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**Pork, Mutton, Lamb, Poultry, and Everything kept in a First Class Market....**

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To make your hens lay.



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**Lace Curtains...**

We always spend much time and care in looking over the leading lines of curtains in the market. According to our usual custom we have again secured the newest and choicest patterns we could find. They are special bargains and sure to sell at sight. Each curtain is selected with the utmost care in regard to patterns and we offer them at *astonishing low prices.*

We also carry a large stock of curtain goods, all the latest designs at prices from 5 cents yard and upward.

Time to buy curtains is almost here, you'll want them as soon as spring house cleaning is over, and it won't be a bad idea to call and look our line over and get posted on style and prices

Remember us when you get ready to lay a new

**CARPET**

We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent.

**MRS. B. KAATZ & SON**

203-205 Kindred Street, East Brainerd.


### Improve and Beautify Your School Grounds.

The average rural school grounds look bare and uninviting. To encourage pupils, teachers and friends of the rural schools, I offer to the school which beautifies its grounds in the most attractive manner ten ($10.00) dollars. Decision to be left with our county school superintendent, Mr. Wilson, and two ladies selected by him. Improvements to be made between spring and July 1st, 1901, when the money will be cheerfully paid, to be expended under direction of teachers and scholars.

HESSELL'S

Farm Machinery and Grain Office, Corner 4th and Front Street.

My line of goods includes the following:

Breaking and cross plows, superior seeders, disc and short drills, spring, spike tooth and disc harrows, field rollers, double and single buggies, "Old Hickory," the reliable wagons, Planet Jr. garden tools, mowers, hay rakes, self binders, twine, steam and gasoline engines, separators, in fact a full line of farm machinery. If in need of anything call and you will get treated right at Hessell's, corner 4th and Fron street.

J. F. McGinnis & Co. are offering their whole line of Artics and Rubbers at cost for thirty days.

Uncle Sam has the earth Hessel has thetools to work it.

### A Narrow Escape.

Ira White had a very narrow escape from a frightful death on Monday noon. He was returning from the shops at noon for dinner and with several other shop men was running between the tracks on the dump. As it was a very cold raw day he had his cap pulled down over his ears, and did not hear a B. & N. M. engine backing up behind him at a considerable speed. Just as the engine was about up to him he ran on the track and glanced back to see how far behind him the other men were, and was horrified to see the swiftly moving engine so close to him that escape was impossible. He instantly jumped high in the air and sideways, when the engine struck him and knocked him a considerable distance, but fortunately his entire body except the heel of his foot fell outside the rail. The engine crushed off the heel of his shoe but his foot was not badly injured. He was so badly bruised by the blow that he has been confined to his home ever since. The men who were with him, and saw the engine strike him, supposed of course he had been run over and killed, and were surprised at his escape, which was truly miraculous. Mr. White thinks that hip leap into the air so that the upper portion of the tank struck him and not the trucks, is what saved his life. It certainly was a lucky escape from a horrible death.

Hoffman negotiates chattel loans.

## THE ANNUAL MEETING HELD

### Of The Crow Wing County Agricultural Society On Monday Morning Last.

FAIR TO BE HELD SEPT. 11, 12, 13 & 14.

Officers and Directors for Ensuing Year Elected—Other Business Transacted.

The annual meeting of the Crow Wing County Agricultural Association was held in the office of J. M. Elder on Monday morning, at 10 o'clock. President Werner Hemstead called the meeting to order, and as he had to leave on the noon train he called Mr. A. Fox to preside over the deliberations of the meeting. The following gentlemen were elected officers and directors for the ensuing year:

OFFICERS.

President—J. M. Elder.
Vice President—Werner Hemstead.
Secretary—A. J Halsted.
Treasurer—Geo. D. La Bar

DIRECTORS.

Brainerd—M. K. Swartz, J. F. McGinnis, Joel Smith, J. C. Hessel, A. P. Ferris, H. I. Cohen, S. R. Adair, Adam Brown, D. D. Smith, J. L. Camp, C. N. Parker, A. L. Hoffman, J. T. Sanborn, S. L. Bean, A. L. Mattes, J. W. Kooi, Con O'Brien, J. A. Arnold, P. M. Lagerquist, P. B. Johnson, Mons Mahlum, F. W. Wieland, W. S. Cox, M. J. Reilly, and G. W. Holland.

Oak Lawn—Geo. McCulloch
Maple Grove—J. B. Swisher.
Pointon—Thos. Pointon.
Garrison—Mr. Dennis.
Daggett Brook—Frank Klenow.
Long Lake—H. C. Hughey.
Crow Wing—P. S. Stillings.
Fort Ripley—J. C. Meyers.
Fairbault—Eugene Phelps.
Davenport—A. Fox.
Smiley—E. E. Froebel
Bay Lake—G. A. Hunt.
Jenkins—W. Caro.
Pine River—Geo. Frost
Emily—R. J. Andrews.
White Fish—J. Knable.
Deerwood—O. C. Coffin, H Patterson.
Dean Lake—John France.
Merrifield—Mr. Merrifield.

The secretary was instructed to notify the above members of their election and appointment, and to call a meeting of the board at the court house on March 19th, for the purpose of arranging and laying out the work of each member and to have the ladies meet to organize a ladies' auxiliary of the association.

The secretary was instructed to get out a premium list as soon as possible.

On motion, Sept 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th, 1901, was selected as the time for holding the annual fair of the association. This is the week following the state fair, and it is hoped that quite a number of the attractions of that exhibition can be secured for the local fair.

It was the unanimous opinion of all present that the coming fair can and will be the most successful of any yet held, and it is proposed to get to work at once to attain that end. Let everybody put their shoulder to the wheel and the thing is accomplished.

### Brainerd Boy in Colorado.

N. P. White, formerly of this city, is now located in Florence, Colorado. He writes to the DISPATCH from that point as follows:

"I find myself located in a town where the prospects are I will stay long enough to have my mail catch up with me, and with the rest I would be pleased to find the DISPATCH, which I have missed very much the past three months while I was spending my time up and down through Utah, looking for a convenient place to hang my overalls, which I did not find until I fetched up here at Florence the first of the week.

This is a good, lively up-to-date town, doing lots of business. It is a supply and outlet point to the famous Cripple Creek country, where there seems to be no end to startling discoveries of rich deposits in the mines, one of the latest of which goes some $30,000 to the ton. This country is all covered with oil wells and there are several large ore mills and oil refineries. Then for climate, if one can judge by what he hears, and the few days' experience I have had in it, there is none better. I found my old friend Bert Smith, formerly of Brainerd, located here and much pleased with the country."

Skates sharpened at Hoffman's.

## IMPORTANT REAL ESTATE SALE.

### Best Unoccupied Business Corner in The City Sold to Henry I. Cohen, The Popular Dry Goods Man.

One of the most important real estate transactions in this city occurred on Tuesday, when Keene & McFadden sold lots 1 and 2, in block 43 to Henry I. Cohen for a consideration of $4,000. These lots are at the corner of 7th and Laurel street, opposite the Walker block, and are unquestionably the best unoccupied business lots in the city. The lots were the property of Leon E. Lum and J. N. Nevers, and as an indication of how real estate is advancing in this city, it might be stated that these gentlemen bought the lots less than a year ago for $1,050, doubling their money nearly four times in less than a year.

Mr. Cohen said he had no plans in regard to utilizing the lots at present, but might build later on. That another party, not a resident of the city, was interested with him in the transaction, and he could not say at present whether a building would be erected on them or not.

Keene & McFadden have also sold during the past week other property as follows:

To C. W. Koering, lot 12, in block 3, Fairview addition, residence property, consideration $750.

To Michael Boyle, the brick veneered residence property of Mrs. M. Hagberg, containing lots 23 and 24, in Second addition, southeast Brainerd, consideration $1,000.

To Wm. Bordeleau, lots 1 and 2, block 18, Farrar & Forsyth's addition, the property of E. H. Farrar. Mr. Bordeleau, the purchaser, will build a residence in the spring

### INSTANTLY KILLED.

Robert E. Berry, a Lumberman, Meets His Death by Falling From The B. & N. M. Passenger Near Jenkins.

Robert E. Berry, a lumberman, was instantly killed on Wednesday by falling from the south bound passenger of the B. & N. M. Ry about a mile above Jenkins station. The body was found by section men, who notified Coroner Reimestad, and he went up that evening and brought the remains to Clark's morgue in this city, where an inquest as to the manner of his death was held yesterday noon. The jury, after hearing all the evidence returned the following verdict:

"Deceased came to his death by accidently falling from passenger train No. 2, of the B. & N. M. R'y Co., and no blame attaches to said railway company or any of its employes or any other person."

The details of his death as ascertained at the inquest is as follows: He was employed in Hatcher & Lynch's camp No. 3, near Lothrop, and being sick started for Minneapolis, where a sister lives. At Lothrop, E. C. Bush, another lumberman, helped him on the train, and he was last seen by the conductor sitting in his seat after Pine River had been passed. Near Pequot he was missed, and it was thought he had left the train. On arriving at Brainerd it was learned by wire that his body had been found near Jenkins lying on the west side of the track about two feet from the rail. His face was battered to pieces, and an arm was broken. He had evidently gone out on the platform and in his sick condition had accidently fallen from the train. Death was produced by the fall, as his body had not been run over. About eleven dollars in money, two pocket books and a watch, and other trinkets were found on his person.

The sister in Minneapolis has been written to, and when she is heard from the remains will be disposed of.

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

Puny children with weak constitutions can attain an unusual degree of bodily and mental vigor by taking Rocky Mountain Tea this month made by the Madison Medicine Co. 35c. McFadden Drug Co.


**PRICES OR CREDIT**

**Which do you want? If you want credit, we can't interest you neither can you get the benefit of prices that Cash buyers get.**

**WE WANT CASH,**

**And to get it we are going to make it interesting for all who have a little Cash to spend. Get in line for our big March Sale of**

**CLOTHING AND SHOES.**

**A sale where cash talks loud, and a dollar goes a great ways.**

**Men's Suit Sale.**

Lot of men's Brown mixed wool Cassimere Suits, $5.00 our regular price, and the best suit at this price ever shown during this sale choice a suit **$2.95**

Men's Blue and Brown Cheviot wool suits that would be considered a bargain everywhere at $6.50, your choice this sale a suit **$3.95** only .....

Men's fine wool Cassimere suits that would be cheap anywhere at $8.50 your choice to close this sale, a suit.... **$4.95**

Men's all wool navy blue Serge suits also fine colored mixtures including some odd suits, sold up to $15, your choice during this sale, a suit, only.... **$7.50**

Lot men's finest all wool suits as fine as labor and material can make, but they represent broken sizes, and you can take your choice, a suit only **$10.00**

**Young Men's Suits.**

Lot young men's suits, 14 to 19 years Brown wool Cassimere, cheap at $5, choice, a suit only..... **$2.95**

Lot young men's Fine wool suits, including some odd sizes that sold as high as $10.00, your choice a suit, now.. **$4.95**

**Boys' Suit Sale.**

Lot Boys' heavy wool cassimere suits 6 to 15 years, your choice, a suit, only..... **98c**

Lot boys' good cassimere wool suits winter and summer weights, bargain at $2.50 choice a suit only..... ..... **$1.50**

Lot boys' finest all wool suits including some broken sizes and worth up to $6.50, your choice a suit, only..... **$2.95**

**Sale Men's and Boys Pants.**

Lot men's good strong working pants, broken sizes, worth up to $1.50, choice per pair, only..... **75c**

Lot men's heavy all wool pants, would be cheap at $2.50, your choice.... **$1.50**

Lot men's extra fine all wool pants, worth $3 and $3.50 your choice only.... **$2.50**

Lot boys' 50c Blue cheviot pants, only..... **25c**

**Sale Men's and Boys' Caps.**

Lot men's and boys' winter Caps never sold for less than 50c choice now, only..... **25c**

All men's Ulster Overcoats, also Boys' Ulster and Reefer Overcoats-to be closed out 33⅓ Off.

**Sale Men's Overshirts.**

10 dozen men's fine flannel overshirts also Jersey wool overshirts, bargains at 75c and $1.00, choice to close, only..... **50c**

**Sale Ladies' Dressing Sacks.**

5 dozen Fine Wool Eiderdown Dressing Sacks worth up to $1.75, your choice, only **98c**

**Great Ladies' Shirt Waist Sale.**

The greatest bargains ever offered yet. Lot ladies fleeced lined and fancy shirt waists, worth up to $1.50 each your choice only..... **50c**

Big Lot ladies fine shirt waists, polka dots, fancy plaids, etc., worth up to $2.00, your choice only..... **98c**

All our ladies beautiful silk embroidered French flannel waists made to sell for $5.00 or more, your choice... **$2.95**

**Cloaks and Furs.**

We have a good assortment left, all new goods,

**33⅓ Off.**

**Special Hosiery Sale**

100 doz. Men's and Ladies Good Cotton Hose per pair, only..... **4c**

100 doz. Ladies' and children's fast black seamless Hose only..... **10c**

**Shoe Sale, Men and Ladies, 98c to $1.95.**

Great Bargains and good goods that are warranted by the manufacturers

**A. E. MOBERG,**

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# CHAIN AND CHAINLESS BICYCLES

Have now arrived and are ready for inspection. The above named wheels don't need any introduction anywhere, as their sales and quality speaks for themselves.

They are all furnished with the famous

DUNLOP DETACHABLE TIRE

Any one wishing to buy or trade will call this time well spent to examine my stock before doing so.

**Prices range from $25 to $75 and will sell either for Csh or on the Installment Plan.**

I also wish to say that we have commenced

## Enameling and Repairing

and anyone wishing to have their bicycle repaired and placed in good shape will do well to let us know or bring them in before the season's rush begins.

## F. H. GRUENHAGEN,

Laurel Street.


### Men Who Handle Millions.

The government is more trustful of the employees in its financial center than is any private corporation. In the United States treasury the whole output of the nations currency is handled by men who are under neither surveillance nor bond. The paying teller handles $40,000,000 or $50,000,000 a year. The exchange clerk has every day $60,000 in change at hand. The money in charge of the keeper of the cash room runs from $170,000,000 upward, and the chief of the issue division handles millions every day. Any of these men could get away with enormous amounts of money and be reflonably secure against detection for a considerable length of time. Nevertheless, peculations from the treasury have been few and small in amount during its history. There is an axiom in the department which runs as follows:

"Wherever money is handled there is a point at which the honesty of the individual must be the main reliance."

And so the treasury dispenses with the services of spotters. However, private business interests involving the handling of large sums of money are not likely to follow this example. Spotters may be an evil, but they are a necessity in the present phase of human development, and until some psychological chemist devises a preparation to make men honest the type is likely to persist.—S. H. Adams in Ainslee's.

### A Precocious Baby.

The baby was only 4, but she was an only child and had lived with her parents largely in hotels, and she was a self possessed little maiden. She was always a model of propriety as to manners, so that when one day a young man, a friend of her papa's and mamma's and a great admirer of the little girl, asked to take her out to luncheon all by herself she was allowed to go. A very tiny girl may go without a chaperon sometimes. The little girl was to do the ordering. She undertook this responsibility with confidence and, taking up the menu, studied it with as much gravity as if the letters were not as unreadabie to her as Greek would have been to her mamma.

"I will have some meat and some potatoes," she said gravely, "and by and by I may have some ice cream."

The order was given, the cream followed, and the little lady was an altogether charming, dainty and sweet little companion for luncheon. The meal ended with the dignity with which it had begun, the young woman donned her wraps, and as the young man was preparing to escort her to the door she remarked gravely

"And now I will have some flowers."

It was the last touch of grown upness, and it was the proudest young man in New York who took home a pretty and dignified baby with a big bunch of roses in her arms. New York Times.

### A Patent Hole.

Of the many extraordinary things for which patent protection has been granted a hole seems to be the most useless and impossible. Yet there are many patents for holes, and, what is more, the patents are valid and valuable. One of the best relates to holes in ships' bottoms for the admission and escape of water to the condensers.

Every one who has seen a screw steamer under way will have noticed a stream of water issuing from her side, a little above the water line; that water is pumped into the ship for the purpose of condensing the waste steam that leaves the cylinders and returning it as water to the boilers.

At least it occurred to a genius that if a hole were made in the bottom of the ship forward of the condenser and another aft of it, the water would circulate around the condenser without the aid of a pump. It is for the shape of these holes, so that they will offer less resistance to the water when the ship is traveling fast, that several patents have been granted.

### A Testamentary Puzzle.

An Englishman who recently died had three children, one son and two daughters, and he mentioned all of them in his will.

The first clause is, "I leave my piano to Mary Elizabeth, when Arthur has done with it." The other clause is, "To Susan Jane—she may take whatever Arthur wishes to give to her."

There is no doubt of Arthur's standing in the document, but the pointed question is raised, Are Mary Elizabeth and Susan Jane beneficiaries under the will?

### The One Exception.

Towne—He's quite a linguist, I believe.

Browne—Yes, he can converse in 14 different tongues.

Towne—So I understand; but there's one tongue he has never succeeded in mastering.

Browne—What's that? Chinese?

Towne—No, his wife's.—Philadelphia Press.

### Might Be Out of Debt.

"My case is peculiar," remarked the letter B.

"How so?" chorused the other letters of the alphabet.

"Well, when it comes to making 'boodle,' I always lead, and, you will notice, there is absolutely no reason why I should be in 'debt.'"—Exchange.

### Some Coloring.

Scribbell—What makes young Penner so blue?

Wright—Oh, he's green at the business, and he's discovered that his manuscripts are never read by the editor.—Philadelphia Record.

### His Part.

"Ever in amateur theatricals?"

"Just once."

"What part did you take?"

"Me! I took all the abuse." I was stage manager you see."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

### The Athenian of Today.

The Athenians dine late the year round and, whenever the weather will permit, in the open air. As the heated season advances the dinner hour is set back and late until in August 9:30 or 10 becomes the common thing. Fancy going to the theater after that! Yet the open air performances are liberally patronized, and they do not begin, of course, until after dinner. The legend "Curtain rises promptly at 9" is a snare and a delusion, as many a foreigner has found, to his extreme annoyance.

The out of door dining and the sky roofed theaters are so typically Greek that they serve as a link between modern and classical times. The old Greek, as everybody knows, was an outdoor man, his house serving as little more than a sleeping place and storeroom. The Athenian of today dines in a garden, on his terrace or in a park. If he is too poor to possess any of these accessories, he sets his table upon the sidewalk. Many of the cheap restaurants appropriate the walks for dining rooms. One is often compelled when taking an evening stroll to dodge in and out among dozens of tables covered with reasonably clean linen and lighted by means of candles, whose flames are protected from the wind by means of glass globes.—Scribner's.

### Doctors' "Cat Naps."

The "cat naps" indulged in by the late Dr. William Pepper constituted a standing joke among his intimate friends. He had the faculty of going to sleep at will and waking up when he willed. He would sometimes when under a mental strain keep a roomful of patients waiting while he slept soundly in his private office for three minutes or five minutes, or as long as he willed. Then he would resume his duties, greatly refreshed.

Another prominent physician has a queer habit of napping, although he only takes one a day and that directly after luncheon, which with him is a hearty meal. He repairs to his office and throws himself in a chair at a point where the polished wood floor is not covered by the rug. He holds a bunch of keys between the forefinger and thumb of his right hand, which is allowed to hang loosely over the arm of the chair. Then he dozes off, but it is never more than a dose, for the moment his fingers relax the keys drop to the bare floor, acting as an alarm clock. It is scarcely a nap—just a brief relaxation of the mental and bodily faculties. The doctor calls it his siesta, and if he misses it he says he doesn't feel quite himself for the rest of the day.—Philadelphia Record.

### Charley's Aunt.

Mr. Penley, otherwise Charley's Aunt, told the following: "A military man, a friend of Mr. Penley, took his daughter to the stalls and, having a busy and tiring day, went calmly to sleep in his easy seat during the interval between the curtain raiser and 'Charley's Aunt.' The daughter sympathetically allowed him to remain in peace until the certain went up for the commencement of the play of the evening; then she gently nudged him in the ribs and whispered 'Charley's Aunt!' to remind him of his whereabouts.

"The gentleman still slept on, and his daughter tried again. She gave her father an extra push and murmured, with emphasis: 'Papa, do wake up! "Charley's Aunt!"'

"This time it was effectual, for the colonel leaped to his feet and cried, 'Bless me, so it is!' and began to shake hands furiously with a demure old lady who happened to be passing along the stalls in front of him on the way to her allotted seat. 'Bless me, so it is! How do you do, madam? And how is Charley?'"—London Answers.

### Russell and the Solicitor.

It is said that once when the late Lord Russell, then Sir Charles, was on circuit he became so indignant with every one in general and his solicitor client in particular that he seized his large and heavy brief and smote the solicitor on the head with it. The solicitor indignantly collected his papers and hurried out of court, murmuring that he would never brief Sir Charles again.

Some time afterward a shipping magnate came to the same solicitor with a big case. "Brief Russell," he said. The solicitor said he was sorry, but it was impossible, as Russell had never apologized. "Then give me my papers," said the shipowner, "and I'll go to some one who will."

Eventually the unhappy man of law, not wishing to lose his best client, had to apologize to Sir Charles Russell for leaving the court when assaulted.—Pearson's Weekly.

### "So On."

Lady Dorothy Nevill is one of the wittiest women in London society. Some time ago there was a rich and ambitious man in society who went in for entertaining largely and especially for making his parties interesting and representative. A marked falling off began to take place after awhile in the quality of his guests. Lady Dorothy, commenting on this deterioration, said, "Once we used to meet Browning and Whistler and Henry James and so on there, but now we only meet—so on."—Chambers' Journal.

### Covers Too Much Ground.

Binks—Jinks is continually telling me what a lucky fellow you are.

Rinks—Yes, but I don't like the way he expresses it. Every time he meets me he says: "Rinks, you're a lucky man. You don't seem to have anything on your mind at all."—Indianapolis Sun.

### A Fellow Feeling.

Hasben—Yes, I am always interested in perpetual motion ideas. I like 'em.

Tatters—Yer do? What for?

Hasben—They never work.—Philadelphia Press.


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### Reduced Rates To California Via the Milwaukee's "Sunshine Route."

On February 12th and on each Tuesday thereafter until April 30th, C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell settlers tickets from St. Paul and Minneapolis to points in California at $32.90.

For full particulars write J. T. Conley, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, or see C. M. & St. P. Ry ticket agents.

J. T. Conley,
A. G. P. A., C. M. & St. P. R'y.

Mr. J. W. Patterson, night police at Nashua, Ia., says: "In January I had a very bad cold on my lungs, and used half dozen different cough medicines and prescriptions from two doctors, but grew worse all the time. I finally bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and after using two-thirds of it, I was entirely cured." H. P. Dunn & Co and McFadden Drug Co.

### Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfuly and spit blood but when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 56 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at McFadden Drug Co and H. P. Dunn & Co drug store

Pneumonia follows la grippe, but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, the great throat and lung remedy. Take no substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co and McFadden Drug Co.

### How to Polish the Windows

The action of the sun, moisture and the carbonic acid in the air on the soda or potash in the glass produces an opaqueness more or less pronounced. To remove this wet the glass with dilute hydrochloric acid, and after a few minutes go over the glass with powdered whiting. Pour the acid slowly into the cold water, using four ounces of the acid to twelve ounces of water (one pintand a half.) Polish with chamois or soft paper. It must be remembered that this acid will attack metals and should not be allowed to touch them, nor should the bottle be left open an instant longer than necessary, as the fumes are very detrimental.—March Ladies' Home Journal.

J. F. McGinnis & Co. are offering their whole line of Artics and Rubbers at cost for thirty days.

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitter, Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Berville, Mich.

Eugene J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chicago. Nothing else as good. H. P. Dunn & Co. and McFadden Drug Co.

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### The Good Old Favorite.

The Merchants Hotel, corner Third and Jackson streets, St. Paul, the oldest and most famous hostlery in the Northwest, has in the past year been thoroughly renovated at a expense of $35,000. Every room is newly carpeted, papered, painted and steam-heated. The house is headquarters for Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana business men. Rates, $2.00 and $2.50 per day. Rooms with bath, $3.00. The management always welcome their old friends and patrons and they need no assurance that they will be well taken care of, and all new patrons may rest assured of the same kind and courteous treatment. The Merchants Hotel is most convenient to Union Depot, the wholesale and commission merchants, all street cars pass the front doors by which guests can reach any part of either St. Paul or Minneapolis

### Working 24 Hours a Day.

There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always busy, curing Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Biliousness, Fever and Ague. They banish Sick Headache, drive out Malaria. Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste nice, work wonders. Try them. 25c at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

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*First-Class Blacksmith and Paint Shop in Connection.*

Full line of carriage and wagon material always on hand and for sale, including wheels of all grades.

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# SIOUX IN AN UGLY MOOD

WARNING OF AN OUTBREAK TO OCCUR NEXT FOURTH OF JULY.

## BEEN KNOWN FOR SOME TIME

From an Aboriginal Standpoint the Time Selected Is Opportune, as Most of the Soldiers Will Be Celebrating. Indian Bureau Held Partly Responsible for the Restless Feeling That Is Prevalent.

Fort Yates, N. D., Feb. 28.—The reports emanating from Omaha that the Sioux are in an ugly mood are perfectly correct. This has been known here for some time by those who are in the confidence of the Indians. It has not been given out, as it is not always wise to make an Indian scare without good cause.

There are those who have been warned that the time of the outbreak will be on July 4. At that time thousands of Indians assemble at the agency to have sports. The soldiers at the post, too, are usually off somewhere enjoying themselves. Probably no better time could be selected from an Indian point of view.

The Indian bureau is partly responsible for this restless feeling among the Sioux. The Indians are anxious to get a complete statement of the money coming to them from the sale of the lands ceded in the 1889 treaty, but so far they have been unable to get it. It has been reported to them that senators are having schools, for which there is no need, built out of their money.

Colonel McLaughlin, who has more influence with the Sioux than any other white man living, was here last winter. He had long talks with the Indians, explained treaties and other matters to them and promised to take up some of their grievances with the commissioner. As they have complete confidence in the colonel they are content to leave the matter in his hands for the present.

With the lower Indians it is different and there is a prospect of serious trouble if the department does not take some notice of communications.

### LIKE A RAT IN A TRAP.

Jail at Maquokata, Ia., Burns, Cremating a Tramp.

Davenport, Ia., Feb. 28.—Despite his desperate attempts to break the bars that confined him an unknown tramp met a horrible death in the fire that destroyed the Maquokata jail.

The man had applied to the authorities for a night's lodging. He was placed in the jail and locked in a cell. The jail was a wooden structure. About midnight it was discovered to be on fire. The flames spread rapidly and before the doors could be battered down enveloped the whole building.

Desperate efforts were made to rescue the imprisoned man, but all attempts were defeated by the fury of the flames. All efforts to trace the man's identity have been unavailing.

### WILDMAN'S SUCCESSOR.

Said That W. A. Rublee of Milwaukee Will Be Appointed.

Milwaukee, Feb. 28.—The Washington correspondent of The Sentinel wires that W. A. Rublee of this city will be appointed to succeed the late Rounseville Wildman as consul to Hong Kong. Mr. Rublee served for several years as United States consul at Prague, Bohemia, during the Harrison administration. Mr. Rublee is a son of the late Horace Rublee, former editor of The Sentinel, and is a graduate of Harvard college. He was one of the owners of The Sentinel who sold out his interest two weeks ago. He has for years been an editorial writer on the paper.

### TO BECOME PARTNERS.

Biscuit Trust Wishes Employes to Buy Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—The National Biscuit company announced that all employes would be given an opportunity to purchase the preferred stock of the company on the most favorable terms with the view of becoming associated proprietors. This policy, which was determined on at a meeting of the stockholders, affects nearly 3,000 employes. The company agrees to buy the necessary amount of stock from the outside for its employes at the regular market value and assume all expense.

### Russian Minister Shot.

London, Feb. 28.—The Times correspondent at St. Petersburg says: "While the minister of public instruction, M. Bogolopof, was holding a reception a visitor named Karpochi fired a revolver and wounded him in the neck."

### Rebel Against the Sultan of Wady.

Tripoli, Feb. 28.—A rebellion has broken out against the sultan of Wady owing to the many executions. Ahmed, son of the late Sultan Ali, has been proclaimed king by the rebels. A French force is reported to be half way between Tuat and Wady.

### British Take Over the Railway.

Peking, Feb. 28.—The British have completed the taking over of the railway from the Russians. They have found reports of wholesale looting of workshops by Russians were greatly exaggerated.

### MANY TAKING THE OATH.

Pro-American Sentiment Spreading in Former Insurgent Strongholds.

Manila, Feb. 28.—Pro-American sentiment is spreading in former insurgent strongholds. Six hundred and sixty-five persons voluntarily took the oath of allegiance at Camiling, province of Albay, at one time reported as next to Luzon the worst insurgent center, and 584 took the oath at Calamba.

Captain Chase, with a detachment of the Twenty-first regiment, in a three-days' scouting expedition, dispersed 600 insurgents and destroyed their main camp, that of Pedro Cabellos.

Lieutenant James, with a detachment of the Eighth infantry, raided a Ladrone rendezvous, MacQuiling, Island of Polo, killing two men, securing 175 prisoners and destroying 20 tons of rice and other insurgent supplies.

The armored cruiser Brooklyn has returned here from Hong Kong.

Additional evidence against Carman and Carranza, the merchants accused of dealing with the insurgents, has developed. The investigation into the charges against them is being vigorously prosecuted.

### PIG IRON ADVANCES.

Price at Pittsburg Mounts a Dollar Per Ton.

Pittsburg, Feb. 28.—Within a week the price of Bessemer pig iron has advanced about $1 a ton. Since the purchase by the Carnegie company two weeks ago of 150,000 tons there has been a scarcity of iron and this week but 1,000 tons were sold, the price being $14.75 a ton at the Valley furnaces, or $15.50 delivered in Pittsburg. The iron purchased by the Carnegie company was at the rate of $21.50 a ton at the furnaces. Gray forge has advanced this week from $13.25 a ton to $14 and $14.25 a ton. It is scarce and but little is to be had at the advanced price. Foundry No. 2 is also higher and sales were made this week at $14.50 a ton. The steel market is also strong and it is difficult to get Bessemer steel billets at $2 a ton above the pool price of $19.75 a ton.

### ADDRESS TO KING.

Adopted in the British Parliament Despite Irish Obstruction.

London, Feb. 28.—By a vote of 243 to 91 the house of commons rejected Mr. John Dillons's amendment to the address in reply to the king's speech opening the session of parliament. The amendment declared that the British methods of conducting the campaign in South Africa were contrary to the usuages of civilized warfare, and urged that the British government propose to the governments of the South African republics such terms as brave and honorable men could reasonably be expected to entertain. The address was subsequently adopted by a vote of 297 to 78.

### BERLINER PATENT CASE.

Decision Against the American Bell Telephone Company.

Boston, Feb. 28.—Judge Brown of the United States circuit court has decided against the American Bell Telephone company in the famous Berliner patent case.

The suits were the Bell company against the National Telephone and the Century Telephone companies, brought to restrain respondents from selling, using or making telephones or telephonic apparatus with the microphone attachment and to account to the Bell company for past use, manufacture and sales, upon the ground that such use, manufacture or sale was an infringement of patent.

### WILL RETURN $20,000.

Offer to Cudahy If He Will Drop Prosecution of Kidnappers.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—A special to The Post from Omaha says:

Edward A. Cudahy has received a letter from the men who kidnapped his son, offering to return $20,000 of the ransom money on condition that all detectives be withdrawn and that no attempt be made to prosecute the abductors should their identity be discovered. It is understood their letter was mailed at Council Bluffs.

### Indian Girl Visits the Pope.

New York, Feb. 28.—Koliuzuten, a 9-year-old Indian girl of the Flathead tribe, an inmate of the Convent of the Ursuline Nuns at Helena, Mon., arrived on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grösse after a visit to Pope Leo. Accompanying her was Mother Provincial Mary Amandez. Koliuzuten was attired in the gay feathers and the bright colored dress of her tribe when presented to the pope. The pontiff inquired who the child was and blessed her several times during the audience.

### Buffalo Bill at the Inaugural.

New York, Feb. 28.—Colonel W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) has just arrived here from his Wyoming reservation. He came to New York on his way to Washington in answer to a request from General Miles that he be at the inaugural ceremonies of President McKinley. This is on account of his former services to the government, and he will occupy a place in line with the Fifth United States cavalry. Colonel Cody is also one of the reception committee for the inaugural ball.

### Wrecked Her Husband's Saloon.

Washington, Ind., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Michael Deckard, wife of the leading saloonist of Elnora, near here, with a hatchet wrecked her husband's place during the night, destroying bottled goods, bar fixtures and slot machines. She is an enthusiastic believer in Mrs. Nation's methods.

### GOVERNOR OF BULACAN.

Uncle of Aguinaldo Is Named for the Position.

Guiguinto, Province of Bulacan, P. I., Feb. 28.—A British expedition of 500 Aguinaldo and formerly an insurgent colonel, has been appointed governor of Bulacan province. There were several candidates, including two army officers, but the United States commission was unanimously in favor of Serapio, who surrendered during General Lawton's progress northward and who has since been such a constant friend of the United States that Aguinaldo published an order degrading his uncle.

There was considerable protest against Serapio's appointment, chiefly from a delegation which represented the interests of the friars. The commission announced that it had investigated the allegations made against Serapio and found them to be untrue.

Captain Greenough of the Forty-first regiment was appointed treasurer and Lieutenant Wells of the Thirty-second regiment was appointed supervisor. The other officials appointed were natives. All the appointments practically were made on General Grant's recommendations.

Although by reputation Bulacan is not the easiest province to govern, all the local leaders and most of the inhabitants are now friendly to the United States.

The question of selection of a capital for the province was submitted to the vote of the delegations. Malolos, the former seat of the insurgent congress, is the best town, but Bulacan has always been the seat of the government and was easily first.

### BOERS LOSE HEAVILY.

Three Hundred Killed in the Recent Engagements.

Durban, Natal, Feb. 28.—It is stated that in the recent fighting between the Boers and British in the Transvaal and Cape Colony the latter captured, in addition to the other supplies already mentioned, over a ton of dynamite. The Boers are reported to have lost 300 in killed and wounded, and altogether about 350 prisoners were taken.

### For a Locomotive Museum.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Arrangements have been completed for the establishment of a locomotive museum at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind. Many of the railroads have been interested in the project and three of them have already agreed to contribute to the collection. The museum will be the only institution of its kind in the country.

### For the Cure of Consumption.

Cleveland, Feb. 28.—It is stated that a company will be organized here within a few days and capitalized at $1,000,000 to erect a system of sanitariums in the larger cities of the country for the cure of consumption by electricity. The first sanitarium will be built in this city at a cost of $150,000.

### Considers the Contract Void.

Constantinople, Feb. 27.—It is stated that the porte, not having paid the installment due on the cruiser for which a contract was recently signed with the Cramp Shipbuilding company of Philadelphia, the latter considers the contract void and repudiates all responsibility in the matter.

### Was a Close Friend of Lincoln.

Jacksonville, Ills., Feb. 28.—J. L. Morrison, one of the oldest attorneys of Illinois, a delegate to the first Republican state convention and the convention which nominated Lincoln, died during the day. He was an intimate personal friend of the war president.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ex-Governor Lind of Minnesota has decided to take up his residence and the practice of law in Minneapolis.

The queen regent of Spain has signed a decree appointing Rear Admiral Cervera to be a vice admiral.

The influenza epidemic is becoming more severe at Stockholm. Prince Bernadotte, second son of King Oscar, is among the sufferers.

### LATEST MARKET REPORT.

**Duluth Grain.**

DULUTH, Feb. 27.

WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard 78⅝c, No. 1 Northern 73⅝c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 6⅝c, No. 1 Northern 75⅝c. May No. 1 Northern 76⅝c, July 77c.

FLAX—To arrive $1.65, cash $1.65, May $1.65½. September $1.15.

**Minneapolis Wheat.**

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 27.

WHEAT—Cash 74c, May 74¼@74⅜c, July 75⅜@75⅝c. On Track—No. 1 hard 76c, No. 1 Northern 74c, No. 2 Northern 68¼@70¼c.

**Sioux City Live Stock.**

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 27.

CATTLE—Sales ranged at $4.00@4.60 for beeves, $2.00@3.50 for cows, bulls and mixed, $3.00@4.15 for stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.20 for calves and yearlings.

HOGS—Sales ranged at $5.20@5.35.

**St. Paul Union Stock Yards.**

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Feb. 27.

HOGS—Sales ranged at $4.75@5 37½.

CATTLE—Sales ranged at $4.50@5.00 for good to choice butcher steers, $3.40@3.80 for good to choice butcher cows and heifers, $4.50@5.75 for choice veals, $3.25@3.75 for choice feeders.

SHEEP—Sales ranged at 4.50@4.90 for choice butcher lambs, $3.60@4.00 for choice fat wethers.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.

WHEAT—February 71⅝c, March 71¾, May 7[illegible]c.

CORN—February 38½c, March 39¼c, May 40⅝c.

OATS—February 24½c, May 25⅛c.

PORK—February $13.95, May $14.15.

FLAX—Cash No. 1 $1.61, May $1.61½.

POULTRY—Dressed turkeys 8@9½c, chickens 8@9½c.

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INGERSOLL & WIELAND, Dispatch
A. J. HALSTED, Tribune.

Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1900.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1.

THE Preston Times says the dance hall is a greater evil than the saloon, and calls the waltz the "dance of death." Has Bro. Langum been eating something that doesn't agree with him?

COUNT Boni de Castellane has indicated his intention to come to America in about a week. What have the people of this country ever done that they should be compelled to stand this affliction.

WITH characteristic modesty the Arena editor asserts he knows more about law than the senate judiciary committee. His past experience in attempting to make a living at practicing law indicates as much Nit.

THE Hurd bill to place the state oil inspector on a salary has passed the house and has been favorably reported to the senate. The democrats are a unit for it now, but two years ago when the inspector was a democrat, they voted solidly against the same measure

IT is a peculiar phase of human nature that a person who is ignorant, incompetent and a failure in every thing he undertakes is envious of one who is competent and successful in every undertaking. This explains the hostility of the Arena to Hon. A. F. Ferris.

THE Arena says its front yard is freshly sodded and warns the DISPATCH to keep off the grass. As it reeks with slime, filth, ignorance and ludicrous self-conceit, neither the DISPATCH editor or any self-respecting person would care to enter The warning was unnecessary.

THE Tribune thinks it would be unwise to erect a statue of Senator Davis in Statuary hall, of the national capitol, and endorses Senator Hoar's idea that no man should be thus honored until dead fifty years. Minnesota has been a state for about fifty years, and Senator Davis is easily her foremost citizen past or present thus far, and if Senator Davis' memory is not thus honored she will be unrepresented for as many years to come. Let the distinguished senator be honored

BELTRAMI county is financially embarrassed The act creating the county limited the amount of taxes for county expenses to $20,000, but the county has grown so rapidly in population that this amount is insufficient, and has all been spent, and as the courts have decided that any indebtedness incurred in excess is invalid, no one will extend credit to the county, and public business is at a standstill as a consequence The limitation was foolish and was only made to overcome the objection of pine land owners to county organization The legislature has been appealed to to remedy the matter by removing the limitation.

GOV. VAN SANT has appointed Alex. Nicoll engineer of the state capitol. When Governor Lind assumed office two years ago he made a clean sweep of all the efficient employes who had held their positions for years, and filled their places by a lot of incompetents, like Affidavit Johnson, formerly of this city who were the laughing stock of the mechanics of the two cities. Everything went wrong with them as was to be expected. The electric light plant broke down, and a gas system was put in to supply light, notwithstanding the state had its own electric light plant. The new engineer found everything in a broken condition, but he has gone to work and will make repairs that will enable the state to discontinue paying gas bills while operating its own electric light plant.

**The County Fair.**

The annual meeting of the Crow Wing county fair association has been held, officers and directors elected, the date for the fair chosen, and other preliminaries arranged, and now every citizen of the county who has its welfare at heart, who desires to aid its material progress and make this one of the best and most thriving communities in the state, should put his shoulder to the wheel and do all in his power to make the coming exhibition a splendid success—the best yet held.

There is nothing which advertises the agricultural possibilities of a county like a successful, well conducted county fair. This county has the natural advantages to make one of the most thriving, prosperous communities of the state when its territory is thoroughly settled and occupied by a good class of farmers, and nothing will draw settlers better than a well conducted fair, in which the products of the farm and the home are exhibited, and especially such products of the farm and garden as can be produced in Crow Wing county. Any land seeker or person desiring a home, would not look further, but stop right here on soil that can produce such magnificent results, and would let his friends and others interested know about it. Hence we say every citizen should put his shoulder to the wheel and help make the fair a success and thereby contribute to the development of the community, and incidently enrich himself.

JOHN LIND has declared that he will not again be a candidate for governor, which means that he expects the democratic nomination.

THE "educated" editor of the Arena in his editorial columns last week speaks learnedly of masticating the "linnen," of "lese mageste" and of "introducing a bill of his own accordion." What magnificent examples of education and intelligence, to be sure.

THE Dowling bill abolishing the office of court commissioner at the expiration of the terms of the present incumbents was Tuesday unanimously passed by the house. The bill confers upon judges of probate the powers of district judges in chambers, now enjoyed by court commissioners.

THE state board of health has issued a cercular giving the number of small-pox cases in the state during the past week. Out of 457 cases in the state, Crow Wing county did not contain a single case, and a large majority of the cases were in the southern part of the state and not in the north among the lumbermen as generally believed.

HENRY WOLFER resumed the wardenship of the state prison on Feb. 20th, which is an event of no little importance to the farmers of the state. During his management of the prison he built up the binding time industry until he was able to supply the farmers of the state with a superior grade of twine at a cost of one-third less than the binding twine trust charged. Two years ago the 'pops took charge and the quality of the twine began to deterioate and the price to raise until more was asked for the twine than it could be bought of the trust, and the quality was poor. The funds on hand when Warden Wolfer left were dissipated and the industry is in bad shape, but it is believed that the able management of the new warden will again make the prison twine industry a blessing and a benefit to the farmers of the state.

**Amends the Log Lien Bill.**

The long expected amendment to the McCarthy log lien bill made its appearance in the state senate. The amendment knocks out the provision by which a laborer may leave a camp at any time and file a lien without first demanding pay from his employes. It allows him to quit work at any time and demand his pay, but he must make the demand before he can file a lien. It also eliminates the provision which allowed the laborer $20 attorney's fees and $1.50 a day witness fees for testifying in his own behalf.

Robert B. Watts, of Salem, Mo. writes:—"I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years and have doctored with all the leading physicians and have tried all remedies suggested without any relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and les than two bottles completely cured me and I am sound and well." H P. Dunn & Co and McFadden Drug Co.

## FOR A CITY HALL

**W. D. McKay Would Sell The City The Columbian Block.**

**A Proposition to That Effect To Be Made to the Council Monday Night—A Statement By Mr. McKay.**

W. D. McKay will submit a proposition to the city council at its next meeting on Monday night to sell to the city for a city hall the Columbian block on 6th street. His scheme is to have the city issue 4 per cent bonds to the amount of $40,000 to pay for the same, and in the following statement he figures the city could buy the property, and with the rentals from that portion not necessary for city purposes, could pay for the building and all the expense of maintaining it, including interest on the bonds, and not cost the tax payer a cent. His statement is as follows:

It has been the ambition of a great many citizens for some time past to build a city hall, and yet, though all admit it is a crying necessity, the matter has not received the enthusiastic support it otherwise would, owing to rate of taxation now existing. It occurred to me that the city could own a much better building than they could consistently build at this time without the necessity of ever taxing the property of the citizens to pay for it, and with this end in view I submit the following statement in explanation:

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| Revenue now collected from portion of building not required for use of city, per annum | | $3,862 |
| Less cost of heating.... | $300 | |
| Insurance............ | 320 | |
| Repairs and incidental expenses... ...... | 150 | 770 |
| Total........... | | $3,092 |
| Purchase price. $40,000 at 4 per cent per annum | | $1,600 |
| | | $1,492 |

This leaves a balance of $1,492 after paying interest on bonds, which, when placed into a sinking fund for twenty years at 4 per cent simple interest would equal $41,776, sufficient to pay bonds in full.

In figuring the available space for rent by the city I had set aside the following space for city purposes: A large fire hall 100 feet, court room, electric light room, two electric light storerooms, four offices for use of city officials, and two rooms for firemen, in addition to a front and rear basement, to be put to such use as the city might direct. Statement provides that bonds be placed at four per cent, and it seems to be the prevailing opinion that they can be placed at or below this figure. Sinking fund is also placed at this figure and I believe can be placed safely at a higher rate. Thus it can be seen that the city can own the Columbian block simply for financiering the purchase, and when bonds are paid have over three thousand dollars per annum for all time to meet part of city expenses and thus reduce the rate of taxation permanently. I may further add that the proposition has been presented to a number of citizens and met with hearty approval. The location is unquestioned by all.

W. D. McKAY.

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## HER DREAMS COME TRUE.

**Strange Power Possessed by a Los Angeles Woman.**

The dreams of Mrs. Sarah Garrity of Los Angeles come true. Her strange power was brought to public notice recently in Los Angeles when her dreams served to clear up the mystery surrounding the disappearance of her sister, Mrs. Edward St. Claire. Mrs. St. Claire stepped out of her home late one night to go to a neighbor's. She never returned, and after some days search was instituted, but no trace of the woman could be found. When Mrs. Garrity was notified, she burst out crying. She said she had seen her sister's death in a dream on the night Mrs. St. Claire disappeared. She said that in her dream she had seen Mrs. St. Claire go from her home and, losing her way in the darkness, walk into an old well which had caved in on top of her and smothered her to death. The well was located, and in the bottom, under several feet of loose earth which had fallen in from the top, the police found the body of Mrs. St. Claire.

Six months ago Mrs. Garrity dreamed that one of her sons who had been up the coast with a railroad crew had been kicked in the head by a vicious horse and killed, and this, too, proved absolutely correct.

Mrs. Garrity said that on the tenth day of the disappearance of Mrs. St. Claire she had a dream in which she saw her sister lying at the bottom of the well and heard her say: "Oh, sister, I have been lying here long enough. Come and take me out." She was on her way to the St. Claire house when she was notified of her sister's disappearance.

The strength of wood increases with its density.

**Great Annual Self Denial.**

Pursuant to the annual custom which has been practiced for years by the Salvation Army that organization is about to enter upon its week of prayer and self denial comprising the dates from March 17 to 24 inclusive. The object of this idea, the remarkable success of which is the best testimony to its excellence, is to furnish the sinews of war necessary to the carrying on of a work whose branches every day are going into wider and wider fields of labor.

During this special week every member of the organization is expected to deny him or herself of some more or less usual article of diet, clothing, etc., and the thousands of little savings thus effected are all going to swell the funds it is aimed to raise. The general public, whose interest in the army's philanthropic institutions may not be willing to follow its members along the lines of personal self denial, are however not to be deprived of an opportunity to assist in the effort. Collections will be made in many special manners, and those of our citizens who believe in feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, helping the fallen, extending the hand of opportunity to those with whom life has dealt roughly, and in every way to assist and benefit mankind through precepts of Jesus Christ will not turn the Salvation Army collector away empty handed.

Each corp throughout the United States has a target to reach. The Brainerd local corps, under the leadership of Ensign and Mrs. Jaffery, assisted by Captain Alice Anderson, has a target of $55.00 to reach, which they not only expect to reach but to go away beyond it. Many plans and schemes have already been laid in order to smash their target. Special meetings and demonstrations will be conducted at the Army Hall from now until after the 24th of March.

The juniors of the Army are also targeted, and Captain Anderson who has charge of that particular branch of the work is pushing the children right to the front. Already you can see the little juniors of the Army collecting from house to house for that purpose with the self denial pig Those pigs, when they are good and fat will be butchered at the Army Hall on the evening of March 23, the fattest hog getting the first prize. Should those little juniors come your way collecting with those hogs, don't turn them away empty handed. There will be special meetings conducted all day Sunday.


# W. J. Hunt & CO.

Have bougt the interest of Hunt, Ekman & Huggins, and for the next

# 30 days

will do wiring at the following prices:

# $1.40 concealed work.

# $1.30 open cleat work.

Also Electric Bells complete

**$2.50.**

# Extraordinary !

We want to show you how much we appreciate your patronage in the past, and how pleased we are with the business we did in the last year. We want to show you how liberal and up-to-date store can be, and during THIS SALE we will............

# Give in Spot Cash . . To Your Church

(This means the Church of which your are a member or attendant)

# 5 Per Cent of all our Cash Sales.

**This Offer** together with the list of Bargains that follow, is, we think, as liberal and offer as ever was made. EACH CUSTOMER IS TO CHOOSE WHICH CHURCH, one-twentieth of amount bought should go to in Cash. The offer is open to all the Churches of Brainerd and vicinity, and its our wish that all should get a part of this money. It is not a premium in merchandise, seldom amounting to much in value, but it means 25c to your church on every $5.00 worth we sell you during this sale. When you make a purchase during this sale you will receive a sale slip of the goods, and total amount paid. Give this to the proper church authorities, and at the end of the 30 days they can bring same in and receive the 5 per cent on all checks they hold in SPOT CASH.

# Sale Commences Feb. 15th

## And Lasts until March 15th, 1901.

**Below are a few of the Bargains we are going to sell goods at during this sale:**

## Muslin Underwear.

| | |
|---|---|
| $2 00 Night Gowns.......... | $1 63 |
| 1.75 Night Gowns......... | 1 25 |
| 1.50 " " ........ | 1 15 |
| 1.00 " " ........ | 77 |

## Outing Flannels.

| | |
|---|---|
| 12½c and 15c qualities for....... | 9c |
| 10c qualities for.............. | 7½c |
| 8c qualities for.............. | 6c |
| 5c qualities for........ .... . | 3c |

## Ladies' Muslin Skirts.

| | |
|---|---|
| $1 75 Ladies Skirts ....... | $1 37 |
| 1 50 " " ....... | 1 15 |
| 1 25 " " ........ | 95 |
| 1 00 " " ........ | 75 |

## Shoes. Shoes.

**During this sale we will sell you a fine up-to-date Ladies Shoe worth $2.50 for $1.50, all sizes and guaranteed to be an A No. 1 Shoe, called the American Beauty. We will also make special prices on all our shoes for men, ladies boys, girls and children. We have at present one of the nicest line of shoes in the city.**

## Hose. Hose.

| | |
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| 35c Ladies Fleeced Lined rib topped moco foot............ | 25c |
| 35c Ladies Cashmere hose....... | 25c |
| Boys' and Girls' stockings | |
| 35c stockings, fleece lined....... | 25c |
| 25c stockings " " ...... | 17c |
| 20c stockings " " ...... | 15c |
| 15c stockings " " ...... | 10c |

## Mens' Hose.

| | |
|---|---|
| 35c fine Merino hose............ | 25c |
| 25c Cashmere Hose............ | 19c |

Ask to see our 19c Ladies' Fleeced Lined Vest worth 35c.

## Groceries.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fine Granulated Sugar, per lb.. | 6¼c |
| California Prunes............... | 5c |
| California evaporated peaches, .. | 10c |
| Evaporated apples.............. | 8c |
| 2 lb can corn................. | 8c |
| 3 lb can tomatoes............. | 10c |
| 2 lb can fancy peas ........... | 10c |
| Choice table peaches, per can.... | 14c |
| Choice table pears, per can...... | 10c |
| 2½ lb can egg or gage plums..... | 10c |
| 1 lb can extra preserved red raspberries................ | 9c |
| Roasted coffee, per lb.... ...... | 15c |
| Best uncolored Japan tea per lb. | 48c |
| Choice rice per lb............ | 6¼c |
| Fancest cheese, per lb.......... | 15c |
| Best rolled oats, per lb ......... | 3c |
| 10 bars Kirks soap............. | 25c |
| 1 lb can Sailor Band salmon...... | 8c |
| 1 lb pure soda................. | 5c |
| 5 lb sack table salt ............ | 5c |

**Call on us during this Sale at The Department Store of**

# L. J. CALE,

**7th and Front Sts, Cale Block, Brainerd.**

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Office Hours:–10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Night Calls received at Office.
Telephone Call, 7-2.
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**TIME CARD.**

Trains Arrive at and Depart from the Northern Pacific Depot.

| GOING NORTH. | | GOING SOUTH. |
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| P. M. | | A. M. |
| 1:05 | lv-Brainerd-ar | 11:50 |
| 2:48 | lv-Pequot-lv | 10:38 |
| 3:12 | lv-Pine River-lv | 10:12 |
| 3:53 | lv-Hackensack-lv | 9:25 |
| 4:25 | lv-Walker-lv | 8:55 |
| 5:50 | ar-Bemidji-lv | 7:30 |

**W. H. Gemmell, Gn. Mgr.**

# WANTS.

Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," Etc., Etc., under this heading FIVE CENTS per line each insertion. Count seven words for each line. "Situations Wanted" inserted free. Telephone your "Want Adv's" to the Dispatch, 30-2.

**Wood Wanted.**

If those of our country subscribers who promised to pay up their arrears in wood will now take advantage of the occasion to do so it will be considered a favor.

SEND YOUR ORDER for cut flowers and floral emblems to Chris Hansen, 904 Dale St., St Paul, Minn. Roses per dozen $1.50, Carnations 75 cents. Floral designs from $3.00 up. tf

WANTED—Position as housekeeper for widower or in a small family by elderly English lady. Mrs. P. M. WATSON, Brainerd, Minn.

ANY GIRL in need of a friend to advise or help her will find one by applying to Mrs. W. H. Johnston, 10th street north; Mrs. W. H. Glezier, Columbian block; or Mrs. W. J. Smith, 83, Eight street north. Rescue Committee, Florence Crittenton Circle.

WANTED—Position as House-keeper. Widow with one child, boy 9 years old. Good home an object. Address L. A. H., Tower City, Cass Co., N. D.

MEN—To learn barber trade. We can offer better inducements now than any other season. Prepare for spring rush, no limit to time, tools presented, positions waiting. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Minneapolis, Minn. 12-12

HOUSE FOR SALE—In Southeast Brainerd, corner lot, good barn, city water. For sale on easy term or cash. Apply at this office.

## FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

Interesting Local News of the Surrounding Country.

### KATRINE.

Chas. Coleman came home from Brainerd for a few days to nurse a sore arm.

C. A. Hunt has a new well and pump. This is the third trial, two points and several lengths of pipe having gone astray in driving before.

Miss Ethel Archibald came home from school sick with lagrippe. Several of the family have been on the the sick list for the last week.

Rev. Parish preaches Friday evening at the Katrine school house, and will continue services there every two weeks until further notice.

We notice a call for the meeting of the Agricultural Association on Monday at 10 a. m. A little early in the week and day for some of us. Hope to be on hand though with our pumpkins, etc., next fall.

The postponed valentine party came off last Thursday. Those present were very pleasantly entertained. A lunch with coffee was served and games and the reading of original valentines was a part of the program.

Mrs. Scofield has announced to the patrons of the library that one month from last Thursday another social will be given; one feature of the entertainment will be the art gallery. Each person is requested to bring the baby picture of themselves, and the company will try to pick out the representatives.

The injunction, "Judge not that ye be not judged," etc., is applicable to most of us. There is, however, the just and the unjust critics, but human nature, like Bunyan's pilgrim, oftimes sees only "my neighbor's faults." To stand aloof from our neighbor is to degenerate. Two stones may be polished by rubbing them together. We rubbed up against Deerwood and Deerwood rubs back. Oh! we'll be diamonds by-and by, Jacob

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### OAK LAWN GEMS.

W. M. Mead returned from Anoka last week.

Mrs. Andrew Mead has been on the sick list the past week.

Chas. Lyon has returned from the lumber woods with his team

Fred Aspholm has gone to Tamarack to work for J. M. Jarbo.

F. B. Congdon has just recovered from a hard seige of the grippe.

Mrs. Cannon is at Vineland keeping house for her brother, Chas. Braford.

Prof. Charles Gorgenson, of Brainerd, is working in this vicinity for a short time.

Mr. Jarboe came home from Tamarack Saturday to combine business with pleasure for a few days.

Mr. Aspholm is driving a fine pair of 3 and 4 year old colts that for size and style are hard to beat.

Mrs. L. A. Harris and son, of Tower City, N. D., are staying with the family of John Jackson for a while.

Mrs. Ival Paulson and two children are still very low with typhoid fever. Mrs. Paulson has about recovered.

The Jonesville school is very poorly attended at present on acount of about 20 of the pupils being on the sick list.

Nelson Jarbo went to Brainerd Tuesday after the Dr. for his wife who was taken very sick in the morning.

The Jonesville teacher wishes us to inform This Fellow, that her address is Miss Annie L. Riegel, Brainerd, Minn.

The hay thief is abroad in the land about 6 tons have been reported stolen. That is quite an item when hay is worth $12 per ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nelson and family went to Brainerd Tuesday to attend the funeral of J. Schwendeman, Mrs. Nelson's father.

Miss Jennie Syphers is taking a medical mail course through the Battle Creek Sanitarium and is getting to be an expert nurse. She thinks of starting a small sanitanium of her own in the near future.

J. W. Olson, of Brainerd, who has been in the N. P. Sanitarium the past three months, is staying with his sister Mrs. H. T. Dullum a few weeks until he is able to return to work in the shops.

### NORTH END GOSSIP.

Mr. Sam Buchite has quit his job in the woods for Mr. Doan and is going on the new cuttings for Mr. Stees.

Messrs. Andrews & Lambert, of Emily, are putting up a large sized ware house, thus showing the rapid increase of their business.

On the 17th inst we were favored with a couple of inches of the beautiful, and it was greatly appreciated by our local loggers.

Mr. John Stees has about finished up his logging operations in the vicinity of Billy Moore's, and is going about eight miles north of Eagle Lake to begin on another job of cutting for Mr. Hasty.

Al. Stees contemplates making a visit to the Pacific coast the coming spring. We will keep a vacant place for you, Al., as three months will be long enough to convince you that there is no place like old Crow Wing.

The old saying is that a dog cannot bark with his tail held down. Maybe that is what ails Wm. J. Bryan, as he has refused to make public speeches of late. Politically the dems are holding his tail down.

GOSSIP.

"A dose in time saves lives." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

**Notice.**

My oldest son, C. A. Butterfield, has run away from home, and all parties are hereby notified that I, his father, will not be responsible for any bills he may contract, and further, I will prosecute anyone giving him shelter or employing him in any way.

H. G. BUTTERFIELD.

Results. Immediate and lasting. Before and after trying other remedies use Rocky Mountain Tea this month. Twill keep you well all summer. A great spring blessing. McFadden Drug Co.

MATT J. JOHNSON'S

Great BLOOD & RHEUMATISM CURE

Cures all kinds of Rheumatism. **6088** (Sixty Eighty-eight.) Cures all kinds of Blood Trouble.

No Opiates, Salicylates, mercury, or Poisonous Drugs.

Prominent Iowa R. R. man endorses 6088.

Illinois Central Railroad Co.,
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Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 1, 1901

MATT J. JOHNSON CO.,
West Superior, Wis.

Gentlemen:
Your Great Blood and Rheumatic Cure, 6088, is the best remedy I have ever used. I may say that it is the only one of many that had been of permanent benefit. Yours Truly,
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Free Trial - If a person uses half a bottle of our remedy and is not satisfied he can return it and his money will be refunded.

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

Right weight, just grade and highest market price for grain, at Hessel's corner 4th and Front streets.

The Grand Opening of

# THE LION CLOTHING CO.

At Brainerd, Minnesota, in the building owned by Mrs. Gray, two doors south of Stratton House, on Fifth Street,

# Commencing Monday, Feb. 25, 1901

We will open our new store with a full and complete line of

# Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats, Caps,

Ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, also dress goods, ladies' jackets, capes, etc.

Our entire stock has been purchased for this opening, consisting of a nice variety of spring goods, a large line of winter goods which we are able to offer you during this sale at such matchless values, that by reading this it will look to you exaggerated, but we will convince you of the truth when you come and see for yourself. We have obtained these goods at this late date from manufacturers, who were anxious to get the cash while being overstocked during the mild season. The entire chance is now before you, take advantage of it as long as this grand opening sale lasts. We came here to stay and live; we beg to be patronized, which shall be to your own advantage. We want your confidence for the future, and we shall get it by living up to our promise and with honest dealing.

**The following is a part of our quotations, arranged especially for this Grand Opening Sale, Maintaining for 30 Days:**

## Men's Suits

100 heavy weight men's suits, well made, good fit, all sizes, different patterns, regular value $7.00, for this grand opening will go at...... **$3.90**

Men's gray all-wool suits, well worth $9.00 per suit, for only...... **$4.90**

For a fine fancy worsted suit, good make, which you cannot buy at regular sale less than $10.00, for only...... **$5.95**

For a heavy cashmere suit, regular value, $13.00, for only...... **$8.75**

For all wool suits, black clay worsted, a good $12 suit otherwise, for only...... **$7.85**

For the finest imported bird's eye worsted suits, black and blue with fancy satin lining, equally as good in fit and shape as any high priced merchant tailor made garment, only.. **$12.75**

## Boys' Clothing

Boys' suits with long pants, sizes 13 to 20, a good many styles to select from, all the latest patterns, each suit marked low enough to suit any economical buyer, prices from $2 up to...... **$8**

Children's suits from 13 to 15 years, short pants with or without vests.

For a large choice of two-piece children's suits, all sizes, regular $2 suits, only..... **$1.25**

One lot of odd suits which will sell at...... **90c**

For strictly all wool two-piece suits, very desirable, ten different patterns to select from, not a suit in the lot worth less than $2.50, some are worth $3, for... **$1.75**

All the balance of our best children's suits, with and without vests, are on sale proportion to the above named prices.

## Knee Pants

For heavy cotton worsted knee pants, sizes from 4 to 14, per pair, only...... **15c**

For heavy brown corduroy knee pants, up to size 15, per pair, only...... **48c**

## Men's Overcoats

A nice line of men's overcoats, with lining and silk back.

For a fine covert coat, the famous L. & S. make, regular $10 value, for...... **$5.90**

Choice of black and blue men's overcoats, including all our $8 and $9 coats, for..... **$4.90**

## Men's Pants

For a pair of men's black striped pants, well made and good wearing, only...... **69c**

For a pair of all wool men's pants, more than 200 pair of different styles to select from, only...... **$1.49**

For a pair of our very best all wool custom made regular $5 pants, the finest trousers for the money ever sold in the state, only...... **$3.35**

For a pair of 8 oz. blue denim men's overalls, with and without aprons, perfect make, only... **33c**

For a pair of Brownies' overalls, black and blue, sizes from 3 to 14, only...... **19c**

## Underwear

For a good heavy men's natural gray undershirt, only.... **19c**

Men's heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, each...... **23c**

For brown and gray men's shirts and drawers, extra heavy weight, plush back, regular value $1.25, each only...... **69c**

For ladies' underwear, well worth 75 cents, each...... **39c**

For children's shirts and drawers, all sizes and good weight, each...... **15c**

## Men's Overshirts

The very best twill men's overshirts, double front and back, full sizes, only...... **39c**

Negligee shirts, with and without collars, not a shirt in the lot worth less than 50 cents, some are worth 75 to $1, your choice .. **33c**

## Sweaters

Boys' woolen sweaters, different colors, all sizes, well worth 75 cents, only...... **39c**

## Men's Socks

For a pair of men's heavy woolen socks, only...... **9c**

## Handkerchiefs

For ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, with borders and plain white, only...... **2c**

## Men's Hats

For men's black and brown Fedora felt hats, of the latest block, would be cheap at $1.25, only **75c**

## Ladies' and Misses' Jackets and Capes

We have a nice line of the very latest styles in Capes and Jackets, which we bought so late in the season from the best manufacturers in the country, and enables us to sell these goods at half and less of their original value.

# LION CLOTHING CO.,

Two Doors South of Stratton House, Fifth Street.

# A GIRL OF GRIT.

BY MAJOR ARTHUR GRIFFITHS.

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"'Who sent you?' asked the dona directly he'd gone. 'Do you come from his friends?' She nudged the bundle alongside. 'Do you know Captain Wood?'"

"Ha, you see!" interposed the American. "You bet that was our man hid up among those rugs."

The others were compelled now to admit the fact, and they did so ungrudgingly. As for me, my heart was beating fast, for I felt that at last I had come upon the track of my love.

"What did you tell her? Go on, my good boy," I said breathlessly.

"You see, miss, I'd never heard tell of no captain, but I wouldn't let on," Joe continued. "The boss 'ere had only told me to watch, saying it was a cross job, but he mentioned no names. So I ups and asks, 'Is that Mr. Wood?' and I could 'a' sworn that the bundle moved, and there was struggling like inside."

"Gagged, of course," put in the American.

Joe went on. "'Anyway, I am his friend,' she says. 'I don't mean he shall come to harm. And I want him'—the bundle moved again—'him and others to know that, and I'd like you to tell 'em so when you get out of this mess.' 'When'll that be?' I asks, a little bit on the hump, you know. 'Now, if you're game to hop out, I'm not a-going to stop you,' and she was for turning of the handle then and there.

"But I considered a bit, and the thought came in my head that now I'd got 'ere I had ought to stick 'ere. There was the gentleman opposite me—as I judged—and if I was to do any service to him 'twasn't by cutting away. I'd got to see the thing right through—where they took him, what they did to him, who and what they were."

"You're a brave lad," I said, stretching out and shaking hands with him, and indeed I should have liked to hug him, dusty and dirty as he was.

"Thank you kindly, miss," he answered shyly, and went on. "The only way out of it was to say I was afeard to jump. The cove on the box was a-watching me, I says, and a lot more. Then the carriage settled it by turning into some yard, a private place it looked like, but they gave me no time to spy, for the feller from the box came down directly we stopped and had me out in a jiffy.

"'Ere,' he says, 'we've got first to do with you. Lay hold on him.' Then two other chaps grabs me by the arms and rushes me head down, jam, ram, straight into a dark hole that smelled of moldy straw and garbage—some sort of cellar where they locked a door on me, and I was laid up in limbo like a rat in a trap.

"It took me half an hour or so to shake myself together. First thing that gave me heart was a streak of daylight up atop of the calaboose, and when I struck a match I found it comed through an old iron grating, which I soon overhauled. 'Tworn't set so tight that I couldn't soon loosen a brick, although I tore my hands a bit before I got the thing right out. Then I'd a job to lift myself up by my arms, but I'm strong in the arms, and by and by I scrambled through that grating—that's what tore my clothes—and out on to the yard above. It was the one as we'd druv into—a stable yard at the back of a tall house all shut up, windows shuttered, blinds down. No one at home, you'd say. The stables was empty—no horses, helpers, no traps. I couldn't find that the stables joined on to the house neither, but I judged it was better not to hang about too long or they'd be copping me again. So I makes for the yard doors. They was only barred on the inside, and I got out right enough into the back lane. That's about all. I comed on then straight to you, sir, to make my report."

"You were in a monstrous hurry," said Colonel Bannister. "Why didn't you mark down the house, the neighborhood, the exact spot?"

Mr. Snuyzer took his part. "Joe knows his business; yes, sir, as well as the best professionals. Tell us, Joe."

"The stables was in Featherstone mews, No. 7. To make sure I chalked something on the doors. The stables was at the back of Featherstone Gardens and belonged, I should say, to No. 7."

In a few minutes more we had started in cabs—I in a hansom with Sir Charles—straight for Featherstone Gardens. Roy came with us. We were the first to arrive, but the others had gone round, escorted by Joe, to the back of the house so as to verify the mews and the situation exactly. When they joined us at the entrance of the gardens, Colonel Bannister, who now took the lead, dismissed the cabs and said in his brief, ordering sort of way:

"We can't all go up to the house. It might create a scandal. The whole thing may be a mistake. I'll take this lad first. He may perhaps identify somebody, and then we shall be entitled to act."

"And me, please," I added. "Oh, yes, indeed, Colonel Bannister, I shall go too."

He shrugged his shoulders, and we three, with Roy close at my heels, soon stood on the doorstep of No. 7. The house was all shut up, the chain was on the door, and we waited a long time while some one inside fumbled with it and several bolts.

"Well, what is it?" asked an old man who at last opened the door, but held it ajar. He was of very respectable appearance, with white hair under a black skullcap, and wore a decent blue and white striped jacket, the type of an old servant in a good family. "May I inquire"—

"We wish to see your master," said the colonel promptly.

"I am afraid that is impossible, sir," replied the man civilly. "The family have gone out of town. The duke left yesterday for Spain."

"The duke?"

"The Duke of Tierra Sagrada. He is my master, sir. If you will leave your card I will see that it is sent on to him, or any letter. I have his address."

"In Spain?"

"Certainly, sir. Casa Huerta Hermosa, St. Sebastian. They have gone to the seaside. No, please"—this was to me, for I was quietly trying to get Roy past him into the house—"that dog mustn't come in. My orders are strict against dogs."

"Call him back, Miss Fairholme, at once," said the colonel in a tone which I resented, but he cut me quite short. "This farce has gone far enough. I wash my hands of it. Good night"—this to the old manservant as we walked away. "And if you will be guided by me, Miss Fairholme, you will do the same. It's all humbug from first to last, I give you my word. I do not believe one syllable of this story, except perhaps about the papers, and even then I am not quite satisfied, for they were sent to Captain Wood in the dispatch box. That we know"—

"But not at Captain Wood's request," I said hurriedly.

"His man thinks not, and I admit the box was not specifically mentioned in the letter, but the letter said papers, and the expression was seemingly one that Wood used, for the man, as a matter of course, sent the dispatch box."

"But what do you imply?"

"Just this, that Captain Wood intended to keep out of the way—for reasons I do not presume to conjecture—and while out of the way to go on with his work. He'll turn up in good time, take my word for it, and will give his own explanation of his absence. It may not be absolutely satisfactory, his excuse may be bad, but he will make one, and you will have to take it or leave it," were the cynical police colonel's last words.

I hated and loathed him for taking this view, and I turned my back on him. Sir Charles did not console me, for he was thinking more about the official papers than Willie's disappearance.

"By the Lord Harry, we shall be in Queer street if they don't turn up," he said with much emphasis. "Wood or no Wood, we've got to get them, or there will be a jolly row; a cabinet question, egad, and the devil's own complications. The matter can't rest here. So cheer up, Miss Frida. We'll all do our level best."

"Why, certainly," added Snuyzer, "we don't depend entirely on police colonels, and this one is not so almighty clever. I've got to get on the inside track of this business, and I'll do it yet, you bet your bottom dollar."

It was kind of them, but I would not be consoled. When I got to Hill street, I crept up to my room, very sorrowful and sick at heart, and cried myself to sleep.

Next morning while I was dressing they came and told me that Mr. Snuyzer had called. He had something important to tell me, and was rather in a hurry.

"Captain Wood's not in that house," began the American abruptly, when I got down stairs.

"How do you know? Why are you so sure?" I asked.

"Haven't the smallest doubt of it. I know, because I went right through the house last night, every single room."

"What! Did they let you in?"

"No, miss; I broke in—burglary you call it in this country, I believe, and you may give me into custody if you please. But the detective that's not good enough to break the law on an occasion as well as break into a house and stand the racket had better give up the business."

The man's audacity staggered me. I was quite terrified, but I liked him for it.

"You see, miss, I can't afford to stick at trifles. My professional reputation is at stake, and the more I thought it over the more I hungered to get inside that house in Featherstone Gardens, and this is how I worked it: First I set a close watch on the house, front and back, and found before midnight that no one had gone either in or out. I reckoned that there were not very many of them, and we mustered half a dozen, two of them practiced 'crooks'—professional burglars, miss. We got into the house right enough—the crooks managed that—in half an hour. First thing was to lay hands on the caretaker. There was no one else in the house. He swore to that, and we soon saw that he was speaking truth, for we drew every room, ransacked every corner, turned out every cupboard, but nary soul was to be found. They'd all cleared out but this one critter. So I went back to him and threatened his life. He was very stiff, but a revolver is a mighty fine persuader, and presently he outs with the story; lies maybe, maybe truth, but good enough to make him worth keeping till we could get some corroboration."

"What was his story? Anything about Captain Wood? Did he admit that they had taken him?"

"You bet he did. Told us the whole game from first to last. The first we knew pretty well before; the last is that they have taken him out to sea in a steamer. The steam yacht Fleur-de-Lis, auxiliary screw, 274 tons register, cleared from Victoria dock yesterday at 3 p. m. I've been there and verified it this morning."

"Already?"

"Yes," he went on. "The yacht Fleur-de-Lis, Chapman master, left the dock at 3 p. m. yesterday. They knew her well there. She was waiting, ready for sea, fires banked, blue peter flying, waiting only for her owner, and left her berth directly he was got on board. He was an invalid, came in a carriage to the dock side and had to be carried on board wrapped up in blankets."

"Ah! Joe was right then."

"A lady helped him, thought to be his wife, but she did not accompany him to the ship. She staid on shore—very much upset, they told me who saw her, and could hardly be persuaded to re-enter the carriage. But a gentleman at last made her, and they drove away

*"So I went back to him and threatened his life."*

together. So the parties have split up. One lot are afloat with their prisoner, meaning, I've no doubt, to keep him away at sea, incapable of interfering, while the others carry on their spoliation in New York. That's how I figure it now," said the detective shrewdly.

"I dare say you're right," I interrupted him hastily. "But surely these speculations will not help us. We've got to give chase to that yacht. How is it to be done?"

"You see, she has a tremendous start."

"No auxiliary screw can do more than eight or ten knots, I believe. Mother and I were in the Mediterranean last year with one of the best. Let us hire something faster. There must be plenty of steamers. I will pay any price gladly."

"Then we have no idea of what course the Fleur-de-Lis has taken."

"There are signal stations all along the coast, I believe. We hear of ships being reported every hour almost, as long as they are in sight of land."

"She will fly no signals and will certainly get out of sight of land."

"Oh, dear, dear!" I said, almost crying with rage. "You only make difficulties. It's too terrible to think of. Is there nothing you can suggest? Have you no advice to give? I shall go and consult Sir Charles Collingham. He is a man in authority, and can help, I believe. I shall tell him what you have discovered."

"Well, miss, let's each go our own way. But, see here. Take this. I've noted down a description of the Fleur-de-Lis just as I got it from the dockyard. It's the only guide you'll have in tracing her, for she won't fly her number, you bet."

## CHAPTER VII.

### AT THE ADMIRALTY AND LLOYDS.

Sir Charles Collingham lived out Kensington way in a new red house on Campden hill. I got there in less than half an hour, for my carriage was at the door, and, although I knew something of his ways from Willie Wood, I hoped to catch him before he left home. It was not yet 10 a. m. He was out already on his bicycle when I arrived, but he came up, fortunately, just as I was asking for him.

"Come for news or brought some, hey, Miss Fairholme? If it's the first, I can't help you—worse luck; if the other—and, egad, by the look on your bonnie face I believe you've something to tell! Is that it? Ha!" He hopped off his "bike" with all the alacrity of a young man and led the way into the house.

"Surprising chap, that American!" he cried in his brisk, abrupt tones. "I suppose we're bound to believe him. Actually did break in and all that, hey? Anyhow, he's forwarder than we are, for I've been down to Clarges street to inquire if Master Wood had turned up and drew blank, of course."

"Oh, but, Sir Charles, how could he?" I said quickly. "And ought we to be talking, wasting time here? He has been kidnaped, as you see. Surely it is our business to follow up this clew without a moment's loss of time. He must be rescued, recovered."

"And the papers—they will have carried off the papers with them, you may depend upon that. By the Lord Harry, you are right! But how, how in heaven's name—how are we to overhaul that yacht? I do not see my way."

"By following in another, to be sure. I will pay anything. Only do, please, let us lose no more time. Could not we get a man-of-war?"

"By Jove, you're right! If we could have a fast cruiser now. Upon my soul, I believe it might be done! If I could only persuade them at the admiralty. It's an affair of national importance to recover those papers."

We drove straight to the admiralty in Whitehall, where the general was admitted without question or delay. We were soon introduced to a Captain Pulteney, who proved to be naval secretary to the first lord and a very charming man, I dare say, but I took a great dislike to him, for he began at once to make difficulties, speaking, I thought, in a sneery, put you down sort of way which was very irritating.

"What could we send? There isn't a ship," he said, addressing the others, and seeming to imply that the whole British navy had ceased to exist. "Besides, if I could lay hands on a gunboat or dispatch vessel, what course would she steer? What is she to look for? The whole thing is a wild goose chase. I'm dead against it."

"I think we'll see Sir George," remarked my dear general stiffly. "We can discuss these points better with him," and we again moved on, Captain Pulteney following, grumbling and growling all the way.

But Sir George Fits Hugh (he was the first sea lord) sided with Captain Pulteney. The information was too vague; nothing was positively known, neither about the papers nor about Captain Wood.

"You see, Sir Charles, you have nothing to go on about those papers, were they stolen, seized, whatever we may call it. Who can be certain of that, or of anything, except that they have disappeared, as Wood has? And you infer that the same people have taken them both. How do we know that? You take too much for granted. Or, let us admit they were taken, how do we know that they were put on board the yacht? It is all pure conjecture. I should be very sorry to act—to take upon myself to act; we must wait for the first lord."

"When do you expect him?" I asked impatiently. I was getting cross at all these difficulties and delays, and I could see that Sir Charles Collingham was dangerously near losing his temper. He only controlled himself by remaining stolidly silent.

"He is always here in the afternoon; takes the office on his way to the house. You might see him, then, Sir Charles, if so minded," said the naval secretary.

"The afternoon! Probably four good hours hence. Absurd!" I cried hotly, "when every moment is precious. Why, this pirate yacht has already had 24 hours' start. Oh, come, Sir Charles! Let us go somewhere else. There are other ships besides warships—steamers, yachts in dozens, for hire. Why do you hesitate? Will no one help me?"

I asked this possibly with some warmth, for I heard some one say as we went off, Sir Charles and I:

"My word, what a little fury!"

From Whitehall the general took me to Lloyds. He knew the secretary, he said, and something of the ways of the place—its wonderful organization and the vast machinery at its command for knowing all about ships, almost from hour to hour. But the secretary, a grave gentleman, with a sly twinkle in his eye, shook his head very doubtfully when he heard the whole story.

"I fear we shall not be able to lay our hands upon that yacht—at least for some time to come—if she wishes to keep out of the way. We can track her down the river, of course, as far as Southend on one side, the North Foreland on the other. But if after that she steers a straight course eastward till out of sight, she will be lost in the German ocean."

He touched a bell on his table and gave instructions to a clerk.

"Communicate with signal stations down the Thames, and then with those on the east and southeast coasts, and inquire for a yacht answering this description—it is the Fleur-de-Lis, in fact. She is registered here; you can verify her from the books. Ask if she has been seen or spoken with, and if so, what course she is on. That won't take half an hour. In the meantime, you might be inquiring for a steamer to send in chase. That is your idea, is it not?" and again he signaled in a desk tube, summoning another subordinate.

"Can anything come of it?" asked Sir Charles doubtfully.

"Why not? You will, of course, have to send a posse of police in her. It will not be enough to overhaul her; you will have also to overawe the abductors—always supposing you come up with and can positively identify the Fleur-de-Lis, neither of which is very probable."

"It is just what I tell this young lady. We've got first to catch the boat, and then to be sure it is the Fleur-de-Lis, before we go a step farther."

"Exactly. Ah, Trevor"—this was to another clerk who now came in—"let me know with all dispatch what steamers could be hired for a special mission. Class of no consequence, but she must have a speed of 15 to 16 knots, and be ready for sea this afternoon. Price of charter by week or month, all found—crew, captain, coals on board. Sharp's the word, you understand? Who is going in her? You should have some police officers, in case there is any arrest to be made. Perhaps you will see to that, Sir Charles?"

"I should like to go in her," I now said.

"My dear child," protested Sir Charles, "that is pure nonsense. In the first place, I think it is highly improbable that she will catch up the yacht. But if she does there will be some rough and tumble work—fighting perhaps. Those villains, after going such lengths, will not be very willing to give up their prize. It would never do for you, Miss Fairholme."

"I cannot bear to remain inactive. I want to be doing something," I contended.

"I expect you would be inactive enough on board the steamer," said the secretary. "Ranging up and down the waters probably, a wretched sort of cruise and always in ignorance as to what was going on at home. I think you would be wiser to find some other outlet for your energies."

At this moment the first clerk came in with a slip of paper in his hand.

"'A small steam yacht, flying no colors,' he read aloud, 'was reported passing the North Foreland about 8 p. m. last night, and a steamer, the same no doubt, was seen from Beachy Head this morning at 5 a. m. Her course apparently W. S. W. westerly. Nothing seen of her since. Start Point and Lizard have been warned specially to look for her and report.'"

"She is making for the Atlantic, I expect," was the secretary's commentary. "At least that would be a fair inference. But once in the wide ocean, who shall say what will become of her?"

"Could she not be intercepted from Plymouth or Falmouth?" I suggested. "What would you calculate her rate of steaming at the progress she has made?"

"It's a good suggestion, Miss Fairholme. I should imagine the yacht would be off the Start soon after midnight and Plymouth by early tomorrow morning. I could wire instructions to Lloyds' agent to send out a tug, and no doubt Sir Charles could arrange for police constables with search warrants and authority to detain the Fleur-de-Lis."

"That will I, by the Lord, and send an officer of my own besides. I have other reasons—official reasons—for

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wishing to come up with that yacht and detain her for search. On the whole, I think that this is the most prompt and sensible course. You would hardly get a steamer off from this or any other port under 24 hours, and that would be a fatal loss of time."

"Can I go in the tug?" I still stuck to my point.

"Quite impossible," replied the secretary. "They have no proper accommodation, and you would have to pass the night in utter discomfort on the open deck."

"I should not be afraid of that. But some one who knows Mr. Wood and everything else must accompany the tug," I argued.

"My officer, Swete Thornhill, knows him, doesn't he?"

"Yes, but not the others, or the meaning of the whole thing."

"Send the Yankee then. He will be quite equal to the emergency. Can you get hold of him?"

"Easily. He is on the telephone. Besides, I know his address."

Then we left Lloyds, having given carte blanche as regards expenditure, and with full assurance that all proper arrangements would be made.

Later Mr. Snuyzer answered my summons, and was pleased to express his approval when he heard what I had done.

"I don't admire another night out of bed," he said grumblingly, "but it is in a good cause. There's sense in the plan and it may succeed. The chase was mere idiocy. You could never have caught up the yacht. Besides, I can be back in London on Saturday at latest, which is most important."

"Yes?" I asked, rather indifferently.

"Yes truly. Sunday I sail from Southampton by the Great River line's steamer Chattahoochee for New York."

"What! Why is this? What reason—have you found out anything?"

"Here is a preliminary list of passengers by the Chattahoochee. Run your eye over the names. See? Duke and Duchess of Tierra Sagrada."

"You are indeed wonderful, Mr. Snuyzer," and in sheer admiration I gave him my hand.

"But that isn't all. Have you gone right down the list? Well?"

My eyes swam, my head turned round, I felt giddy and faint, for there at the end of all, was the name of—

"Captain William Wood!"

"I was pretty right, you see, miss. I see all their cards as though they were on the table. The right man held up, the wrong paraded with full papers of identification to make a clean sweep of all they can acquire. It's time some one should go over. Perhaps it will be Mr. Wood himself. If I can pick him out of that hooker and bring him on shore, I shall put it to him that he had better cross the pond right away to protect his own interests. That would be far the best. But some one must go."

### Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of four hundred and eighty-two and 18-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Henry Hinrichs, sr, and Catherine Hinrichs, his wife, mortgagors, to Katherine S. McQuillin, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 189[illegible], and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds, in and for the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 189[illegible], at 9 o'clock a. m., in book E of Mortgages, on page 250.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-five, in township forty-seven, north, of range twenty-eight, west of the fourth principal meridian, and lot numbered two of said section township and range, all in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Brainerd in the County of Crow Wing, Minnesota, on the Monday the 8th day of April, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred and eighty-two and 18-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of such sale as provided by law.

Dated February 9th, 1900.

KATHERINE S. McQUILLIN, Mortgagee.

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F. W. BALL, Attorney for said mortgagee, Aitkin, Minn.

### Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-six and 95-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Christian Sievers, (widower), Mortgagor, to S. S. Petterson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of August, 1898 and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1898, at 3 o'clock p. m., in book O of mortgages, on page 297,

Now therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virture of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter and and lot numbered seven (7) in section two (2) township forty six (46) north range twenty eight (28) west, in Crow Wing county, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of court house in the city of Brainerd in said County and State, on the 15th day of April, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of thirty-six and 95-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 25th, A. D. 1901.

S. S. PETTERSON, Mortgagee.

CHAS. KEITH, Attorney,
12-7 Princeton, Minn.

### Order for Hearing Proof of Foreign Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Crow Wing, }

In Probate Court.
Special Term, Feb. 25, 1901.

In the matter of the estate of Richard Musser, deceased.

Whereas, certain writings purporting to be duly authenticated copies of the last will and testament of Richard Musser, late of City and County of Muscatine, Iowa, deceased, and the probate thereof in the District court of said county and state have been delivered to this court:

And, Whereas, Sarah Musser, Sue Sierneman, formerly Sue Zimmerman and William Musser have filed therewith their petition, representing among other things that said Richard Musser lately died in said county of Muscatine, Iowa, testate, possessed of certain real estate, situated in said County of Crow Wing on which the said will may operate, and that said petitioners are executor and executrices of said will and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be to said petitioners issued thereon;

It is Ordered, That the proofs of said instrument, and the said petition, be heard before this court, at the Probate office in said County, on Monday, the 25th day of March, 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at the City of Brainerd, in said county.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 23d day of February, A. D. 1901.

By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate,
[SEAL.] Crow Wing Co., Minn.

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Lindbergh & Blanchard Attorneys for Petitioners

### Notice of Expiration of Redemption from Tax Sale of Absolute Property.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Crow Wing. }

To STELLA MICHAUD:

TAKE NOTICE.

That the tract of land assessed in your name, situate in the County of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota, and described as follows to-wit: NE¼ SW¼ of Section 34, Town 47, Range 29, was pursuant to the porvisions of Chapter 322 of the General Laws of the year 1899, at the sale of forfeited lands, pursuant to real estate tax judgment amounting to Thirty four dollars and 17 cents, entered in the District Court in said County of Crow Wing on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1900, in proceedings to enforce the payments of taxes upon said real estate delinquent in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (1897) and for any prior year or years for said County, which sale was held at Brainerd, in said county, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1900, sold for the sum of seventeen dollars and no cents, said sum being the highest bid therefor; and the amount required to release the said tract of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Forty Dollars and 75 cents, being all of the original taxes, interest, penalties and costs due thereon, and that the time for redemption of said land will expire sixty days after the service of this notice, and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Dated February 13th, 1901.

A. MAHLUM,
10-3 Auditor of Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

### Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 16, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on Tuesday, April 2d, 1901, viz: Charles J. Oberg, H. E. 16,396, for the SE¼ NW¼, NE¼ SW¼ and S½ SW¼, Section 2, Township 46, Range 29.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Oscar Gallberg, Charles G. Theorin, Lars J. Sall, Kilmar Palmborg, P. O. address of all, Deerwood, Crow Wing Co., Minn.

M. D. TAYLOR, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Andrew Erickson, Alfred Carlson, Andrew Johnson, Gust Kolmer, P.O. address of all, Pequot, Crow Wing Co., Minn.

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# ARMY BILL IS PASSED

SENATE APPROVES THE MEASURE BY A VOTE OF 43 TO 18.

## BOTH AMENDMENTS CARRY

**Propositions for a Temporary Government in the Philippines and for Future Relations With Cuba Are Adopted—An Avalanche of Passionate Oratory Precedes Final Action. House Has a Busy Day.**

Washington, Feb. 28.—The senate by a vote of 43 to 18 has passed the army appropriation bill, containing the propositions of the majority for a temporary government of the Philippines and for the future relations between the United States and Cuba. Many amendments were offered to both propositions, but were voted down.

Not since the enactment of the resolutions declaring a state of war to exist between the United States and Spain has there been such an avalanche of passionate oratory as the senate listened to during the day. Throughout the session the army appropriation bill was under discussion, the controverted questions being the Spooner Philippine amendment and the Platt Cuban amendment. Curiously enough the debate was confined entirely to the Democratic side of the chamber with one exception. Both amendments were denounced as vicious and pernicious legislation, subversive of the Constitution of the United States and unparalleled in the history of legislative enactments.

The most noted speech of the day was delivered by Mr. Bacon of Georgia. He had been thoroughly aroused by reports that Democratic members had been induced by questionable means to

**Withdraw Their Objection**

to the proposed legislation and he passionately denounced as a libel upon honor of men or senators any such statement. He would defeat the amendments if he could although he realized the majority would have to accept the responsibility for them. His arraignment of the administration for "coercing" congress into enacting such provisions in the closing hours of the session was sensationally fierce and he declared the only possible object of such legislation was that "the plunderers and vultures" might have an opportunity to prey upon the prostrate land of the Filipinos.

Senators Turner of Washington, Tillman of South Carolina, Pettigrew of South Dakota, Hoar of Massachusetts, Teller of Colorado, Mallory of Florida, Lindsay of Kentucky, Culberson of Texas, Jones of Arkansas, Simon of Mississippi, Allen of Nebraska and others addressed the senate, all of whom denounced the proposed legislation.

During the early part of the day the conference report upon the fortifications appropriation bill was accepted by the senate.

### BUSY DAY IN THE HOUSE.

**Conference Reports on Three Important Bills Agreed To.**

Washington, Feb. 28.—The house had a busy day of routine agreeing to the conference reports on the fortification, District of Columbia and the military academy bills, the last named containing the anti-hazing legislation. The naval appropriation bill was sent back to conference after the defeat of a motion to concur in the senate's provision for three more submarine torpedo boats. The Louisiana purchase exposition bill, which has been in a precarious preliminary state, was finally sent to conference for an adjustment of differences. Several bills for statues were disposed of by preliminary maneuvers. The revenue cutter bill also received a reverse, the house adjourning when an effort was made to take it up.

**Sundry Civil Bill Ready.**

Washington, Feb. 28.—The senate committee on appropriations has completed the consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. The committee recommends the addition of appropriations amounting to $3,372,872 and reductions reaching $219,000, the net total carried by the bill being $62,759,780.

### MORE REPUBLICANS BOLT.

**Supporters of Rosewater Withdraw From Senatorial Caucus.**

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 28.—Eight more members of the legislature, making 15 in all, have deserted the Republican senatorial caucus. The eight new absentees comprise the entire Republican delegation from Douglass county. They are supporters of Edward Rosewater for long term senator. As justification for their action they claim that certain Republican members of the legislature have declared that they would not support Rosewater if he was nominated.

**Boys Wreck a Passenger Train.**

Marshall, Mo., Feb. 28.—Four boys, inmates of the poor farm, situated near the Chicago and Alton railway, near here, conspired to wreck a passenger train. They put fish plates and small railroad iron on the track. The train struck the obstructions, tore holes in the car floors and cut the air brakes. Three of the boys are now in jail. They say they did it "just for fun."

### NEW STEEL COMBINE.

**Will Have a Capacity of Half the Country's Pig Iron Output.**

Cleveland, Feb. 28.—It is learned from a reliable source that the newly organized United States Steel corporation takes in companies owning 78 blast furnaces, 149 steel works and 6 finishing plants. This includes bar mills, structural steel and plate mills, tin plate mills, sheet mills and wire rod and wire nail mills. The annual capacity in finished material is about 9,000,000 tons. The company owns Lake Superior iron mines, which produced last year nearly 11,000,000 tons of ore. It has 18,309 coke ovens, 70,830 acres of coal lands and about 30,000 acres of surface lands in the coal region. Its lake fleet will number 66 vessels. When the Rockefeller ore and vessel interests are absorbed, which, it is said, will probably be done later, the iron ore capacity will be increased about 2,000,000 tons a year and the number of lake vessels by 69, making 125 large ore carriers in all. A conservative estimate of the number of men employed by the company's various interests puts it at 125,000. The capacity of the consolidation's 78 blast furnaces is upwards of 6,500,000 tons of pig iron a year, or half the pig iron output of the United States in 1900.

### MAY OVERTURN THE DEAL.

**Holders of National Tube Stock Dissatisfied With Trust's Terms.**

Pittsburg, Feb. 28.—The Pittsburg Leader says: The stockholders of the National Tube company in this city are not satisfied with the allotment made them by the Morgan syndicate in the issue of the proposed United States steel corporation for their shares in the National Tube company. So decided is the dissatisfaction that there are some of the stockholders who say that they will positively refuse to make an exchange of securities unless they are accorded more favorable terms. Indeed the temper of some of the stockholders is such that there is grave danger of the tube people overturning the whole deal as it is now proposed unless some concession is made to them.

### FOR PRIZES IN ORATORY.

**Northern Oratorical League Given a Permanent Fund.**

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Frank O. Lowden of Chicago has sent a check for $3,000 to the officers of the Northern Oratorical league as a permanent endowment fund, the interest of which is to be used to pay the annual prizes awarded by the league to the two best orators in the institutions represented in the organization. The Northern Oratorical league, which Mr. Lowden has thus made self-supporting and permanent, is made up of the universities of Michigan, Northwestern, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Chicago and Oberlin college. The interest on the $3,000 will amount to $150 annually, $100 of which will be given as a first prize and $50 as a second prize at each of the future contests of the league.

**Engineers on Great Lakes Strike.**

Cleveland, Feb. 28.—As a result of the refusal of the Lake Carriers' association to grant the demands of the marine engineers for additional help in the engine rooms of steamers National President George Uhler has declared a strike in force, affecting about 1,800 engineers on the Great Lakes. The strike order affects all members of the engineers' organization, on passenger as well as on freight boats. It is said fully 85 per cent of the engineers of the Great Lakes are members of the organization.

**Was Trying the Cudahy Scheme.**

Bonner Springs, Kan., Feb. 28.—M. D. Bearden, a respected citizen, is under arrest here for connection with an attempt to force $1,000 from Frank Warner, cashier and principal owner of the bank at this place, under pain of death to himself and wife or the kidnapping of his child. Bearden was arrested while making off with a bag of slugs supposed to contain money and which was left at a point designated in a threatening letter received by the banker.

**Died in Each Other's Arms.**

Pueblo, Colo., Feb. 28.—A special to The Chieftain from La Junta, Colo., says the bodies of Louis Burch and Addie Taylor, both 18 years of age, residents of La Junta, were found in an abandoned house a mile south of town. They were locked in each other's arms and each had been shot through the head. Parental opposition to their marriage caused the double suicide.

**Eight-Hour Day for British Miners.**

London, Feb. 28.—The house of commons after a lengthy debate passed the second reading of the bill restricting the work of miners to eight hours daily by 212 to 199 votes. The bill is a private measure. The opponents of the restriction of the hours of labor insisted that such action would enormously enhance the price of coal.

**Oil Found in South Carolina.**

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 28.—The reported discovery of oil near Kings Mountain battlefield has caused considerable excitement in York county, S. C., and Cleveland and Gaston counties, N. C., where many options have been given on land.

**Brained His Stepfather.**

Columbus, Ind., Feb. 28.—George Jewett, aged 20, brained his stepfather, Austin Malloy, with an axe. Malloy on going to his home had started trouble with his family.

# THIN END OF THE WEDGE

RECENT SUCCESSES IN SOUTH AFRICA SO REGARDED BY THE BRITISH.

## GENERAL FRENCH THE HERO

**Controlling Hand of Kitchener Recognized Under Every Circumstance. Constant Hammering Expected to Reduce Operations to Dacoit Stage. Believed Each Commandant Will Have to Be Subdued Separately.**

London, Feb. 28.—General French's most recent success, combined with the other advantages gained by the British forces in South Africa, has created, a representative of the Associated Press learns, a most hopeful feeling in the war office here. Lord Raglan, under secretary for war, described it as being the "thin end of the wedge," and this also is the opinion of the military critics, who reiterate that while the war cannot be expected to end with a sudden stroke, this constant capturing of men, guns and supplies and horses means that the operations will soon be reduced to a Dacoit stage.

General French is quite the hero of the hour on Pall Mall, though, of course, General Kitchener's controlling hand is recognized under every circumstance. It is felt by Mr. Broderick and Lord Roberts that so long as the British forces are doing something to diminish the Boers' supply of men, mounts and ammunition they are achieving the only possible objective at present in sight.

It is not believed to be at all likely General Kitchener will grant any armistice as a preliminary to peace, or, if he does, he will not let the war office know of it until he learns the result. In fact small reliance is placed upon such an offer, for if General Botha gave in the war office is inclined to consider that his action would only affect the force under his immediate, individual command, and that the same policy which is now being pursued would have to be continued against the other Boer forces operating in vicinities far removed from the Boer commander-in-chief.

### HAS BOTHA SURRENDERED?

**London Paper Publishes an Unconfirmed Dispatch.**

London, Feb. 28.—The Daily Chronicle, which has received a report which it believes trustworthy but which it has no means of verifying, that General Botha has surrendered to Lord Kitchener, says:

"According to an earlier report General Botha was to have been received in Lord Kitchener's camp about the end of this week, but if the foregoing dispatch is true events have ripened with unexpected rapidity."

Bennett Burleigh wires to The Daily Telegraph from De Aar under Tuesday's date as follows:

"The Orange river runs high. Our columns are tightening their grip upon Steyn, Dewet and Hertzog near Petrusville and our patrols have been engaged. I anticipate that a general action is about to be fought and the contest is liable to prove serious."

The dispatches from Pretoria locate General Botha with a small force north of Middleburg. They point out that he is probably making for the headquarters of Commandant Viljoen and the seat of the Boer government beyond Roosendal. Viljoen has been at Roosendal for the past few days, but there is no other information than that relied on by The Daily Chronicle that General Botha has surrendered.

### WRECK OF THE RIO DE JANEIRO.

**Captain and Pilot Are Charged With Criminal Negligence.**

San Francisco, Feb. 28.—The coroner's jury held an inquest over the 11 bodies recovered from the steamer Rio de Janeiro, returning their verdict during the evening. The jury charges Captain Ward, who was drowned, and Pilot Jordan with criminal negligence. The Pacific Mail Steamship company is censured for having had a Chinese crew on the steamer. Second Officer Graham Cortland is commended for heroic conduct in saving lives.

**Edward Heads the Naval List.**

London, Feb. 28.—In the March issue of the official naval list there is an interesting innovation. King Edward appears as head of the navy. Until now the naval list has not recognized the existence of the monarch and the omission was the result of the old struggles between the crown and parliament.

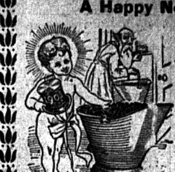
**Fourteen Bodies Found.**

Kemmerer, Wy., Feb. 28.—So far 14 bodies of the victims of the Diamondville mine fire have been recovered. The bodies were all lying on their faces and showed every evidence of asphyxiation. The rescuing party experiences much difficulty on account of the gas with which the mine is flooded.

**Remove Verdi's Remains.**

Milan, Feb. 28.—The remains of Guiseppe Verdi, the composer, were removed with much ceremony from the cemetery to the home for aged musicians founded by Verdi. Troops lined the route between the cemetery and the home and an immense concourse of people witnessed the ceremony.


A Happy New Year.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## Local News Condensed.

Saws filed at Hoffman's.

It is now reported the electric lights will be turned on March 10th.

Frank O'Neil and Kate Everling, both of this county, were granted a license to marry on Monday, the 25th.

C. H. White went to Cameron yesterday with a force of men to construct a ware-house for Bolin & Wood.

A five-year-old boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Ellis, was run over and killed at Little Falls Saturday while catching onto "bobs."

The shafting and machinery has this week been installed into the new blacksmith shop at the shops, and it is now ready for occupancy.

Little Falls Transcript: Chas. Gravel has just completed the shipment of a number of cars of oak lumber to Brainerd, to be used in th Northern Pacific shops.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Benjamin entertained a party of friends at progressive euchre last Friday evening. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening enjoyed.

E. L. Cederholm, who has been confined to his home with rheumatic fever for the past two weeks, is reported much better, and will probably be able to be out again in a day or two.

H. H. Highfield has sold his Front street news stand and candy store to Louis Hohman, jr., who will take possession April 1st. Mr. Highfield will go to Washington or Oregon to farm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Losey entertained the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. at dinner on Monday evening, in honor of Secretary Glazier, who left the following day for Georgia.

A game of basket ball will be played tomorrow evening at Gardner Hall between two teams of High school girls, after which the boys' team will give an exhibition game. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged.

Mr and Mrs. M. K. Swartz entertained a party of friends on Tuesday evening, the occasion being the 45th anniversary of Mr. Swartz's birth. The evening was spent in progressive euchre. Refreshments were served and a most delightful evening was enjoyed.

The ladies of the Congregational church announce that they have been successful in securing an engagement of the greatest musical attraction of the season on the evening of April 12th. This company is now appearing to crowded houses. Further notice given next week.

Frank Kramer, of East Brainerd, was given a pleasant surprise last Friday evening by a party of friends, the occasion being his 30th birthday. He was presented with an elegant violin and case as a token of esteem. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening enjoyed.

On Wednesday D. Mahoney let a contract to A. Everett for the construction of a fine, modern 10 room residence property on 9th street north, on lots purchased by Mr. Mahoney last fall. Work on the building will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Mrs. Ella Kirkpatrick was arrested on Wednesday morning charged with immoral conduct. She plead not guilty in court, and her case was continued until Monday, March 4th, her bail being fixed at $100. She was given a 30 days sentence some time ago on the same charge, but was released when half served by her fine being paid.

The fire department was called out Wednesday afternoon to a burning chimney at the residence of T. A. Marten on 8th street north. As the fire team was racing down Front street, a farmers team standing in front of the Sleeper hotel became frightened by the fire team as it passed and raced after them and as Driver A. H. Bennett slackened up to make the turn at the corner of Front and Eighth, the runaway team dashed into the rear end of the fire wagon. It was astonishing to see the agility with which the fire boys rolled off to escape the crash with the runaways. One of the runaway horses was thrown by the crash, but staggered to his feet and they continued on down Eighth street, while the fire outfit was not injured and continued on to the fire.

## CHURCH WORK AND SERVICES.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church will conduct services Sunday. The Lord's supper will be administered at the morning hour.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. A. H. Carver, Norwood street, next Wednesday afternoon, March 6th, from 2:30 to 4:30.

St. Paul's Episcopal church: Holy Communion 9.45 a. m.; Litany, Holy Communion and sermon 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 12:15. Evening service and sermon 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon: "Searching for Happiness." Evening: "The Miracles. The Nobleman's Son Restored." A most hearty invitation is extended all to attend the services.

The special services now being conducted at the M. E. church by the pastor, who is ably assisted by the Rev. J. L. Glascock, of Cincinnati, Ohio, are growing in interest and power. At every evening service persons are saved, and many of the church are being sanctified. God is wonderfully stirring up the church, and we are looking for a mighty revival between now and Sunday. There will be service this afternoon, tonight and Saturday night. Brother Glascock will preach at each service. He will also preach on Sunday morning and evening. Subject for evening service: "Bucking the Tiger and Seeing the Elephant." We extend a hearty and cordial invitation to all to attend these blessed services. Come and bring your friends.

The entertainment at Gardner Hall last night by Gavin Spence and Miss Flora McDonald, the Scottish entertainers, was one of the most enjoyable ever given in this city.

Mr. William Cameron, of Newark, New Jersey, who had charge of the original construction of the Water Company's filters, is at the Arlington. When Mr. Cameron was here before he was in the employ of the New York Filter Manufacturing Co. Since then he has been in South America installing a system of filters for the government at Bogota, Columbia. The purpose of Mr. Cameron's visit to Brainerd is to remodel the Water Company's filteration plant. The machinery will be completely overhauled, and a new set of coagulating tanks, of an improved pattern, will be added. The Water Company is making heavy expenditures in the improvements, and hopes through them to materially increase the efficiency of the filters.

Do you want a cook stove or range? See D. M. Clark & Co. Easy terms.

### DEATHS.

Joseph Schwendeman, an old resident of Oak Lawn, died on Saturday, Feb. 23rd, of paralysis, aged 56 years. The funeral services were held in St. Francis church in this city on Tuesday, the 26th inst., Rev. Father Lynch officiating.

Geo. Oleson, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Oleson, died at the family home on Bluff avenue yesterday, of measles. The funeral services will be held at the house on Sunday, March 3rd, Rev. Anderson officiating.

Refrigerators, Cupboards, Crockery and tables at the Rummage sale.

### Elected a Secretary.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held last evening to elect a new secretary. The international secretary, a Mr. Hamilton, of Cleveland, Ohio, and State Secretary Peck, of Minneapolis, were in the city and present at the meeting. They recommended to the board for local secretary, Mr. A. L. Wilhelm, of Kankakee, Ill., recommending him as competent in every way, and he was extended a call by the board and will probably accept.

J. F. McGinnis & Co. are offering their whole line of Artics and Rubbers at cost for thirty days.

### Mail Car on the B. & N. M.

General Manager W. H. Gemmel, and Master Mechanic J. N. Sanborn, of the B. & N. M. R'y, were in St. Paul last week to purchase a car suitable for being made into a mail car. The purchase was made of a car off the old St. Paul and Duluth, and it will be fitted up at once for this purpose. This indicates that a mail car will be put on that road very soon, and is a much needed facility.

The "Rummage sale" will open March 18 with a fine line of house furnishings.

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## PERTINENT PERSONAL NOTES.

Geo. D. Bar went to Cass Lake on Tuesday noon.

John Congdon, jr., went to St. Paul on Tuesday.

Ex-Mayor Koop went to Sauk Center on Saturday.

Freeman Thorpe, of Hubert Lake, went to St. Paul on Monday.

Miss Inga Miller returned from Elm Dale, Minn., on Saturday.

Miss Lillie Koop returned to St. Paul on Monday to attend school.

Mrs. J. W. Koop and Mrs. Lewis went to St. Paul on Saturday noon.

Attorney Peterson, of Long Prairie, was a Brainerd visitor on Wednesday.

Master Mechanic S. L. Bean was in Washburn, Wis., last Saturday on business.

Mrs. Annie Lawrence, of Staples, visited Brainerd relatives the first of the week.

N. H. Ingersoll attended the state Editorial Association meeting in St. Paul on Thursday.

L. W. Chase came down from Walker Saturday to spend Sunday with his family in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parks entertained a party of friends at progressive euchre on Saturday night.

Mrs. H. W. Congdon has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Hance, of Fargo, the past week.

David Cohen returned on Tuesday from the Pacific coast, and will go to work in the N. P. shops again.

Judge Bruener, of St. Cloud, is in the city today to argue a contest case before Clerk W. A. M Johnston.

Ed McCarthy has resigned his position as clerk in the store-keeper's office at the shops and gone to Helena, Mont.

Hans Paterson left Sunday night for Spokane, Washington. He will visit other points in the state and may locate there.

Mrs. John Fraser is entertaining her sister, Mrs. E. R. Bailey and Miss Flora MacDonald, of Helena, Mont., this week.

Mrs. Mary Crowell, mother of City Attorney W. H. Crowell, returned to her home in Kimball, Minn., after visiting here for the past month.

Isaac Seymour, for several years division store keeper of the N. P. at this point, was in the city last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Seymour is now located at St. Paul.

Herman Linneman returned yesterday morning from a six months trip through the western states. He will go to work for S. & J. W. Koop.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: J. H. Burton, of Brainerd, is the guest of his old friend, Geo. Botham. He was formerly yardmaster for the Northern Pacific at Brainerd.

D. F. Carmichael, chief clerk at the shops, was in St. Paul on Monday. His brother, Bailey Carmichael, returned with him and has accepted a position in the store room.

O. C. Foster went to Philbrook, Minn., on Wednesday to visit his brother, who several days ago suffered a loss by fire of a stock of goods worth $4,000, and had only $1,500 insurance.

Wm. McLaughlin, formerly the manager of the creamery, and who was indicted at the last term of court for burning the same, has arrived in the city, to stand trial at the March term of court next week.

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His plea had come too late.

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Wall paper—D. M. Clark & Co's spring stock just arrived.

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## DISTRICT COURT NEXT WEEK.

### Judge McClenahan's First Appearance—A Lengthy Calendar, And a Long Term.

The March term of the district court for this county will convene next Tuesday morning at 10 a. m. It will be the first appearance of Judge McClenahan on the bench in this city. The term will probably be quite long, as the calendar is much larger than usual, and contains many important cases, particularly the Martin Courtney case, which has twice been tried and appealed to the supreme court, and in each case the lower court has been reversed and a new trial ordered. Each former trial resulted in a verdict for plaintiff, the first for $1,200, and the second for $2,000. There are also several other cases of great importance, including the case of Geo. Brookway against Parker & Topping for $25,000 and cost for a broken leg received by a casting striking him, and the case of Candice E. Grant against the city for $5,000. The time for filing notes of issue expired on Tuesday and the calendar has been made up and printed, and is as follows:

CIVIL CASES.

1. L. J. Cale vs. R. Woods & Son.
2. Ernestune Moody vs. G. Adolph Moody. Action for divorce.
3. Margaret K. Martin vs. Dr. Walter Courtney.
4. Frank Hall vs. Charles Heath.
5. Bonness & Co. vs. E. G. Hartew.
6. G. H. Smith, vs. Ingersoll & Wieland.
7. Alice J. Green vs. B. & N. M. Ry, personal injury.
8. J. C. Congdon vs. A. G. Gallup et al.
9. Bonness & Co. vs. Wm. Ralston et al.
10. Louis Schaefer vs. Max Waltz.
11. Anna Hoober vs. Miss. & Rum River Boom Co. Damages for overflow of land.
12. Kate Rogers vs. J. H. Koop.
13. Wells Stone Mer. Co. vs. Jas. Sherry.
14. Joseph Matte vs. Miss. & Rum River Boom Co.
15. George Brockway vs. Parker & Topping. Personal injury.
16. Candice E. Grant vs. The City of Brainerd.
17. Anna Barber vs. The Northern Boom Co.
18. Louisa A. Olts vs. Bonness & Co.
19. Cluff Brothers vs. The Northern Boom Co.
20. Schlitz Brewing Co. vs. Jas. B. Moore.
21. E. G. Hartew vs. Bonness & Co.
22. John Husom vs. B. & N. M. Ry. Personal injury.
23. D. L. Waterbury vs. E. Salberg & Co.
24. John Batchelder vs. Jonas Lundberg.
25. N. S. Hoffman vs. Jud. Wright.
26. Albert E. Miller vs. Village of Pillager et al.
27. Clark Bassett vs. J. F. Watsick and wife.
28. Henry Kaatz vs. N. P. Ry Co.
29. A. O. Narrows vs. Jane Hudson.

The last three cases are appealed from the municipal court. Probably a half dozen other cases will be put on the calendar on motion of the attorneys.

There are four cases on the criminal calendar as follows:

CRIMINAL CASES.

State of Minnesota vs. John Ryan and Lotta Nash.

State of Minnesota vs. John Tift, appealed from municipal court.

City of Brainerd vs. A. F. Groves. Appealed from the municipal court.

State of Minnesota vs. Wm. J. McLaughlin, indicted for burning the creamery.

In addition to the above there are four cases to come before the grand jury, and will be tried this term, as follows:

Dan Lambert and Sam Anderson, held for robbery in the second degree, for robbing John McDonald on Oct. 16th, near Mississippi wagon bridge.

Jas. Sullivan, held for robbery for touching Rudolph Werster in Parsons saloon.

J. Adrean, for passing forged time check on Westfall Bros.

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