

# THE BRAINER DISPATCH

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## CALE & BANE'S DEPARTMENT STORE.

<b>GROCERIES.</b> Fine Teas And Coffees A Specialty. Fresh Country Eggs and Butter	<b>MEATS.</b> Fresh Oysters. Spring Chicken. Spring Lamb. Best Kansas City Beef. Fins Steaks. Prompt Delivery in the city.	<b>DRY GOODS.</b> New Fall Stock of <b>DRY GOODS</b> Just Received. Largest and Best in the City.
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### Cash Paid for Potatoes.

## The Big Store.

### School Days Are Here Again.

The youngsters will naturally require all kinds of "fixings" and we are prepared to supply them at lowest prices. We have **School Suits** for all ages; to suit all purposes; for the careful and drowsy boy; for the rough and ready little fellows, who require something almost as tough as leather, all good materials, suits all wool, wear resisting, well made, the kind that has made our Boys' Clothing Department the most popular in Brainerd.

School Suits at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. School Suits for 3 to 10 years. For the larger boys to \$5.00 for boys from 8 to 16 years. These we have as low as \$2.50 and as high as \$10.00, or at any price you wish in between.

We carry also a swell line of Boys shirts, both in soft and starched, white or colored and collars to match, just what the lads want for school wear.

Do you need any boys short or long pants? We have a large assortment of same, all the latest patterns. Knee pants from 19c to \$1.00.

We have also just what you want in School Shoes for girls, boys and children, shoes that we can guarantee to wear, and prices that will suit you to a T.

**MRS. B. KAATZ & SON,**  
203-205 Kindred Street, East Brainerd.

### RHODES & PAINE,



### Wagon Carriage Makers

Full line of carriage and wagon material always on hand and for sale, including wheels of all grades. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction as to Price and Work.

### Pat- American Expedition.

For the above occasion tickets will be sold by the Northern Pacific Railway Co. for the round trip as follows: One and one-third fares to St. Paul, and from St. Paul via standard lines \$23.50; via differential line \$31.35. On sale daily up to and including Sept. 30th, 1901. Tickets will require continuous passage in each direction. Final limit 15 days from date of sale.

### How to Save Rent.

Houses for sale—small cash payment. Your rent money for balance. P. B. Vesterhus, 17. Palace hotel.

### ITS SUCCESS IS NOW ASSURED.

All the Exhibits are Now in and the County Fair is interesting.

### THE RACES ARE PULLED OFF.

To-day will be Business Men's Day and Large Crowds are Expected.

The weather looked very threatening Wednesday afternoon and consequently there were many who did not venture out with their exhibits, but the merchants of the city, the ladies and many gardeners had done much toward getting their exhibits in shape.

In the fine arts building on the first floor there are some great exhibits by many merchants of the city. C. B. Bane, H. P. Dunn & Co., Lineman & Carlson, R. F. Walters, A. E. Hoffman and Johnson's pharmacy have booths. On the second floor the fine arts exhibits are pouring in. Mrs. A. M. Opeahl is in charge of this department and any one having something to exhibit should see her. A. M. Opeahl, the photographer, has a fine display already in, and many more exhibits have been added this morning.

Assistant Secretary Wilson presides in the secretary's office and has been pretty busy the first two days taking the entries.

A large tent has been put up between the fine arts building and machinery hall to be used for the poultry exhibits. Already there are numerous collections of fowls.

W. F. Holst and J. C. Hessel have been busy getting their exhibits ready in machinery hall. A fine line of machinery, carried by these two gentlemen, will be on exhibition.

Between the machinery hall and the building where the farm and garden produce are exhibited, the ladies of the First Congregational church have had erected a tent where they will serve lunches at any time for ten cents; regular meals will be twenty-five cents.

All the stalls for stock are well filled, many farmers having brought in their choice heads yesterday afternoon, last night and this morning. It is expected that the stock exhibit this year will show up especially well.

In the hall for farm and garden produce there are entries of produce that would make some of the older counties of the state hump some of the dust. The display in the center of the building by the Brainerd green-house is especially attractive.

The ladies of the First Congregational church, who have the exclusive privilege of serving meals on the grounds, are using Cleary, McManis & Elmwood's famous Mocha and Java coffee.

Cale & Bane are serving their friends on the grounds with a cup of coffee free. The coffee is made from their celebrated "Aromatic" brand.

To-day will be business men's day and Secretary Halsted has requested that all stores be closed. There will undoubtedly be a big crowd at the grounds to-day. There will be some good races in the afternoon, and the event of the day will be the presence of Senator Moses Clapp who will deliver an address from the grand stand.

Another feature of to-day will be the presence of the grounds of Hon. John Cooper, president of the State Fair Association. He wrote Secretary Halsted that he was pleased to be the guest of the Agricultural Society for a day.

The two dog arguments, "Tops" and "Prize" will create a great furor to-day, when they will appear for the first time. They will make two sessions, one tomorrow and one Saturday and this in itself will be worth the price of admission to the fair grounds.

The special train will leave the N. P. depot at 11:15 o'clock sharp. This will be the only day that the special will be run to the grounds. The

## New Goods Arriving Daily

Of Extraordinary Purchases made while in the East.

### Lucky Opportunities to Buy Goods Now

Come and Keep on Coming. **THIS WEEK** will show the advantage of Early buying. We mention a few things of Special interest.

One case of Children's heavy Fleece lined Underwear. Special Price, only.....	19c
Your choice of Children's heavy Fleece lined Underwear, Pajamas and Ribbed, Special price.....	25c
One case Ladies Heavy Fleece lined Ribbed Underwear. Special value.....	25c
One case men's Ribbed Fleece lined Underwear special value at 25c and.....	50c

### Underwear Sale.

One thousand pairs of men's, boys' and Ladies' Shoes at less than cost of making.

Two Hundred pairs, boys' fine and heavy Shoes. Your choice.....	98c
Three hundred pairs men's fine and heavy shoes, including some kangaroo calf stock that are high priced.....	98c
Your choice of One hundred pairs men's fine slippers, including aligator and patent leather, worth up to \$2.00, your choice.....	75c
One hundred pairs Ladies Dergola Kid shoes, lace and latest toe, only.....	85c

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### Men's Gloves.

25 dozen men's Sheep Skin Gloves. For pairs only.....	10c
Ten dozen men's Good muslin lined, only.....	25c

We are getting ready for fall business with a larger stock than ever, and invite all careful economical buyers to visit our store before buying. Prices will be made interesting.

## A. E. MOBERG,

Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes,  
516, 518, Front Street, Brainerd.

### SHOWED HER A TRICK OR TWO N. P. BUILDS NEW SHOPS.

Youth of Crow Wing is not Discouraged in His Pursuit for a Life Partner.

The marriage record in the office of the clerk of court shows up a queer state of affairs in reference to a girl standing in the village of Crow Wing, who has, it is understood, had some very checkered experiences of late in trying to get a life partner, who would "share with him and comfort him."

On August 30, as the records show, this youth made application for a license to wed a fair beauty of Crow Wing. The wedding was to have occurred a few nights after the license was secured. Everything was in readiness. The invitations had been sent out, special attention had been given to the arrangements for the elaborate nuptial event, the bride had given her hubby-to-be a steam-heated touch for \$35 to buy her wedding frock and she was bedecked from pit to dome with all the fineries that this amount will purchase. As the great draw nigh the young lady aghast and took a trip to the Twin Cities, ostensibly for a visit, but she did not return at the appointed hour nor any other old hour thereafter.

This course jarred the groom-to-be somewhat, but he recovered in time to get to Brainerd on Sept. 8, having in tow a new prospect to the matrimonial crowd. He secured another license and he did not care to take any further chances so went and got Judge McFadden and the knot was tied then and there. They returned to Crow Wing and as the young man with his bride drove from the city he wore a sort of slow-will-you-be-good air and looked happy.

It is understood that the management of the Northern Pacific expects to show an increase in earnings of over \$6,000,000 during the ensuing year. With a jump of about \$5,000,000 in the fiscal year which is indicated for this year will not be short of phenomenal.—Minneapolis Times.

### Law Knocked Out.

Judge Elliot decided yesterday that the garnishee law passed at the last session of the legislature, which provides that the salaries of city officers can be attached for debt, is invalid. In the case at the bar, garnishment proceedings were begun against the city treasurer and the although the papers were served Aug. 28. The court holds that the date of disclosure was set at Oct. 10 and that the garnishee law was not in effect at that time. The court holds that the date of disclosure was set so far back in order to worry the debtor, and that it was an abuse of the power of the court.—Minneapolis Times.

### BEARS ARE NUMEROUS.

Several Have Been Seen in the Vicinity of Gull Lake, Two Having Been Killed Sunday.

There have been some lively bear hunts about Gull Lake within the past week or two. Last Sunday an old German farmer by the name of Topp, who lives near Gull Lake, while lazily laying about the house was surprised to find his dog very much agitated over something. Shouldering his rifle he went out some distance from the house, and to his surprise saw a great big female bear standing in the thicket not far away. He raised his rifle and fired and immediately thereafter he saw another bear. She was found not far away, the bullet having performed its deadly purpose. He then went back to locate the two cubs, which he thought he had killed by one of them had made its escape and he thinks probably that he did not injure that one very much. The other cub lies dead near the body of the slain bear. W. S. Hills, of this city, on the same afternoon was confronted by a big bear on the middle of the road near Gull Lake and he and a friend have purchased a good rifle and are going out after it.

There are a great many white oak acorns in the vicinity of Gull Lake, and as the bear is very fond of these it is thought that this is the reason why the beasts are so bold.





**A Baby's Birth**

It is very much like the blossoming of a flower. Its beauty and perfection depends upon the soil upon which it grows. The soil upon which the baby grows is the mother's health. If the mother is weak and feeble, the baby will be born with a weak constitution. It should be kept in mind that the mother's health is the foundation upon which the baby's health is built. If the mother is healthy, the baby will be born with a strong constitution. If the mother is weak, the baby will be born with a weak constitution. It is the mother's duty to keep her health in good condition during pregnancy. This can be done by taking a course of treatment with a medicine that will strengthen her system and improve her health. Such a medicine is **Mother's Friend**.

**Mother's Friend**

It is a medicine that will strengthen the mother's system and improve her health. It is a medicine that will help her to carry her baby safely and comfortably. It is a medicine that will help her to recover from the fatigue and weakness of pregnancy. It is a medicine that will help her to keep her health in good condition during pregnancy. It is a medicine that will help her to keep her baby healthy and strong. It is a medicine that will help her to keep her health in good condition during pregnancy. It is a medicine that will help her to keep her baby healthy and strong.

**Pennyroyal Pills**

It is a medicine that will help to relieve the pain and discomfort of menstruation. It is a medicine that will help to regulate the menstrual cycle. It is a medicine that will help to improve the health of the reproductive system. It is a medicine that will help to keep the reproductive system in good condition. It is a medicine that will help to keep the reproductive system healthy and strong. It is a medicine that will help to keep the reproductive system in good condition. It is a medicine that will help to keep the reproductive system healthy and strong.

**Ladies, Boys and Gentlemen.**

**GET Sign & House PAINTING.**

A practical knowledge of sign and house painting is a valuable asset for anyone who wants to succeed in business. This course will teach you the art of sign and house painting from the ground up. You will learn the latest techniques and methods used by the professionals. You will also learn how to estimate and manage a painting business. This course is suitable for both men and women. It is a course that will give you the skills and knowledge you need to succeed in the painting industry.

**Shipped With Care**

**KAISER BEER**

In Mug for **HAMM'S BEER**

It is a beer that is brewed with the finest ingredients and the most advanced brewing techniques. It is a beer that is known for its rich flavor and refreshing taste. It is a beer that is enjoyed by millions of people around the world. It is a beer that is a true classic. It is a beer that is a symbol of quality and excellence. It is a beer that is a source of pride and satisfaction. It is a beer that is a true classic. It is a beer that is a symbol of quality and excellence. It is a beer that is a source of pride and satisfaction. It is a beer that is a true classic.

**NORTHERN PACIFIC BANK**

Capital \$26,000. Surplus \$6,000.

General Banking Business Transacted. Your Account Solicited.

# WILL WIN THE BATTLE

## President McKinley Shot and Seriously Wounded at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Sept. 7.—President McKinley was shot and seriously wounded by a would-be assassin while holding a reception in the Temple of Music at the Pan-American exposition a few minutes after 4 o'clock p.m. The shot took effect in the right breast, the bullet passing through the right lung and lodging in the abdomen. The first hit was a serious nature and the bullet has been extracted. The letter placed the abdominal wall and has not been located.

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## WILL CONSIDER THE FEASIBILITY.

Committee Appointed by Governor Van Sant To Look Over Ground FOR THE NEW SANITARIUM.

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## How She Grows.

Some idea of the growth of the Minnesota state fair can be had from the following figures given gate receipts for the last eight years: In 1889 the receipts were \$17,616; in 1890 they were \$26,868; in 1891, \$40,535; in 1892, \$59,889; in 1893, \$86,951; in 1894, \$138,800; in 1895, \$205,028; in 1896, \$271,850. In eight years the gate receipts of the fair have increased over 400 per cent.

The increase from 1893 to 1895 was 58 per cent; from 1895 to 1896 the increase was 51 per cent; from 1896 to 1897 there was a decrease of 46 per cent, owing to the extraordinary attendance of 1896 because of the Grand Army encampment. From 1897 to 1898 there was an increase of 49 per cent; from 1898 to 1899 the increase was 46 per cent; from 1899 to 1900 it was but a fraction over 1 per cent; from 1900 to 1901 it was 30 per cent.

From 1896 to 1901 the increase was 30 per cent.

The attendance, calculated from the number of tickets taken in at the gate, was 158,958 last week; in 1900 it was 127,841 last year. Detailed comparisons with the same days are as follows: Monday, 25,619; Tuesday, 30,124 and 14,507; Wednesday, 33,000 and 33,646; Thursday, 43,321 and 49,234; Friday, 45,981 and 26,497; Saturday, 10,180 and 9,231.

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**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
Of Brainerd, Minn.

A. F. FERRIS, President  
G. D. LABAR, Cashier

**AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$200,000**  
Paid up Capital, \$50,000  
Surplus, \$30,000

Business accounts invited.





### BREATHES HER LAST IN FATHER'S ARMS.

#### Sudden Demise of Little Margaret to Baker Casts a Gloom Over City.

### THE FATHER SWOONS AWAY

#### And for a Time His Life Was Despaired of After Treatment by the Cause.

One of the saddest deaths in some time occurred Sunday morning about 7:30 o'clock when Margaret Baker, the nine-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker, passed away very suddenly and without warning in her father's arms. The little girl had complained some Saturday evening, but the parents of the child did not think there was anything serious the matter and as she felt all right at bed time no doctor was called. About 7:15 Sunday morning she woke and came to her father, complaining that she felt lousy. Mr. Baker, who is particularly enamored with the little girl, picked her up in his arms with affectionate solicitude, not thinking even then that there was anything the matter. He had so much affection for her that he took her in his arms and held her to his bosom when the little one gave a gasp and rolling her head backward on his arm breathed her last.

Mr. Baker was completely overcome with the sudden shock and swooned away himself. A physician was at once summoned and so overcome was the father that it was nearly two hours before he regained consciousness. Realizing that nothing could be done for the little girl the attention of the physician was directed to Mr. Baker. For a time it was thought that he would not recover, but he came to finally and this morning, although still very much grieved and overcome, was feeling some better.

The attending physician states that it was heart failure coupled with symptoms of diphtheria, which caused the death. It is a very sad case, Margaretta being a particularly bright child. All day Saturday she was in the best of spirits and showed no sign of sickness and it was not until the young life passed out that the seriousness of the situation was realized. She was a particularly loving little girl and it is a great shock to both father and mother.

Relative to the cause were telegraphed the details of the sudden taking off, but thinking another telegram was sent stating that it would be no use to come to Brainerd as the funeral, on account of the contagion, would have to be strictly private.

The funeral was held this afternoon from the family residence and interment took place in Kongress cemetery. The many friends of the family extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Baker in this dark hour.

### WERE NEARLY CLOTHED

#### Brainerd's Soldier Boys Made a Good Impression on the People of the Zenith City.

The following regarding the arrival of Company F, from the Duluth News-Tribune, will be of interest. About fifty of the soldier boys of Brainerd and Duluth left over the South Shore last evening for Buffalo, where the most of them will spend a couple of weeks taking in the exposition.

There were 34 of the boys of Company F of Brainerd. They were headed by Capt. Adair, and Lieutenant Wilkins was also along. Most of the Brainerd contingent were neatly dressed in new khaki uniforms. They presented a very fine appearance.

Only about 15 went from company O of Duluth. Major H. V. Era did not get away as Mrs. Era returned yesterday from a six weeks' visit to Eastern Canada and she was indisposed. They expect to leave later if Mrs. Era gets rested up. Major F. E. Beecher and Captain Little were accompanied by their wives. Lieutenant Johnston also was a member of the party.

To accommodate the military excursionists, the South Shore train carried an extra sleeper and an extra coach. The train made a very impressive appearance as it pulled out of the union depot.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's.

### CLOSED THE DEAL

#### J. H. Koop Has Sold a Large Tract of Land in Hubbard County For \$21,000.

The report published in this Dispatch some time ago to the effect that J. H. Koop had an offer of \$21,000 for a large tract of land in Hubbard county has been verified and Mr. Koop has now closed the deal according to the Journal-Press of St. Cloud from which was clipped the following:

J. H. Koop, the well-known Brainerd business man, was in the city over night, leaving this morning for Park Rapids, the county seat of Hubbard county. Mr. Koop was on his way home from Minneapolis and in that city Saturday completed negotiations for the sale of a large tract of Hubbard county lands to a Minneapolis man. Mr. Koop sold to Sam and E. Therpa, a prominent real estate owner and dealer of Minneapolis, a tract of land in Hubbard county comprising 1600 acres, amounting to 7.5 miles in two for six miles by the Minnesota & International railroad, and is hardwood timbered, and some of it having been cleared for the timber. The land was sold at \$3 per acre, and the net figure of \$21,000 was of course paid for the tract. Mr. Koop retains the timber rights in the tract for his own use for speculative purposes. His immediate neighbor, Park Rapids is to obtain complete abstracts of title of the land to be turned over to the purchaser.

Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H., "I purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough and relief was instantaneous with a cough doctor told me it was curable. One bottle relieved me, the second cured me almost, the third I am a well man." H. P. Dunn & Co.

### BRAINERD TO BE ENTERTAINED

#### The St. Cloud Lodge of Elks Makes Arrangements for a Great Time on Friday, Sept. 28.

The St. Cloud Journal-Press has the following regarding the entertainment to be given in that city in honor of Brainerd Lodge, B. P. O. E. The local lodge of Elks last evening formally voted to invite the Brainerd Elks to come to St. Cloud for a return game of ball, the league representing St. Cloud. Friday September 20 is the date of the event and the Brainerd lodge will be accompanied by St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth lodges and also by invited guests. Gov. Van Sant will be asked to honor the occasion with his presence. The band will be on the station and to play at the ball park. A social dinner will be held the evening, the entertainments to be given by home and out-of-town talent. The following committees were named to assure the success of the affair: Baschell, Dr. Davidson, Dr. Patton, H. J. West.

Social assistance being given by Scott, J. L. Donohue, G. J. McNaughton. Refreshments—John Doyle, J. A. McEwen and C. A. Herrick.

### THEY NEED INSTRUCTION.

#### The Crack Buttermakers of the State Need a Few Lessons on the Art.

E. B. White, of the state dairy and food department, who has charge of the butter and creamery inspection, has discovered that some of the crack buttermakers of the state who regularly walk off with premiums as fair and other contests, are those who most need instruction in the art of buttermaking, says the St. Paul Dispatch.

The butter at the state fair was scored on Monday of last week. On Saturday a number of experts went through the refrigerator and again inspected the butter. They found that the high score product had nearly all deteriorated in flavor. In fact, some of it had become rancid, while the greater part of the exhibit which had scored much lower had greatly improved in flavor. This proved to the experts that there was something radically wrong with the methods of the prize-winners. It is probably in the ripening of the cream.

Mr. White will look over the blanks in which the exhibitors describe their methods and determine wherein lies the defect, and will warn the makers. The aim of the instructors at the state school and over the state is to teach the butter-makers to make a butter that will improve in flavor with time, so that it will be at its best when it reaches the consumer, and the fellows who made the last batch of prize butter evidently missed this mark entirely.

A Little Known Fact. That the majority of serious disease originate in disorder of the kidneys. Foley's Kidney cure is guaranteed. Be sure to get Foley's. H. P. Dunn & Co. McRadden Drug Co.

### BRAINERD'S SCHOOL SHOWS UP WELL.

#### Inspector of State High Schools Submits His Eighth Annual Report.

### ATTENDANCE HERE IS GOOD.

#### The Report States that the Year Past Was in Many Respects Prosperous.

The eighth annual report of the inspector of state high schools is just out and it has been submitted to the state high school board.

Brainerd gets in line with 121 high school enrollments, 10 graduates, 21 daily classes with three instructors, all three being college graduates.

Under the head of expenditure for outfit Brainerd has spent \$620 for the instruction of chemistry, \$425 for physics, \$100 for natural science, \$15 for English literature, and \$365 for supplementary reading, making a total of \$1525. This itemized statement of expenditure is given school by school, throughout the state, and as a matter of justice the average expenditure of each school is given for the past four years.

Brainerd averages very well with most of the cities of its size in almost every of the items in its report of enrollment and expenditures in these studies just mentioned.

In his report the inspector says: "Sessions have been interrupted by a number of schools by the prevalence of contagious disease. Several deaths occurred in high school classes and the sessions of two of the schools were prolonged to the summer to make up for lost time, but I am happy to say that by the end of the school year no cases of alarm disappeared. Aside from interruption, stated, the year has been prosperous."

The wisdom of increasing state aid from \$400 per school to \$800 and again to \$1,000 has been shown by a general movement for an improvement in facilities and instruction. Once in a while a board may be found that reduces local taxation and the back virtually saying that now the state may take care of the school, but these boards are an exception and the people are not slow to take care of them. The general effect of increased aid has been to create a feeling that now we can afford a heating plant, or now we can spend money to renovate our school room. The money can be spared for library purposes, or now we best teachers will not be allowed to leave for larger salaries elsewhere.

"In the smaller towns particularly, the general public has been a decided relief, while in the larger towns, as well, the effect has been particularly happy. Public opinion is strongly agitated as to what a high school means, it is almost unanimous for the maintenance of high schools. I do not believe there are high schools in the state in which a board member could be elected on an out and out anti-high school platform. While an intelligent public policy must always be in favor of liberal support for normal schools and for a state university, I am free to assert that state aid to high schools ranks next to aid for rural schools as an efficient means of bringing education home to the people."

A Shocking Calamity. "Lately befell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Keilist, of Willford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Buckle's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Guaranteed. See Sold by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co."

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### CONVENTION OF SECRETARIES.

#### The Y. M. C. A. Secretaries of Northern Minnesota Meet Here Saturday.

The Y. M. C. A. secretaries of Northern Minnesota will hold a convention in this city on Saturday of this week.

It is expected that there will be quite a large attendance and the program which is being prepared will be an interesting one.

The Sunday session will also be very interesting and many of the prominent workers in "Y" work in the state will be present. Some Y. M. C. A. men of national reputation are expected to be present.

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### OFF FOR STATE SHOOT.

#### Brainerd Men Will Enter the Competition at Lake City—Preliminary Shoot at Anoka.

Franklin W. Britton and Francis Britton left Wednesday for Anoka where they will engage in the preliminary shoot before going to Lake City. The Britton brothers are both good shots, Franklin Britton holding a distinguished rifleman's badge. They will probably make a record at Lake city and many of their friends in this city expect to see them come home with high honors.

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## Neighborhood Gossip.

Five blind pigs were pulled at Jamestown, N. D. Chicken hunting in Hennepin county is said to be very tame. An attempt was made to burglarize the Redley, Robinson & Co. office at Moorhead Tuesday night. The boarder shade trees, of Kascon are completely overrun with red bugs and are in danger of being ruined. Geo. W. Martin, who for several years has been manager for Foley Bros., at Foley, has resigned and will engage in business at Duluth. The large Onesto, loaded with lumber from Duluth, sprang a leak near Sand Island. She was headed for Two Harbors and sank at the lock. Editor and Mrs. C. F. Hendrix, of Sauk Centre, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last night at their home by tendering an elaborate reception.

At Redwood Falls Silas Boyer, awaiting the action of the grand jury on the charge of assault on a young girl, walked away from jail and is still at large. The woman found near the railroad tracks at Rice died, and was buried at Rice at public expense. Her husband showed she was on her way from St. Paul to Lombard, Mont. F. E. Cavley has received word from Mr. Crowell, of Fargo, that men who are conducting the best sugar factory matter, will visit Little Falls within two weeks.—Transcript.

The Winona Typographical Union has declared a strike at all offices not signing the new union scale which reduces the hour of labor from nine and a half to nine hours at the former rate of pay. S. A. Gray left this morning for Bemidji and Cass Lake where he will engage men for his Dakota railroad contract and will take them personally. He shipped ten men from St. Cloud last night.—St. Cloud Journal Press.

The annual meeting of the State Dairyman's association will be held at Sauk Centre this year. This was determined at this morning at a meeting of the executive committee. The date was not definitely fixed, but it will be some time in December. The retail druggists of McLeod county have organized an auxiliary branch of the American Retail Druggists association. T. W. Horvick, Silver Lake, president; E. P. J. Hovron, Redwood, vice president; Frank Kadlec, Glenwood, secretary; S. B. Greaves, Glenwood, treasurer.

D. W. Lesch, better known to the people of Long Prairie as "Manhattan" and who was arrested some time ago at Moleky for appropriating money belonging to the insurance company, has been made over to the district court of Beltrami county.—Tribune Co. Argus.

William M. Clark, an employee of the N. P. shops at Brainerd, came down on the afternoon train last Sunday to visit his parents at St. Cloud. He was the guest of his brother, B. A. Clark, in this village on Monday, returning to Brainerd on the night train.—Sauk Rapids Sentinel.

The Arnold Granite Co. of East St. Cloud, has just been awarded the contract to furnish sixty cars of cut granite this season for shipment to the Soo to be used in constructing a new bridge across the Sioux St. Marie. The production of this amount of granite by the St. Cloud company will furnish employment for a large number of men for some time.

Papers have been signed in St. Peter by which Corvick & Smith conveyed to J. S. Vandiver, of St. Paul, the St. Peter Journal. Mr. Vandiver is not known to St. Peter, having been connected with the St. Peter Tribune in the historic McGill campaign of 1898. Mr. Vandiver will take possession of the Journal, it is understood next week, and will move his family there about Oct. 1. The Journal is one of the oldest newspapers in the Minnesota valley, and is considered a valuable property. Charles Green, aged 85, living at 220 E. Fifth street Duluth, yesterday morning shot and killed himself and then shot his wife. He died almost at once. Mrs. Green managed to crawl from her bed to the door where later other occupants of the building heard her tapping on the door. She was taken to a hospital and will die. Both were shot through the head. Green has been a butcher and later a saloon-keeper and had been out of work and drinking heavily of late. They leave no children.

## Once Lake wants a starch factory.

The James Walton will case is on again at Fargo. A stove mill is to be located at Grand Rapids. Chicken hunters had a lively chase after a panther at Princeton. The water works question is being discussed considerable at Cloquet. The Fargo Golf Club continues to be the most popular organization in that city. The Milwaukee extension to Farmington will not be completed till next summer. The body of Louis H. Rogers who drowned near Duluth recently has been recovered. The board of control will hold its first regular meeting at the St. Cloud reformatory next Wednesday. Aikin and Sienaras counties tied for first place in county exhibits at the state fair and the award will be divided.

The trouble between the brewery workers and their employers at Duluth, which was thought to have been settled, has broken out again. The Winona & Western railroad will on Wednesday cease to be an independent road. It will become a part of the Great Western. Amanda Anstrom, of Inhaber, N. D., became insane because her lover was not reciprocated and was committed to the asylum at Jamestown.

A son of ex-Representative O. Matheson, of Colfax, who was shot dead, was killed in a runaway on his father's farm, in Stockholm township.

S. W. Derrick has been appointed superintendent of the first division of the Soo, with headquarters at Oakes, with W. R. Corbett train dispatcher. C. E. Hilda has resigned his position as cashier of the Bank of Royalton. O. H. Havill, of St. Cloud, will look after the business until the bank is merged into the First National Bank, about the first of October. Lieutenant-General Miles and party switched their private car off at Valley City Friday for a day's chicken shooting with Major Black. Chickens are plentiful and the party had good sport.

W. B. Jones has already dug and shipped a carload of potatoes and received \$500 for them. He will have over 3000 bushels in all, which will bring him about as many dollars.—Hillager Post.

The state board of investment, consisting of Gov. Van Sant, Auditor Dunn and Secretary of State Hansen Saturday decided to grant the loan to \$50,000 raised for the benefit of county for the purpose of building a new county court house. The bank of Bagley has changed hands and has been reorganized with the following officers: A. D. Stephens of Crookston, president; Al. Kaiser of Poston, vice president; Sam Olson of Bagley, cashier.

A baby was born several days ago in St. Cloud with two heads which stand on one neck. The birth of the deformed child has been kept very quiet and but few people have been advised of it.—Aukley Independent.

Just as a gravel train was finishing its work at Bemidji Henry Revor got his middle finger of his left hand caught in such a manner as to run it between a small cable and a pulley, making amputation necessary at the first joint.

The village of Kimball was visited by a most destructive fire shortly after midnight Saturday morning, and before the flames were placed under control by the bucket brigade, a loss of \$12,000 had been estimated on which the insurance was very small. Attorney General Douglas has given an opinion that all elevators adjacent to railroad lines are public elevators within the meaning of the law, whether on spur tracks, sidings, or adjacent to the line of railroad. The ruling was made in the case of the Murphy elevator of Royalton, and brings all elevators heretofore classed as private, under control of the warrent commission.—Little Falls Herald.

## A. P. Baker, Sr., a prominent resident of Marshall, is dead.

St. John's University opened this year with a very satisfactory attendance. Drs. A. M. Brunelle and H. B. Miller have formed a partnership at Cloquet. The five-year old daughter of Andrew Rasmus, of Solway, drowned on Thursday while after the cows. John Hennes, a thrifty farmer living near Herman, committed suicide Saturday by taking strychnine. Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, has been asked to go on the stump in the state of Ohio this fall. A serious wreck occurred east of Grand Rapids, delaying all trains about ten hours. Two through freight trains, going at full speed, had a head-on collision. There were no casualties. Herber Lence, who has charge of a railroad section at Villard, has been transferred to a similar position at Sauk Centre, and Mr. Coury, who has done similar work at Sauk Centre goes to Villard.—St. Cloud Times.

The case of James King, charged with shooting and killing William Casner at Elling, comes on in the district court this week, at Duluth. This is the amplest sort of evidence of the crime and there is little show for King. Five men were killed and six others were seriously injured near the railroad depot at Jamestown, N. D., at 10 p. m. Sunday morning. Two of the six injured have since died. A mixed train came in from Oakes, carrying seventeen men on a flat car. The train had just passed the depot when a road engine was struck. The force of the collision caused the flat car on which the men were riding to collide with the above result.

The North American Cold Storage company of New Paysonville has begun work upon an addition to its plant in that village, and it will be used for handling eggs and to increase the storage room. Work will also be begun at once upon another addition, 70 feet long, 18 wide and three stories and a basement in height. This addition will be equipped with creamery apparatus and used for the manufacture of butter.

The city council of Duluth has adopted a resolution directing the street railway company to extend its lines 20 blocks to Sixtieth avenue west at once. If the company does not accede to the matter will be carried to the courts. Several years ago this extension was ordered to make this company, but begged off for a time and ever since has been making delay. It claims that there is not sufficient travel on the proposed extension to make it pay.

It is now several weeks since there has been any new arrivals at this institution, but the departures have gone on at the rate of about four each week. When the courts closed the population numbered in the neighborhood of 550, but it has since dropped to 307, the present number. These are graded as follows: First, 248; second, 146, and third, 12. The following prisoners were discharged during the past week: H. O. Brown, James McNeal and J. J. Riley.—Prison Mirror.

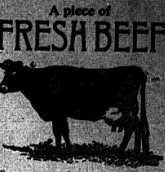
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MRS. DAVID HAMILTON DEAD. She Succumbs to that Dreaded Disease Consumption After a Linger- ing Illness. Mrs. David Hamilton died Tuesday morning at her home on the south side, having been a sufferer for some time with consumption. Deceased was in the prime of life, being but 37 years of age. She leaves a husband and one daughter, 10 years of age. The funeral was held Wednesday. The friends of the bereaved husband and daughter are extended sympathy.

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