

**SPECIAL SALE OF  
..LACE CURTAINS..  
AT THE  
Berman Emporium  
Next Door to Post Office.**

**THE CITY**

See Jones—W. C. Jones.  
For wall paper see J. A. Hoff, Miles block.  
Pineapples, 20 cents each, at the Princess.  
A. M. Pierce made a trip to Lakeport this morning.  
Short mill wood, ready for use Phone 208 or Wes Wright.  
Abe Wylor, of the I. Meyer & Co. store, is on the sick list.  
Fine Bermuda onions, six cents a pound, at the Princess.  
Geo. Young returned from a visit to Tenstrike this morning.  
Armstrong & Underwood serve ice cream at all hours of the day and night.  
Five fifty-foot lots for sale \$450 for all or \$100 each if taken in five days. Willits & Cahill.  
There is no lever so powerful as plain and simple facts—Mark's Lung Balsam will cure your cough.  
Mrs. Wm. McClure and son are here from Minneapolis to spend the summer with Wm. McClure.  
Remember the food sale by the ladies of the M. E. church Saturday afternoon from two until six at the Princess grocery.  
S. F. Heath, of the Reed studio, left this morning for Guthrie, near which place Mr. Heath owns a homestead.  
Short mill wood, ready for use, dries quickly, \$2 per load delivered. Crookston Lumber Co. Phone 208 or Wes Wright.  
E. H. Harris has accepted a position at Smith's barber shop. He comes from Oakes, N. D., and is an old-time knight of the razor.  
Caesar dead and turned to clay might stop a hole to keep the wind away. Take Mark's Lung Balsam, and avoid this fate.

**EYES:** Dr. Walman, the eye specialist of Minneapolis, will visit Bemidji May 28 and 29. Office at Hotel Markham. This will be a splendid chance for those in need of good glasses. Dr. Walman is an expert on eye trouble. He has records of 5,000 people wearing his glasses in the state of Minnesota. They all praise his skill.

**DR. FOSTER  
DENTIST  
MILES BLOCK.**

**THE  
BIG STORE**

We are showing an elegant line of corsets. We think they are the best—come in and see them. Price from 50c to \$2.50

Ladies Summer Underwear.—We have a complete line at per garment from 5c to 75c

One lot Ladies' Vests, worth 15c to 25c, your choice at each 5c

Ladies' Shirt Waists all sizes, latest styles from \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Ladies' Silk Waists in black, while they last, only \$3.50

White Dress Goods, on our bargain counter, 8c, 10c 15c and 25c

Colored Dress Goods, 30 inches wide; makes nice waists; former price, 18c, 20c and 25c.; see them on our bargain counter, 12 1-2 c per yard.

Ribbon Remnants, 1-2 price.  
All Remnants at half price.

Ladies' Belts, 25c to \$1.00.

We have on display a new line of Dishes.

See the bargains we have in Ladies' Slippers at \$1.15  
Men's \$2.50 and \$2.75 Shoes, \$2.19. See 'em in basket.  
Wrappers, all styles, all patterns; from \$1.00 to \$1.75.

**GROCERIES.**

Everything nice and Fresh. The "Home" Brand can not be beaten.

**We close 7:30 p. m., except Mill Pay Days & Saturdays**

**WM. McCUAIG WM. McCUAIG**

**Fifty Years the Standard**

**DR. PRIGES  
CREAM**

**BAKING  
POWDER**

Improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

PRIGES BAKING POWDER CO.  
CHICAGO

Go to the Grill for fancy berries and fruit.  
E. O. Glidden expects to open his saloon in Nymore soon.  
Ice cream and strawberries Armstrong & Underwood.  
A No. 1 meadow land hay \$13 per ton at Schroeder's.  
Joe Welch arrived today from St. Paul for a visit with his brother, Wm. Welch.  
Nothing can be better than the best—Mark's Lung Balsam is the best.  
Go to the Princess for oranges and lemons before the price raises.  
Gilbert Wein, one of the prosperous farmers of the town of Frohn, is in the city today.  
The largest and most complete line of candies will be found at the Grill.  
Tan acre tract of land, for sale, a snap if taken in five days. Willits & Cahill.  
Frank Heroux, the Tenstrike real estate man, is registered at the City hotel.  
Mr. Bolstad, the Nymore butcher, is recovering from an illness of several weeks.  
All kinds of fresh vegetables at the Princess today and Saturday.  
Geo. Cook of the Brainerd Lumber company arrived in the city from Brainerd last night.  
Carpet samples for rugs at Taylor's.  
James McNerns, who has been in the employ of Blakely & Farley near Turtle, has returned to Bemidji.  
Baby jumpers and go-carts at Taylor's.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.  
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO.,  
Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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**MAHARA'S**

The Mahara Minstrel and Operatic Stars in a New Dress This Season.

After many years of experience in the minstrel field the well known managers of the Mahara and Minstrel Operatic stars this season have hit upon a new idea in minstrelsy. And in view of the old time performance they present mirth, melody and music of a newer and more attractive kind, in fact, it is said the elaborate program "a la musicale" is one of the best things ever introduced in any bill of the kind. The comedians are many and from a school of humor where only the best emanate from, while the dancing octette are numerous worthy up-to-date lot. Mahara's Operatic Stars come to the City Opera House Thursday, June 2. Spectacular Street Parade at noon, introducing Snapper & Garrison, the champion trick bicyclists.

Carmel and vanilla ice cream, at the Grill.  
G. W. Millett of Cass Lake is in the city today.  
Velvet ice cream, our own make, at the Grill.  
W. B. Pillsbury is in the city from St. Paul.  
Strawberries and cream, at the Grill.  
Gypsies from all parts of the world will camp at the opera house Monday-June 9th.

County Superintendent of Schools Dnnwoody has returned from a trip to Blackduck.  
Velvet ice cream, our own make, at the Grill.  
Mrs. Atwood has returned from Blackduck, where she attended a meeting of the Rebekahs.  
John Sagnes and son, of Blackduck, were in the city a couple days this week and returned home Wednesday night.  
Frank Minton and Harry Arnold made one of the largest catches of pike that have been made this spring, weighing 79 pounds.

**Stores Will Close.**  
On Decoration day all stores of the city will close from 10 a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. The agreement was reached yesterday, when a committee of the G. A. R. called upon the merchants.  
**Rev. C. R. Martin.**  
Friends of C. R. Martin will read with considerable interest the following item clipped from the St. Hilaire Spectator: "Rev. C. R. Martin will conduct mission meetings east of St. Hilaire in the school house of August Anderson's on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 31st of May and the 1st of June at 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. both days."

**It Was a Moose.**  
One of the largest wall-eyed pike caught in Lake Bemidji this year was taken by J. Meyer with a rod and reel near the old mill site Wednesday afternoon. It weighed eight and three-quarter pounds and gave Mr. Meyer quite a game before it was landed. Mr. Meyer, who has a very good conception of the eternal fitness of all things, had the fish baked whole at the Palace cafe and invited some friends down to despoil it. Billy Ross, the chef, rose to the occasion with his usual ability and the result was something in the line of baked wall-eyed pike that reflected no small amount of credit on his ability as a chef. Mr. Meyer wears his honors easily and says that it's easy to get the big ones if you know how.

**For Register of Deeds.**  
I announce my candidacy for nomination as register of deeds of Beltrami county subject to the decision of the republican voters of the county at the primary election. In case I am nominated and elected I pledge myself to a faithful and courteous discharge of the duties of the office and I solicit the votes of all republicans who believe that the office should be conducted for the public good.  
J. O. HARRIS.

**SCROFULA A DISEASE WE INHERIT.**

Scrofula manifests itself in many ways. Swelling of the glands of the neck and throat, Catarrh, weak eyes, white swelling, offensive sores and abscesses, skin eruptions, loss of strength and weakness in muscles and joints.

It is a miserable disease and traceable in almost every instance to some family blood taint. Scrofula is bred in the bone, is transmitted from parent to child, the seeds are planted in infancy and unless the blood is purged and purified and every atom of the taint removed Scrofula is sure to develop at some period in your life.

No remedy equals S. S. S. as a cure for Scrofula. It cleanses and builds up the blood, makes it rich and pure, and under the tonic effects of this great Blood Remedy, the general health improves, the digestive organs are strengthened, and there is a gradual but sure return to health. The deposit of tubercular matter in the joints is restored to a normal condition, and the sores, eruptions, and other symptoms of Scrofula disappear.

S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable and harmless; an ideal blood purifier and tonic that removes all blood taint and builds up weak constitutions. Our physicians will advise without charge, all who write us about their case. Book mailed free.

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**SPECIAL  
BARGAIN  
LIST.**

Five-room House, 50-foot lot; (no repairs or extra touches) \$1650.00

Two-room House, 25-foot lot; \$250.00

Seven-room House, 50-foot lot; \$850.00

Large Lot, 50x330—\$15 handles one lot \$60.00.

**Willits & Cahill.**

**F. O. E.**

Fraternit Order of Eagles, Bemidji Aerie No. 481. Meets every Wednesday at 8 p. m., (Gilmour's Hall).

A. T. Wheelock, W. President  
H. LeBlanc, W. Secretary  
Visiting Eagles cordially invited.

**Dance at Nymore.**

A grand ball will be given in the building to be occupied by the Glidden saloon at Nymore to-morrow night. Ample arrangements for a good time have been made, and a pleasant evening's diversion is expected.

**Funeral of Bly Thomas.**  
The funeral of Bly Thomas, the old soldier who died Tuesday night at Lake Placid, was held this afternoon from the Naylor undertaking parlors. It was conducted under the auspices of the local C. A. R. post and interment was at Greenwood.

**To Give a Dinner.**  
The C. E. society of the Presbyterian church will serve a dinner at the church on Memorial day, beginning at noon. In the evening Rev. McLeod's Sabbath school class will have charge of an entertainment and a program which promises to be very enjoyable has been prepared for the occasion.

**Special Patriotic Services.**  
There will be no service at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Union Memorial services will be held at the City hall. In the evening there will be a special patriotic service, to which all are cordially invited. The following is the order of service:

Invocation  
Hymn—God Bless Our Native Land  
Scripture Lesson  
Prayer  
Anthem—Over Them Once With Beautiful Flowers, Music by Carleton offering, etc.  
Hymn—Soldier Memorial  
Anthem—Sleep on and Rest, Merston  
Prayer  
Hymn—America  
Benediction

**Four Spring Excursions to Detroit, \$12.00 Round Trip.**  
The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Ry. will have on sale June 3, 10, 14 and 19 round trip tickets to Detroit and intermediate points at the rate of \$12; to Buffalo and return \$14. This is via the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Ry. to St. Ignace and the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Co.'s palatial steamers.

For return limits, reservation of berths on train and steamer, and full particulars of the above write or call on  
MAUR. ANDSON, General Agent,  
430 West Superior St., Duluth, Minn.

**Released From Hospital.**  
Joseph Belmore, an old time woodsman, who is quite well known in this vicinity was released from St. Anthony's hospital today after having spent eleven months at that institution. During July of 1903 Mr. Belmore was injured while working at a hoist near Bemidji. One of his legs was badly crushed by a log and he has been at the hospital ever since. Dr. Smith has been attending him and Joe is eloquent of the doctor's treatment and the care and nursing he received from the sisters at St. Anthony's. He will not be able to do any hard work for some time but it will be gratifying news to all his old time friends to know that he is able to leave the hospital.

**This Coupon is good for 5 votes**

In favor of.....  
IN THE BEMIDJI PIONEER VOTING CONTEST.

Prizes—Three Free Trips to St. Louis.

This Coupon will not be good unless voted  
**BEFORE 12 M. June 2**

**ISN'T THAT SWELL?**

Is the comment on the new Sepia Tone Portraits at the LAKESIDE.

**ISN'T THAT NICE?**

Is always the praise of the Artists—Platinum Prints made at the LAKESIDE STUDIO.

Call and see us. You are ever welcome.

**M. J. MORSE, Proprietor.**

**BRUNSWICK-BALKE  
Billiard Hall.**

L. J. MATHENY, Prop.

Fine Line of Cigars & Tobaccos

Bemidji, Minn.

**Dr. J. Warninger**

Office in rear of Arcade  
Saloon, 4th St., Phone 36  
Bemidji

Owner of General Blackford, record 2:23.4, who will make the season of 1904 in Bemidji at a service fee of \$30; \$100 dollars cash and \$5 when the mare is shown to be in foal. Don't fail to see him before leaving your mare.

**International  
STOCK FOOD.**

25-lb Pail for \$3.50

Only 15 cents a pound for the best Stock Food on the market; all sizes of the food for sale at the

**CITY DRUG STORE**  
THE PIONEER DRUG STORE OF BEMIDJI.

**...CHOICE LOTS...**

**Grow More Valuable Every Day**

The demand for Building Lots in Bemidji continues unabated. We still have a large number of Fine Residence Lots, however, in all parts of the city.

You could have bought cheaper a few months ago, but you will not be able to buy cheap a few months from now.

**Bemidji Townsite & Improvement Co.**  
JOHN F. GIBBONS, Local Agent.

**Why should farmers visit the St. Louis Fair?**

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By devoting the largest building on the grounds to agriculture. An examination of the exhibits in this immense structure is as valuable as a post graduate course in farming. The Rock Island System is the line to take from St. Paul and Minneapolis to St. Louis. No changes. Best trains and best track. Exposition rates in effect daily, April 15 to November 30.

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