GENERAL PRODUCE

Official quotations of the Minneapolis Produce Exchange, corrected up to 12 m., Monday, Oct. 15.

BUTTER—Creameries, extras, per lb, 25c; creameries, firsts, 22c; creameries, seconds, 20c; dairies, extras, 22c; dairies, firsts, 15c; dairies, seconds, 16c; renovated, extras, 20c; packing stock, fresh, sweet, 16c; state, held, 8c.

EGGS—Current receipts, fresh, case count, case, $5.75; current receipts, state, less current receipts, No. 1, candled, 22c; cold storage, carlots, case count, 20c; cold storage, candled, 21c; dirties, case, $3.50; checks and seconds, candled, case, $3.50.

CHEESE—Twins or flats, fancy, paraffined, 14c; fancy, unparaffined, 13½c; choice, paraffined, 12c; choice, unparaffined, 11c; fair, 9@9½c; single, 14c; doubles, 14c; triples, 13½c; off grades, 9c; Young America, fancy in quality, regular in style, 14c; choice, per lb, 12c; off grades, 10c; brick, No. 1, paraffined, 13½c; No. 1, unparaffined, 12½c; No. 2, 11½c; off grades, 2@3c; limburger, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 8c; off grades, 2@8c; Swiss, fancy loaf, old, 17c; choice, 11@12c; off grades, 8½@9c; fancy block, 14c; choice block, 11@12c; off grades, 8@10c; pultost, No. 1, 9c; off grades, 6c; primost, No. 1, 8c; off grades, 3@6c.

ONIONS—Per 100 lbs, $1.

CABBAGE—Per crate, $1.50.

VEGETABLES—Carrots per bu, 65c; wax beans, per bu, 75c; string beans, per bu, 75c; celery, doz, 25@35c; cucumbers, doz, $1.25; corn, green, per doz, 10c; egg plant, doz, 75c; garlic, 10@12c; lettuce, leaf, 10c; lettuce, heads, per doz, 50c; mint, doz, 40c; onions, dozen bunches, 14c; parsley, doz, 25c; peppers, per bu, $1; squash, Hubbard, doz, 75c; spinach, bu, 50c; watercress, doz, 25c; beets, bu, 50c; tomatoes, bu, $1.

HONEY—Extra fancy white, 1-lb sections, 15c; fancy white, 1-lb sections, 14c; choice white, 1-lb sections, 12c; amber, 13c; goldenrod, 12c; extracted white in cans, 8c; extracted amber in cans, 7c.

POTATOES—Per bu, 50c in small lots; carlots at lower prices.

BEANS—Quotations include sacks. Fancy navy, $1.80; choice navy, $1.50; medium navy, $1.55; mixed and dirty, 45@70c; brown, fancy, $1.80; mixed, fair to good, $1.50@1.60; Lima, California, per lb, 6½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Roosters, 6c; hens, large, fat, 9c; small, moulty hens, 8c; springs, lb, 9c; ducks, 7@8c; young, 9@9½c; geese, 7c; turkeys, old, 12@14c.

PIGEONS—Tame, live, young or old, doz, 75c; dead, 50@90c; squabs, nesters, fancy, large, dressed, $1.75@2; small, poor and thin, unsalable.

FISH—Pickerel, per lb, 6@7c; pike, 9@10c; crappies, 9@11c; sunfish, perch, etc., 5@6c; buffalo and carp, 3@4c; bullheads, dressed, 7@8c; white, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring, 4@5c; halibut, 10c; all fish should be drawn and well iced.

FROG LEGS—Large, per doz, 7@8c; medium, per doz, 5@6c.

DRESSED MEATS—Veal, fancy, per lb, 8@8½c; veal, fair to good, 7@7½c; small and overweight, 4@5c; mutton, fancy, 7@7½c; mutton, thin or overweight, 4@5c; lambs, yearlings, choice to fancy, 9@10c; lambs, thin or overwheight, 4@5c; hogs, heavy, 6@6½c; light, 6½@7c.

BANANAS—Jumbo bunches, $3@3.25; large bunches, $2.50@2.75; medium bunches, $2@2.25.

DRIED PEAS—Yellow, fancy, bu, $1.50; yellow, medium, $1.25; green, fancy, bu, $1.50; green, medium, $1.15; marrowfat, $1.80.

ORANGES—Late Valencias, $4@5.75.

LEMONS—California, 33s, fancy, $9; 360s, fancy, $9; choice, $8.50; Verdellis, fancy, $7.50; Verdellis, choice, $7; limes, box, $1.25.

APPLES—Grimes Golden, per brl, $3; Jonathans, $3.25; Pippins, $2.50@2.75; Ben Davis, $2.25; Wealthys, $3; Roman Beauty, $3; cooking, $2.25; crabapples, fancy, bu, $1.50; choice, bu, 75c@$1.

COCOANUTS—Per bag, $3.75; per doz, 60c.

WEST COAST FRUITS—Plums, crate, $1.25; peaches, free, per box, $1; Howell pears, fancy, box, $3; Tokay grapes, crate, $1.75.

GRAPES—Concords, per basket, 24c; Delawares, pony baskets, 20c.

SWEET POTATOES—Jerseys, brl, $3.75.

CRANBERRIES—Brl, $7.50.

PEARS—Kiefer, brl, $3.25; Duchess, $4.25; Sheldons, $4.25.

FRESH BEEF PRICES.

Minneapolis, Oct. 15.—The following were the wholesale market quotations on fresh beef cuts today:

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	13	11	8
Loins	16	13	11
Chucks	5	4½	4
Rounds	6	5½	5
Plates	3	2½	2

HIDES, PELTS, WOOL, ETC.

	No. 1.	No. 2.
Green salted cured steer hides, over 60 lbs	13¼	12¼
Green salted heavy cow hides, over 60 lbs	13	12
Green salted light hides, under 60 lbs	13	12
Green salted bulls, stags, oxen or work steers	10¼	9¼
Green salted long-haired kips, 8 to 25 lbs	12½	11½
Green salted veal kips	13	11½
Green salted veal calves, 8 to 15 lbs.	14½	13

Green or frozen hides 1½c less than green salted.

Horse and mule hides, large	$3.75	$2.75
Horse and mule hides, medium	3.15	2.25
Horse and mule hides, small	1.75	1.25

Montana butchers, short trim, light.	20½	
Montana butchers, long trim, heavy.	19½	
Montana butchers, long trim, light.	18½	
Montana calf, under 5 lbs.	23½	
Montana calf, under 5 lbs.	28½	
Montana kip, 6 to 12 lbs.	18	
Iowa, Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin hides	18	17
Dry bull hides	13½	
Dakota and Wisconsin calf, under 5 lbs	22	20
Kips, 6 to 12 lbs.	20	18
Dry salted, all weights	16	14
Dry horse and mule hides, each	$1.50	$1.00

Pelts, large, each	$1.10@1.50
Pelts, medium, each	.60@ .90
Pelts, small, each	.30@ .50
Dry territory butchers, per lb.	.17@ .18
Dry territory murrains, per lb.	.16@ .17

Tallow, solid	4½	3½
Tallow, cake	4⅝	3⅝
Grease	4	3

Wool, unwashed, medium	24	@25
Wool, unwashed, coarse	23	@24
Wool, unwashed, fine	21	@22
Wool, unwashed, medium and coarse	18	@19

Ginseng, dry and clean	$6.65@6.75
Seneca root, dry	.46@ .48

CHASKA RIG STOLEN

Gray Horse and a Buggy Cannot Be Found.

CHASKA, MINN.—A horse, gray in color, and a single buggy, were stolen from Jacob Hearing about 8 o'clock last evening.—Mrs. Mary Wetzel, a pioneer, died at the age of 80.

ELECTRIC SHOCK FATAL

Country Boy Killed by Highly Charged Apple River Power Wire.

NEW RICHMOND, WIS.—The 10-year-old son of Anton Gonstantiteau, a farmer residing near the electric power transmission plant of the Apple River Power company on Apple river at Riverdale, was fatally burned while at play near his home yesterday afternoon.

The boy climbed a pole and came in contact with one of the large wires which conduct the high tension electric current to Stillwater and St. Paul. His left leg below the knee was burned to a crisp, and the flesh fell away from the bone.

The boy fell to the ground, and his agonizing shrieks soon attracted the attention of his parents and the neighbors. They were several miles from the nearest doctor and were unable to do anything for the child.

CANNON FALLS FAVORED

Prime Weather and Good Weather for Fair—One Man Injured.

CANNON FALLS, MINN.—The first industrial fair was a great success. Contributing to its enjoyment was the exceptionally fine weather, large attendance from the country, and able addresses by A. L. Cole, J. F. Jacobson, T. R. Kane and Commissioner C. F. Staples. The horse of C. G. McDonald of this place stumbled and threw him to the ground, with such violence that his collarbone was broken.

RANGERS FIGHT FIRES

Losses in the Hills Kept Down by Good Work of Government Men.

CUSTER, S. D.—Forest fires have broken out on the reserve in the southern Hills. Not less than four fires in a single day were reported between the first station south on the Burlington railroad and the first station north.

An especially alarming blaze broke out in the vicinity of Keystone at the forks of Greyhound gulch. In a shore time it had burned over a stretch of country two miles square. By the heroic efforts of the ranchers and the forest rangers, the fire was stopped before great damage had been done.

These fires originate customarily from sparks from the locomotives, and as the fall season has been a very dry one, the underbrush readily ignites. The forest rangers are kept busy most of their time fighting fire.

RAPID CITY, S. D.—Miss Alice Law, a former Rapid City girl, has received special mention in an article devoted to women in technical work in the October number of the Technical World. She now holds a position on the staff of the Engineering World.

BRAINERD, MINN.—Frank Miller, living on a farm, was severely if not fatally burned in a fire which destroyed his house. He was trying to get out a sofa in which $50 was hidden.

BROWNS VALLEY, MINN.—Fred Howard, a farmer living about four miles west, drank carbolic acid by mistake. Relief was afforded before the poison had much effect.

TODAY'S

MINNESOTA

PHONE CO. LOSES TO THIEF RIVER

CANNOT INSTALL AN EXCHANGE IN NORTHERN CITY.

Mandamus Proceedings by the Northwestern to Prevent Interference by the Officials of the Place Fail of Their Object—New Charter Necessary Before Company Can Build.

Special to The Journal.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Oct. 15.—Judge Watts of the district court has made a decision in the case of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company against the city of Thief River Falls. Mandamus proceedings were brought against the officers of Thief River by the telephone company to prohibit any interference on the part of the city with construction work planned by the company. The arguments were submitted about two weeks ago, Attorney Cooke of Thief River, Judge Montague of Crookston and Attorneys Cobb and Wheelright of Minneapolis appearing for the company, and Attorney Michelet of Thief River and Loring of Crookston representing the city. The demurrer filed by the attorneys for the phone company was overruled, which means that the Northwestern cannot install a local system in this city under its present charter.

Hay and Grain Burned.

Prairie fires have been raging in the farming country northeast of here, resulting in severe losses. Tons of hay and stacked grain and several head of stock have been destroyed.

A district session of the school of instruction of the Order of the Eastern Star adjourned here yesterday. Delegates from the valley towns, including Warren, Argyle, Red Lake Falls and Crookston, were in attendance. A banquet was tendered the visitors on the closing evening and the work of the order discussed.

St. Hilaire to Lose Mill.

The big lumber mill of the St. Hilaire Lumber company at St. Hilaire will be closed down this fall and the plant and machinery moved to some point nearer the pineries where the business can be more economically and profitably carried on. The mill is one of the largest, as well as the oldest, in the northern part of the state, and has always done a good business.

Almost Drowns in Pail.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Sauer of Red Lake Falls met with a peculiar accident which nearly cost its life. Being left alone for a moment, the child crawled to a pail of water which its mother had left while she went into the next room. When discovered by Mrs. Sauer a few minutes later, the baby was standing on its head in the pail of water. After an hour's hard work the infant was resuscitated, tho at one time its life was despaired of.

SHOT DOWN BY A HUNTER

Death of Paulus Cannot Be Explained in Any Other Way.

BLACKDUCK, MINN.—Simon Paulus, a homesteader living near Langor postoffice, was found in the woods near his home with a bullet hole in the back of his head, his body indicating that he had been dead several hours. The supposition is that he was mistaken for a deer and shot, the man who did the shooting afterward discovering his error and making his escape from the vicinity.

Paulus went out in the early morning with his rifle, and agreed with his wife that she should blow a horn as a signal that breakfast was ready. Mrs. Paulus, some time after Paulus left, gave the signal, but received no response, and after waiting nearly an hour, went to the home of a neighbor named Andrew Dexter. She ascertained that her husband had not been there. Dexter went out to search for Paulus and found his body in the woods, with a bullet hole in the back of the head. Beside the body lay the dead man's rifle, and there was a loaded cartridge in the chamber, indicating that the bullet in the head had come from another rifle. There was nothing near Paulus to indicate the presence of a second person.

NO WORD SPOKEN AT WEDDING

Deaf Mutes United by Rev. Mr. Young of Moorhead.

MOORHEAD, MINN.—A marriage in which not a word was spoken was performed by Rev. A. T. Young of this city. The principals were George W. Corbett and Mabel A. Newton, both deaf mutes. The ceremony was written out and the vows acknowledged before a notary public.

The Fargo correspondent who complains that all the drunks handled by the Fargo police are the products of Moorhead saloons has aroused much feeling here. It is a matter of common street gossip that in spite of the hedge of the law, there are many places in Fargo where the fluid that destroys can be obtained. In spite of its saloons Moorhead does not tolerate other immoral resorts, and she can hold her general moral tone up for comparison with that of Fargo any day without fear.

Professor Maria Sanford of the state university will be one of the speakers at the dedication of the new Carnegie library this evening. The building is one of the chain that Andrew Carnegie has made possible thru out the country, and cost $12,000.

BREAK JAIL IN DAYLIGHT

Two Prisoners at Cass Lake Make Their Escape.

CASS LAKE, MINN.—Two prisoners lodged in the jail here made their escape in broad daylight. The desperadoes in some manner released the iron bars which were stretched across their cell window, and then crawled out. Before police could be notified the men were speeding far into the woods. The police were soon on their trail, but darkness forced them to give up the chase.

GOOD FIGHTING IN THE 44TH

Republican Nominee in an Iowa Senatorial District Has Hard Sledding.

CHARLES CITY, IOWA.—Great interest attaches to the three-cornered fight for senator in the forty-fourth senatorial district, composed of the counties of Floyd and Chickasaw. Frank O. Martin, a grain and stock dealer at Floyd, is the republican nominee; John Foley, a banker at New Hampton, is the democratic nominee, and B. F. Wright, editor of the Daily Press of Charles City, is an independent candidate. Martin and Foley are not orators, and are making no speaking campaign, while B. F. Wright is making addresses in every town in the district and will also speak at many of the schoolhouses. He has already addressed meetings at Ulster, Floyd (Martin's home), Niles, Charles City and Rudd.

It is thought by some of the best-informed politicians that the fight will result in the election of either Foley or Wright. The republican nominee for the lower house from Floyd is Loren W. Inman. He is opposed by Charles Morris of Nora Springs. Inman will be elected.

At the republican county convention a combine was organized and Charles City was shut out from representation on the board of supervisors. The democrats put up only part of a ticket with the hope of getting the dissatisfied republicans of Charles City to help them elect two members of the board. The Press, Mr. Wright's paper, is opposing for election those who were in the combine against Charles City. The outcome is a matter of conjecture. The democrats nominated for the office of county superintendent Miss Marcia Greenlees, principal of one of the Charles City schools, whom they hope to elect.

NEW INDUSTRY IN CHIPPEWA

Tobacco Culture a Proven Success in Western Wisconsin City.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, WIS.—The experiment of raising tobacco in Chippewa county has proven an unqualified success. In all about 400 acres were utilized in tobacco raising, and the results have been so profitable that it is estimated the total tobacco acreage next year will reach the 2,000 mark.

Buyers have visited various parts of Chippewa county where tobacco has been raised and say the crop is of a very fine grade and that the planters will get from $150 to $200 an acre. One man the other day shipped a carload of tobacco and received $2,400.

The farmers of the county are now trying to have the Progressive League of this city erect a large tobacco warehouse, the proposition being to make Chippewa Falls the tobacco center of Chippewa county.

Add to the prospective tobacco industry the sugar beet industry and it will be seen that the farmers have means of making a good living. The beet sugar factory opens tomorrow. It is estimated that 30,000 tons of sugar beets will be made into sugar, and that the output this year will be about 4,000,000 pounds.

NEWS OF THE NOR

MONTANA

FOUGHT A ROBBER TO A STANDSTILL

BUTTE CITY MINER WOULD NOT BE HELD UP.

Single-Handed and Unarmed, He Attacks Armed Highwayman, and, Escaping a Bullet Fired at Close Range, Makes His Antagonist Drop His Gun and Take to Flight.

Special to The Journal.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 15.—Single-handed and unarmed, Dan P. Sullivan, a miner at the Neversweat mine, attacked an armed highwayman in a saloon last night, and while he did not succeed in capturing the bandit, he disarmed him and secured his weapon.

About 2 o'clock in the morning two masked men entered the place and ordered several men who were drinking there to throw up their hands. One of the bandits held a 44-caliber revolver, but the other man apparently was unarmed. The robber with the revolver kept the crowd covered while his companion went behind the bar to clean up the cash register.

When Sullivan heard the order to "hold up your hands," he started to obey, but suddenly made a leap for the robber, grasping him about the legs. In the struggle that followed the robber discharged his weapon, the bullet going under Sullivan's arm and doing him no hurt.

The men struggled thru the doorway into the road, Sullivan finally compelling the robber to drop his gun. By a great effort the man managed to tear himself loose from the miner's grasp and ran away, his companion having previously made his escape. This was the second time this year that the saloon had been held up.

Tripping as he gave chase to two boys who had been throwing stones at him, Quong Chuey, a well-known member of the Chinese colony, struck his head heavily against a stone and fractured his skull. He is now at the hospital with but small chance of recovery.

BILLINGS TO VOTE ON TUESDAY

$400,000 in Bonds for Magnificent Water System Is at Stake.

BILLINGS, MONT.—A special election will be held tomorrow for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters the question of bonding the city in the sum of $400,000 for the establishment of a new system of waterworks. At an election held last spring the question of municipal ownership of the water plant was carried by a large majority. The present plan of the city engineer involves the construction of a canal 150 feet wide, which will tap the Yellowstone river three miles west of Billings and conduct the water to and by the power plant which will be immediately south of the city, across the river. Virtually the whole volume of water in the stream will be diverted by this immense canal.

A fall of twenty-two feet in the canal will be made at the water plant, and by this means turbines will be turned which will move dynamos generating 5,000 electrical horsepower, 500 of which will be used to pump the water to a reservoir on the hill one mile away, and which will have a capacity of 17,000,000 gallons. This reservoir will be 160 feet above the level of the town, to which the water will be carried by the force of gravity alone.

The remaining 4,500 horsepower of electricity will be sold to manufacturers, and it is believed that some will be thereby induced to locate in Billings. The pipe line will cross the Yellowstone under the bed of the river, and will be encased in heavy concrete.

Last spring several farmers undertook the planting and cultivation of several acres of corn under the direction of Professor Atkinson of the State Agricultural college. Special seed was secured. The result has been something remarkable. In many of the fields the stalks are sixteen feet in height and carry ears that will compare favorably with corn grown in the corn-belt states in every particular. Most of the crop raised this season will be kept for seeding purposes, and a large acreage will be planted next year. It is believed that sufficient corn will be produced next season to supply all requirements of the stockmen who use that class of feed.

HIGHWAYMAN GETS A YEAR

Quick Justice Meted Desperate Tramp at Green Bay.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Quick justice was meted Henry Bentheim, a former resident of this city, but of late years a tramp, who attempted to hold up C. Larson on the Main street bridge at 1 o'clock in the morning. Larson, after some scuffling, ran to a near-by restaurant where he gave the alarm and a few minutes later the man was arrested. He was taken into municipal court and sentenced to one year at Waupun.

While Charles De Vinney was running barley thru a spout at the Cargill elevator in De Pere he found in the grain a document 41 years old. It was the oath of the inspectors for the special election held in the town of Lawrence on Jan. 17, 1865, and was signed by Arthur Reid, Harry P. Cady and Jason Briggs, and attested to by Justice L. S. Scheuring, all of whom are now dead. To the document was attached a 50-cent internal revenue stamp which the law at that time required.

Word has been received in this city of the death of George Wagster, a former Green Bay man, who was killed in a stump machine at Briarton, Wis. Wagster's eyesight was poor and he did not observe the position of the machine, and in his hurry slipped, catching his head between the heavy irons, breaking his neck and jaw and cutting the jugular vein, causing instant death. He had a wife and nine children.

PLAYED WITH A SNAKE

Iowa Babe Was Not Harmed by Big Blue Racer.

COON RAPIDS, IOWA.—While the infant child of Frank McLaughlin, a farmer near here, was playing alone on the porch, the attention of the mother, who was working in the back part of the house, was attracted by its gleeful cries. She supposed it was playing with the house cat and kept on with her household duties.

Finally a more than ordinary delighted shriek of laughter from the youngster induced her to take a peek at it. She was horrified to see that the cause of its amusement was a big blue racer snake, which quickly crawled away as she approached.

She snatched the child up and set off at top speed for the nearest doctor, but a careful search failed to show that the child had been bitten or harmed in any way by its venomous pet.

DUMMY MAN ON TRACK

So-called Joke Gave Engine Crew a Frightful Shock.

CLINTON, IOWA.—The locomotive of a special train on the Chicago & North-Western road ran over what Engineer Thomas Rogers and his fireman thought was the body of a man at Maywood, after the engineman had used his utmost endeavors without avail to stop the train, but when the crew went back to pick up what they believed would be the mangled remains of a man they found nothing but an old coat, pair of trousers, boots and hat, and realized that they had been made the victims of a cruel joke. The officials of the company have been notified and an inquiry has been started with the object of bringing the perpetrators of what the officials declare to have been nothing short of a crime to justice.

Charged with selling intoxicating liquor without a government license, Nate Byem, a well-known Clinton man, is under bond. This is the first alleged case of "boot legging" coming to the attention of the local authorities for several years.

GLASGOW, MONT.—Lloyd Taylor, one of the best-known ranchers in this vicinity, was dragged to death while riding his range. He was thrown from his horse, and his foot caught in the stirrup.

NORTHWEST NECROLOGIC

MADISON, WIS.—Herbert W. Choynoweth, a prominent attorney, died here today, aged 56 years. He was for years the closest personal and political associate of Senator R. M. La Follette. Recently he conducted for the state, under appointment by Governor La Follette, the cases of the state against the railroad companies, in which the state recovered nearly $2,000,000 in taxes.

BRAINERD, MINN.—Peter Murphy of St. Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy of this city, dropped dead at Swan River yesterday and will be buritd here. He was born and reared in Brainerd and had resided in St. Paul for ten years.

NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

HAMBURG, MINN.—Miss Ethel Brown and George Lawrence were married in St. Thomas church at Jessenland, Rev. Mr. Joy officiating.

The wedding of J. Reinitz and Miss Charlotte Voss, prominent young people of Hamburg, took place at the home of the bride.

SOUTH DAKOTA

CRANSTON READS M. E. APPOINTMENTS

DAKOTA CONFERENCE FINISHES WORK AT BROOKINGS.

Next One Will Be Held with the Church at Vermillion—J. H. Vogt, Former Pastor at Pierre, Is Dismissed from the Ministry—Assignments for the Various Districts.

Special to The Journal.

Brookings, S. D., Oct. 15.—The twenty-third annual session of the Dakota Methodist conference, which met here last Tuesday, adjourned last evening to meet at Vermillion in 1907. Bishop Earl Cranston of Washington, D. C., presided. Rev. J. C. Floyd of New York addressed the conference on missions Thursday evening. President W. S. Lewis of Morningside college, Sioux City, spoke on education Friday evening. On Sunday morning Bishop Cranston preached to over 800 persons in the Methodist church, and all the English-speaking church pulpits were occupied by Methodist ministers. In the evening an address was delivered by Rev. C. M. Boswell, D.D., secretary of the Church Extension society.

Rev. J. H. Vogt, formerly of Pierre, was deposed from the ministry.

The general condition of the church shows splendid prosperity, and the coming year promises a material growth.

The following were ordained deacons by Bishop Cranston at the Sunday evening service: A. L. Cathers, C. E. Wilcox, W. S. Scott, R. A. Carhart, Below are the names of those who were ordained elders: A. C. McLain, James Crothers, H. L. Hastings, Henry Preston, O. W. Butterfield, R. J. Vandervort. The following are the assignments for the year:

Aberdeen District.

G. F. Hopkins, presiding elder; Aberdeen, J. W. Taylor; Andover, J. M. Hunter; Ashton, J. E. Norvell; Bath, G. W. Hickman; Bowdle, L. G. Wellington; Bristol, to be supplied; Butler, S. T. Weaver; Britton, W. D. Deeble; Claremont, E. E. Dean; Columbia and Putney, to be supplied; Conde, A. M. Ward; Devoe and Cresbard, F. S. Bromaghim; Doland, L. L. Layne; Frankfort, J. M. Bowen; Frederick, S. F. Spitz; Groton, L. L. Lane; Hecla, N. F. Sanderson; Herried and Pollock, to be supplied; Langford, N. P. Johnson; Leola, to be supplied; Le Beau, to be supplied; Mobridge, to be supplied; Mellette, R. A. Tarleton; Northville, D. S. Kerr; Roscoe, to be supplied; Selby, H. L. Hastings; Warner, M. Scully.

Huron District.

C. E. Hager, presiding elder; Alpena, P. O. Bunt; Blunt, R. F. Gluckler; Carpenter, to be supplied; Carthage, to be supplied; Cavour, to be supplied; De Smet, Henry Preston; Faulkton, Ernest Holgate; Forest City, S. W. Crane; Fort Pierre, to be supplied; Gettysburg, T. K. Holliday; Highmore, H. K. Wallace; Hitchcock, C. C. Boslaugh; Huron, Duane Rifenbark; Iroquois, W. E. Hartung; Iroquois circuit, S. W. Davis; Lebanon, J. D. Stevens; Midland, P. F. Styles; Miller, O. W. Butterfield; Okobojo and Onida, to be supplied; Ottemwa, John Wood; Pierre, A. S. Loveall; Redfield, J. S. Harkness; Rockham and Burdette, C. C. Bullock; Seneca, to be supplied; Stanley, S. V. Pike; Tulare, R. C. Shaerer; Wessington, John Clayton; Wessington Springs, J. M. Tibbetts; Wolsey, Jesse Snowdon.

Mitchell District.

J. O. Dobson, presiding elder; Alexandria, G. D. Norton; Armour, C. L. Fillebrown; Artesian, J. C. Baker; Bard and Riverside, J. F. Potter; Bever and Fairview, O. R. Davids; Bridgewater, to be supplied; Canistota, T. H. Hendricks; Chamberlain, A. L. McDonald; Ethan, H. H. Weak; Fairfax and Bonesteel, to be supplied; Fulton and Farmer, James Crother; Geddes and Jasper, J. E. Lombard; Gregory circuit, G. W. Galvin; Herrick circuit, to be supplied; Hilmo circuit, F. H. Ray; Howard, John Kaye; Kimball, Thomas Brinslow; La Roche, to be supplied; Letcher, J. H. Curton; Mitchell, H. S. Wilkinson; Merdo, C. M. Knight; Minty circuit, W. F. Minty; Mount Vernon, A. W. Thurston; Plankinton, A. P. Janes; Parkston, Samuel Marble; Platte, W. A. Greene; Presho, J. R. Payne; Reliance and Kermbeck, F. E. Stahl; Salem, G. D. Brown; Scotland, C. E. Wilcox; Springfield, E. T. Underwood; Tripp and Delmont, S. Harkness; Tyndall, C. B. Jones; Wagner, R. N. Kratz; White Lake, J. A. McDonald; Woonsocket, P. H. McBeth.

Sioux Falls District.

J. P. Jenkins, presiding elder; Alcester, C. M. Stebbins; Beresford, W. O. Redfield; Bloomingdale and Richland, L. R. Keckler; Canton, W. A. Cave; Centerville, W. A. Wilkinson; Coleman, H. W. Smith; Colton, E. E. Saxton; Davis, A. T. Hoyer; Dell Rapids, John Jones; Egan, L. L. Wilcox; Elk Point, to be supplied; Flandreau, W. B. Stewart; Garretson, J. N. Oakley; Gayville, H. P. Eberhart; Harrisburg, S. H. Shurtleff; Hartford, T. H. Trevitrick; Hudson, Charles Richards; Hurley, W. P. Slocum; Irene, to be supplied; Junius, L. W. Scott; Lennox, to be supplied; Madison, A. D. Thibodeau; Marion, A. N. LeGrand; Montrose, J. T. Gurney; Parker, J. B. Dibble; Sioux Falls, First church, J. M. Brown; Sioux Falls, Jordan church, I. B. Sevy; Valley Springs, P. H. Weston; Vermillion, A. C. Shepherd; Wakonda, L. K. McNeil; Worthomg, R. S. Reese; Yankton, G. W. Roseberry.

Watertown District.

W. I. Graham, presiding elder; Arlington, A. C. McLean; Bruce, C. J. Gall; Big Stone, Thomas Sanderson; Bradley, to be supplied; Brookings, E. P. Hall; Castlewood, Nels Fanebust; Clark, W. L. Meinzer; Clear Lake, to be supplied; Corona and Wilmot, to be supplied; Elkton and Aurora, F. C. Page; Florence, to be supplied; Garden City, O. M. Hyde; Gary, A. C. Bonham; Hazel, L. W. Darling; Henry, B. W. McEldowney; Kampeska, H. C. Riley; Lake Preston, E. O. Machamer; Milbank, E. E. Hunt; Sisseton, F. B. Dunn; Summit, A. W. Henke, H. T. Prell; Vienna and Willow Lake, A. L. Cather; Watertown, W. S. Shepherd; Waubay, A. W. Henke and H. T. Prell; Webster, L. B. Slocum; White, P. G. Gardner; White Rock, H. C. Preston.

AYERS ET AL. TO BE TRIED

Former Politician and Others Are Principals in Land Fraud Cases.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.—Several important cases are to be tried at the regular October term of United States court, which will convene in Sioux Falls tomorrow. The most important case for alleged land frauds will be that against Thomas H. Ayers, private secretary to Andrew E. Lee, when the latter was governor of South Dakota; John I. Newell, John F. McGuire and Howard A. Binford of Pierre. The four and Carl Pitan, a stockman, were jointly indicted at the April term of federal court in Sioux Falls on the charge of engaging in a conspiracy to defraud the government out of large tracts of land in Stanley county, west of the Missouri river. The indictment against the four defendants contains twenty-three counts, and is one of the most voluminous instruments of its kind ever returned by a federal grand jury in South Dakota.

The defendants were arraigned at the April term, and all, except Pitan, entered pleas of not guilty. Pitan pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year in the Hughes county jail at Pierre and fined $1,000. He is now serving his term.

Another case of some importance is that against General Agent Ahman of the Sioux Falls branch of the Val Blatz Brewing company, who at the Deadwood term of United States court in September, was indicted on the charge of shipping to a saloonman at Flandreau a keg of beer to which the internal revenue stamp was not affixed. When first arrested he was taken before a United States commissioner for his preliminary examination and the case against him was there dismissed. Not satisfied, the United States authorities took the case directly to the grand jury, with the result that an indictment was returned and Mr. Ahman will be compelled to stand trial.

Among the other cases to be tried will be htat of Fred Gibbons, a former member of the Sioux City police department, who is charged with having sold liquor in Union county, South Dakota, near Sioux City, without having paid the special government tax, and the case of John Colomb, under indictment for the theft of stock from the Rosebud Indian reservation.

Joseph Meridan, a member of the Assyrian colony in Sioux Falls, will be tried on the charge of passing counterfeit money. He will base his defense on the ground that he received the counterfeit dollar in a saloon at Pipestone, Minn., and that after being informed that it was counterfeit he by mistake tendered it in payment of his livery bill.

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STONE IMAGE WAS WORSHIPED AS A GOD.

Carved from Hard Basalt Rock and Representing an Animal Half Sheep and Half Dog, It Was Found Twenty-five Feet Below the Surface by Railway Graders.

Special to The Journal.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 15.—Workmen engaged in excavating for a railroad near Underwood, Wash., recently uncovered a stone image which is believed to be the relic of a race antedating the Indians. The image was uncovered at a depth of over twenty-five feet, and was embedded in eighteen feet of gravel from the top of which had been removed several feet of rock.

In appearance the image resembles an animal, half sheep and half dog, with the horns of the former and the features of the latter. The figure has been carved out of the hard basalt rock found along the Columbia river and is as hard as iron. In height the figure is about two feet, but originally probably was taller, as it evidently has been broken off at the bottom.

While some think that the image is the work of Indians who formerly camped in great numbers near the spot where it was found, geologists and others who have examined it say that its antiquity is so great that it undoubtedly antedates the Indians, and the fact that it is made of stone is also an indication that it is not of Indian workmanship, as the figures made by them were, without exception, carved from wood. It is believed that the figure was that of a god worshiped by some prehistoric tribe which inhabited this region.

FERGUS FALLS HAS REAL ISSUE

City Is Stirred to Its Depths Over a Sidewalk Controversy.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—A sidewalk controversy that has stirred the city to its depths is in progress here, the question at issue being whether a certain walk shall be laid eight feet from the property line, as requested by the residents, or one foot from the line, in accordance with an ordinance. The matter has been before the council in various forms for two years, and a majority of the aldermen recently adopted an amendment to the ordinance permitting the construction of the walk on the line asked by the residents. The mayor vetoed the amendment, and a force of men started to build the walk under police protection. The residents appealed to the district court and served an injunction today that brought the work to a standstill. A hearing will be had Oct. 23, the residents attacking the accuracy of the survey.

Rev. K. Winberg, pastor of the Norwegian Methodist Episcopal church of this city, left yesterday for West Duluth to assume the pastorate of a church there, and Rev. C. O. Christianson of the West Duluth church arrived today to become pastor of the Fergus Falls church.

Frank Klinkner was brought in from Bluffton and tried in the justice court here yesterday on the charge of obstructing a public ditch. He was found guilty and fined $5 and costs, amounting in all to $96.50, or sentenced to serve sixty days in jail. He paid the fine.

NEW TOWN AND NEW MILL

Virginia Lumber Company Will Have Big Plant at Ranier.

VIRGINIA, MINN.—It has been announced that the Virginia Lumber company will soon begin the construction of a mammoth sawmill at Ranier, where the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railroad crosses Rainy river into Canada. The plant will contain two band mills, two horizontal band resaws, and a lath mill. A planing mill will also be constructed. It is expected to have the plant ready for operation by the time the railroad commences the hauling of logs to the border.

Ranier is a new town platted by the interests that control the railroad. Lots will be placed on sale the first of next month. It is expected the town will develop into a lively city as soon as the mill commences operations.

TO READERS OF THE

LADIES' HOME JOURNAL:

Did you read the article published by The Ladies' Home Journal in May 1904, attacking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription? Have you seen the statement more recently made by Mr. Bok, the Editor of that magazine that his company "has not paid a single penny to Dr. R. V. Pierce's concern * * * in settlement of any suit"? We wish you to know the truth. The facts are these:

Four days after the article in May 1904, appeared, Dr. Pierce's company sued The Ladies' Home Journal publishers for libel. The trial was had in April last. Dr. Pierce proved that the attack made by The Ladies' Home Journal was false. He proved that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription *does not, and never did contain* either alcohol or any of the injurious drugs which The Ladies' Home Journal falsely stated it did contain. This was so conclusively shown that the attorneys for The Ladies' Home Journal *were forced to admit it.* The jury rendered a verdict against The Ladies' Home Journal in favor of Dr. Pierce's company for $16,000.00. This was a complete vindication of Doctor Pierce and his "Favorite Prescription." It judicially established that the libel was *wholly* false, and without any justification.

Dr. Pierce, however, believed that his company is justly entitled to a verdict for a much larger sum. Through his attorneys he has, therefore, applied to the court for a new trial of the case. For this reason, and for this reason alone, has The Ladies' Home Journal not yet paid "a single penny to Dr. R. V. Pierce's concern." Dr. Pierce has simply chosen not to collect the judgment until the motion for a new trial has been decided.

In the light of these facts does not this boastful statement that it "has not paid a single penny to Dr. R. V. Pierce's concern" look like a cheap and common bluff, a half truth intended to mislead you?

During the trial of the libel suit against the above mentioned publishers, Dr. Lee H. Smith, Vice-President of the World's Dispensary Medical Association, *stated under oath* that the ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription were wholly extracted from the following native roots; Golden Seal, Blue Cohosh, Lady's Slipper Black Cohosh and Unicorn by means of pure glycerine *of proper strength.* He was asked how he knew, as a physician and experienced medical man, that the "Favorite Prescription" was a *cure* for the diseases peculiar to women, such as "female weakness," weakening pelvic catarrhal drains, prolapsus, retroversion, irregular and painful periods, and other diseases of the womanly organs, and he stated that he knew such was the fact because of his professional experience and the many thousands of women whose ills, to his personal knowledge, had been cured by this "Prescription."

This experience of Dr. Smith was corroborated by the standard Medical Authorities, of the several schools of practice, endorsing the various ingredients in the strongest terms. Dr. Smith being asked to name some of these authorities as to the curative value of the above roots read from the standard works, such as the United States Dispensatory; The American Dispensatory; Organic Medicines, by Grover Coe, M. D.; Materia Medica, by Professor Finley Ellingwood of the Bennett Medical College, Chicago; "New Remedies," by Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Chicago; Text-Book of Therapeutics, by Dr. Hobart A. Hare, Prof. in Univ. of Penn'a; Laurence Johnson, M. D., Prof. in University of New York; Prof. John King, Author of "Woman and Her Diseases"; Professor John M. Scudder, M. D., Author of a treatise on "The Diseases of Women"; Horatio C. Wood, M. D., Author of "Therapeutics"; Roberts Bartholow, A. M., M. D., Professor of Materia Medica, Jefferson Medical College of Phila.

All these recognized and standard authorities praise, in the strongest possible terms, each and every ingredient which enters into the "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments. In fact the "Favorite Prescription" *stands alone* as being the only medicine for woman's special ailments which has any such *professional* endorsement of its several ingredients which fact is generally recognized as entitled to much more weight than any amount of lay, or non-professional testimonials.

The "Favorite Prescription" *stands alone* as the only non-secret, medicine for woman's ailments. Its manufacturers are not afraid to publish its ingredients, as they do, broadcast—thus courting the fullest scrutiny.

The "Favorite Prescription" has been on trial in court and came out fully vindicated as containing no harmful or habit-forming drugs.

What other medicine for women could stand such a test?

No invalid women can afford to accept a secret *nostrum of unknown composition* for this tried and proven remedy OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. Leading physicians often prescribe it because they know exactly what it is made of and that the ingredients of which it is composed are the very best known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and delicate ailments.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not advertised as a "Cure All" but admirably fulfills a singleness of purpose, being a superior and most positive remedy for one class of diseases only—those easily recognized weaknesses, derangements, irregularities and painful disorders peculiar to women. It is a powerful, yet gently acting, invigorating, tonic and strengthening nervine. For weak, worn-out, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the break-down,—whether it be from too frequent bearing of children or from much worry, care, or over exertion of any kind, "Favorite Prescription" will be found most efficient in building up the strength, regulating all the womanly functions, banishing pain and bringing about a regular and healthy, vigorous condition of the whole female system.

Don't expect to get the brightest boy in Minneapolis by advertising "Boy Wanted." The boy has his future before him, and it matters a great deal in what direction he starts. If you want a boy who cares about his work, attract him by telling the opportunities you offer. Tell him what he will have to do and what it will lead to.

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