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FRESH AND SALT FISH

A Specialty at the

CITY MEAT MARKET.

Bloated Mackerel and K K K Fat Norway Herring now on Sale. Fresh Superior Herring Received Daily.

If you want Fish of any kind give us a Call. Also Fine Mince Meat for Christmas. Lake Park Dairy Butter. and Choice Kansas City Beef. E. C. BANE, Prop.

ANDERSON TAX LAW KNOWN OUT

U. S. Supreme Court rendered a Decision to this Effect on Monday.

It Means a Loss of \$25,000 to Crow Wing County on Back Taxes on N. P. and St. P. & D. Lands.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The United States supreme court has reversed the decision of the Minnesota supreme court on the validity and constitutionality of the Anderson railroad land tax law.

The decision reached, while remanding the case back to the district court of Alton county, Minnesota, is a virtual defeat of the state and a victory for the Northern Pacific and the St. Paul & Duluth and their subsidiary lines.

The Great Northern road and its subsidiaries, however, are not included, and so far as can be ascertained at this writing, may comply with the provisions of the Anderson law.

Associate Justice Brewer rendered the decision in an elaborate review of the case, holding the act to be deficient as related to the Northern Pacific and St. Paul and Duluth, on the ground that these roads complied with all legislation published by state, and have fulfilled all requirements. The taxation of a land tax covered by the gross earnings tax law paid.

While the court was unanimous in its general conclusions, Associate Justice Brown, for Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Peckham and McKenna, filed dissenting opinions on the construction of a portion of the law.

The Great Northern is not exempt on the ground that it has not met the requirements of prior acts of the legislature. David Kellogg & Severance of St. Paul, Britton & Gray and Carlo Brown, of Washburn, represented the Northern Pacific and St. Paul & Duluth. Mr. Brown said this afternoon that he considered the opinion as a virtual settlement of the case so far as these roads are concerned.

The decision of the court means a loss of between \$25,000 and \$30,000 in back taxes to Crow Wing county on lands of the Northern Pacific and St. Paul & Duluth situated in this county. It will make but little difference in the future, as the N. P. has disposed of all its lands to a private corporation, but the St. Paul & Duluth lands amounting to about 20,000 acres will be exempt in the future.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

John Huber Burns the Loss of His Farm Last Friday.

The fine large basement barn on John Huber's place several miles up the river was totally destroyed by fire last Friday night, together with several hundred bushels of oats and a large quantity of hay. The stock in the basement stable was gotten out without loss. The loss on the building is about \$1,000, on which there was \$200 insurance.

Are You Thinking?

Of course you do not know what to buy that young man or woman for Xmas. Let me advise you. Buy a scholarship in The International Correspondence schools of Scranton, Pa. 76 different courses of study. Prizes low, payments easy.

Henry E. W. Snow, Local Representative. Office in Y. M. C. A. Building.

WILL LEAVE BRAINERD.

Rev. G. W. Gallagher, of the First Congregational Church, Will Accept a Call to a Larger Field.

We learn that Rev. G. W. Gallagher has received a unanimous call to the First Congregational church of Lockport, New York. The church in the county town of Niagara county, Lockport is a city of twenty-eight thousand people, seventeen miles from Niagara Falls, and twenty-two from Buffalo. It is a thriving, prosperous city, handsomely built. Mr. Gallagher has been in Brainerd for three years and six months. He has been universally admired here. His bright pen, his fine mind, his social play have won him the hearts of the Brainerd people. His church here has prospered under his splendid preaching and successful methods. He has strictly minded his own business as a preacher of the Gospel, and great blessings have attended his labors. The DISPATCH wishes him success in Lockport. Mr. Gallagher will preach every Sunday morning and evening, while he remains in Brainerd, which will be through the month of December.

CHURCH FAIR AND SUPPER.

Congregational Ladies Will Hold Their Annual Fair at Gardner Hall Next Week.

The annual fair and supper of the ladies of the congregational church will be held at Gardner Hall next Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 12th and 13th. The hall will be nicely decorated and booths for the sale of different articles will be installed. There will be a candy booth, an ice cream booth, a handkerchief booth, and separate booths for the sale of fancy and domestic articles and cut flowers. A supper booth, in which a supper such as only the ladies of this church know how to prepare, will be served each evening. Various other features and attractions for the entertainment of guests will be provided. It is the intention of the ladies to make this the most attractive fair yet held. Don't fail to attend and procure a fine piece of fancy work for a Christmas present.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church was held on Tuesday afternoon. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll. Vice President—Mrs. F. W. Wieland. Secretary—Mrs. G. A. Keene. Treasurer—Mrs. L. M. Pollett.

A Stab in Watches.

From November 25th until December 25th I will make a special sale on watches. I will sell a gentleman's hunting case containing Eight 17 jewel, B. W. Raymond grade movement for \$22.85, or a 20-year open face case and same fine movement for \$11.85. This watch is just as represented and warranted to give entire satisfaction. This is an unheard of bargain.

E. S. HORROUGS, Jeweler and Optician.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

New Superintendent of Electric Lights Elected—Petition Received to Vacate a Portion of Bluff Avenue.

The city council held a regular meeting on Monday evening. The reports of the clerk of the municipal court, chief of police and fire department were read and accepted. The clerk's report showed fines collected to be \$223, and electric light collections were \$130.00. Claims against the city aggregating, nearly \$2000 were allowed.

E. H. Kunderling's bill for moving out of the power house and back again was quietly laid on the table. Alderman Fogelstam thought the chief of police ought to give \$800 bonds and the matter was referred to the city attorney.

A communication was received from the postmaster asking that street signs be placed on the 17th numbered preparatory to installing a free delivery system. On motion a committee of three composed of Aldermen Gardner, Halliday and Rowley was appointed to act in conjunction with the mayor to comply with the request.

A petition was read asking that Bluff avenue be vacated in front of St. Joseph's hospital, and the matter was referred to a committee of three composed of Aldermen Wright, Keop and Doran, to report at the next meeting of the council. It seems the Benedictine Sisters, who now own and operate the hospital, desire to erect a fine new hospital building and they now have not sufficient room to do so. They have secured an option on the lots across the street, and if the street is vacated the land in the street reverts to the owners of the abutting property, which will be the association. This will give the sisters ample room to build a building as large as desired. The petition was signed by many of the adjoining property owners. Judge Mantor, as attorney for the city, addressed the council in support of the petition.

J. H. Hallist asked that the council require all wood sold in the city to be measured by a person appointed for that purpose, but the council evidently did not think the scheme feasible as a motion to take no action was adopted.

A proposition from the Dannel Manufacturing company was read offering to exchange a No. 2 cruser, a much heavier machine, for the one the city now has, as an additional inducement. This for the additional statements were filed during the week:

J. W. Sipp \$84 50
A. Wilson 52 50
Peter Peterson 14 50
Jerome Kuller 82 50
D. Doran 7 50
M. Remmel 75 00
M. Mathum 85 00
Judd Wright 7 25
S. P. Alderman 60 85
E. H. Whitley 25 00
M. F. Driver 25 00

Change Holland filed his statement yesterday. The judge expended \$35.00, the items being: Filing certificate \$20; postage stamps \$170; H. C. Silvers for printing \$30; The Seanda, Duluth, for printing \$10; envelopes \$10; Misses Orton, Little and Downs, Superior, addressing envelopes \$10; challenges \$rd, 4th and 5th weeks \$25.

P. M. Lagerquist filed a sworn statement that he had received and expended as treasurer of the republican county committee \$475. The expenses consisted of printing, livery hire, expense of speakers, halls, hotels, etc.

November Settlement. The county auditor and treasurer have just completed the November settlement, when \$34,362.85, the tax collections since July first, was divided among the various funds. Out of this amount the city got \$4,011.91, and the board of education \$7,787.07. The state's share was only \$272.10. On November 1st there was something over \$25,000 in the general county fund, over \$14,000 in the interest fund, and the poor fund was \$4,000 to the good.

BRAINERD'S POPULATION IS 7,524.

The Population of Minnesota Towns Containing Over 2,000 Announced.

Last Friday the census office made public a bulletin announcing the population of all towns in Minnesota containing over 20,000 inhabitants. This bulletin gives the population of Brainerd as 7,524, which is somewhat of a disappointment, as it was confidently expected that the amount would not be less than 8,000. However, the count was made before the building of the new shops was begun, when scores of houses stood empty. Now all are filled, and there is no doubt Brainerd now has the 8,000 and possibly more.

Brainerd's population in 1890 was 3,708, a gain in 10 years of 1,821, or 32 per cent, which is above the average gain of the country.

The population of other towns in this vicinity is, Little Falls, 5,774, a gain of more than 100 per cent; St. Cloud, 8,662, a gain of 97, or only 11 per cent; Bemidji, 2,183, Anoka 5,789; Fergus Falls, 6,072; Crookston 6,369, and Sauk Centre 2,200.

DROPPED DEAD ON THE STREET.

Axel Ross, a Pequot Resident, Unexpectedly Shuffles Off This Mortal Coil.

Axel Ross, a farmer living near Pequot, Minn., arrived in the city on Monday noon on the B. & N. M. passenger. He inquired his way to St. Joseph's Hospital, but before he had proceeded on his way a hundred feet he fell to the ground. The numerous bystanders went to his aid, but it was evident at a glance that the man was in a precarious condition. He was placed on a dray and taken to the hospital, but death ensued before the hospital was reached. Dr. Reinestad, the coroner, was summoned and decided no inquest was necessary. A post-mortem examination by the coroner and Dr. Batchelor revealed the fact that death was due to valvular disease of the heart.

Deceased was 40 years of age and unmarried. His remains were taken to Clark's morgue, where they are now being held to await the action of friends as to the place of burial.

Electric Expenses.

Yesterday was the last day under the law requiring candidates to file a sworn statement of their election expenses with the county auditor. Some have neglected to do so, and their offense is punishable by a fine if proceedings are instituted against them. This for the additional statements were filed during the week:

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SALE OF SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE

At Prices that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. Xmas shopping should commence next week.



Hosiery Sale.

25 dozen misses' and children's good black wool hose, seamless, 19c only. 25 dozen misses' and children's fine black all wool hose, cheap at 40 cents, your choice now, 25c. Ladies' heavy black wool hose, only 25c.

To Test This Advertisement

We will give to every customer that will cut out and bring this advertisement to us one pair of men's extra heavy all wool sock, the best double stocking ever sold, for just 25c one-half price, only 25c.

Men's, Ladies' and Misses' Shoes.

We still have about 300 pairs of Ladies', Men's and Misses' good shoes, to close at only 98c. 50 pair ladies' good felt warm shoes, cheap at \$1.00 your choice to 98c. 100 pair men's fine shoes, including Kangaroo, Calif. Cordovan, Vici, Kid, etc., every pair would be a bargain at \$3.00, your choice \$1.95 only.

Sale of Rubbers.

100 pairs ladies' and boys' rubbers, only 39c. 100 pairs men's rubbers, best quality, only 35c.

Overcoat Sale.

Remember we are now in any town neither did we buy our overcoat of any kind. We will sell them on credit but we will make prices for cash that will demonstrate to you that we must sell them and that you ought to buy. We can positively save you 25 per cent at least.

Men's and Boys' Suits.

100 men's good winter suits, value only, for \$4.95 only \$3.95. 75 boys' good winter suits, to close, way below prices. Our suit prices all through are very interesting.

Pant Sale.

10 dozen boys' good knee pants, worth up to 25 cents, sale price, only 15c. 5 dozen men's goods all wool pants, \$2.00, sale price, \$1.50.

Gloves and Mittens.

15 dozen men's sheep skin gloves, only 15c. 15c. men's heavy good mittens, only 25c. 5 dozen men's heavy lined gloves and mittens, cheap at 70c, only 50c.

Blankets and Quilts.

5 dozen heavy quilts, full size, cotton batting filling, \$1.25. 1 dozen heavy quilts, extra full size, \$1.48. 65 pair good 10-4 blankets, special price, per pair, 75c. 25 pairs good 10-4 fine grey wool blankets, special price, \$2.50 per pair, only 1.95. 25 pairs good 10-4 and 11-4 extra heavy wool blankets, \$6.00, special price, only \$3.95.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Lot ladies' floored lined shirt waists, cheap at \$1.50, only 75c. Lot ladies' floored lined fancy shirt waists, worth up to \$1.50, only 98c. Lot ladies' fine wool French made silk embroidered shirt waists, worth up to \$6.00, only \$3.95. Lot ladies' beautiful apices trimmed, also English bourre jackets, worth up to \$15, to close at \$10.

Watch Our Special Sale For December.

A. E. MORBERG

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

E. S. HOUGHTON, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN, HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have placed on our shelves and counters a magnificent stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware and all other goods usually carried by a first class jewelry store, which we will sell at prices that will astonish you. Nothing makes a finer Christmas present than a fine watch or an article of jewelry or a fine piece of silverware, and these you can best obtain at our store. We carry a complete line in every department.

WATCHES



From now until Christmas, we offer exceptional bargains in watches. We will sell a Gent's 20 year hunting case, containing 17 jeweled Elgin B.W. Raymond grade, movement, for **\$22.85**

Also a 20 year open face and the same fine movement for \$21.85. All other watches, both ladies and gentlemen, at an equally low price. We have a stock comprising every grade and make.

SILVERWARE



We carry the finest line of Silverware in the city. Call and see it before buying your holiday goods.

Special Sale on Knives and Forks

Until December 25th, we will sell a set of Heger Bros. goods, 1847 make at a price per set..... **\$3.30**

This is a real bargain, don't fail to take advantage of it.



We have a magnificent assortment of Clocks. Nothing makes a finer Christmas present than a fine clock, and we have them in all styles and makes.

Cut Glass



A magnificent assortment of cut glass novelties for the holiday trade has just been received. If you are looking for something nice in this line at a fair price, call and examine our stock.

We also carry in stock every thing carried in a first-class jewelry store, including a fine line of silver novelties: Genuine Ebony Goods, Sterling Silver Berry Spoons, Pearl Handle Knives and Forks, gold pens and holders of every description, etc.

Christmas Presents for Everybody.

Jewelry

Our stock of Jewelry is complete and contains the finest goods in the city at the lowest prices. Everything in the line of jewelry carried in stock. Call and see our stock before purchasing.

Fine Souvenir Spoon given with every Purchase. Give us a call.

E. S. HOUGHTON, Dressen Building, SIXTH ST.

Board of Education Proceedings.
A regular meeting of the board of education was held on Monday evening. A large amount of routine work of an uninteresting character was transacted.
Miss Olive Knevit was granted a leave of absence from Jan. 7th until the end of the school year. Miss Knevit expects to finish a normal course during that period.
Geo. Keene, re-elected a member of the board from the second ward, qualified by taking the oath of office.
The superintendent's report was read and accepted. It shows an enrollment of 1,737, and a daily attendance of 1,623. The superintendent reported \$22.50 tuition collected from scholars residing out of the district. The treasurer submitted a report for the last quarter.
Committees were appointed by the president as follows:
Buildings, Grounds and Repairs: Preston, Johnson, Storm.
Fuel, Supplies and Printing: Mahlum, Fitz, Keene.
Teachers, Janitors and Salaries: Dickinson, Mahlum and Erickson.
Finance, Claims and Insurance: Fitz, Storm and Johnson.
Text Books, Course of Study and Library-Groves, Dickinson and Keene.
The matter of getting a bell for the mill school and repairing ventilation of Harrison and Washington schools was referred to building committee.
The superintendent was instructed to pass on paying tuition Joseph Johnson, and Maggie Oulien, whose parents reside at Staples, and Dora Herde, whose home is at Pine River, were also excused from paying tuition.
Mr. Keene was appointed a committee of one to investigate whether W. B. Clarke's children are entitled to free schooling in this district.
The secretary was instructed to advertise for 800 cords of green jack pine wood, bids to be received up to 6 o'clock p. m., Dec. 21st, and on motion it was ordered that the board hold a special meeting that evening to consider the bids.
A large number of claims against the board were audited and allowed.
D. M. Clark & Co. carry a complete line of Harness goods.

The Best Salve in The World
is Banner Salve. It is made from a prescription by a widely known skin specialist and positively is the most healing salve for piles, burns, scalds, rashes, running sores and all skin diseases. There is nothing so good. H. P. Dunn & Co. and McFadden Drug Co.

Woman love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

Many have lost confidence and hope as well as health, because they thought their kidney disease was incurable. Foley's Kidney Cure is a positive cure for the discouraged and disconsolate. Take no other. H. P. Dunn & Co. and McFadden Drug Co.

Art thou one of the many that has drained the Golden Nectar that makes both by heart full of strength and gladness? If not, take Rocky Mountain Tea.

Says He Was Tortured.
"I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Robinson, Hillsborough, Ill., "but Buckle's Avenic Salve completely cured them." Acts like magic on sprains, bruises, cuts, sores, scalds, burns, boils, sores. Perfect healer of skin diseases and piles. Cure guaranteed by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. 25c.

New mounts for oval photos, with hand painted holly sprays and greetings of the season. "To see is to possess." Call at 52-3 Marie A. Canan's 835 Toltel St.

Have you seen the \$35 toilet case in our window? We give you a ticket with each 25c purchase, which entitles you to a chance in the drawing to take place Dec. 24th. Yours truly, 49-4 McFadden Drug Co.

Do not forget that we make medals as ordered in either plain or tinted styles, at Marie A. Canan's. Power Wood Sawing, 40, 60 and 75 cents per cord. Telephone G. H. Wirtzschell.

E. S. Houghton, the jeweler is offering exceptional bargains in watches from now until Christmas. Don't fail to take advantage of his offer and secure a fine watch.
Sit for your photos now, and avoid the rush, at Marie A. Canan's.

Strength in Woman is Admired by Strong Men.
"Strength in woman is admired by a man always," writes Helen Waterson Moody in the December Ladies Home Journal. "Of course, I mean by the phrase a 'strong man' a man who has some experience of life. It occasionally happens that a very young man of real strength of character falls the victim in early life to the fascination of a clinging, sweet, inefficient creature, as David Copperfield did to his Dora. But the older and the stronger and the wiser a man is, the more he is sure to admire the deep strength of character in woman that springs from the large and easy ability to do things well." Bicycles rented at Hoffman's.

Food Changed To Poison.
Patently food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Pills expel the poison from clogged bowels, gently, easily but surely, curing Constipation, Billiousness, Sick Headache, Fevers, all Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. Only 25c at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

Excess, scald head, hives, itching of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

Bright eyes are in infallible index to youth and wisdom from which Cupid shoots his arrows. Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes.

Miss Bertie Robinson, teacher of instrumental music, residence on Kingwood, first door east of 6th street north.

The oldest installment house in the city, Household furnishings and bicycles on easy payments. A. I. Hoffman & Co.

A Woman's Awful Fertil.
There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation performed by Mrs. L. B. Hunt of Lima, Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Try It. Only 50c. Guaranteed. For sale by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

Ti-dolou-reux—Swelled Face.
Swollen face is the characteristic epidemic symptom this year of a Cold or Grip. Humphreys' Specific "77" cures it. 25c.
Elegant pieces of silverware at Houghton's, suitable for wedding presents.

A LITTLE GOSSIP

We have been looking for you.
And thinking about your feet for months and have provided a stock of fall and winter foot wear that will please every man woman and child in Brainerd.

Good Leather, Good Workmanship
And Right Styles, with lowest prices is our motto. In men's shoes we have Box Calf, Enamel Calf, Vici Kid and Winter Tans. Every man should see our HIGH TOP Shoes for Fall and Winter in Black and Tan.

"Lest You Forget,"
We want to call your attention to our Ladies Fall and Winter Shoes, among them are the "BOSTONIAN," the best \$3.50 shoe on the market. Box Calf, Enamel Calf and Vici Kid. Our \$2.50 shoes are unsurpassed for style and wearing qualities.

For your boy's Feet,
We have a varied line of good, honest, solid leather shoes, among them are the Seamless shoes which appeals so strongly to mothers because of no seams to rip.

School Shoes.
We have the best in the market, and at lowest prices. A scholar's Companion is given with each pair of school shoes.

Rubbers, Rubbers and Overshoes.
For everybody, Light and Heavy, Good and Best, the good cost a trifle, the best a little more, and are the cheapest.

R. F. WALTERS,

The Big 9 Shoe Store. Sixth Street.

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

If you want to buy a Radiant Home Heater go to D. M. Clark & Co.

Uncle Sam has the earth. Hesse has the tools to work it. Leave your orders for storm sash with D. M. Clark & Co.

Goods sold on easy terms at D. M. Clark & Co's, the only installment house in the city.

Notice of Final Proof.
Land Office at Elk County, Minn., Dec. 4, 1907.
Notice is hereby given that the following settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof to support his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. A. W. Johnson, Clerk of District Court of Brainerd, Dakota Territory, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 21st day of December, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land claimed, O. W. Johnson, James McFarland, Gust Erickson, P. O. Johnson and Ed. Greenwood. O. W. Johnson, Register. M. J. TAYLOR, Deputy.

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The latest thing out. The fad of the season, up-to-date water colors of the most kindred subjects. The proper thing for a holiday greeting. Come early to see a good collection at Marie A. Canan's.

Professional Cards.

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First National Bank Building, Brainerd, Minn.

T. C. BLEWITT, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office, Room 8, First Nat. Bank Bldg.

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Office in First National Bank Bldg.

J. L. FREDERICK, D. M. D. DENTIST.

Rooms 7 and 10 First National Bank Bldg.

J. A. F. GROVES, Physician & Surgeon.

Office over McFadden Drug Co. & Kingwood.

M. C. BAUDETTE, TONSILAR ARTIST.

Office, Room 3, St. Joseph's Hospital.

R. K. WHEATLEY, CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR.

Office, Room 3, St. Joseph's Hospital.

WANTS.

Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," etc.

Proposals for Work.

Special advantages in Cloak purchases just now.

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

Interesting Local News of the Surrounding Country.

KATRINE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Elmore, born.

The soft weather has made the lake unsafe.

G. A. Hunt and J. D. Carr go to Brainerd to report to the U. S. examining board.

The many friends of Mrs. Sarah Mack, who has had such a struggle with the measles, are pleased to learn that she is improving.

The young people report an enjoyable time at D. Archibald's, a surprise for Miss Ethal.

While many of our nimble are tramp through the swamps fly miles away, A. A. Miller got his quota of venison here at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fossen, who have recently settled on the northwest part of our town, buried a child, Sunday, the 25th.

Last Saturday there was a large turnout to organize, as social and jolly a lot as usually gather at such meetings.

Supervisors—G. A. Hunt, D. Archibald, B. Clord, Clark—G. W. Hunt, Treasurer—A. Miller, James—L. P. Garrison, C. R. Skill—Assessors—L. Mott Hammett, M. H. Knief, Assessor—Chas. Shepard.

On Tuesday, Nov. 27th, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archibald, of Deerwood, buried their daughter, Olev.

Oh! so hard to die her up, So hard to think the bitter cup, Our dear baby, our dear little light, Our golden eye, then dark as night.

Miss Jeanne Sypher is working in a retail for.

Nelson Jarboe surprised his wife last week by presenting her with a \$25 for coat.

We have just received a new stock of Silk Coats, French Bonnets, English Serges and Cheviots.

Benj. Ingerson, of Hutton, Ind., who has had no spoken word above a whisper for months and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used largely by speakers and singers.

Miss Annie Reigel, the Jonesville school teacher, was remembered on Thanksgiving day by her friends in Minneapolis, who sent her a large box full of the good things of that city, we know whereof we speak, having sampled the same.

J. M. Jarboe left for Tanamak, Aitkin county, last week where he will wrestle with the giant pine again this winter.

We will save you money on Store boards, Oil Cloth Mats, and Stove pipe, at Hoffman's.

The Northern Pacific Railway company will sell tickets to Minneapolis and return, two or more on one ticket, at one and one-third fares on Dec. 12th, 13th and 14th, limited to return to Dec. 16, account of the grand opera at Minneapolis.

Cold and cough cures are numerous, but the one that leads all others is, in Foley's Honey and Tar, which is in great demand these days.

It often made my heart ache, writes L. O. Overstreet, of Egin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough and sneeze so far from my home; it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with rheumatism that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life. It is a truly guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throats, Asthma and all the Throat and Lung diseases. 60c and 1.00 at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. retail bottles free.

A Fine Entertainment.

The choir of St. Paul's Episcopal church will give a musicale at the Arlington hotel on Tuesday evening December 11th.

PROGRAMME: General Lase, (a) The Rose Tree, (b) The Rose Tree, (c) The Rose Tree, (d) The Rose Tree.

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CUT THEIR WAY OUT.

Desperate Battle of Thirty-one Imprisoned Miners for Their Lives.

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CHARLES. COURAGE STUDENT.

BY CHARLES M. SHELDON,
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CHAPTER IX.

"I am on my way to San Francisco to see Willie." Mrs. Preston began, looking at Edward earnestly, and I could not resist the inclination to come to Haywood on the way and see you."

"On your way to see Willie?" Edward exclaimed in great surprise.

"Why, I did not know he had come home."

"He was badly wounded in an engagement shortly after that one of which he wrote you. It was not long ago. He is to be sent home on one of the hospital transports that are expected in San Francisco in about two weeks. The time of his arrival is uncertain. I am going on, so as to be with him as soon as he arrives."

"Mrs. Preston looked earnestly at Edward, who returned her look gravely. His face bore marks of severe suffering."

"When he wrote last, he confessed that he was sick of the campaign and would be glad to come back to Hope college again. That is partly what I came to see you for. He said in his letter that he desired to go to a great course of study to know that you are together."

"I am sure I am willing to do what I can to serve you, Mrs. Preston," Edward said in a low voice. He was troubled a little at the possibility of Willie coming back partly on Preston's account and partly on his own.

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"Of course I will do all I can," replied Edward, looking at the student and remembering what had been said in the little talk about the Christian life compared with morality.

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Edward told him in a low voice and without an embarrassment that was so evident that even a stranger would have seen it.

"What are your plans for the summer?" the president asked abruptly.

"I haven't made any yet. I suppose I shall do as I did last year—remain here and carry my paper and do something else to get to add to my income."

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"Mrs. Weston has been the same to me," Mrs. Blake said when Edward was able to hear. "He sent for me as soon as the doctor declared that you were dangerous. You have had typhoid, Ned, and have been very sick. At one time we feared."

"What is so bad as that?"

"It certainly was. I don't know what I should have done if Mr. Weston—"

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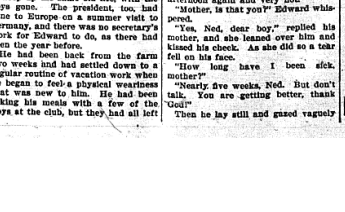
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Then he lay still and gazed vaguely



Edward felt an unreasonable way before the judgment seat of Christ. Blake had perhaps saved his life.

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