

Additional Locals

Wanted, good girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. C. J. Pryor, 421 Bemidji avenue.

A. E. Hodgdon, the agent at Puposky for the M., R. L. & M. Ry., spent today in the city on business.

Fred Tyson spent yesterday in Bemidji and left last evening for his farm on Gnat Lake, west of Turtle River village.

Charles Durand, one of the substantial farmers who live in the Town of Durand, was a visitor in the city today.

Laura M. Bencoter of Nary was a visitor in Bemidji last night, coming in from the west and leaving for Nary this morning.

Simon Fairbanks, manager of the B. L. Fairbanks & Co's store at the Red Lake Agency, came to the city this afternoon and will go to St. Paul and attend the state fair next week.

Charles Kinkle, head cruiser for the Leech Lake Lumber company of Walker, came to the city last evening from a visit to Wilton. He spent the night here and left this morning for Walker.

Leroy Bergman of Cambridge was a visitor in the city today. He will leave on the evening train for Kelliher from which place he will go to Foy to accept a position as teacher in one of the schools of that place.

Rev. Bergam of Cambridge was a visitor in the city today. He accompanied his son Leroy here. Rev. Bergman is well pleased with this section of the country and passed many favorable remarks as to the wonderful development of northern Minnesota.

Apprentices wanted at millinery department, Berman Emporium.

T. J. Welsh, general manager for the T. J. Welsh Timber company, came to the city last evening from his home at Walker and consulted with local parties who are interested financially in his company. He left this morning for International Falls on a business trip.

Tim Crane has gone to Chicago, where he will buy a new stock of ladies' ready-to-wear clothing, etc., for his new store, which will occupy the west half of the block formerly occupied by O'Leary & Bowser. He states that he will have a large, fine stock, and will get nothing but the best.

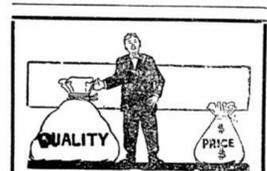
Olof Hondrum, who has been in the employ of N. L. Hakkerup for eight months past, will leave for Minneapolis this week, and will attend the University of Minnesota. Olof graduated from last year's Bemidji high school, and is one of the brightest young men who has finished studies at the local schools.

C. O. Espe, who lives in the Sholey district, where he owns a valuable farm, came to the city yesterday morning and spent the day here, returning to Kelliher last evening. He will come to Bemidji, later in the week, and go to Buena Vista, where his well-digging machinery is now located, and will use the same for the balance of the season.

Charles Miller, one of the prosperous farmers of the Battle River district, left last evening for his home,



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by way of Kelliher. Mr. Miller's wife has been confined to St. Anthony's hospital, and he has been here for several days, in attendance at her bedside. She is improving gradually, and Mr. Miller has hopes that she will soon be able to be about again.

A. A. Richardson, the view photographer, has started on his fifth annual trip photographing threshing machines and crews. With his printer, A. A. Lee, he left this morning for Grand Forks, N. D., to which place his new wagon photo car in charge of C. A. Parker has preceded him one day. Mrs. Richardson and two children and a young lady assistant, Miss Jessie Smith, and two young men, B. W. Battleson and Fred W. Smith, leave tomorrow. They expect to be absent some two months. Mr. Richardson further allied himself to Bemidji and her institutions, yesterday, through purchasing from W. L. Brooks a house and lot, on Beltrami avenue, second door north of M. E. church.

Court Adjourned at Baudette.

Judge C. W. Stanton, Clerk of Court F. W. Rhoda and Sheriff A. B. Hazen, together with Court Reporter Lee LeBaw, have returned from Baudette, where they have been attending the term of district court, in their different official capacities, the term being concluded Tuesday.

Eight jury cases and seven court cases were tried; and twenty-two applicants were granted citizens' papers.

The holding of the term at Baudette was a great saving to the litigants of the northern part of the county. The cost to the county was about \$600, for jury expenses, which was probably no greater than if the cases had been tried here. The term was a great accommodation to applicants for citizens' papers, because the cost of coming to Bemidji with witnesses for each application would be approximately \$50.

The village of Baudette furnished comfortable quarters in their new school building.

Hiring Teachers for Dist. 40.

Frank Gustafson, one of the substantial farmers of Maple Ridge township, was a business visitor in the city today. Mr. Gustafson is a clerk of school district No. 40 and is making inquiries for a teacher for the east side school.

School district No. 40 is known as one of the best in the county the three school houses are good modern buildings, and well equipped with apparatus for school work. Eight months' school is provided for each section of the district.

The board has hired Miss Mavis Phillippi to teach the east side school, and Miss Isabelle Wallin has been hired to teach the north school.

To Detroit and Return \$12.00.

Via the South Shore in connection with steamers of the D. & C. Line. Excursions leave Duluth on Night Express Sept. 15th, 17th, 19th, 22nd. Rate to Toledo \$12.50, Cleveland \$13.50, Buffalo \$14.00.

Apply early for reservation to

A. J. Perrin,
General Agent,
Duluth, Minn.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk of Court Rhoda during the past three days:

Brylille Burton to Elizabeth N. Bonne.

Mace C. Henderson to Edna D. Clark.

Archie C. Dibble to Ada Hursh.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1888. (SEAL) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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The Only Explanation. Old Mrs. Smith was a chronic complainer and was constantly sending for the family physician and giving him a list of her fancied ailments. He always listened quite patiently, but was getting a little tired of hearing the same things over and over.

One day when the old lady considered herself in an unusually bad way she sent for the doctor and, after going over the usual list, ended by saying: "Really, doctor, I do not know what in the world is wrong with me. I can neither lay nor set." The doctor looked at her a moment, then said in a solemn tone, "Madam, you must be a rooster."—Kansas City Independent.

One of Hook's Practical Jokes. Theodore Hook forged 4,000 letters to 4,000 tradesmen and others requesting them to call on a certain day and hour at the house of a wealthy widow, Mrs. Tottenham, in Berners street, London, against whom he had conceived a grudge.

These people began to arrive soon after daybreak. The rush continued until nearly midnight. They came by fifties and hundreds.

There were 100 chimney sweeps, 100 bakers, fifty doctors, fifty dentists, fifty accoucheurs. There were priests to administer extreme unction and Methodist ministers to offer last prayers. There were fifty confectioners with wedding cakes, fifty undertakers with coffins, fifty fishmongers with baskets of cod and lobsters. They pushed, quarreled and fought, and the police were called out to prevent a riot. Finally among the hoaxed ones came the governor of the Bank of England, the royal Duke of Gloucester and the lord mayor of London, each lured thither by some cunning pretext. A police investigation followed, but the perpetrator was not detected.

A Wonderful Bowman. The Romans were very skillful bowmen, although they discarded the weapon in warfare, trusting to the spear and to hand to hand fighting. Many of the Roman emperors were famous archers. It is said that Domitian would place boys in the circus at a considerable distance from him and as they held up their hands with the fingers outstretched he would send the arrows between them with such nicety and accuracy of aim that he never inflicted a wound.

The wicked emperor Commodus boasted that he never missed his aim or failed to kill the wild beast that he shot with a single arrow. He would set a shaft in his bow as some wild beast was set free in the circus to devour a living criminal condemned to die. Just when the furious animal was springing on his prey the emperor would strike it dead at the man's feet. Sometimes 100 lions were let loose at once in order that he, with 100 arrows, might kill them. With arrows the heads of which were semicircular he would sever the necks of ostriches in full flight.

A Talent For Balancing.

The pleasant coffee room of the old Star and Garter at Richmond, which was burned down in 1809, was patronized by England's statesmen, politicians and writers. On Saturday evenings it was regularly visited by a middle aged gentleman of rather broad stature, with gray hair and a large shirt collar which formed a conspicuous feature in his attire. He would dine always alone at a particular corner table, and after dinner it was his humor to build up before him a pyramid of tumblers and wineglasses, which he topped with a decanter. Occasionally the whole structure would topple over and litter the table with its ruins. Then the middle aged gentleman would rise, pay his bill, including the charge for broken glass, and depart. The waiters knew him well. He was Thomas Babbington, Lord Macaulay.

Curious Greetings.

A French journal has been looking into the question of how different races express the colloquialism "How do you do?" and presents some curious examples. The Koreans, for instance, do not give or imply any offense when they greet each other with the remark, "You do look old." Persians say, "May Allah preserve your beard and cover it with benedictions." Among a tribe of Fiji Islanders the correct form of salutation is to pull one's ear. A Caroline Islander kneels before his friend, whose foot he grasps and slaps himself vigorously in the face with it. In the Sudan a traveler was addressed by a native chief as "Mighty sun," the said chief finishing up with "Glory to thee, O splendid moon," the remark being accentuated by expectorating in the traveler's right hand.

Greatness.

There is a kind of elevation which does not depend on fortune. It is a certain air which distinguishes us and seems to destine us for great things. It is a price which we imperceptibly set on ourselves. By this quality we usurp the deference of other men and it puts us, in general, more above them than birth, dignity or even merit itself. —La Rochefoucauld.

A Coincidence.

"I'm afraid, George," said his fiancée, "that you are going from bad to worse."

"Quite a coincidence," muttered George. "That's what Clara said when I threw her over for you."

Spurgeon's Complaint.

Mr. Spurgeon once complained that his deacons were worse than the devil.

"Resist the devil," said he, "and he will fly from you, but resist a deacon and he will fly at you."

Hope.

"There is no sweeter suffering than hope." So runs an old German proverb, melancholy text for hearts that bitter disappointment has cured and to whom all hope is but memory.

Not Entirely.

Moe Rose—Do you think the automobile is replacing the horse? Joe Cose—Well, not entirely, anyway. I haven't found automobile in my bologna as yet.—Browning's Magazine.

Of a Modern Genius.

"Going to compile his life and letters?"

"There were no letters. I'm going to compile his life and post cards."—Washington Herald.

Sensitive.

"I hear you is out of a job, Willie?" "Yes. I may be a little too sensitive, but when the boss sez 'GIT to blazes out of here before I kick you out!' then I got mad and resigned me position."—Illustrated Bits.

He Knew.

Teacher—Now, Johnny, what was Washington's farewell address? Johnny—Heaven.—New York Sun.

Conscience and wealth are not always neighbors.—Messenger.

WOUNDS MAY PROVE FATAL

Prominent Minnesota Attorney Shot Twice.

TRAGEDY OCCURS IN OFFICE

George W. Somerville of Sleepy Eye, a Former State Senator, Victim of a St. Paul Real Estate Man—Quarrel Over a Business Deal May Have Been the Cause of the Shooting.

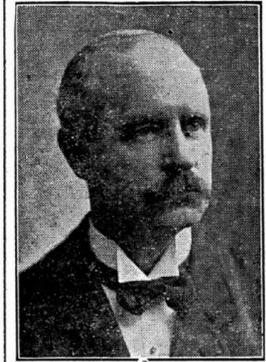
Sleepy Eye, Minn., Sept. 2.—George W. Somerville, ex-state senator and one of the most prominent lawyers in the state, was shot twice while sitting in his office in this city.

One bullet went through his body, perforating the left lung. The other entered below the left shoulder and lodged in the body. Mr. Somerville may not recover.

The assailant was arrested immediately after the shooting and, being menaced by a crowd, was removed to the county jail at New Ulm.

He gave his name as John Hayner and he is understood here to be in the real estate business in St. Paul.

After shooting Mr. Somerville Hayner fired again after Albert Hauser, Mr. Somerville's partner, had run out



GEORGE W. SOMERVILLE.

to get a doctor. No one was hit by this bullet, which lodged in the ceiling. The man meant to kill himself with it. "But my nerve failed me," he said later.

Mr. Hauser said he did not know what prompted the shooting. He understood that Mr. Somerville had had some real estate transactions with Hayner, in which, he thought, a Sleepy Eye building had been traded for a farm in this (Brown) county, but it had been a personal matter with Mr. Somerville and not a firm transaction.

FIRE BURNS FOR FOUR DAYS

Passengers on Atlantic Liner Ignorant of Situation.

New York, Sept. 2.—While the Atlantic Transport line steamer Minneapolis was in midocean a fire was discovered in the forepart of the hold, according to a cablegram received here, and although the crew fought the flames for four days before subduing it the passengers knew nothing about it until the ship reached Tibury, the port for London.

While the fire was in progress the Minneapolis sent wireless calls for aid. The steamship picked up these calls and hurried to the side of the Minneapolis, standing by her for twelve hours, when, her help not being needed, she proceeded on her way.

NO CLUE TO HIGHWAYMAN

Pennsylvania Train Robber May Escape Detection.

Lewistown, Pa., Sept. 2.—Despite the close watch maintained the robber who held up and robbed an express train on the Pennsylvania railroad near here has evaded capture and it is probable he never will be caught.

The railroad company has enlisted the aid of several detective agencies. Notwithstanding the robber obtained less than \$100 the railroad and express company will spend many times that amount to land him behind prison bars. He left no clue, however, and unless bloodhounds can lead the police to the trail he seems safe from capture.

Twenty-eight-Pound Twins.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Twins born to an Italian mother, who is only seventeen years old, weighed, twenty-eight pounds, one balancing the scales at sixteen pounds and the other at twelve pounds. Both are boys and were born eleven minutes apart. The mother is the wife of Peter Montidione, a laborer, twenty-eight years old.

Girl Holds Prisoners at Bay.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Sept. 2.—Miss Alice White, the sixteen-year-old sister of Sheriff White, prevented a jail delivery here by arming herself with a revolver and holding three desperate men at bay until help reached her and the escaping prisoners were safely locked in separate cells.

PASSENGERS PANIC STRICKEN

Witness Bloody Fight With Mutilous Negroes on River Boat.

Alton, Ill., Sept. 2.—Seventy-five passengers on the steamer St. Paul, en route from St. Louis to St. Paul on the Mississippi river, witnessed a desperate encounter between twenty mutilous negro cabin boys and members of the crew while the boat was nearing here.

Jesse Irwin, head mate of the boat, received cuts on the face and hands and Washington Rhoades, a negro,

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Berry Spoon.....	.90 Each	Sugar Shell (gilt).....	.60 Each
Berry Spoon (gilt bowl)	1.35 Each	Butter Knife.....	.50 Each
Knives and Forks.....	3.25 Set	Three Piece Child's Sets	.90 Each

Sterling Silver Teas, \$3.75 per set of six	Gold Cuff Links 65c	<p>\$2.85 up</p>
8 Day Mantle Clocks, \$4.25 up.	Gold Signet Hat Pins 65c	
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FOR SALE—Brussels rug, 9x12, nearly new. Eleven yards of f. brussels stair carpet, never been used, three-quarter iron bed complete, also a good dresser. Inquire 419 America avenue.

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FOR SALE—Rubber stamps. The Pioneer will procure any kind of a rubber stamp for you an short notice.

FOR SALE—Large seven-room house on lake shore. See T. Beaudette, 314 Minnesota Ave.

FOR SALE—Davenport, car push. Call at 901 Lake Boulevard.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. Inquire 915 Lake Boulevard.

LOST and FOUND

LOST—A light brown coat between Bemidji and Douglass mills. Finder return to Douglass Lumber company or Pioneer office.

LOST—At the Brinkman Theater, Sunday morning, a pair of gold spectacles. Finder return to Mrs. Peart, 505 Beltrami avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PUBLIC LIBRARY—Open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 2:30 to 6 p. m., and Saturday evening 7:30 to 9 p. m. also, Library in basement of Court House. Mrs. Donald, librarian

ELECTRIC BITTERS

THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS.

PROMISES TO GIVE UP WORK

Harriman's Burdens Will Be Shifted to Other Shoulders.

New York, Sept. 2.—E. H. Harriman has promised his family that he will give up hard work for a long time. He has informed his associates that it will be necessary for other shoulders to carry the heavy burdens known as the Harriman railway policies. Since Mr. Harriman returned the distribution and division of these responsibilities has been going on under his direction.

J. C. Stubbs, traffic director, and Julius Kruttschnitt, director of maintenance and operation on the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, will be responsible for the wellbeing of these two huge organizations. The difference in their positions is that they will not have daily orders from Harriman headquarters.

THREATENED WITH EVICTION

Thousands of Swedish Strikers Refuse to Pay Rent.

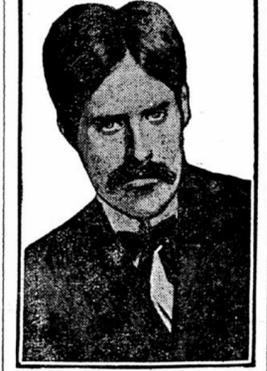
Stockholm, Sept. 2.—A number of the men on strike in Stockholm, having received notice to leave their homes Oct. 1 unless they return to work in the meantime, the unions have issued a proclamation that no strikers are to pay rentals due in October. The strike leaders maintain that it will be impossible to turn thousands of families into the streets.

End to Baggage Smashing.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 2.—The baggage smashers' days in Kansas are ended. The Kansas board of railroad commissioners has issued an order that the baggagemen must not let a trunk go tumbling down from a car door to the brick or stone platforms.

Archimedes.

As a mechanician Archimedes produced the correct theory of the lever and invented no less than forty interesting devices, including the endless screw, the pump, the organ and the "burning glass," with which latter novel weapon he is said to have set fire to the ships of an enemy's fleet from a considerable distance. The story is probably fabulous, but none the less interesting, as exhibiting the faith of the people in the man and as indicating the character of his pursuits. As engineer Archimedes was looked upon as hardly less than a magician. He produced catapults which threw enormous stones and heavy pikes at long range into the ranks of the enemy or into his ships, and great derricks were built by him with which to lift the attacking craft out of water or to upset it, destroying all on board. His proposed use of the lever meant the production of the inconceivable inventions in machinery and engineering construction, and his own estimate of its importance was expressed by the familiar quotation, "Give me whereon to stand and I will lift the earth." Archimedes was the first and perhaps the most inventive and greatest of early engineers. His lever still moves the world, and his spirit is inherited by generations of the men who have made modern civilization possible.—Cassier's Magazine.



FERDINAND P. EARLE.

ARTIST EARLE AGAIN

IN THE LIMELIGHT

Said to Be Traveling in Europe With New "Soulmate."

New York, Sept. 2.—Followers of the school of philosophy advocated by Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the Monroe (N. Y.) artist, declared that the friendship between Earle and Miss Gertrude Buell Dunn, with whom he is reported to be traveling in Europe, is absolutely a "union of souls," they say, with no thought of marriage or relations approaching marriage.

Ferdinand Pinney Earle came into notoriety in September, 1907, when he announced that he and his first wife, who was Miss E. M. Eilsbacher, had agreed that their souls were not in tune. Mrs. Earle obtained a divorce and the artist married Miss Julia

Kuttner, a settlement worker, who had been living at his house in Monroe before he and his wife separated. Mrs. Kuttner-Earle is now suing him for divorce on the ground that he was never properly divorced from his first wife.

Earle and Miss Dunn, it is said, met first at a house party of the members of their cult near Norwalk, Conn., last spring. Since then their companionship has been almost constant and a week ago, it is said, they sailed for Europe.