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Made only of the best Cuts of Pork.
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The latest thing in Millinery is the **Shirt Waist Hat**, as this store always right up to the minute, we can show you a large assortment of same. These hats are especially designed to meet the requirements of exclusive trade for general utility hat, distinguished by refinement of style.

We Show them in all Styles.

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Your property well managed.
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THREE LUMBERMEN LOSE THEIR LIVES.

Dangerous Occupation of the Lumbermen and River Drivers.

The Bodies of Two Men Have Been Recovered, While One is Yet in the River's Cold Embrace.

Three lumbermen lost their lives in as many days in Brainerd and vicinity the first of the week, by being thrown in the river and drowned before aid could be extended to them.

The first case occurred on Saturday evening last, about 200 yards south of the wagon bridge, and the victim was Jas. Schwartz, a laborer, who has been recently employed in the construction of the new steel railroad bridge. His work there being concluded he got a job on the drive. Never having been on a drive before he got a pair of driving boots and in company with three companions went to the river that evening to practice. He got on a large log and pushed himself some distance from shore, when he lost his balance and was thrown into the river. One of his companions jumped in and tried to get him out when it became apparent that he could not help himself, but he sank to the bottom before he was reached and did not rise again. The river was dragged that night until 11 o'clock and all the next day and on Monday, but his body could not be found, and it will remain in the river until some river driver accidentally finds it.

Deceased was a man about 35 years of age and has been in the city some weeks stopping at the French Hotel east of Front street. His home is in Eagle Lake, Blue Earth county, about nine miles from Mankato, where he leaves a wife and one child.

The second death occurred the next afternoon at Billings mill, three miles up the river, the unfortunate victim being Edward Merriam, an old and experienced driver. In company with several other men he was working on a raft of logs some distance from shore. He got on a large log and pushed himself away from the raft and started for shore. When part of the distance had been covered the log began to roll and he was thrown into the water. His companions saw him fall and went to his assistance in a boat, but he went down and did not come up again, and no aid could be given him. An effort was made with poles and hooks to rescue him as soon as they could be provided, but he could not be found, and until the next forenoon his body remained in the cold waters. His remains were brought to Losey & Dean's in this city when recovered, and are now being held there to ascertain if he has any friends or relatives to claim them. He was 30 years of age, and unmarried. It is supposed, although no one seems to know anything about him, a piece of paper with the address Geo. Hinerman, Long Prairie, Minn., was taken from his person by the coroner, who viewed the remains and pronounced an inquest unnecessary.

The saddest case was that of Alfred Kernosky, who was drowned Monday morning at the E. & N. M. landing, as he leaves a wife and five children without a father's support. Kernosky was a cant book man engaged in unloading logs, and was thrown into the river by a rolling log, as frequently occurs to men handling logs at the landing. Several men were working there at the time, but right near him was E. Lovell who saw him fall and threw a stay chain to him to pull him out by, but the chain was not long enough to be reached by Kernosky, who went down. His companion then waded into the river and with a long hook pole succeeded in getting hold of the clothes of the victim and pulled him ashore. He was placed on a flat car and brought to the Sanjartman, but was dead when examined by the doctors. It is said he was not in the water over ten minutes before being recovered. The remains were taken to Losey & Dean's where they were

viewed by the coroner, and no inquest was deemed necessary.

The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of deceased on 4th avenue, East Brainerd. He was 31 years old and leaves a wife and five children to mourn the untimely end of husband and father.

SOME THINGS YET LACKING.

A Government Official Visits Brainerd and Inspects the City with a View of Establishing Free Delivery.

Brainerd can have the free mail delivery system if its citizens desire it, but not without complying with the requirements of the government in the essential points. Before the service is established in any city, it must be ascertained whether the city has a population of 10,000 people or if the postal receipts of the office amounts to \$10,000. If either of these requirements be found to exist the government will put the free delivery in providing the sidewalks are in good repair and extend through the districts desired to be served, also that the streets be named and signs erected at the intersections and the houses, both business and private, be numbered. Brainerd comes under the first qualification in that the postal receipts exceed \$10,000 per year and the government is ready to give us the advantages granted other live, wide-awake cities of the northwest, provided our citizens will get a move on in the matter, place their sidewalks in repair and number their business places and residences. It is up to the people now and if they desire metropolitan status, and their sidewalks will show it within the next few days. The business houses must be numbered and also the residences which still remain without numbers must have them put on.

On Friday last H. E. Thiele, resident inspector for St. Paul and Minneapolis, visited Brainerd in an official capacity at the request of Postmaster Ingersoll and remained until Monday noon, the object of his visit being to go over the city thoroughly, lay out the probable boundaries, divide the city into districts and select locations for mail boxes, which was done and his report will be made to the department at Washington with such recommendations as he deems the situation warrants. It was extremely unfortunate that the street signs were not in position but the unavoidable delay is not having them up at the time specified was fully and satisfactorily explained by Mayor Halsted, who also gave Mr. Thiele his personal guarantee that the signs would be in position and also assured him that he would do all in his power as the chief executive of the city to enforce the ordinance regarding the numbering of houses and business places and the construction and repair of sidewalks.

As has been said before, Brainerd can have the free delivery if its people desire it but they must comply with the requirements laid down by the government before it will be established, and the business men of the city can do much toward encouraging the advancement of metropolitan aims by at once placing their numbers in position. They should be the first to set the example instead of being the last and retarding the establishment of the service. Since the above was put in type quite a number of the street signs have arrived and are in position. All the rest are expected today or tomorrow and will be placed immediately.

Into each life some ruins must fall, Wise people don't sit down and bawl, Only look outside or take flight, Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. McFadden Drug Co.

WHEN your headache defies the skill of your local physician, consult Prof. Bruns, the oculician, about it. He will be at the Arlington Hotel, May 20, 21 and 22. Eyes examined free.

The least in quantity and most in quality described, DeWitt's Little Early Bitters, the famous pills for constipation, and liver complaints. H. P. Dunn & Co.

MAY PRICES!

That may be of interest to you or at least should be.

Special Sale! Saturday, May 11th One Day Only.
20 pieces Good Twill Towelling or Crash, 10 yards to each customer, only **2/4c**

Corset Sale This Month.

25 doz. Royal Worthen Corsets made of fine colored Battie, the greatest value ever produced, only **49c**.
For sale—Some of the best factory makes of \$1.00 corsets, only **75c**.
W. B. CORSETS—Yes we have them, new line, all sizes, and they are the only real straight front corset made. If you want up-to-date corsets, including fit, quality and style, we can suit you. All our corsets are warranted and we are now handling several factory lines of the very best makes.

WE OFFER 10 dozen Fine Cream Colored Corsets, made by the Inaug Down Corset Co. and considered cheap at 75c. Sale price this month, **50c** only.

Ladies' Shirt Waist Sale.

Let new ladies shirt waists for spring and summer, worth **49c**.
The or more, your choice.
Special Values in Ladies Shirt Waists at 75c, 98c and \$1.25.

Boy's Shirt Waist Sale.

Lot 50c Boy's Shirt Waists only **25c**.
Lot Fine Boys' Laundered Shirt Waists worth up to \$1.00 with collars, only **50c**.

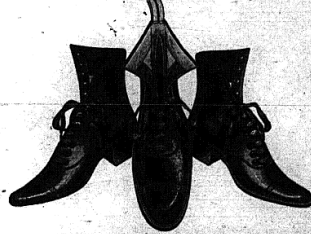
Gents Furnishing Goods. Sale all this week.

10 doz Men's all silk bow ties **10c** only.
10 doz men's finest silk bat wing and other styles ties **25c** only.
10 doz men's fine colored laundered and negligee shirts **50c** only.
Just received a large and beautiful line of men's fine negligee shirts.

Clothing Sale.

We find we are greatly overstocked on Men's and Boy's Clothing and now is the time for you to buy the best suit at the cheapest price you ever looked at.

FARGO'S



\$2.50 SHOE

Style-Fit-Finish-Wear

SEE STAMP ON BOTTOM

A Few Sample Shoe Prices for This Month:
100 pairs children's Douglas button shoes, only **49c**.
100 pairs of Ladies Slippers **49c** only.
300 pairs ladies solid Douglas Kid, Lace shoes, only **85c**.
50 pairs ladies' fine strap slippers, only **75c**.
200 pairs ladies fine Douglas kid shoe, latest toe **\$1.25**.

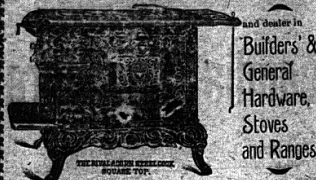
We offer a lot of Ladies' Front Shoes up to \$4.00 your choice, only **\$2.50**.
300 men's heavy grain and fine shoes, Eastern make, **98c**.
Boys good shoes, sizes 4 to 6, only **98c**.
200 pairs of men's fine shoes, worth \$3.00, **\$1.95**.

It will be respectable wisdom on your part to attend our special sale and inspect our stock and get prices.

A. E. MOBERG,

Double Store, Front Street.

C. B. White, Contractor and Builder



We have carloads of Sash, Doors, Nails, Paper, Wire, Paints, Oil, Putty, Nailing, Refrigerators, Fishing Tackle, Guns and Ammunition.

Walker Block, J. W. WHITE, Mgr. Laurel Street.

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Table with 4 columns: City, Rate, City, Rate. Lists various cities like St. Paul, Duluth, and their respective rates.

Pullman First-Class and Tourist Sleeping Cars. For Anything in the Grocery Line. Call on P. M. LAGERQUIST.

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IS A BATTLE OF GIANTS

GREAT FIGHT IN WALL STREET FOR CONTROL OF THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Nothing definite known. Struggle said to be between the Morgan-Hill and the Harriman-Kuhn-Loeb-Standard Oil forces.

New York, May 9.—There was talk in the street of a great fight for control between the Morgan-Hill interests on the one side and the Harriman-Kuhn-Loeb-Standard Oil people on the other.

MAY CENSURE CONGRESS. Sharply criticized for his article in the Standard Magazine. Washington, May 9.—Minister Coker has been sharply criticized for his article on China which appeared in the current issue of the Standard Magazine.

NO COMBINE THIS YEAR. Plan is abandoned by independent Lake Lites. Cleveland, May 9.—The project to combine all the independent lines of the Great Lakes has been abandoned for this year at least.

KILLED THE SENTINEL. Military Prisoner at Fort Sheridan Clubs a Guard With a Rifle. Chicago, May 9.—Private Cumberland, who on several days at Fort Sheridan, was killed by Smith Wheeler, who crept up behind Cumberland and snatched the sentinel's rifle.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD MAKE CHANGES. Columbus, O., May 9.—The committee appointed by the Woodmen of the World to revise the laws of the order has decided to eliminate from the constitution all the sections relating to the relief and care of the sick and insane.

HOPES TO SETTLE THE STRIKE. Cleveland, May 9.—President Ulmer of the marine engineers has arrived in Cleveland and will hold a conference with Chief Engineer Hayes of the United States Steel corporation with a view to reaching a settlement between that company and its engineers.

WOULD REVIVE BOND-BLAINE TREATY. St. John, N. P., May 9.—It is reported in St. John that Mr. Bond, the premier, is now on his way from London to Ottawa to confer with the Dominion government regarding the Bond-Blaine reciprocity convention with the United States.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—The United States battleship Indiana, which has been at the League Island drydock for several months undergoing overhauling, preparatory to a cruise of several months with the Annapolis naval cadets, left for Annapolis, where she will be in the number of 137 will be taken on board.

WHEELER & WILSON No. 9. This is the 20th Century Sewing Machine. Faster and easier running than any other. The only lock-stitch machine without a shuttle. Try one and be convinced.

DAVIS MUSIC HOUSE, BRAINERD. \$900 Yearly. The greatest offer ever made in the history of music. Includes a grand piano, a complete set of records, and a full orchestra.

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Then come and see us. We can give you the finest kind of steaks as well as other meats.

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R. J. HOLDEN, Proprietor of the BUFFET Sample Rooms

Chicoe Wines and Liquors, Fine Imported and Domestic Cigars. Our Friends and the Public Generally are invited to call and see us.

R. J. HOLDEN.

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

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Legal Notice for Local Notice. The undersigned, hereby agree to accept for the use of the city of Brainerd, Minn., the following...

All notices of this kind must be published in the Brainerd Dispatch for two weeks before the same can be taken effect.

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FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1901.

A Chicago college professor staled to a class that he had never hugged or kissed a woman. Some people will think him a fool as well as a chump.

The news dispatches say that J. J. Hill has just control of the Northern Pacific by stock manipulation on Wall street. This will be cheerful news to the Minneapolis Times.

Deerow county is in the throes of a county seat war. An effort is being made to have the county seat removed from South Rapids to Point, which seems to be preferred by a majority of the residents.

These are days of the greatest prosperity in the entire history of this prosperous country but the gamblers on Wall street are doing much to destroy it. They should, in some manner be curbed. Gambling in options is worse than gambling with cards.

Northern Pacific common stock sold at \$1000 a share in Wall street yesterday, as the result of rival interests trying to get control of the road. It was a crazy speculative deal, the price being totally unwarrented by the earning capacity of the stock, and the results will follow to the country. The Wall street gambler should be treated like any other.

The Wisconsin Central railway has just issued a very attractive folder entitled "Glimpses of Summer Resorts." It consists principally of beautiful half page cuts of delightful bits of scenery at the various summer resorts along the line of the Central, and they make one long to enjoy the delights of a summer outing. A great deal of valuable information concerning hotels and other facilities is contained therein.

The St. Paul Dispatch had a fit on Tuesday because an exchange suggested that the wonderfully prosperous times at present were due to President McKinley, although it freely admits they are due to republican policies. And who has been his able in advocating those policies, than President McKinley, and his able and tactful administration has added much to their effectiveness. Other men might have done as well, none could have done better.

The Younger brothers will probably be released in a few days on parole. They have been imprisoned long and have suffered much but they are red handed murderers if there ever was any, and the good of society demands that their life sentence be executed to the letter. Other criminals should be given to understand that a life sentence means for life. Unless this is done capital punishment, which is barbarous, will grow in favor.

Ordinance 133, changing the sidewalk ordinance so that walks on 8th street north can be made of cement six feet wide and placed two feet from the property line, received its first and second reading and was passed.

Residents on 8th street south petitioned the council to allow them to construct six foot cement sidewalks outside the row of trees, thus narrowing the street to about 80 feet. One O'Brien addressed the council concerning the matter, which was referred to the two aldermen from that ward.

Geo. LaBar, for the gentlemen representing the opera house project, stated that it would cost from seven to twelve hundred dollars to fit up the basement under the proposed city hall quarters, and it would be necessary to ask \$14 additional rental, the same as the city is now paying. After discussion Mr. LaBar agreed to accept \$10 additional, or \$90 a month in all for the new quarters, and a resolution was passed authorizing the mayor and clerk to execute a lease to that effect on behalf of the city for five years.

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CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Opera House Proposition For City Hall Accepted at \$60 per month.—Hose Question Settled.

A regular meeting of the city council was held on Monday evening, all the aldermen being present.

Reports of city clerk, chief of police, street commissioner, electric light superintendent and fire chief were read and accepted. The clerk's report showed municipal court fines amounting to \$358.00 collected, and electric light collections were \$1,056.73. 84 new lights were cut in and 10 cut out.

The usual number of claims against the city were presented for allowance, including the pay roll of the various city employes.

A communication was read from the city head asking for an appropriation of \$250 to buy new uniforms, the band to furnish weekly open air concerts free of charge. The matter was referred to purchasing committee.

Residents on G avenue sent in a petition to have a water main ordered laid on said avenue from Kindred to Forsyth street. It was referred to water works committee.

Citizens on Laurel street were present and asked that a sidewalk be ordered laid on the north side of Laurel from center of block 41 to 8th street. On motion, the city was instructed to notify Messrs. Nevers and Lum to do so before June 1st.

A communication was received from W. A. Fleming representing the owners of rock which had been delivered to the city and not paid for, insulating on immediate payment. The communication was laid on the table.

A petition was read from all the property owners on 7th street between Front and Laurel, requesting that the street be paved at once with crushed rock. Dr. Hemstead addressed the council on the matter and argued immediate action, and at his request the council instructed the clerk to advertise for bids for paving the same, bidders to furnish their own plans and specifications.

The rock controversy which has been annoying the council for some weeks, was then settled by Alderman Wright moving that the city purchase 136 cords of rock, the amount authorized and not heretofore delivered by the council, at \$3.75 per cord. The motion was carried without a dissenting vote.

Moberg & Peterson were granted a liquor license.

Several residents of block 189 were present and protested against the action of F. Jarboe in closing up an alley in the block that they claim has been used as such for fourteen years, although it is not so platted. The matter was referred to the street committee with power to act. Property owners on Front street east of 8th requested permission to build an eight foot sidewalk, the ordinance requiring a 12 foot walk on that street. The matter was referred to the street committee.

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The street committee reported, recommending that all persons intending to build six foot cement sidewalks be allowed to do so, and place it two feet from the property line, also that stone crusher be leased to Mr. Swartz at \$5.00 per day, including man to operate it.

The cycle path supervisors elected at the meeting of the Cycle Path association sent in a report recommending that permanent paths be constructed on 6th street from Main to the park, on Kingwood street from 6th to the ravine bridge, from the bridge on Kindred to 8th avenue, on Oak street from 6th to 15th street, on Main from 8th to 16th street, on 6th street from Oak to Pine street, and from Quince to Rosewood streets. Also temporary path on 6th street south from Laurel to end of the street. All permanent paths to be five feet wide, curbed on the street side with sidewalks 3 feet wide at the end of oak stakes driven two feet in the ground. Paths to be constructed of sand covered two inches with cinders and well rolled. The cross streets to be dug out three feet wide and six inches deep and filled with cinders to the height of the rest of the path. The council accepted the report and concurred in the recommendations made, and authorized the committee to do the work as far as the proceeds from the sale of tags would allow. The council promptly tabled the resolution adopted at the cycle meeting asking that the ordinance against sidewalk riding be not strictly enforced.

MONEY could not pay the bill.

The Third Regiment N. G. S. M. Will Make A Practice March Next Month.

Says the Pioneer Press yesterday: After efforts extending over a period of fourteen months, Col. C. A. Van Duzee of the Third regiment, N. G. S. M., has secured permission to take his men on a practice march this year instead of to Camp Lakeview. The governor yesterday gave his consent to the expedition.

The actual march will begin at Milaca on June 5 and will be about sixty miles, around the northern shore of Mille Lacs lake to Brainerd. The conditions will be, as nearly as possible, those which would surround a regiment of infantry in a hostile country.

Each man will carry on his back every article he will need for the ten days, including half a shelter tent. This will be the first time shelter tents have been used by the national guard of this state. Each man's personal equipment will weigh about forty pounds.

Two days will be spent at Brainerd in rifle practice. A range will be provided, 600 yards in length, with six targets. The Third regiment band and a detachment of the hospital corps, with an ambulance, will accompany the expedition.

The regiment will go by special train from Brainerd to Duluth on June 15, where the day will be spent in a parade and review, and in the evening a reunion will probably be held of all the old members of the Fourteenth Minnesota who live in that vicinity.

Mrs. J. No matter what causes facial eruptions, absolute cleanliness inside and out is the only way to cure them. Rocky Mountain Tea taken this month will drive them away. 35c. McFadden Drug Co.

Dr. Camp Chosen. Dr. J. L. Camp, of this city, has been appointed by Gov. Van Sant on the commission to investigate and select a site for a state sanitarium for consumptives. The other members of the commission are Dr. H. L. Taylor, of St. Paul, and Dr. George S. Watten, of Warren.

Shedders At His Post. "I recall now with horror," says Mail Carrier Burnett Mann, of Rossville, Minn., "my three years of suffering from kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, wore out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. Only 50 cents.

\$10,000 IN BONDS WILL BE SOLD.

Bids for Building Harrison School Advertise For—New Teachers Elected.

The board of education held a regular meeting on Monday evening. Miss Marie Burmeister's request to be transferred to 6th grade work was referred to teacher's committee. Miss Margaret Somers request for an increase in salary to \$67.50 was laid on the table.

The request of Mand Tisse, text book clerk, for an increase in salary was laid on the table, as the board is unable to make the increase until the by-laws, which fix the salary, are amended, a resolution to that effect having been introduced.

The monthly report of the superintendent was read. It showed a total of 1,882 pupils and an actual daily attendance of 1,406. The superintendent reported \$9.00 in tuition collected during the month.

Repair committee reported that furnaces in Whittier building had been fixed, were set out on different grounds as ordered by the board. The supply committee was directed to purchase chemicals and apparatus for the high school.

The teacher's committee recommended the employment as teachers of Myrtle E. Clark at \$45 per month, and Annie Kingford at \$50 per month. Both were elected as recommended.

The board adopted a resolution shifting the teachers for their hard work, under the able direction of the musical supervisor, which made the recent musical given by the scholars a great success.

The superintendent recommended that Miss Doak be paid \$10 a month extra for the last two months, and the recommendation was accepted.

The request for the use of a room in the Washington building May 8th, for teacher's meeting, was granted. On motion the plans and specifications to be written for bids for constructing the same.

A motion was made and carried that the board advertise for the sale of bonds of the district in the sum of \$10,000, said bonds to be payable in twenty years from its date, and to draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, interest to be payable semi-annually.

The matter of fixing up rooms in the basement of the Lincoln building was referred to committee on building with power to act.

The president was authorized to appoint a committee of three, including himself, to make arrangements for commencement exercises.

Unions at Los Angeles. Los Angeles, Cal., May 8.—Governor Nash of Ohio and party arrived here soon after noon escorted by the Ohio society of Southern California, and were given an informal reception at the Westwater hotel. The longest stop was at Riverside, where there was an address of welcome and response by Governor Nash in the presence of a large crowd.

DID NOT HALT WHEN TOLD. German Version of the Firing on a British Tug. Berlin, May 8.—The Berliner Post publishes an inspired statement regarding the firing by Germans on the British tug Eon at Tien Tsin Saturday.

According to this version of the incident the boat belonged to a British lightering company, but was being used at the time by the Chinese. It fouled the bridge over the Peiho, which the Germans were guarding. The German watch called a halt, but the boatmen tried to escape hastily, and when they disregarded the third call the watch fired. The statement concludes by asserting that the incident was wholly without political significance.

Chicago Brokers Suspend. Chicago, May 8.—W. P. Purbeck & Co. brokers, have suspended business, being unable to meet margin calls upon them by their New York correspondents. Mr. Purbeck declined to issue any statement as to the cause of his liabilities or assets. It is said the firm was hard hit in the Price-McCormick and Sherman-Johnson failures.

Bought Valuable Holdings. Oklahoma, May 8.—William T. Phillips of Oklahoma and Harry Birks of Miami, Ok., have secured all the interests in the American Coal company and the American Supply company, controlled by William McNeal. The property is located at Brann, Ia., and valued at \$200,000.

Paroled. Judge—Pat, to save time I suppose you'll admit that you were Paroled—Dhrunk, nor 'Ol was so sober, nor was my neighbors tort. 'Ol was good and you 'bout to build a weeks over me.

Reduce Your Shoe Bill

By buying all your shoes from the Scandia Shoe Store

OUR STOCK is now complete with the very best makes of good, solid, serviceable and fine shoes for men, boys, ladies, misses and children at the very lowest prices.

Ladies' Fine Shoes At a great bargain on our Bargain Table, your choice for only 75c.

Lumbermen

Take special notice that we have on hand the very best make of Driving Shoes at prices lower than you ever bought before, quality considered. Before you purchase your driving shoes call and examine our goods and prices, and convince yourself that we sell as we advertise.

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W. D. White	100 N. 5th St.	1000	100
C. L. Black	100 N. 6th St.	1000	100
H. K. Red	100 N. 7th St.	1000	100
T. G. Blue	100 N. 8th St.	1000	100
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MY CAPTIVE.

By JOSEPH A. ALPHRETT, Author of "A Soldier of Manassas," "The Fall of Saratoga," etc.

(Continued.)

"I might imagine you could not get your answer to take me. You know you told me that I was the owner of 'my' lance-... that was not true."

"Why did you take off his lid?" she asked as she turned away from the window.

"I had hung up Old Pat's bridle on a nail to the wall."

"The fact that you know so little of our country, in many respects the bravest and wisest of us, is not surprising."

"I laugh at your ignorance," I said, "the fact that you know so little of our country, in many respects the bravest and wisest of us, is not surprising."

"I was sure that you would not take me," she said, "I was sure that you would not take me."

"There's to the health of King George!"

"To the health of King George!" she repeated, "I drank the remainder of the water in the glass."

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ling a drive very light over the earth. Old Pat was clothed in his red and... we could see him as distinctly as if he stood at a window—the long, narrow log house; the railway nose, which stood out from the great mass of the timber house; the chimney stack; the long, powerful body, marked with a line, by the door and wall, but in the prison and south of his strength; my hands were still upon his head, but that was a trifle to which he had long since grown accustomed in his life with a captivity.

How much of him, I thought, to come as he was the British? The old dog which I had of Old Pat when he allowed himself to be seized by the girl, came back to me. Perhaps he was madly growing old, falling into his dotage, hardly knowing the count account for his taking such a risk! I would have shouted to him to go away had I thought he could hear me, but I knew my voice could not reach him, and in response and anxiety I merely watched that old horse as he continued to gaze about within the light of his man's lamp.

CHAPTER VII. THE FIGHT OR OLD PAT.

My first step was justification, for the men soon turned their attention to the horse, and two or three and approached him. I looked upon him as unpounded, and he alone was to blame, and he was about to be killed. One of the men made a wild circle and came up carefully behind, while the other approached with equal caution from the front, whistling in a soft and low tone, as if to soothe him. Evidently the men appreciated the value of a good horse, and no doubt they had stolen enough from patriot farmers and experienced. Old Pat never raised his head, but continued to gaze about his hunt for blades of grass. He certainly heard their approaching footsteps, and I was convinced now that his dotage was really at hand.

"I thought you said he was the most intelligent of us three," said the girl, "and here he is gone to sleep and let his head be used to use and go to sleep. The other two were watching him with great interest, and he had been doing as much, but I knew no, then I and I nudged them in silence."

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Warning Against Forest and Prairie Fires

Office of State Forest Commissioner, St. Paul, Minn., March 21, 1901.

Chapter 774 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota, for 1900, (Act of April 10th) constitutes the Forest and Prairie Laws, and it is made the duty of the State Forest Commissioner to issue orders and to make their duty to take precautions to prevent forest and prairie fires, and if they occur, to go and extinguish or control them, and in emergencies to call upon any able-bodied male person over eighteen years of age, to render aid in such manner as may be required with particular leading to the responsible persons, and to make such a reasonable time—usually within a week. The Forest Commissioner is required to provide and sign a certificate in behalf of the penalties under said law, and it is made the duty of the County Commissioners of each county to cause said certificate to be published in their respective counties on or before the 15th of September, and later each year, instructed to publish this notice hereafter. Under said law.

The following are liable to a penalty not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment in the State prison not over ten years or both:

Any person who maliciously sets a fire, or who sets on fire any woods, prairie or other combustible matter, thereby causing injury to another.

The following are liable to a penalty not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment not exceeding three months:

Any person refusing, without cause, to assist fire wardens in extinguishing forest or prairie fires.

Any person who neglects to provide and sign a certificate in behalf of the penalties under said law, and it is made the duty of the County Commissioners of each county to cause said certificate to be published in their respective counties on or before the 15th of September, and later each year, instructed to publish this notice hereafter. Under said law.

The following are liable to a penalty not less than \$5 nor more than \$100:

Any person who willfully violates the provisions of section 15 of this act, who is a fire warden, or any other person who neglects to provide and sign a certificate in behalf of the penalties under said law, and it is made the duty of the County Commissioners of each county to cause said certificate to be published in their respective counties on or before the 15th of September, and later each year, instructed to publish this notice hereafter. Under said law.

W. C. ANDREWS, Chief Fire Warden.

Notice of Exemption from Payment of Poll Tax.

Notice of Hearing of Probate.

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SALE OF STATE LANDS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA. Land Office.

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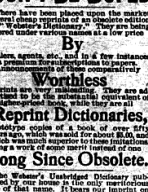
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GIVES OUT REPORT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON CONCILIATION IN FAVOR OF ARBITRATION.

TO MAINTAIN A COMMISSION

Will Be Composed of the Most Competent Persons Available. From the Employers and Employees—Shall Offer Their Services to Both Parties to Secure Agreements on Labor Questions.

New York, May 9.—A mass meeting under the auspices of the committee of conciliation of the National Civic Federation was held at Cooper Union to further the movement inaugurated at the conference on Tuesday to form a national board of arbitration. At the meeting the national committee on conciliation and arbitration gave out its report. The report says that the purpose of the organization is to enter into active service in the cause of peace and harmony in the industrial world for the purpose of preventing strikes and lockouts. The report advocates full and free cooperation between employers and workmen with the avowed purpose of reaching an agreement as to the terms of arbitration. It further says the aim is to establish and maintain a board of conciliation, composed of the most competent persons available selected from employers and employees of industries, and to select from its membership an executive committee of 15 to direct the work of the organization.

GREAT NORTHERN HAS A STRIKE

Machinists at Great Falls Want More Pay and Less Work.

Helen, Minn., May 9.—The Great Northern repair shops at Great Falls have been closed and nearly 100 men thrown out of work because of a disagreement over wages.

The machinists wanted \$120 per day for nine hours instead of \$1 for ten. The company refused to grant the demand. Forty of the men struck and Superintendent Ross then ordered the entire shop closed. The company will not be contemplating having the shops elsewhere.

The machinists say their strike will extend all over the system if they are not granted, but this is not known.

A MACHINERY TRUST.

Plow Combines Likely to Enlarge its Field of Operations.

Chicago, May 9.—W. B. Britton, president of the Plow and wheel works of Peru, Ill., said:

"The plow combine is likely to be merged into a great trust of all the implement makers of the United States now represented in a conference at New York. The capital of the new trust will be as much as \$10,000,000, and may amount to \$75,000,000. It means the destruction of all the small works in all its probability, he made president of the trust."

STARCH FACTORIES CLOSE.

No Profit in the Business at Present Price of Corn.

Indianapolis, May 9.—Orders have been received at the 12 to 15 factories of the National Starch Company, including the factory in this city, to get ready to close down until the corn market becomes settled again. The price of starch, it is said, has not kept pace with the price of corn and there is no profit in buying corn at the present price to make into starch at these prices. It will not be long, it is thought, that the period for the making of the new crop.

SOLE 25,000 CATTLE.

Entire Summer Will Be Required for Delivery.

Spanish, S. D., May 9.—Day & Cresswell have been gathering their herd for delivery to the Franklin Cattle company. This is the largest cattle sale ever made in the Northwest. Day & Cresswell's books call for 25,000 head. The Franklin company is to pay \$1.10 a head upon final delivery. This year's calves are to be thrown in, while last year's calves are to complete. It will take all summer to complete the delivery.

Natural Gas Trust Forming.

Stations near St. Paul—Consolidation of all the natural gas companies, numbering about 25, in Washington and Oregon counties, with a capitalization of about \$12,000,000, is in progress. The most important of these have been held recently by those interested in the plan, and it is believed the consolidation will shortly be effected.

Organic Civil Service in Hawaii.

Washington, May 9.—Civil Service Commission has received from Chief Executive Berman will sell from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 for Hawaii. This will create local civil service boards and conduct the initial examination of applicants for federal positions in Hawaii.

ARTILLA SURRENDERS.

Insurgent Governor of Ictavia Province Quits Fighting.

Mexico, May 9.—Colonel Artilla, the insurgent governor of Ictavia province, has surrendered, with 10 of his men, 100 men, 170 rifles and 10 cannons.

The United States Philippine commission has decided to establish an insular government printing plant.

General Davis is preparing recommendations to submit to the commission for a separate scheme of city government in Manila. The commission favors a plan of federal control similar to that of Washington and the City of Mexico. Ordinances are in course of preparation.

COURT RIGANS INDIGNANT.

Recent Statements Made by Mr. Borda to a Recent Interview.

San Juan, Porto Rico, May 9.—Hand bills that are being circulated here respecting an interview with Veneciano Borda, Jr., published in the New York Times April 28, which he was quoted as saying: "No business in the state of affairs that factors sell their cargoes to keep them from dying of hunger."

The people are indignant and should Mr. Borda arrive in Porto Rico he would be liable to attack.

BEWARE OF AMERICA.

Austrian Industrial Council Fears Competition.

Vienna, May 9.—A noteworthy resolution was taken at the day's sitting of the Austrian industrial council, at which Baron Call, minister of commerce, presided. Attention was called to the necessity for taking measures to avoid the danger of overvalued competition in the industrial world.

On the proposition of Herr von Noe, a subcommittee of 18 was appointed to consider the matter.

A Hot Fight Expected.

St. Louis, May 9.—A warm fight will occur for the control of the Woodbury county Republican convention, whose state is interested. Supporters of Albert B. Cummins are confident they will secure a delegation to the state convention instructed to vote for Cummins for governor. The anti-Cummins more are fighting against the instructed delegation.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Western League.

At Colorado Springs; 5; Omaha, 4; St. Joseph, 1; Minneapolis, 1; Kansas City, 2; St. Paul, 4; At Denver; 5; Des Moines, 1; American League.

At Baltimore; 6; Washington, 1. At Boston; 11; Philadelphia, 4; At Cleveland; 1; Chicago, 5. National League.

At Cincinnati; 10; St. Louis, 14. At New York; 8; Philadelphia, 8; At Boston; 7; Brooklyn, 6.—Twelve in Chicago, 7; Pittsburg, 8.

LATEST MARKET REPORT.

Duluth Wheat.

WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard 70c. No. 1 Northern 70c. No. 2 Northern 69c. 75c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 70c. No. 1 Northern 70c. No. 2 Northern 70c. 75c.

Minneapolis Wheat.

WHEAT—Cash 75c. May 75c. July 75c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard 70c. No. 1 Northern 70c. No. 2 Northern 70c. 75c.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

South St. Paul, May 9.—ROGS—Sales ranged at \$1.00 to \$1.10 for petta butcher steers, \$1.00 to \$1.10 for petta butcher cows and steers, \$1.00 to \$1.10 for choice veals, \$1.00 to \$1.10 for choice lambs, \$1.00 to \$1.10 for choice fat washers.

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4—Female, Childbirth, or Afterbirth, 25¢
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Local News Condensed.

J. A. Arnold let a contract on Thursday to A. Everett to erect his residence property in East Brainerd.

Two million Americans suffer the torturing pangs of dyspepsia. No need to Barkock Blood Bitters cure. At any drug store.

A license to marry was issued on Monday, the 6th, to Frank E. Martin, of Cass county, and Florence Miller, of Crow Wing county.

For Rent—New 10 room house two blocks from shops. Suitable for boarding house. Good location. E. W. Crane, National Bank Block.

Nicely furnished six room house to rent right parties during the months of June, July and August. Inquire at 609 Kingwood street.

J. E. Ring has gone to Brainerd, where he will figure on the mason work for a couple of new buildings in that city, says the Little Falls Transcript.

A ball team from the Whittier school and the Staples high school team will play a game of ball on Saturday, May 11th, at the grounds on east Front street. Tickets are being sold at 25 cents.

The police picked up a drunken cripple in the railroad yards Wednesday night, laying across the tracks. He had both legs off as a result of a former railroad accident. He was jailed and is now quiet.

Mrs. Carrie Moore, missionary to the Home of Miss Quispel, will lecture at the M. E. church, May 22, on Rosen Work. She comes recommended as an interesting speaker and who will hear her will be well repaid. Admission free.

The chief of police on Wednesday received a phone message from Long Prairie, Minn., to arrest Charles Dewing, who is wanted there for a deadly assault, stealing a horse and other crimes. He was last seen east of Motley coming this way, and it was thought he was in Brainerd. However the man has not been found.

The Fergus Falls Journal says: Mrs. Nic. Schroeder, of Ferman, died last week Thursday of acute tuberculosis. She was 46 years of age and leaves three children. The deceased was a former resident of Brainerd removing with her husband to Detroit some ten years ago at which place the latter died in December, 1906.

Ed Hurley and Frank Gorenlo, the pioneer hotel keepers who built and have since managed the Cass Lake hotel, have purchased the fixtures and furniture of the Bennett restaurant in Hotel Tedlow and take possession at once. The Cass Lake hotel building will be moved to the rear of Hotel Tedlow and used in connection with Hurley & Gorenlo's business there as a dormitory for their guests. They have demonstrated their ability to "keep a hotel" and no longer for them a making business in the new location—Cass Lake Times.

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Mr. and Mrs. Anton Steffen have a new-baby boy in their home since Wednesday.

Carl Abner, the Arena Office boy, had the misfortune to break his leg on Wednesday evening while playing ball.

Miss Winnie Smith entertained a number of her friends at a dancing party Tuesday evening at her home, corner Fifth and Kingwood streets.

The local high school baseball team will play a game tomorrow to play the Atkin team. The latter is said to be very strong, and the boys are evidently up against it.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with A. H. Carver, on Newwood street, next Wednesday afternoon, May 15, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The McVicker Grain Co., Minneapolis, will open a branch office here and receive Minneapolis and Chicago markets by private wire every fifteen minutes. A. Q. Parker will take care of this end.

The foundation for the new Pierce block on Laurel street has been completed.

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PERTINENT PERSONAL NOTES.

J. C. Oogdon Sundayed in St. Paul.

Attorney Palk went to Atkin on Tuesday.

O. C. Foster went to St. Paul Tuesday.

Miss Johansen returned Tuesday from Minneapolis.

F. O. Bolls and Wm. Wood went to St. Paul Tuesday noon.

John S. Kimball, of St. Cloud, spent Sunday in Brainerd.

Bert Chase, of Staples, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

Mrs. J. F. McGinnis returned yesterday from Caledonia, Minn.

Hon. Leon E. Lum, of Duluth, arrived in the city yesterday.

The contract for the new wholesale house has not yet been let.

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CHURCH WORK AND SERVICES.

Rev. B. Simon, pastor of the Evangelical church in this city, was returned to his parsonic here by the conference, just ended at Lamberton.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church will preach Sunday morning. The congregation will attend the major services in the First Congregational church at 9:30 o'clock.

Rev. O. E. Brown will speak at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday at 8:15 p. m. Subject: "Lessons from the Life of a Cowboy." All men are invited to attend this Sunday afternoon meeting.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will serve a coffee at the home of Mrs. Jas. Rhodes, 308 Fifth street north, next Wednesday afternoon from 4 p. m. till 7 p. m. Mesdames Rhodes, Hall, Townsend and Treglawny will serve the coffee. The Society invited.

The pastor will preach next Sunday morning at the M. E. church. Sunday school at 12 noon. The evening service will not be held as we shall join with the other churches in a young people's rally at the First Congregational church. We trust that our Epworth league young people will attend, as well as the members of the congregations.

There will be a rally of all the young people societies of Brainerd at the First Congregational church on next Sunday afternoon and evening. The meetings will be addressed by Rev. Medler, district president of the Y. P. S. C. E. and several of the local pastors. The Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and Peoples churches will be closed on Sunday evening to give all an opportunity to attend.

BRUNS, the optician, will examine eyes free of charge on Monday, May 20, 21 and 22. Eyes examined free.

ELUCATED A PASTOR.

Rev. M. L. Hatton, of Warren, Extant a Call as Pastor by the Congregational church of this city.

A meeting of the Congregational church society was held last evening in the church parlors, and by a unanimous vote Rev. M. L. Hatton, of Warren, Minn., who conducted services the two previous Sundays, was extended a call as pastor at a salary of \$1000 a year, with one month's vacation. The reverend gentleman is a fine pulpit orator, and he greatly pleased all who heard him here.

The meeting also decided to purchase a new carpet for the church, funds being on hand to pay for the same.

Silver Wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peterson, who live in the town of Long Lake about seven miles from Brainerd, celebrated their silver wedding on Sunday, May 11th, at their home, by entertaining a large party of their friends and neighbors. Probably one hundred and seventy-five guests were present.

A superb dinner was served and religious exercises were held by Rev. Falk, of the Danish Lutheran church, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were the recipients of many costly and elegant presents, including a fine coach, several chairs and other furniture, silverware, etc. All present enjoyed a most delightful day.

The Schuberts are Coming. The interest taken by citizens who wish to have high class entertainments in this city, assures the coming of the Schubert Symphony club and lady quartet.

This high class organization of musical and literary people are booked for June list. The program is varied, consisting of lady quartets, mandolin and guitar club, string, violin and vocal solos, and amusing readings by Mr. Louis McKee, a whole show in himself. The Schuberts will furnish a musical entertainment enjoyable from first to last on the evening of June 1st.

Eleven to One. The school meeting held at the Washington building last Saturday night to vote on the proposition to issue bonds to build the addition to the Harrison school was not very well attended. Only twelve voters were present and voted, eleven of whom voted yes and one no, hence the proposition carried, and the board has the authority to issue the bonds.

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Last Call! on our Sale of Water Soaked Dry Goods

Read these Prices Carefully.

Prints, 4 cents per yard. Ticking, 6 cents. Heavy feather ticking, fancy stripes, regular 25 cent grade, 13 cents per yard. Two halves brown shawlings, yard wide, regular 7 cent quality, one fine and one heavy texture, this sale, 5 cents. Towels, 40 inches long, 9 cents each. Turkish towels, regular 15 cent grade, 8 cents each. Twilled crash Novelty, 3 cents. Table oil cloth, 10 cents per yard, good goods, limited quantity. Double fold extra grade sheetings, both brown and bleached, in 42 inch, 45 inch, 64, 84, 94 and 104 widths, at from 1-3 to 1-4 less than regular prices. Men's 65 cent blue denim overalls, 50 cents per pair. Boys' brownie overalls, 25 cents, all sizes. Double fold Fergules, regular 10 cent goods, large assortment styles, 7 cents per yard. A big snap in Ladies' Shirt Waists, goods worth 50, 75 and \$1.00, your choice at 25 cents each. A big snap in Umbrellas, steel rod, 26 inch size, Gloria cloth, new goods, designed for \$1.00, our price in this sale, 80 cents. White table linens, 50 cent goods for 35 cents; 90 cent goods for 69 cents. Turkey red goods, 19 cents per yard. Lace curtains, 75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per pair, and a host of goods on this same scale of bargains. This is a sale you don't want to miss.

On Saturday we will offer Special Low Figures on all Shoes in our large Stock.

Henry I. Cohen

Sleeper Block, Front Street.

SUMMER SCHOOL. County Superintendent J. A. Wilson notified the Will Be Held in This City Next Summer.

The state superintendent of schools has notified Prof. J. A. Wilson, county superintendent, that a summer training school has been ordered for this city for a month commencing July 8th, and that Prof. Andrew Nelson will be conductor. The instructors assigned are Prof. O. T. Deany, of the St. Paul Central High School, Nellie E. Collins, of Duluth, and Prof. Ripath DeLaitre, of Alexandria. The subjects to be taught consist of arithmetic, algebra, geometry, grammar, reading, language, geography, physiology, history, civics, nature studies and nature sciences, music, model primary class, pedagogy, methods and psychology, penmanship and physical culture. The superintendent writes that each appointment has been made with a view to securing specialists in the several lines of work, and there is no doubt the summer school will bring a large number of teachers to the city and it will be a great success and of great benefit to those attending.

To Owners of Furs. Please permit me to suggest that your furs are not safe during the summer unless they are examined at frequent intervals. It will be a great convenience to you to have them cared for and protected against loss and damage by moths or fire, and we are prepared to offer you this service at a very moderate expense. Alterations and repairs done during the summer cost much less than expert work only. Kildy send us your furs and fine winter garments.

We will pay express charges one way and we will mail you our storage receipt in exchange. N. W. FUR CO., St. Cloud, Minn.

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