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at  
**The Grill**

**THE CITY**

Go to Hakkerup for photos.  
Midnight dinner at the Palace Cafe tonight.  
Tams Bixby went to Blackduck last night.  
Schroeder is selling blueberries at \$1.10 per case.  
Chris Christenson returned this morning from Kelliher.  
Midnight dinner at the Palace Cafe ready every night at 11:30.  
Miss Maggie Campbell, an employe of the Pioneer, is at Nary today.  
Nothing can be better than the best—Mark's Lung Balsam is the best.  
James Black was a passenger on this morning's M. & I. for Lakeport.  
Hereafter the Palace Cafe will serve a special midnight dinner every night.  
Why balance on the verge of consumption when Mark's Lung Balsam will cure.  
Ed Crawford made a business trip to Blackduck last night and returned this morning.  
The only pure and therefore wholesome ice cream the Ives. Served at Peterson's parlor.  
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Ed Bancroft, proprietor of the M. & I. hotel at Blackduck, has been spending a couple of days

in the city. He will return to Blackduck tonight.  
Cool off at Peterson's ice cream parlor.  
Dave Beauregard is in the city from Blackduck.  
Thos. Bailey, Jr., left last night for Spooner.  
The best is the cheapest. Ives ice cream at Peterson.  
John McDougald came down from Blackduck this morning.  
Remember the auction sale Tuesday evening at the Boyer Building.  
The county pest house has been repainted and calcimined and is in shape for next winter.  
Harry Bliler went to Kabekona this morning, where he will spend a few days cruising in that vicinity.  
W. E. Rose of Blackduck passed through the city this morning on his way to the Twin Cities.

Bert Getchell went to Tenstrike last night and will spend a few days cruising in that vicinity.  
A ten pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rako, who live three miles south of Bemidji, last night.  
Mrs. A. W. Hewitt returned to her home at Hewitt, Minn., after a two weeks' visit in the city with her brother, H. J. Loud.  
M. A. Spooner and J. J. Cameron left this morning for Lakeport, where they will spend a few days catching black bass.  
"Sailor Pete," the Northome saloon man, who spent a couple of days taking in the sights here, returned to his home last night.  
Miss Whitmore left this morning for Delano, Minn., after a few days' visit with her brother-in-law, H. G. Hayes of this city.  
Sam A. Shupe, of Watertown, S. D., accompanied by his family is in the city for a visit with Mr. Ellis and family. They will remain several days.  
Charles W. Scrutchin left last night for Spooner, where he will do the legal work in organizing the new town. He has also a case in justice court there.  
I have for sale several tracts of government land that may be entered as homesteads. Some timber and good farming land in 40, 80 or 160 acre lots. M. E. Thurston.  
John Bailey went to Blackduck last night, and from there he will proceed by horseback to Battle River, about twenty-five

**McCuaig's McCuaig's**

Only a few more pieces of Summer Dress Goods left after the Red Tag Sale and we do not want to invoice them, so if price will sell them for the next four days we will not have a yard of Summer Dress Goods left over, so come and price them. That will convince you that we want to sell them. Remember, **ONLY FOUR DAYS**, then we start to take our Annual Inventory.

Waists.—We have only a few left at prices that will surprise you.

Our stock of Ladies' Belts from 20c to 75c; all worth more; they must go.

The Wool Voil, tan shade. A small piece left; worth \$1.40, now 75c.

See our 5c Lawn.

Percalé, 36 inch; now 10c per yard.

Madras Cloth; former price 12 1/2c to 15c, now 10c

Ladies' Slippers, worth \$1.25 to \$1.75; in the Bargain Basket \$1.00, all sizes.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear, 15 per cent discount

Ladies' Summer Underwear on the Bargain Counter; you know what that means at McCuaig's.

Ribbon Remnants—Bargains.

Only 6 pairs of Corsets on the Bargain Counter. They will go at 19c each.

All Short Lengths and Remnants at a Bargain.

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

**WM. McCUAIG WM. McCUAIG**

**50 CENTS EACH**

The balance of our stock of Straw Hats must be closed out, and fifty cents will buy any Straw Hat we have in stock. They are worth \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.00. **GET ONE WHILE THEY LAST.**

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miles from there, to serve papers in a civil action.

Will Ireland is in the city from Grand Forks today.

Have Ross put up your eave troughs at right price. Phone 113. A new patient was admitted yesterday to the county poor farm.

Mrs. Robert McCuaig is a visitor in the city from Tenstrike today.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sibert are in the city from Rembeck, Iowa.

W. R. and C. W. Baumbach arrived in the city yesterday from Wadena.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haney arrived in the city yesterday from Winnipeg.

Always a complete stock of the best fruit in the market at Peterson's.

Miss F. A. Pitts is in the city for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. L. Pitts.

W. M. Ross has a competent mechanic to do all kinds of tin and sheet metal work.

"Smithy", the popular Tenstrike saloon man, is in the city today visiting friends.

There is no lever so powerful as plain and simple facts—Mark's Lung Balsam will cure your cough.

R. H. Pendergast, a prominent nurseryman of Duluth, is in the city to spend a few days visiting the city to spend a few days visiting his brother, Judge Pendergast.

Oscar Thompson, one of the prosperous farmers, of Buena Vista, passed through the city today enroute to Hoffman, Minn.

Property owners on section sixteen, in Cass Lake, are busy moving their buildings to conform with the streets of the platted townsite.

Louis Smith, Joe Oakes and David Long arrived in the city this morning from Thief River Falls. They have spent a number of weeks cruising in the Red Lake country.

Superintendent Carroll of the teacher's summer school went to Northome last night where he has some extensive holdings in real estate. Mr. Carroll has great faith in this section of the state and expects to make additional purchase on this trip.

**Notice To Ladies.**

I have the Viavi remedies for sale, all ladies interested call Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon, or drop a card and I will call. Mrs. T. Hill, Beltram Ave., north of 11th St.

**Cholera Infantum.**

This disease has lost its terror since Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy came into general use. The uniform success which attends the use of this remedy in all cases of bowel complaint in children has made it a favorite wherever its value has become known. For sale at Barker's drug store.

**McGuire Will Speak.**

President J. W. Speelman, of the Old Settler's Association, has received word from Superintendent A. J. McGuire, of the state experimental farm at Grand Rapids that he will attend the meeting of the association at Buena Vista, August 26 and will speak on "The Possibilities of Dairying in Northern Minnesota." Mr. McGuire is a new man in northern Minnesota, is said to be an able speaker and his address will be one of a number that will make the meeting a notable one.

**The Death Penalty.**

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c, at all druggists.

**Barbers Take Notice.**

The Minnesota State Examining Board of Barber will hold a public examination of barbers in the city of Bemidji, Beltrami county on August 16, 1904, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. at L. G. Crothers' barber shop. Applicants must bring tools and be prepared to do work in all branches of the trade.

**Bear on Track.**

A novel sight met the crew of the M. & I. freight last night when they arrived in Kelliher. The train was doing its switching when glancing up the track one of the brakemen saw a large black bear. Although the train remained there for some time, bruin did not get frightened until the switch engine nearly ran over him, when he took to the woods.

**End of Bitter Fight.**

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung trouble. Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

**Need More Ditches.**

Oto E. Berg of Shotley village is in the city this morning on business matters. Mr. Berg is one of the substantial farmers of Shotley town and is much interested in the state Ditch the contract for which was let at St. Paul Friday to be built from Kelliher to Shotley Brook at a cost of \$3500. This ditch will be dug entirely at the state's expense. Mr. Berg declares that another ditch is greatly needed to run from Battle River due north between sections 16 and 17 in Shotley town into Red Lake. Such a ditch would reclaim a large area of valuable land.

**Counterpanes Displace Blankets.**

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company owns and operates the sleeping cars in service on its various lines, and has just inaugurated an innovation which will appeal to all sleeping travelers.

On its "Southwest Limited" trains between Chicago and Kansas City white counterpanes or bed spreads have replaced the heavy woolen blankets which have heretofore been in evidence twelve months in each year, much to the discomfort in hot weather of sleeping car patrons.

Blankets will be held in reserve and within reach for cool nights. This innovation is calculated to not only add to the comfort of passengers, but it will appeal to all who like a bed that is inviting in appearance.

If your bicycle is broken or your gasoline stove is out of order take it to W. M. Ross and have it repaired.

Mount Mellick Embroidery, 9 to 11 am Mexican Drawn Work and Tenerife Lace a specialty. 2 to 4 p m

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Deviled Ham	Potted Ham	Deviled Shrimps
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