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**City Meat Market,**  
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**Choice Kansas City STEER BEEF**  
For the same price that you pay for cow beef at other markets. Nothing but the choicest Kansas City Beef handled at this market.

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**MEAT MARKET,**  
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## We also

have a large assortment of Ready-to-wear hats, Leghorns, etc., all nice, clean goods, fresh from the market and right up-to-date.

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from you will be appreciated, and you will be convinced that it is dollars in your pocket to give us your millinery trade.

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Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery, Boys Clothing, Shoes and Gents Furnishings.  
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ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA  
Bicycles rented at Hoffman's.  
Featherstons wheels at Hoffman's.

### GRADUATING EXERCISES

Of The Brainerd High School At Gardner Hall on Tuesday Evening.

Four Young Ladies Composed The Class—A Large Audience In Attendance.

The commencement exercises of the graduating class of the Brainerd High school were held at Gardner Hall on Tuesday evening, before an audience that filled every foot of space of the spacious hall. It was composed of the best and most representative people of the city, who were present not only to enjoy the exercises, but by their presence at least their interest in the welfare of the schools.

The stage decorations were not elaborate, but very beautiful in their simplicity. An immense flag, the starry banner, was draped in the rear of the stage, forming an artistic background. A pyramid of decorated plants occupied the center of the rear of the stage, and on either side extending to the wings were seats for the graduates and teachers of the High school. The front of the stage was also decorated with potted plants and flowers and the class colors, pink and green, were draped from the stage to the chandelier. The class motto "Altior et Altior" appeared in large letters over the stage. The stage was occupied by Prof. Hartley, Prof. Haist, and Misses Newman and Fox, Fred Swanson, who delivered the opening address, and the four graduates.

An overture by the Kelsey orchestra at 8:30 opened the exercises. Fred Swanson, of the sophomore class, of the High school, made the opening address, in a very creditable manner.

Miss Marian A. Bolin was the first member of the class to greet the audience, and presented an essay on "My Observations on School Life." She was perfectly at ease and spoke in clear and distinct tones that could be plainly heard in every portion of the large hall. Her gestures were easy and graceful, and her manner was so earnest and forceful as to carry conviction. She was generally applauded at the close, and was the recipient of several bouquets of fragrant flowers from admiring friends in the audience.

Miss Bolin was followed by a baritone solo by S. F. Alderman. Mr. Alderman was given an encore and he responded with "Davey Jones," which greatly delighted the audience.

"Vivible Alice" was the subject of an essay by Miss Florence May Shepherd. Miss Shepherd treated the subject in an exceedingly interesting and able manner, and showed how the future progress of the world was dependent on visible or liquid air, as it undoubtedly would be the only motive power of the future, which would be as boundless as the air itself. Her tones were so low that many in the audience could not hear her, but all who did greatly enjoyed her essay.

"The Uses of Photography" were explained by Miss Georgia May Martin in a very able and interesting essay, which she delivered in a very creditable manner. She also spoke too low to give the entire audience the benefit of her very able production.

The Aeolian Quartette next favored the audience with a selection. This quartette is a great favorite with Brainerd audiences, and did not fail to please. They sang a command song for an encore that was exceedingly pleasing.

Miss Mabel Sarah McKay was the last of the class to greet the audience. Her essay on "Secrets of the Deep" was very able and instructive, and Miss McKay presented it with such force and expression as to hold the close attention of the large audience during its delivery. She was distinctly heard in all parts of the audience. She delivered the class farewell to the teachers and scholars and to the board of education with an earnestness and touch of feeling that affected all present.

A song by the Misses Mayne

### BRAINERD WILL CELEBRATE.

An Old Fashioned Fourth of July Celebration Will Be Held in This City.

A mass meeting of citizens was held at Gardner Hall on Monday evening, called by Mayor Koop, to consider the matter of holding a Fourth of July celebration in this city. The meeting was not very well attended, not over 50 citizens being present. Mayor Koop called the meeting to order and stated the object of the meeting, and presided during the deliberations. All present expressed themselves as favoring a celebration, and pointed with pride to the successful celebration of last year. Owing to the absence of some of the best hustlers in the city in matters of this kind, the various committees were not selected, but it was decided to celebrate. Mayor Koop was authorized to appoint an executive committee to have charge of the celebration, with power to appoint sub-committees. Geo. LaBar was selected as treasurer and N. H. Ingersoll, secretary, after which the meeting adjourned.

The mayor on Tuesday selected the following gentlemen to constitute the executive committee: A. F. Ferris, C. D. Johnson, Werner Heston, J. J. Howe, S. R. Adair, S. L. Bean, Geo. Pippy, D. M. Clark, J. F. McGinnis and A. L. Mattison.

A meeting of the executive committee was held on Tuesday night, and it was decided to begin to hustle at once to make the celebration the best in the history of the city. Sub-committees as follows were appointed:

Finance—Geo. Gardner, Jas. Culen, J. C. Jamieson, H. D. Treglawney, J. T. Saubora.  
Music—Prof. Dressell.  
Sports—E. H. Adair, G. H. Kyles, Tom Cusan, W. H. Sadler, M. K. Swart.  
Printing—A. J. Halsted, F. W. Wieland, W. S. Cox.  
Transportation—W. H. Gemmill, W. D. McKay and A. F. Ferris.  
Parade—Conrad Isle, marshal of the day and chairman of the committee.  
Speaker—A. F. Ferris, Werner Heston and J. H. Koop.  
Fireworks—M. K. Swart, chairman, with power to appoint balance of committee.  
Decorations—C. D. Johnson, Dan Mcintosh, J. C. Congdon, A. E. Yoon and C. O. Kyle.  
General Manager—W. H. Gemmill, of the E. & N. Co., announced that his road would make a one rate fare for the round trip for all points on the road, good from the 8th to the 10th.

The committee then adjourned subject to the call of Chairman Koop.

Before giving your order for a new sidewalk consult Fisher & Walters for prices on Continental cement.

Bicycles rented at Hoffman's.  
Featherstons wheels at Hoffman's.

### THE CITY COUNCIL.

#### Very Important Business Transacted—Water Mains Extended—Cement Sidewalks Considered.

The city council met in regular session on Monday evening.

The report of the clerk of the municipal court was submitted, showing fines amounting to \$238.55 collected in May. Electric light collections were \$1,019.89.

A large number of claims against the city were audited and allowed.

The street commissioner and city engineer made a report in regard to opening street on east side of Mississippi river, and on motion the street committee was instructed to secure rights of way and report at next meeting.

The city clerk reported arrangements for electric lights, and the superintendent was instructed after a five day's notice if not paid to cut off the lights.

The fire committee reported that telephone has been placed in the 4th ward hose house, and that rubber coats had been ordered.

The electric light committee reported, recommending that the increase in rent of electric light office be paid, and that the superintendent be allowed to handle fixtures until day circuit be established, and that the purchasing committee purchase all supplies. The report was adopted.

A contract was made with the Guarantee Electric Light company to exchange present 30 light arc machine for a 60 light machine, and pay \$100 difference.

On motion the chair appointed committee of one in each ward to locate arc lights, as follows: 1st ward, Alderman Jamieson and ward Farrar, 2nd ward, Halladay, 4th ward, Johnson, 5th ward, Adair.

The purchasing committee was authorized to purchase a 50 foot extension ladder, known as the Rogers Trussard extension ladder.

A committee was received from Ambrose Tights in regard to repairs on hydrants, Mr. Tights promised to repair them at once.

The chief of the fire department was instructed to purchase the agency of the Minnesota Water Co., to see all hydrants flushed once month.

The clerk was instructed to have Minnesota Water Co. submit a state report where the 22 hydrants are located that the city is paying rent for.

Mayor Koop sent in a communication appointing E. H. Simmons as special highway collector, and that appointment was on motion confirmed, and his salary fixed at \$90 per month.

A resolution was passed on a portion of Oak street, the action being taken to straighten the street.

On petition from a number of residents on 4th street was read, asking the council to pass an ordinance providing for the boulevarding of 4th street from Main to Bluff avenue, and Ordinance No. 108, complying with the request, was read and passed.

A motion by Alderman Cohen was passed authorizing the president to appoint a committee of five, one from each ward, and they were to report to the residents on the street.

A resolution was adopted requiring the Water Company to extend a water main from a point on Norway street west of Laurel street to Bluff avenue, as petitioned for by the residents on the street.

The petition of citizens of the Third ward, asking the council to open up 6th avenue and Sibbey streets was referred to street committee, alderman from each ward, to ascertain the sentiment of the people of their ward as to the advisability of putting in cement walks, wherever new walks are built, and the chair appointed as such committee: 1st ward, Gardner, 2nd ward, Olson, 3rd ward, Halliday, 4th ward, Johnson, 5th ward, Koop.

The city clerk was instructed to draw an order for \$20 for each delegate to the state firemen's convention.

Ordinance No. 108, providing for the construction of bicycle paths and to regulate the use of the same, was passed. It prohibits the use of the paths to whedmen without a license.

A resolution was adopted ordering the streets north to be paved from Main to Bluff avenue, as petitioned for by the residents.

A resolution was passed transferring the telephone franchise from O. N. Parker to C. A. Walker.

### BOULEVARD FOURTH STREET.

#### Steps Taken by Fourth Street Residents To Improve the City Streets.

Petition Presented to The Council and Granted—Cost Will Be \$18 a Lot.

Brainerd is unquestionably one of the best towns in the state of Minnesota, and one of the finest places of residence in the state—or would be, were had decent streets, and is one of the unexplained mysteries why something has not been done in the past to improve the city through its streets. For years people apparently have waded through seas of sand and have patiently borne the sand storms that prevail when the wind blows a little strong, until it seemed as if nothing could arouse them into an effort to at least partially abate such an nuisance. However, we are glad to note that the residents of 4th street north have finally awoken, and an effort, which undoubtedly will prove successful, is now being made to improve that street.

A subscription paper was at first circulated, which was signed by nearly all the residents on the street, pledging support to a scheme to improve the street, which contemplated the making of a 36 foot driveway and a boulevard on either side 29 feet wide. The driveway to be made of six inches of gravel covered with oak curbing 42 1/2 inches on either side. It was later discovered that the most feasible and legal way was to petition the council to make the improvement as provided by the city charter, and a petition was presented to the council on Monday signed by a large majority of the residents, asking that the desired improvements be made. The council promptly and without a dissenting vote passed an ordinance establishing a 30 foot driveway and boulevard on this street, and adopted a resolution ordering the improvement. The city clerk was instructed to survey the street and make an estimate of the cost of the improvements as set forth, to report at the next meeting, which will do the work will be advertised for. The improvement will extend the entire length of 4th street from Main to Bluff avenue. The cost will not exceed \$18 a lot.

M. K. Swart was present at the council meeting and agreed to give a bond to make the improvement at once given above.

This is a move in the right direction. With our good street in town, we have no doubt residents on other streets will see the benefit, and work for improvement on their streets until all in town are improved.

**SILK WORMS AT VOUE.**  
Novel and Interesting Show Window Display by Henry I. Cohen.

Henry I. Cohen, the enterprising Frost street merchant, is having a special sale of silk this week, and with his usual push and forethought hit upon a novel scheme of advertising his silk sales. He secured from Peoria, Ill., 500 silk worms, which he has on exhibition in his show window. These worms were imported by the Peoria man from France, the seat of the greatest silk industries in the world. These worms are at that stage of their existence when they enclose themselves in cocoons, which they fill with fine delicate strands of silk, the process being carried on in the window before the eyes of observers. After being confined in the cocoons for a period the worm is destroyed and the silk is removed upon reeling machines being used for this purpose, and from these strands all silks are manufactured. The worms feed on mulberry leaves, which is secured, can be obtained in the city, quite a few trees growing on the north side. The worms are propagated by leaving them in the cocoons until the latter bursts, when a moth emerges, which lays eggs, producing the worms.

This is a very novel and interesting sight, and Mr. Cohen's window is constantly surrounded by a crowd of curious observers.

### Important Sale

This and All Next Week.

### SPECIAL RIBBON SALE.

50 pieces fancy all Silk Ribbons in all the newest designs, numbers 50-60 and 60; every yard would be a bargain at 50c and 75c. Your choice only..... 25c

Another Lot All Silk Ribbons in plain satin and fancies. Your choice only..... 10c

### Clothing Sale.

We have just received over 100 men's suits consisting of the finest all wool worsteds in all the newest up-to-date patterns and shades in summer weights. If you appreciate fine goods come and look these over. We guarantee to save you from \$2 to \$8 on every suit in the house. NEVER buy clothing until you see what we can do for you.

### Boys' Suits.

We have two tables full of boys suits to close at prices that will surprise everybody. Fine all wool suits from \$1.50. Boys' good wearing suits from 50c up.

### Pants Sale.

Lot men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Pants, to close..... 95c  
Lot men's all wool \$2.25 Pants, to close..... \$1.25  
10 dozen men's heavy Blue Overalls, cheap new at 75c, this sale..... 50c

### Special Shoe Sale.

100 pair men's Fine Cloth Top Shoes in black and tan; also medium heavy every day shoes, not one pair in the lot worth less than \$2.00, this sale..... \$1.50 only.

50 pair men's and boys' Kangaroo Cut Shoes, all sizes 6 and 6 1/2, this sale..... \$1.50 only.

Lot men's \$2.00 and \$4.00 Fine Shoes representing best lines, this sale..... \$2.50 only.

Lot infants Kid moccasins 19c only.

Lot infants soft sole shoes 25c only.

Lot more of these ladies \$3.50 shoes finest kid..... \$1.75 only.

### We Are Showing

A fine line of Wash Goods very Cheap.

### On Exhibition

now a very good line of Ladies Ready Made Skirts, Wrappers, Shirt Waists, Ladies Socks etc.

### Our June Sales

Will furnish ample proof of our ability to undersell. We know your patronage because prices in every instance means money saved.

### A. E. MOBERG

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes,  
32 and 34 Front St., Brainerd, Minn.

Special Dispatch

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 7.—The transport service will be taken from the war department.

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An international conference on Morocco has been suggested.

The New York Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro says that the epidemic 'measles' which have been adopted by the health authorities is spreading in that city.

The Norwegian exhibiting has voted credit to the amount of one million kroner for new quick-firing field guns.

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BOERS IN PRETORIA

PRETORIA, CAPITAL OF THE TRANSVAAL.

Boers Were Driven From Nearly All Their Positions and Retreated to Pretoria.

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# CONGRESS

Review of the Week's Proceedings

**The House.**—The program of the leaders of the house yesterday contemplated the launching of the debate upon the anti-trust resolution and bill, but there was a strong undercurrent in favor of adjournment on account of Decoration day. Mr. Dabell, who presented the special order under which the house was to operate, in deference to this sentiment, withdrew it in order that the 100 pension bills might be passed. After they had been passed, as a further mark of respect, the house adjourned. The Chinese commission bill which was under consideration several weeks ago has gone back to the calendar, the motion to strike out the enacting clause having been defeated.

**Washington, June 5.**—The house yesterday, under a special order, adopted after an exceedingly hot debate, in which the leaders on both sides charged the other with playing to the political galleries, entered upon the consideration of the resolution proposed from the judiciary committee providing a constitutional amendment to judge in congress the power to designate monopolies or combinations. Under the present constitution, a bill with a night session last night, was passed, and it is expected that it will be taken up this morning, and will be reported to the house Saturday.

**The Senate.**—At the conclusion of a session lasting eight hours the senate yesterday afternoon passed the steady civil appropriation bill which had been under consideration for nearly a week. The amendment providing for the appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the Louisiana purchase expedition, which was in the bill, was defeated. The bill, which was incorporated in the appropriation bill, was passed by the senate yesterday afternoon. The bill was passed by the senate yesterday afternoon.

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**The Present Act.**—It is urged as to include the agents, officers or attorneys of corporations. For purposes of commerce, it declares illegal all corporations or associations formed or carrying on business for purposes declared illegal by the common law, provided that they may be perpetually enjoined from carrying on interstate commerce, and forbids them the use of the United States mails. It provides for the production of records and papers and confers jurisdiction upon United States circuit and district courts for the trial of causes under it, and authorizes any person, firm, corporation or association to begin and prosecute proceedings under it.

**The Senate.**—Washington, June 5.—Congress is in the last gasps of the long session, and its expiration appears to be quite perfect. Unless something extraordinary occurs, no further general legislation of national importance will be enacted before final adjournment. The senate was in session more than ten hours yesterday, nearly four hours of which was spent in executive session. The only feature of the day session was the speech by Mr. Teller of Colorado on the Philippines question, and the one by Mr. Pettigrew of the advocacy of the anti-trust bill passed by the house last Saturday. Last night a picturesque session was held, a sort of social session, in which many senators appeared in full dress, and the galleries were thronged by a fully attired crowd of spectators. Mr. Pettigrew delisted at length to the speech of Mr. Spooner of Wisconsin on the Philippines, but did not conclude his remarks. The remainder of the session was confined to the consideration of conference reports and to passing minor measures on the calendar.

**The House.**—The house yesterday agreed to the senate amendment to the steady civil bill appropriating \$5,000,000 to the Louisiana purchase expedition at St. Louis. There was not a shadow of doubt of concurrence on the amendment. It was a 60-40 vote, when the amendment came up, and owing to the illness of the speaker, the vote was 59-41. The amendment was passed by a vote of 59-41.

**In Minnesota.**—A deadlock prevails in the lumber trade at Duluth. Hallock will have a new school building costing \$25,000. William Lindstrom of East Grand Forks, succeeded by hanging. Michael McCarthy, a pioneer of Rock county, is dead at Liverpool. Albert Lee has replaced street cars with an automobile service. A salmon at Vista, near Lambertson, was humped and 80 scores. Six more lumber boats have been placed in commission at Duluth. F. J. Holman was sentenced out of \$70 by commissioner in St. Paul. Bookings of Hemlock dynamite. Klinton county crops are looking very well, despite the long drought. J. P. Falk, a farmer near Astor, sues for some unknown reason. R. L. Gale has been appointed receiver of the St. Cloud waterworks. Mrs. Catherine Smith, of St. Cloud, was seriously injured in a runaway. The New Tim Thurner will build a model opera house, to cost \$200,000. Daniel Hagerney, a St. Cloud burglar, has been sentenced to reform. Frank McCarthy has been sentenced to reform for the murder of Leonard Russell. The state of Minnesota has had an arm by the premature explosion of dynamite. The state of George C. Miles of 1906. The state of George C. Miles of 1906. The state of George C. Miles of 1906.

**That's Nerve Poverty**



You're not feeling just right this spring, are you? Somehow, you haven't your old-time strength, cannot take hold of things with your usual push and energy. You just drag around, fairly well one day, not so well the next. You are wretched, disconsolate, discouraged; you are miserable.

## That's Nerve Poverty

To be rich in nerve power you should take a good spring medicine, something that will give you pure and rich blood. A perfect Sarsaparilla will do this every time; not a cheap Sarsaparilla, not one that promises you a great deal of bulk for your money; but a highly concentrated Sarsaparilla, one that has more cure in it than any other Sarsaparilla in the world.

## That's AYER'S

"The only Sarsaparilla made under the personal supervision of three graduates: a graduate in pharmacy, a graduate in chemistry, and a graduate in medicine."

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

For thirty-five years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla. There are many other kinds on the market, but I have great faith in that word "Ayer's."—N. Moxness, St. Anthony, Iowa.

**Millions in Tips.**—It has been calculated that the American travelers this year will spend over \$50,000,000 in tips alone. Most of them will do it gratuitously, because of all the petty blackmail of our advanced civilization these gratuities are the most and most provoking. At the same time, if one is traveling and wishes to get along comfortably he must first cut the tidbits on every hand. If you should want to know the depth of human misery simply decline to give any for at all while taking a trip across the Atlantic ocean. The tip may cost you, but it will let him kiss you under the whole interior. On the other side of course, if you do not pay the tips you will simply be asked for them just as you would your street car fare. It is pretty hard, but there is no escape from it—starvation greasing feet. The selfish man accuses fortune of being blind. Cash deferred maketh the heart deceitful.

## BILE BLOAT



Puffs under the eyes, red nose, pimply-bloated, greasy face don't mean hard drinking always as much as it shows that there is BILE IN THE BLOOD. It is true, drinking and over-eating overloads the stomach, but failure to assist nature in regularly disposing of the partially digested lumps of food that are dumped into the bowels and allowed to rot there, is what causes all the trouble. CASCARETS will help nature help you, and will keep the system from filling with poisons, will clean out the scores that tell of the system's rottenness. Bloating by bile the figure becomes unshapely, the breath foul, eyes and skin yellow; in fact the whole body kind of fills up with filth. Every time you neglect to help nature you lay the foundation for just such troubles. CASCARETS will carry the poisons out of the system and will regulate a week and help the liver clean up the bowels and you will feel right, your blood will be rich, your face clean, eyes bright. Get a 10c box of CASCARETS, take as directed. If you are not cured or satisfied you get your money back. Bile bloated quickly and permanently

**CURED BY**  
**Candy Cathartic**  
**BEST FOR THE BOWELS**  
ALL DRUGGISTS  
10c, 25c, 50c.  
To say steady motion suffering from bowels, uric acid and the poise to buy CASCARETS we will send a box free. Address: Suring Remedy Company, Chicago or New York, mentioning advertisement and page.



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Official Paper of Crow Wing County.

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Legal Rates for Local Routes.

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Ten Pages.

Republican County Convention.

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the Meeting of the Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners.

Meeting Held June 6th, 1900.

Board met at 10 o'clock a. m., all members being present.

Moved and duly carried, that the organization of school district No. 54 be reconsidered, and auditor directed to notify clerks of districts Nos. 3, 4 and 23, from the territory of which said new proposed district is to be formed, that a hearing will be had at the commissioners' meeting in July.

On motion duly carried, the time for hearing on a petition for the establishing of a new school district, to be composed of territory in Atkin county, and to embrace Sections 24, 25 and 30, Town 47, Range 26, Crow Wing county, was set at the regular meeting of the board in July.

The application of F. H. Bradford for license, business to be conducted on lot 5, Sec. 8, Town 46, Range 26, was read. Mr. Bradford desiring a continuance for the hearing on said application until the July meeting of the board. Two remonstrances, aggregating 166 signers against the granting of said license was read, and on a vote by ayes and nays on said application all members voted aye.

A petition for the formation of a new school district to embrace Sections 1 to 12, 17 and 18, Town 136, Range 25, and Sections 33, 34, 35 and 36, Town 137, Range 25, was read and a hearing on same set for the July meeting of the board.

On motion duly carried, an appropriation from the road and bridge fund was made in favor of H. E. Kimball for balance of work on approach and boom sticks at new Pine River bridge.

Moved and duly carried, that a remonstrance against the proposed road and bridge fund be made in favor of Madison Brothers, being amount paid on application for tax deed on land the taxes on which were unrepresented by judgment.

On motion duly carried, an appropriation of \$15.00 from the road and bridge fund was made in favor of John Franz for money paid for road scraper.

On motion duly carried, the valuation on part of block 14, second addition to the town of Brainerd, was recommended to be reduced to \$15 per acre.

Moved and carried, to reconsider and place valuation of said tract at \$25.00 per acre.

Moved and duly carried, to allow a refunding order for \$1.90 in favor of Wilhelm Koerke for amount of personal taxes paid in error.

On motion duly carried, chairman appointed Commissioner Cale a committee of one to arrange for the putting in of electric lights in auditor's office.

The following bills were allowed: Geo. S. McCulloch, overseer poor farm, May, \$50.00

Fred Allison, laborer poor farm, May, \$25.00

Geo. S. McCulloch, amount paid for grinding feed and repairs scraper, poor farm, \$9.65

Wm. Durham, work at poor farm, \$8.00

P. E. Walte, boom chains, Pine River bridge, \$13.00

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W. A. M. Johnston, personal tax warrants, \$18.00

Geo. Britton, shade trees for court house grounds, \$7.00

C. A. Walker, telephone rental, May, \$3.00

H. J. Spencer, making mortgage list, \$15.00

John T. Foster, expressage, drayage and postage, \$18.00

Henry J. Cohen, supplies poor farm, \$9.00

J. L. Frederick, extracting teeth county prisoners, \$2.00

The Arena, printing tax warrants, \$3.00

O. P. Erickson, boarding prisoners, May, \$23.37

R. R. Guthrie, painting at poor farm, \$100.70

Rhodes & Paine, repairing wagons poor farm, \$15.00

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., stationery, \$28.75

Press Printing Co., \$24.60

Slipp Bros., road scraper and horse shoe farm, \$19.00

Brown, Tracy & Co., stationery, \$11.40

Pioneer Press Co., blanks, books and stationery, \$12.88

D. D. Smith, supplies poor farm, \$2.25

F. Durbach, rock for Buffalo creek culvert, \$5.00

D. Archibald, per diem and mileage, three commissioner meetings, \$19.00

F. M. Driver, per diem and mileage, three commissioner meetings, \$17.40

N. M. Paine, per diem and mileage, three commissioner meetings, \$9.00

J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage, three commissioner meetings, \$9.00

L. J. Cale, per diem and mileage, one commissioner meeting, \$3.20

J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage, viewing roads and bridges, \$22.00

N. M. Paine, per diem and mileage, viewing roads and bridges, \$22.00

D. Archibald, per diem and mileage, viewing roads and bridges, \$15.00

J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage, looking bridge across Noyak Sebse river, \$3.60

N. M. Paine, per diem and mileage, looking bridge across Noyak Sebse river, \$4.00

F. M. Driver, per diem and mileage, looking bridge across Noyak Sebse river, \$4.00

Board adjourned till regular meeting, Monday, July 9th.

A. MAHLER, County Auditor.

Table with columns for various items and amounts, including 'Pioneer Press Co.', 'D. D. Smith', 'F. Durbach', etc.

SALE OF State Lands

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Land Office.

Notice is hereby given that the following lands...

Table listing land parcels with columns for Township, Range, Section, and Acres.

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R. F. WALTERS. A GREAT SOURCE of attraction is a pretty foot handsoomly encased in neat and shapely shoes, which helps to give a graceful carriage in walking. Light and shapely shoes are twins to dancing, that poetry of motion which is woman's chiefest charm. In the beautiful class our shoes holds the foot indisputably. Figure? Dainty as the shoe.

Burlington Route. ALL UNDER ONE ROOF. On the Burlington's Chicago and St. Louis Limited, you can dine as well as at the finest hotel in America. You can dine in a dining car; smoke in a smoking car; read in a library car; sleep in a compartment or standard sleeping car; and recline in a reclining chair. All under one roof. Electric lighted and steam heated. Leave Minneapolis 7:20 p. m., St. Paul 8:30 a. m., arriving Chicago 9:25 next morning. The "Scenic" Express, an elegant day train, leaves Minneapolis 7:00 a. m., St. Paul 8:15 a. m., except Sunday. Ask your home agent for tickets via this route or write to nearest agent.

WESTBURY TRAVELING DINING CAR. W. D. MCKAY AGT. CHAS. E. FAY, P. A. PULLMAN FIRST-CLASS AND TOURIST SLEEPING CAR.

PUBLIC SALE OF GRASS On State Lands.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1900, at 9 o'clock p. m., will be held at Public Sale for Cash, the right to cut hay on the State Lands in the following Township...

Notice is hereby given that the following lands... Notice of Final Proof.

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 Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 1, 1900.

**Ten Pages.**

**ROWLEY GETS THE CONTRACT**

For Building The Addition To The Lincoln School—J. J. Murphy Does The Plumbing.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Education Held on Monday Evening.

A regular meeting of the board of education was held on Monday evening, at which a great deal of important business was transacted. C. B. Rowley was awarded the contract for building the addition to the Lincoln school for \$9,144, and F. J. Murphy got the contract for putting in the steam heating plant, including out the old hot air system for \$1,400, both being the lowest bid. The following were the proceedings of the board:

Supt. Hartley submitted his monthly report, which showed a total registration of pupils of 1,910, and a daily attendance of 1,792. The text book clerk submitted a report showing books to the value of \$1,165.75 on hand. The treasurer's statement for the quarter ending May 31st, was as follows:

**RECEIPTS.**

Mch 7 Loan N. P. Bank	\$3,000 00
Sale text books	82 70
April 2 " " and iron	47 84
" 5 County treasurer	1,302 41
" 26 Loan N. P. Bank	1,200 00
May 8 Loan N. P. Bank	1,200 00
Sale text books	29 45
" 24 J. R. Smith, ins.	1 63
premium returned	1 00
" 26 Loan N. P. Bank	2,700 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$21,061 19</b>

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

Overdraft N. P. Bank	8 39
Paid on sinking fund	548 65
Paid loans at N. P. Bank	9,200 00
Paid interest	168 00
N. W. Harris & Co. Int.	1,200 00
boards	247 73
Paid for salaries	8,540 82
" printing	41 87
" rents	36 00
" water	59 00
" repairs	38 25
" fuel	816 15
" telephone	22 50
" miscellaneous	66 25
Balance on hand	49 17
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$21,061 19</b>

The janitors reported fuel used and on hand as follows:

P. B. Carter, Lowell school, fuel used 166 cords wood, on hand 12 cords.

A. B. Anderson, Lincoln school, fuel used 68 cords.

A. B. Anderson, Gardner building, used 11 cords.

The teacher's committee reported that Miss Fannie S. Newman had been engaged as Latin teacher at \$65 per month.

The finance committee was authorized to negotiate a loan to cover current bills.

The committee on insurance reported they had taken out a policy of \$500 on the old building in Hayes' addition.

A number of claims against the board were then audited and allowed.

The matter of putting in electric lights in the Washington building was referred to the building committee.

Bids for building the addition to the Lincoln building were opened as follows:

C. B. Rowley	\$9,144 00
A. Everett	9,200 00

Mr. Rowley's bid being lowest was, on motion, accepted, and a contract with Mr. Rowley was ordered made, requiring him to have building completed ready for use the morning of Sept. 4, 1900, and that he furnish a bond of \$10,000 for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids for steam heating were submitted as follows:

F. H. Gruenhagen	\$1,377.85
F. J. Murphy	1,493.00

# L. M. KOOP'S

## GREAT

# SACRIFICE REMOVAL SALE!

After August 1st we will occupy in addition to our present mammoth store, the large store of Koop Bros. grocery, with entirely new lines of Clothing, Shoes and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Here is an OPPORTUNITY of a life time to buy clean up-to-date, seasonable Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishing Goods at prices never thought or heard of by the people of the Northwest. We mean to convert into cash every dollar's worth of Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods and Shoes before August 1st, at prices below the cost of making. COME NOW while our stock is complete in every Department. It will pay you to come from far and near to attend this great sale.

<b>Men's Clothing.</b>	<b>Young men's Long Pant Suits, 14 to 19 years.</b>	<b>Boys Knee Pant Suits, 8 to 16 years.</b>	<b>Children's 3-piece Reefer Suits 3 to 8 years.</b>
\$12, \$13, \$15 and \$14 suits to close at, per suit.....	\$8.50 Navy gilette worsted D. B. Suits to close at, per suit.....	\$2.00 dark grey Cassimere suits to close at.....	\$1.50 and \$1.75 Striped worsted to close at, per suit.....
\$8, \$9.50 and \$10 suits to close at, per suit.....	\$5 Light and Dark Cassimere suits to close at, per suit.....	\$2.50 striped and checked worsted and Cassimeres.....	\$2.25 Grey Cassimere suits to close at, per suit.....
\$7, \$7.50 and \$8.00 suits to close at, per suit.....	\$6.50 and \$7.00 Tweed Cassimere and worsted suits in all colors to close at, per suit.....	\$3.00 dark blue and black Chevotta to close at, per suit, only.....	\$2.50 Dark Tweed suits to close at, per suit.....
\$5.00 and \$7.00 suits to close at, per suit.....	\$5.00 Cassimere and worsted suits in all colors to close at, per suit.....	\$2.50 Dark Tweeds and fancy worsteds, to close at, per suit, only.....	\$3.00 Tweed, Cassimere and worsted suits, to close at.....

**BARAINS!** Remember that the prices on our goods are always from 25 to 33 1/3 per cent lower than our competitors, and now with the extra large discount we are giving means a saving of many dollars on your purchases at our store

## In Our Immense Furnishing Goods Department.

<b>Men's Shirts.</b>	<b>Men's Underwear.</b>	<b>Men's Neckwear.</b>	<b>Men's &amp; Boys Hats.</b>
75 cents Silk front shirts to close at.....	A good 25 cent garment to close at.....	50 cent Teck ties to close at.....	\$2.00 Fedoras in black, brown, pearl cedar and Otter, made especially for our own use, to close.....
70 cents fancy striped Fensale shirts to close at.....	35c blue ribbed underwear to close at, per garment.....	50 cent four-in-hand ties, to close.....	Our special \$1.50 hats in Greason, Fedoras and Crushers, all colors to close at.....
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Madras and Percule shirts to close at.....	50c French Ballingreen underwear, per garment.....	25 cent Teck ties to close at.....	
15 cent gait shirts to close at.....	We have a full line of men's fine wool underwear. Now is the time to supply your wants for next winter.....	25 cent Bow and String ties to close at.....	Straw Goods at about half price.

The Famous \$3.00 Queen Quality Shoes for women to close at.... \$2.48.

Space will not permit us to quote prices on more shoes or more goods. The prices on goods offered at this Great Removal Sale will be impressed on your mind for many months to come. Do not say, "I'll come tomorrow," for it may be just one day too late to get what you want. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS, we have plenty of help to wait on you, come and be convinced that we do exactly what we say.

# L. M. KOOP,

KOOP BLOCK, FRONT STREET. BRAINERD, MINN.

Mr. Murphy was awarded the contract, on condition that he furnish a sufficient bond for the faithful performance of his contract.

**Board's Journeymen.**

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. Further information from nearest ticket agent. Jas. C. Pond, G. P. A. Milwaukee, Wis.

**A Wealth of Beauty**

Is often hidden by unsightly Pimples, Eczema, Tetter, Erythema, Salt Rheum, etc. Booklin's Astringent Salve will glorify the face by curing all Skin Eruptions, also Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Bolls, Felons, Ulcers and worst forms of Piles. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists.

Mill wood for sale by P. J. Arnold. Telephone call 42-2.


**Glorious News**

Comes from Dr. D. B. Gargis, of Washington, I. T. He writes: "Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help, but now her health is excellent." Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. Guaranteed.

How strange notions for one so young, a substitute to think that thou art the same as Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co. 35c. For sale at McFadden Drug Co.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontometer. at Dr. Ribbel's.

**Farmers Know**



The quality of barley used in making

## HAMM'S BEER

None but the best could make so good a brew. Supplied by agents everywhere. THE HAMM BREWING CO., St. Paul, Minn.

**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 small job, and don't be afraid I can't do a good one.

**F. J. MURPHY,**  
 Laurel Street,  
 Between Sixth & Seventh













