

GILBERT

April 3—Sam Tough is hauling logs to Martineau & Clouse's sawmill. Archie Magnan and sons were in Little Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Carlisle was at the Falls Saturday.

Fred Gibson of St. Mathias was a caller at his brother George's Sunday last.

Geo. Gibson finished hauling logs Saturday for the Roaring Pine's company.

Chas. Tough is still looking for horse trades. He never lets a horse proposition get away.

Geo. Carlisle bought a hog from August Berglund the other day, and had a great time trying to get it home, falling as he did the other time. August had to take it to Carlisle's place next day.

Geo. Gibson, Norval Deering and J. Archibald were at Little Falls Saturday on business.

Mrs. Walter Horn, who has been ill, is somewhat better.

Horses and cattle are dying in great numbers from some unknown cause.

MOTLEY

April 3—Owen Davis will build a two-story house on his lots at Staples.

Frank Church has moved his family here. He had charge of a wood camp for Frank Goulet.

Julius Iokler and family are back from leader.

Bert Lofkin and family have gone to Perth, N. C.

Miss Faye Cole is visiting in St. Cloud.

Joe Fisher and Frank Morcinek will open a saloon in the Whitford building.

Mrs. Adeline Gates, aged 80 years, died March 26th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Foster. The remains were taken to Mapleton for interment by the side of the husband, who died in 1900. Mrs. Gates was a native of New York and had lived in Minnesota forty years.

Presiding Elder Clemans will hold quarterly conference here next Sunday evening.

Jack Petroske has moved to town.

Father Paul Kutch has been transferred to Royalton and Father Belowski, will come from there to take charge of the Motley and Perham parishes.

Miss Marie Weidenborner took part in the March musical at Villa Maria, Frontenac, where she is studying.

BRICKYARD

April 6—Mrs. M. Bryant and Mr. Wilcox of Little Falls were visiting at Martin Scott's Thursday. They were soliciting for the Soldiers Encampment.

Miss Linnie Beatty was the guest of Clara Manbeck Wednesday night.

Miss Beatty returned to her school at Melrose Saturday.

School began here again Monday.

The Pleasure Seekers Society met at the home of Miss Clara Manbeck Friday night.

Albert Wright came home from the woods Thursday.

Mrs. Martin Scott returned from Minneapolis Saturday.

Miss Carrie Sprandel and Ernest Wright and Miss Scott and William Manbeck went to Ledoux Friday to visit Della Wright. Miss Wright came home with them and returned to her school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Scott and family took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Muncy visited Mr. and Mrs. Savage Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid spent Tuesday at Martin Scott's.

Albert Wright went to St. Cloud Tuesday to ship his horses out west. He will go from St. Cloud out west on his claim. David Wright accompanied him to St. Cloud and returned home Wednesday.

LEDoux

April 5—A. R. Vichor k purchased a drill from Mrs. Novak.

Mr. Snezek is slowly improving.

Andrew Perovitz was a caller at Ledoux Sunday.

Mr. Cyoka tells a story Sunday, March 27, he was awakened by a loud knock on the door. He opened the door and was met by a man who caught him by the throat and threatened to take his life. The old man is 82 years of age and lives all alone. He saw that it would be useless to put up a fight against such a bold and desperate villain so he only begged to spare his life. The villain made a rough house of the old man's room for a short time, scattering chairs and bed clothes all over the house. After the storm had somewhat cleared away the old man recognized the fellow to be a well known individual who was returning from the "hub" in an intoxicated condition. We hear that the party left our part of the county for parts unknown.

The town board met at the town clerk's office Tuesday.

We hear that there was a hold-up near Ledoux by a would-be highway man and that warrants are out.



PIKE CREEK

April 5—Our school has Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Weber and son Arthur visited friends in Ledoux Thursday.

Mrs. A. Kuffel was at the Falls Wednesday.

J. Velinski was at the Falls.

What a lovely spring, wonder if the north pole is nearing us, or we nearing the north pole.

Anna Weber visited with Laura Simmons in Swan River Thursday.

A. Kuffel and daughter Polly visited at the Falls Saturday.

J. Wilkowiak was in Ledoux Friday.

Somebody said that our barber resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ciminek of Little Falls visited with Mrs. Ciminek's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Olik. Miss Anna Weber left for the Twin Cities Tuesday.

We are anxiously and very patiently waiting for the rural delivery.

Mrs. Albert Thoma of the Falls spent Easter with her parents.

M. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. J. Patrowski, J. and L. Gubka, and Ben Wilczek were in the Falls Saturday.

Miss Agnes Karowaki is home.

O. L. Wahl returned from Iowa last week.

Julius Baliski and wife of Little Falls township visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

It is had that not more farmers attended the dairy meeting at the court house Monday. The speaker, W. W. McConnell, state dairy inspector of Mankato, gave instruction as to the care of milk, and it ought to be seen that things will be taken care of in that way.

Joe Pollock of Swan River visited at A. Kuffel's Monday. Say, Joe did you get wet? Next time wear high rubber boots.

SULLIVAN LAKE

April 5—Mr. Lynn's folks are quarantined for measles after nearly everyone in the neighborhood has had it and in fact nearly everyone for miles around. Mr. Lynn's family had nearly all gotten over it at the time.

C. E. Look was at the lake Sunday.

A. W. Cook and T. S. Look placed a fine teacher's desk in the school house Sunday afternoon.

Miss Etta Whan returned to the lake Saturday to teach the spring term of school.

Miss Cora Wilson was a lake caller Sunday.

Never mind, girls, perhaps you will be able to find some nice young man to pull YOU out of the snow drifts next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Adkins were Pierz visitors Saturday.

Frank Johnson made a business trip to the Falls Monday.

C. E. Look has been tapping maple trees and is hoping to get some syrup. So far it has not thawed enough to make sap run.

C. E. Look called at W. A. Sims Saturday.

W. A. Sims brought Miss Whan in from the Cyrus place Saturday.

T. S. Look will go to Pierz this week to work for Joe Grell in the meat market.

UPSALA

April 5—Miss Soderstrom closed her school in Dist. 95 Thursday for a two-weeks vacation.

Miss Clara Larson went to Minneapolis Tuesday.

J. A. Ryberg went to Little Falls Monday.

Rev. Johnson has resigned his position as minister of the Lutheran church. He will remain here until the first of July.

Miss Otelia Ryberg and Anna Westgrund, who spent Easter vacation at home, returned to Little Falls Monday.

Albert Kulander, Gust Nelson and son Paul and Mrs. Kulander went to Little Falls Tuesday.

Miss Ellen Anderson was taken ill suddenly Friday morning. The doctor was called immediately and he thought it best for her to be taken to the hospital at Swanville, where she could be under the doctor's care. She was taken there Saturday.

A surprise party was given to Mrs. August Johnson Sunday afternoon in honor of her forty-third birthday. She was remembered with a handsome gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Westgrund, Clara Peterson, Esther Holenson and Anna Westgrund spent Easter afternoon at Mary Ryberg's.

Miss Annie Weeber had a birthday party Friday afternoon. All report a pleasant time.

A dance for the benefit of the baseball club will be given at the opera house next Monday evening.

RAIL PRAIRIE

April 5—W. A. Hardin was at Little Falls Thursday to draw school money for school dist. 107.

The ice in the Crow Wing is breaking up. Mr. Jones and Mr. Williams each got a horse in the river but no damage was done.

The Girls' Jolly Sewing Bee met with Miss Mamie Hardin Saturday. They added two new members and elected a new treasurer.

Dan Woods left for Dakota Saturday. Dan made a host of friends during his short visit here. We are sorry to see him go, but if rumor is right he will return in the fall.

Paul Hankins captured a large fat coon one day this week. Paul says the woods are full of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown took their infant daughter to Brainerd Thursday to have an operation performed. The child is doing nicely at present.

Clayton Bohm on his leg quite badly last week, while chopping wood, but is able to walk a little with the aid of a crutch.

Some of our young men have gone to Dakota to work for the season and several are going on the drive when the river opens.

The Spring Hill Sunday school has organized a Christian Endeavor with a membership of fifteen. They will meet every other Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

Report of school district 107, Morrison county, Minn., for the month ending April 1.

Number enrolled	20
Days taught	20
Those perfect in attendance are	Alvin and Ivan Bonk, Mamie and Bertha Hardin, Walker Bohm, Nellie Ignatius and Lottie Swanson.

J. G. Joella, Teacher.

RIPLEY

March 31.—John Doucette has rented the Gravel farm and will move there soon. John Ledoux, who now occupies the place, may go to Bemidji.

J. A. Piper of North Dakota was married Wednesday to Miss Selma Becker of Little Falls officiating. A large crowd gathered at the home of Mr. Becker. Wednesday evening to offer congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Piper. They left Thursday for their home in North Dakota.

The lumberjacks are returning from the pines.

Mr. Rounds sold his forty-acre farm to H. P. Cook, who will soon move there. Rounds may go to Pine River.

Jan. Allard, who has been suffering with typhoid fever for the past few weeks, is reported to be recovering.

Roads at present are very poor and in some places impassable on account of the high water.

A daughter was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. John Ledoux, Jr. Ezra Picotte hauled straw from A. Chartier.

People from Iowa are still coming in this part of the county.

Miss Nellie Beveridge has returned from Cloquet.

There was a surprise party at Ledoux's old place Wednesday night.

Here comes West Darling again with his list of bachelors looking for wives. Probably the correspondent is an old maid.

The weather commenced to look a little like spring.

Phil Moran made a trip to Fort Ripley Monday.

Do we hear of any towns outside of Little Falls, Pierz and Elm Dale, in favor of the proposed trolley line? If so we would like to know why?

April 5—Some farmers will begin seeding next week.

There was a dance Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lareau. All report a good time.

Henry Brossen lost about twelve head of cattle this winter.

Miss Nora Ledoux, who has been working at the Falls for the last three months, is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Easton of Little Falls visited at Mr. and Mrs. Peter Picotte's Wednesday and Thursday.

We understand that preparations are being made for a few weddings after Easter. It's leap year, girls.

Misses Libbie and Sophy Hatten visited Miss A. Chartier Sunday.

Zeller Charter will begin teaching school in Dist. 42, Monday the 11th. All those having children of school age are requested to send them to school at least forty days.

William Hatten, a resident of this town for a number of years, will move to the state of Washington with his family in a few weeks. We are sorry to hear of their departure as all are loved by their acquaintances.

MT. MORRIS

April 4—Laura and Louis Larson are visiting relatives in New London.

Miss Lena Liveringhouse finished her term of school in Dist. 184. She has been engaged to teach the spring term in Dist 83.

Starr and Talberg moved their saw mill to section 25 last week, and will start sawing in a few days.

Mr. Blaisell was at the mill Tuesday.

Some parties from Milaca were looking over the country Thursday.

Edgar Van Alstine of Morrill took a trip through Mt. Morris Friday.

Martin Johnson is staying with his brother Dan.

A. J. Nelson of Laklin hauled posts from Dan Johnson's last week.

V. Meras of the Little Falls Candy Factory was in Minneapolis on business.

JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE IS A HEALTH BRINGER.

ESTIMATING CORPS

Description of the Work Done by Warren's Crew.

A dispatch from Cass Lake to the Duluth Herald gives the following about the government estimating crew which has just finished its work:

The Chippewa estimating corps, appointed under the provision of the Morris law to examine and classify all lands on the Chippewa reservation of Minnesota, has completed its work and the members of the corps have left for their respective homes. This corps was organized during the month of December, 1903, with E. L. Warren, of Cass Lake as chief, and fourteen men were chosen from a list of applications which numbered over 100. The first work of the corps was done on the Mississippi reservation, in town 148-31 and 32. This work was completed on April 1st, '08. The men were then ordered to the Red Lake reservation, where they examined and classified a large tract of land, completing the same on Aug. 15th. They returned to Cass Lake a few days later, and were ordered to work on the Pigeon River, Fond du Lac, Bois Fort, Deer Creek reservation. This work was completed on October 1st and the men returned to Cass Lake with their reports. On Oct. 10th, orders were received from Washington to re-examine all lands on the Mississippi Chippewa reservations which had been reported by the Seelye corps as being agricultural. Dec. 7 found this work all completed, when the men were ordered to lay off for two weeks, at the end of which time instructions came to examine and classify the lands of the Chippewa reservation north of the Lake of the Woods, known as the "Northwest Angle." On Dec. 1 the men left for the "angle" going in by the way of Warroad. After work that, considering the weather conditions, was well nigh superhuman, this job was completed March 9th. Then the men were assigned the task of examining certain cancelled Indian allotments, on the Leech Lake, Cass Lake and Winabigoish reservations, which they finished on March 26th. The corps was then disbanded, and that night a banquet was served at the Tedford hotel, in Cass Lake, at which the members of the corps held a re-union and bade each other farewell. The last reports were handed in to Chief Clerk Funk, and Chief of the Corps Warren had his report commenced. The final report was completed on Thursday, and the same together with the resignation of Mr. Warren, was forwarded to the department.

The work performed by the Warren estimating corps has received the highest praise from the officials at Washington and the men located here who are assisting in the carrying out of the provisions of the Morris law. Under the operation of the old Nelson law, the members of that corps received \$6 per day, and each forty of land was examined by three different men, making a total cost to the Indian of \$18. The gross inaccuracy of the work done by the old corps has been a matter of much comment and no little scandal, among other things said of the corps being the charge that, in many instances, reports were turned in of land that it was said had never been examined. The members of the Warren corps received \$8 per day, and but one man did the work on a single forty, which, under the Nelson law, required three. This left the cost per day \$10 less than the amount—\$18—that was paid to the three men. That the work of the last corps was entirely satisfactory can be judged by the following statement, given out by Eugene S. Bruce, chief lumberman of the bureau of forestry:

"I have had good reason for personally examining a large portion of the land gone over by the Warren corps. On the accuracy or inaccuracy of the work done by the corps would largely depend much of the work that will be done in this vicinity of Cass Lake, and over which I have personal charge. I find that the estimating and classifying has been surprisingly accurate, and I believe that great pains has been taken to have everything done absolutely right. I heartily commend Chief Warren and his men."

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