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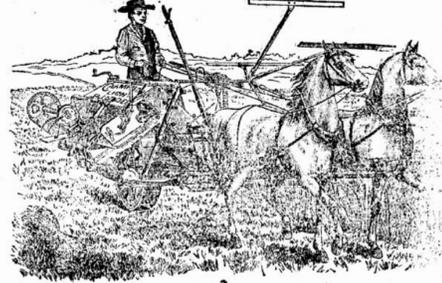
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For Cutting hair and shaving neat. Jimmy Cota can't be beat. Call and see him whenever you can. He keeps a clean towel for every man. Time - 1-15. First door south of Postoffice, Little Falls, Minn.

Wm. L. Breyfogle and Mr. Castleton of Louisville, Ky., E. O. Williams of New York city and M. M. Williams of St. Paul are expected to arrive this evening from St. Paul. They will immediately complete all the arrangements for pushing the work on the water power.

The depression at the intersection of Second and Maple streets is being filled by the street force.

E. W. Randall of the Morris Tribune passed through town today on his way home from the editorial excursion to Duluth. He was accompanied by his wife, and enjoyed a very pleasant trip.

Chief Weizel has received an invitation from the Brainerd fire department to the Little Falls fire department to attend the annual parade of the former organization in that city on Monday, July 25. A joint meeting of the two companies composing the Little Falls department will hold on Monday evening next, July 18. A full attendance of both companies is desired; meeting at the Chemical Engine House.

Several hundred acres of land on the west side of the river will be platted into blocks and lots in a short time and placed on the market. The property will be in the hands of a few owners and will be more readily sold than the east side property, which is owned by so many persons, all of whom want to retain their land until the highest possible price is reached.

Yesterday's Minneapolis Journal: The Minneapolis lumbermen, at their meeting yesterday afternoon, decided to advance the price of lumber \$1 per thousand on common grades and some dimensions, with \$2 per thousand on some other stock, after July 15. A delegation from St. Paul was present and the discrimination by the railroads in favor of Wisconsin lumbermen was discussed at length. The regular committee of the Minneapolis dealers was instructed to act with a committee from St. Paul in conference with the railroad in the endeavor to secure fair treatment as to rates.

Princeton Union: A large and enthusiastic meeting was held at Elk River the other evening for the purpose of getting the sentiment of the people of the village on the question of encouraging manufacturing enterprises. Elk River people are taking long strides in the right direction. A town without manufacturing establishments can never amount to much.

From the Royalton Banner. Mrs. I. W. Bonck and Bessie her daughter started this morning for a visit to her father and mother in Iowa.

The people of Two Rivers and Elm Dale are shifting for a bridge across the Mississippi these days, when they are frequently obliged to wait all day for a chance to cross.

Bishop Stulenbusch was obliged to come up on the west side of the river on Saturday on account of the running of the logs so as to stop the ferries. He confirmed a large class on Sunday morning.

The water in the Plate River is worrying the people of Royalton a good deal of late. Wherever the water stands in ponds it has been heavily covered with a green scum or substance, that has created a fear of fever and ague. The hot weather, untempered by any considerable rains is now rapidly clearing up.

Mr. Pally, of Crow Wing, says he has had a daughter, a girl-daughter and a grand-daughter, born within a year of the present time. The line where one generation succeeds another does not appear to be very clearly drawn in this instance. - Brainerd Journal.

Annual School Meetings. The time for holding the annual school meetings is on the third Saturday in July, which will be on the 10th day of the month this year.

JOHN McDONALD, County School Superintendent. Spring Styles of Hats and Gents' Furnishing goods at HERRON BROS.

The largest assortment of bottled beer at the Central saloon.

Ice Cream. And other refreshments at Mrs. O. L. Clyde's restaurant on First street opposite the postoffice.

Men's, Youths' & boys' clothing cheaper than ever at TANNER'S.

Hotel for Sale. The Commercial Hotel in Royalton is now for sale cheap, and on easy terms. This is the largest in Royalton, with the best business. It is well furnished, and will be sold with or without furniture. It has a large, new barn in connection, with windmill pump.

GEORGE BOYCE, Royalton, Minn. \$200,000.

To Loan on Real Estate security at a very low rate of interest, by GEORGE LA FOND, Office opposite Tanner's store.

N. Parishes' New Harness Shop. I have opened a new harness shop in the north part of the Simmons building on First street, and will be prepared to do all work in my line in the best of style. Call and see me.

N. PARISH. S. Wau-Wau-Guu at SPRANDEL'S.

A Few Deals.

There has been a great deal of real estate talk in Little Falls this week, although but a few deals have been closed.

E. Rothwell sold J. C. Flynn 40 acres south of Oakland cemetery for \$1100. O. A. Churchill sold J. W. Berg, Fred Hoffman and Peter Medved the lot on the east side of First street, opposite Berg's hardware store for \$4,000.

M. B. Fuller sold J. C. Flynn and C. A. Spandel 39 acres on the west side of the river below town for \$3,000. E. Staples sold Charles Gravel 29 acres about a mile west of town for \$900.

The option feature in sales is getting popular, and a large number of deals are now pending. West side property is especially increasing in favor, although the price is yet lower than for land on the east side an equal distance from the proposed dam. Most of the figuring is in acre property, the owners of the village lots generally wanting to hold their property.

Commenting on what we said last week about Welch's bombastic force of a campaign in Buckman town, the Royalton Banner has the following sarcastic remarks: We think Welch ought to claim glory for the way he influenced the voter out there. In the first place his nationality was against him. And he had at different times resided a good deal in the town. And then to start out a man of his princely disposition with a paltry \$50 in his pocket, and expect him to do justice to himself! Such odds against a man are not easily overcome. Give him the same credit you do Stoll, anyway. But Little Falls always acts that way. Come back! William, come back, across the bloody chasm, and we'll forgive your giant whacks, your fool-yarns and your spuns.

OFFICE OF N. RICHARDSON, Judge of Probate, Morrison Co. Little Falls, Minn., July 13, 1887. N. Richardson, Judge of Probate of Morrison county, state of Minnesota, do hereby certify that John Workman as administrator of the estate of Albert Wilson Camp, deceased, has completed his work as such administrator satisfactory to me, and both he and his co-administrators are hereby discharged from all further responsibility on account of said estate.

N. RICHARDSON, Judge of Probate. Dedicated, Etc. Some books and who died around the deceased office this week and the following items in the columns of that paper:

Editor Fuller inquires in the last issue of the Transcript if F. K. Groat, J. H. and N. Groat, and Bros., should be set out a whole lot of other men of equal standing could do much for the Pacific and Ripley news, but on his second week of it.

To show what grounds there were for each claimant to establish his claim, which was:

Leon Houde was appointed by the executive committee a large charge of the campaign for the seats in Belle Prairie and Ripley, and the solid vote of Belle Prairie and the solid vote of Ripley were his.

Important Notice. The firm of Gravel & Gould Bros. will soon dissolve partnership, and all parties indebted to us are hereby notified that they must settle their accounts immediately. All accounts must positively be settled within three days.

GRAVEL & GOULD BROS. Gravelville Feb. 21, 1887. Budweiser and Anheuser-Busch beer for sale at SPRANDEL'S. Delicious and healthful mineral water at SPRANDEL'S.

WOOL WANTED. The Litchfield Woolen Mills have established an agency with A. Tanner for the purchase of wool, also for receiving and forwarding wool for carding, spinning, manufacturing, etc. Transportation charges on custom work paid one way by us.

LITCHFIELD WOOLEN MILLS Co. Now is the time for bargains in all kinds of goods at TANNER'S.

Harness Shop Removed. To the Farmers: I have removed my stock of harness shop goods from the Gross store building on Oak street to the Mechau building on First street, opposite the Union Meat Market. Come and see me at my new location.

JOSEPH JANSEN. Joseph Schiltz's Brewing Co.'s Export Milwaukee Lager Beer for sale at SPRANDEL'S.

For Sale. A few cow's and fat Cattle on the Pike Creek Stock Farm one and a half Miles West of Little Falls apply to F. McNamara.

MONEY TO LOAN. On improved farms will advance money to parties wishing to pay up on railroad, school and other lands.

Call at Register of Deeds' Office, Little Falls, Minn.

CROP STATISTICS.

The following table taken from the records in the county auditor's office show the acreage and total yield of the leading crops in Morrison county in 1886:

Table with columns: Crop, Acres, Bushels, Tons. Includes Wheat, Oats, Corn, Rye, Buckwheat, Potatoes, Beans, Clover Hay, Cultivated Hay.

Following shows the acreage in same crops in 1887:

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The towns of Agram and Swan River did not report in crop statistics; the assessors of those towns should do their work over.

N. P. Clarke's Illness. Pioneer Press, 11th: Information received in Minneapolis yesterday from Mr. N. P. Clarke is to the effect that that gentleman is enjoying much better health than when he left his home in St. Cloud, several months ago and went to Battle Creek, Mich. It was then predicted, and with exceeding regret, that Mr. Clarke would not survive the brain trouble which necessitated his abandoning his business.

Last evening Mr. Clarke, accompanied by his wife and niece, Mrs. D. B. Scarle left Battle Creek for Royalton, Ont., to visit with Mr. John Hope, an old school teacher and particular friend of Mr. Clarke's. Mr. Clarke's physicians at Battle Creek say that he can live twenty-five years if he leaves business alone. This he has made up his mind to do, and after a month's sojourn in Canada will return to Minneapolis. After spending a few weeks here he will leave for Europe where he will enjoy extended travels.

Bounced from the Ministry. HILLSBORO, Dak., July 14.—Rev. J. B. Tupper, pastor of the Methodist church here, was yesterday suspended from the ministry, after investigation conducted by Presiding elder Duran. Brother Tupper has been recently divorced and is now married. His conduct in these particulars has been decidedly against the canons of his church.

"The Great Bank Robbery" BY JULIAN HAWTHORNE. The most powerful and fascinating story of the day, is now being published as a serial in the Sunday and Weekly Pioneer Press. Subscribers to either of these editions, now, can by requesting with order, obtain a supplement containing the earlier chapters without charge. This story is founded upon the facts of the celebrated robbery of the Manhattan Bank of New York, and is a wonderful portrayal of the great crime and of the work of detectives in relation to it.

In adding this to its other manifold attractions, the Pioneer Press exemplifies again its habit of giving a wealth of the very best and newest to its patrons.

The Sunday Pioneer Press is \$2 per year; fifty cents buys it for three months. The Weekly is \$1.00 per year, and all can be had of the Pioneer Press Co., St. Paul, Minn.

Car load of wagons and buggies just received at J. W. HERRON & Co's.

La Cuba, Old Well Club, Rare Torture Our Key West and other standard brands of ten cent cigars, also the best five cent cigars in town at SPRANDEL'S.

Cheapest Clothing. Before you buy your clothing, examine our stock and prices. WM. BUTLER.

MILL FOR SALE. The Swan River Mills for sale at a sacrifice; this property must be sold within the next thirty days; will sell on time or exchange for real estate. Address WM. E. LEE, Long Prairie, Minn.

Buy your plows of Ressler & Hall and get the best quality for the lowest price.

Strayed. From the premises of the undersigned in the town of Belle Prairie, Minn., on Monday, July 4, 1887, one horse, twelve year old, chestnut sorrel, three white feet, white nose, lump on left front knee. A suitable reward will be given for information leading to its recovery.

Wm. S. McAdden is at the Central Saloon.

Northern Pacific Exhibits.

The Land Department of the Northern Pacific railroad company has issued the following circular:

St. Paul, Minn. June 27, 1887. To the producers in the States and Territories traversed by the Northern Pacific Railroad: Appreciating the advantages of placing the products of the country before the public, we desire to make a full collection of agricultural products of the Northern Pacific country for exhibition at the Minneapolis Industrial Exposition, which opens August 31st and continues until Oct. 15th, at the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 9th to Sept. 17th, and in the eastern States. It will result to the advantage of every citizen of the country if the farmers and others will collect from this year's crop specimens of grain in the sheaf and in the berry, native and cultivated grasses, all kinds of vegetables, fruits, dairy and other products, and deliver the same to any Northern Pacific railroad agent addressed to "P. B. Groat, General Emigration Agent, St. Paul, Minn.," and they will be promptly forwarded by express.

Each article should be labeled giving its name, yield per acre, weight per bushel, and other information, name and postoffice address of the producer so that due credit can be given. Appropriate labels will be sent to all Northern Pacific Railroad agents, who will supply applicants.

Hoping for a liberal response so as to enable this office to prepare an exhibit which will do justice to the agricultural resources of this region, I remain, Yours truly, P. B. GROAT, General Emigration Agent.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Recorded by Register of Deeds 1. Signor during the past week: M. Morse to M. A. Finch—of s.w. 1/4 of s.w. 1/4 of section 25, town 39, range 31, \$1,000.

J. D. Logan to W. R. Jones—of lot 2, block 5, Logan's add to Royalton.

J. Zeis to Geo. Geisel—lot 12, block 1, Greene's add to Royalton.

A. E. Gay to O. L. Gay—lot 10, section 6, town 127, range 31.

J. W. Hedges to J. M. Dowley—of n.e. 1/4 of sec 33, town 39, range 31.

R. C. Masters to R. C. Masters and N. A. Masters—part lot 1, section 8, town 129, range 29.

M. C. Staples and husband to M. L. Gravel—undivided 1/4 of part of n.e. 1/4 of section 24, town 129, range 31.

AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

J. H. MINTIER, MISSIONARY. Sunday Schools organized, visited and aided, and supplies furnished. Address, J. H. MINTIER, Little Falls, Minn.

Brainerd Daily News: Yesterday Motley witnessed one of the most exciting times of modern date, by the arrest of Mrs. Charles Backer for whipping one of Mr. Hall's boys. The complaint showed that the boy had been pounded unmercifully with a wagon stake, and lay in an unconscious condition for hours, with a broken skull, a damaged back, and mangled for life. Justice Hodge called court at 1. The courtroom was soon filled with excited citizens and sympathizing friends. The prosecution was represented by M. G. Wilton, our only lawyer, while C. Backer took up the defense for his wife. The defense brought in two or three of our best citizens, who swore that Mrs. Backer never touched the boy, and could not get within three feet of him a steppe chase and that the boy was gaining ground at every jump. Mr. Wilton then addressed the court on legal lore in grand style. Mr. Backer, having the closing argument, closed in a few well chosen terms, bringing down the house by showing his respect for the character of his better half. Our learned justice dismissed the case on the grounds of no cause of action. The decision was universally agreeable.

The house of Mrs. Harriett McNeal near Rices Station was partially destroyed by fire last week. Mrs. McNeal was away from home, and a stranger passing by discovered the fire which was inside, and breaking in put it out. The damage done amounts to about \$300.—Journal Press.

CURIOS FACTS.

A FARMER in Delaware County, N. Y., has a pork barrel that has been in constant use for 160 years.

SEVEN years ago a fire broke out in a deep hole in the Yuma City, Nev., and it has been burning ever since.

ONE of the queer things of life is that the man who knows it all seldom can tell any of it to anybody's satisfaction.—Journal of Education.

AN Indian girl has been born without a mouth. The Burlington Free Press thinks she will very soon begin to realize that she has forgotten something.

EX-GOVERNOR CURTIS, of Pennsylvania, says he pardoned 125 men out of jail, all of whom enlisted under Farragut. Not one of them survived the war.

A MADRID scholar, Senor Carulla, who has been for many years at work on a rhymed version of the Bible, has completed his task. The work contains 200,000 verses, and a weight of 35 pounds. The Chicago Herald says she is the one attraction of the town.

"THE Baltimore Sun says that for over a century the wealthy planters of Maryland lived in ignorance of the medicinalness of terrapin and only their slaves ate them. Now they are glad to get them at fifty cents a piece.

"HARPER'S WEEKLY" tells of a well-known novelist from New York who withdrew his account from a bank because the teller had a way of throwing down his pass-book when he made a deposit that was "unpleasantly irritating."

LAMP chimneys may be annealed, it is said, so that they will not crack, by placing them in cold water, gradually bringing the water to the boiling point, and then allowing it to cool slowly, the operation to be repeated several times.