L, went to St. Paul on Wednesday to attend a meeting of the officers of the regiment.

Advertisement for a well known and reliable... (text partially obscured)