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**The City**  
Read the Daily Pioneer.  
A. W. Johnson of Cass Lake  
was in the city last evening.  
Mrs. Bilbin of Walker was an  
over-Sunday visitor in Bemidji.  
Frank C. Hale, the Blackduck  
attorney, visited in this city over  
Sunday.  
L. Amadon and wife of Alida  
were visitors in the city over  
Sunday.  
The Pioneer at all times has in  
stock office supplies of every  
description

Extra copies of the Daily  
Pioneer may be had at the office  
every evening.  
John Pogue went to Bagley  
yesterday to look after some  
business matters.  
John Moberg, the logger and  
railroad contractor, went to La-  
porte this morning.  
Bemidji Elevator Co., jobbers  
for Barlows Best, also Gold Medal,  
Mascot and Cremona.

Carnations. A big shipment  
every Friday. Lake Park green-  
house. 1242 Doud Ave. Phone  
166-3.  
F. G. Horton, who visited in  
this city over Sunday, left this  
morning for Walker on a busi-  
ness trip.

Sam Ellis, homesteader, log-  
ger, and shrewd all-around hus-  
tler, came down this morning  
from his home at Blackduck.

The Eastern Star Thimble Bee  
will meet with Mrs. R. H. Schu-  
maker, 608 Bemidji Ave., to-  
morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

John S. Stewart, general man-  
ager for the Beltrami Cedar &  
Land company, was in the city  
today from his home at Black-  
duck.

C. O. Moon is now assisting in  
the clerical work at the county  
treasurer's office during the  
absence of County Treasurer  
French.

St. Phillip's Aid will give a  
chicken pie supper Wednesday  
evening May 8th, from 5 to 8  
o'clock, at the Odd Fellows hall.  
Supper 25c.

R. C. Spooner, president of the  
Donald Land & Lumber com-  
pany, returned Saturday from a  
business trip to St. Paul. He  
was accompanied by Mrs.  
Spooner.

Ike Halvorsen, one of the home-  
steaders near Quiring postoffice,  
came down this morning from  
his claim and spent today in the  
city looking after some business  
matters.

A. Gilmore, who s ably con-  
ducts the O'Kellier drug store  
at Blackduck, was a visitor in  
the city today, having come  
down from the "Duck" this  
morning. "Everything lovely,  
up there," says uncle Gilmore.

James A. Murray, the sage of  
the good fellows at Blackduck,  
was with us today, having come  
down from his home this morn-  
ing. Neither cold weather or  
any other adverse condition puts  
a kink in that non-wearing-off  
smile which James has with him  
at all times.

Peter Larkin, who owns and  
operates a refreshment parlor at  
Kelliher, came down from his  
home this morning, and spent to-  
day in the city. Peter states  
that his town is as good as the  
best of 'em along the line of the  
M. & I. and that business is good  
at his place.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Chamber-  
lain arrived in the city Saturday  
evening and will make their home  
in Bemidji for the present. They  
lived in California for some time,  
but have been at Ortonville,  
Minn., where they attended the  
funeral and interment of R. W.  
Reed, Sr., father of Mrs. Cham-  
berlain and also R. W. Reed of  
this city. It is possible that Mr.  
Chamberlain will decide to en-  
gage in business in this city.

The members of the local M.  
B. A. lodge held a very interest-  
ing meeting Saturday evening,  
at their lodge rooms, in the Odd  
Fellow block. A number of can-  
didates were initiated into the  
mysteries of the order, and at  
the conclusion of the business  
meeting a social session was  
held. Lunch was served and the  
members and their friends  
tarried until a late hour, passing  
the time in social chat and good  
fellowship.

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are in need of office supplies.  
H. W. Sherman and wife of  
Big Falls were visitors in the  
city today.

C. Heieren left this morning  
for Brainerd, where he will visit  
for a few days.

Mrs. A. Burke and sister,  
Vinnie Young, left this morning  
for Chicago, where they will  
visit for a month.

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always made the same—is un-  
iformly good—and wholesome.

Neil A. Gilchrist, general  
pastor of the Presbyterian  
church, came over from his home  
at Crookston Saturday and spent  
Sunday in Bemidji.

The Pioneer's numerous  
'phones are all on the same line—  
No. 31—and we will be pleased  
to print any items of a social  
nature that may be sent in over  
the "hello."

Mrs. F. S. Lycan and her  
guest, Mrs. Thos. Beare of  
Brainerd, left yesterday for  
Grand Forks, N. D., where they  
will visit with old friends for  
several days. Both ladies lived  
in Grand Forks at the same time  
and have many friends there.

Mrs. W. R. Tait arrived in the  
city yesterday afternoon from  
St. Paul, where she has been  
visiting for a month past, and  
will make her home in this city  
with her husband. Mrs. Tait  
encountered a blizzard at Duluth  
and was agreeably surprised to  
find the weather even as fair as  
it was here yesterday.

Harry Mills, roadmaster for  
the M. & I., went to Gemmell  
and Big Falls today. The M. &  
I. is installing a new steam  
shovel to work along the north  
line of the M. & I. and Mr. Mills  
went up for the purpose of  
watching the workings of the  
"scoop." The shovel will be used  
to load the gravel train which  
will ballast the track from Gem-  
mell north to Big Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Hurley and  
little daughter Katherine left this  
morning for their home at  
Seattle, Washington. Mrs. Hur-  
ley is the daughter of W. A.  
Walker of this city, and the Hur-  
ley's have been visiting with Mr.  
Walker and his family for a fort-  
night past. They will visit at  
Brainerd for a few days with the  
parents of Mr. Hurley, after  
which they will go to Jamestown,  
N. D., for a stay of several days,  
and will then proceed to their  
home at Seattle.

**Bishop Here Tuesday.**  
The Right Rev. Bishop Morris-  
son of the Duluth diocese will  
hold Episcopal services in the  
Norwegian Lutheran church,  
Tuesday evening May 7. Con-  
firmation services will be held at  
this time. Bishop Morrison is  
an excellent speaker and every  
one should try to hear him at  
this time.

**Shakespearean Lecture.**  
Mrs. C. Kurzmann-Gladstone,  
dramatic reader and singer and  
a pupil of the late Henry Irving,  
will give a concert at the Meth-  
odist church Monday evening at  
8 o'clock. She has toured the  
United States for several years,  
and gives good and instructive  
entertainments.

**Stone Wanted.**  
We are in the market for fifty  
cords of stone. Call and see us.  
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**Peacemaker Instantly Killed.**  
Westchester, Pa., May 4.—Carnill  
Rossi, an Italian, while trying to  
pacify quarrelling friends, was shot  
and instantly killed by Carman Mar-  
vorla at Thorndale, near here. The  
men were members of a card party  
and the shooting was the result of a  
dispute over the game.

**Squaw as Housekeeper.**  
Put a squaw in a tepee and she is  
the neatest of housekeepers. The blan-  
kets are neatly rolled and stowed away  
under the edge of the tepee, leaving the  
center clear. Bright colored blankets  
and fine fur robes are spread about,  
and a wonderfully beaded dance drum  
hangs from one of the poles. But put  
a squaw in a house and she is any-  
thing but a success. Go into one of  
these frame houses and you will find  
the mattresses laid along the floor,  
with the whole family sprawling there-  
on. The cracked cook stove will be in  
the middle of the floor, with anything  
but agreeable odors coming therefrom.  
Outside the bedsteads and springs will  
be used as chicken roosts. But the  
squaw doesn't let her housekeeping  
shortcomings worry her. When she  
puts on an elk tooth robe, valued at  
anywhere from \$1,500 to \$3,000, and  
rides to the fair or to the agency on a  
Sunday astride a beaded saddle she is  
a picture of contentment.—Denver Re-  
publican.

**Old Grog.**  
The inventor of grog, the long time  
beverage of the sea and of salt water  
literature, was Admiral Vernon, of  
whose courageous deeds at Porto Bello  
a lively poet has sung:  
Which when they came to understand he  
was so brave a fellow,  
They did surrender, out of hand, the town  
of Porto Bello.

"Old Grog" was Vernon's pet name  
in the navy of his day, and it was thus  
bestowed: "Out on the Spanish main  
Vernon found that the result of giving  
each man in the ship's company half  
a pint of rum a day to drink neat was  
disastrous. His captains and surgeons  
suggested to him the revolutionary ex-  
periment of mixing the spirit with wa-  
ter. In a station order Vernon re-  
quired this to be done. The new liquor  
was not favorably received, and the  
seamen cast about for an opprobrious  
name for it and its author. Now, Ver-  
non used to wear a program boat  
cloak; hence "Old Grog."

**The Crooked House.**  
On the estate of Earl Dudley, at  
Himley Staffs, there is a curious in-  
habitation known as "the crooked house."  
It is altogether out of the perpendicular  
and slants toward the south end,  
which is heavily shored up with thick  
red brick buttresses. These peculiari-  
ties are the result of mining opera-  
tions, the under stratum of the earth in  
these parts being completely honey-  
combed. The clocks on the walls, al-  
though absolutely perpendicular, as  
their pendulums testify, appear to be  
hanging sideways at a pronounced an-  
gle. A short glass shelf, one end of  
which appears to be a foot higher than  
the other, proves to be absolutely level,  
while in the taproom is a table which  
is apparently slanting, but on which if  
round marbles are placed at the seem-  
ingly lower end they roll to all appear-  
ance uphill to the top of the table and  
fall over with a bump.—London Stand-  
ard.

**Why He Brought His Along.**  
Whenever the penurious manager of  
the large store wanted to sharpen his  
pencil he would enter the shipping de-  
partment and borrow a knife from one  
of the boys. Sometimes the boys did  
not have their knives with them, but  
there was one lad, Tommy Breen, who  
always could be depended upon.  
"How is it, Tommy?" asked the man-  
ager one day as he whittled his pencil,  
"that you always have your knife  
with you and the other boys haven't?"  
Tommy hesitated for a moment,  
then, gathering courage, said:  
"The wages I get aren't enough for  
me to afford more than one pair of  
pants."—Harper's Weekly.

**Part of the Horse.**  
A rich rancher told a story about a  
little shun urchin whom he had sent on  
a month's vacation into the country.  
"The lad," he said, "thought we got  
mush from the mushroom and milk  
from the milkweed. One morning a  
lady pointed to a horse in a field and  
said, 'Look at the horse, Johnny.'  
'That's a cow,' the boy contradicted.  
'No,' said the lady, 'it's a horse.'  
'Tain't. It's a cow,' said the boy.  
'Horses has wagons to 'em.'—Kansas  
City Times.

**A Conundrum.**  
"Why is a clock like a vain, pretty  
young lady?"  
"I fail to see any resemblance.  
Why?"  
"Because it is all face and figure, has  
no head to speak of, is hard to stop  
when once it is wound up and has a  
striking way of calling attention to it-  
self every hour in the day."—Baltimore  
American.

**Painless Cancer.**  
There is a prevailing opinion that  
cancer is always painful from the be-  
ginning, whereas it is really painless in  
the majority of cases. It is desirable  
to ascertain how far the public ought  
to be instructed in the early signs of  
cancer, with a view to the adoption of  
earlier diagnosis and consequently ear-  
lier operation.—London Hospital.

**Had an Alternative.**  
Pilrey—And because you couldn't  
find a nickel to pay the fare did the  
conductor make you get off and walk?  
Jayson—No; he only made me get off.  
I could have sat on the street if I'd  
wanted to.

**Pretty Close.**  
"Is he parsimonious?"  
"Well," was the guarded reply, "you  
might say that he carries his money in  
a purse that shuts a good deal easier  
than it opens."

**Just As His Patients Do.**  
Client (meeting his doctor and wants  
a free opinion)—Doctor, when you have  
a bad cold, what do you do? Doctor—  
I blow my nose and cough.

**Insulting.**  
"I'm not going to that female barber  
shop again. There's a rude girl there,  
don't you know?" "What did she say?"  
"Why, she looked at my mustawsh and  
asked me if I would have it sponged  
off or rubbed in."

**Tasser's Phrases.**  
Thomas Tasser, a writer of the six-  
teenth century, said: "It's an ill wind  
turns no good," "Better late than  
never," "Look ere you leap" and "The  
stone that is rolling can gather no  
moss."

**Faith in the Clergy.**  
The highlanders' faith in the clergy  
has always been peculiarly profound.  
This characteristic is illustrated,  
though in rather an exaggerated way,  
by the story of two old women going  
along the road after service who were  
heard to discuss the sermon as fol-  
lows:  
Peggy—Ah, and did you hear that  
most precious word, Kirsty—a most  
precious word?  
Kirsty—No. And what word was  
that?  
Peggy—Oh, a most precious word,  
and it's myself that will not forget it,  
the precious word Nebuchadnezzar.  
Kirsty—Oh, yes. But did you hear  
that other most beautiful word? My-  
self never heard it said before, the  
beautiful word Belshazzar.—Caledo-  
nian.

**No Dishes to Wash.**  
Happy Madagascarians! They have  
no dishes to wash in their housekeep-  
ing. The large, fibrous leaves of what  
is called "the travelers' tree," because  
its stalks on being pierced yield a  
clear watery sap which makes a re-  
freshing drink, cut into rectangular  
pieces, serve them for plates, platters,  
cups and spoons. The rice or other  
food which constitutes a meal is piled  
on one of these leaves. A native takes  
a piece of leaf in each hand, rolled up  
like a cone, and with one dips a por-  
tion of the rice from one platter into  
another and on it conveys the food to  
the mouth. That is all there is of it—  
no changing of plates, no bother about  
clearing tables.

**A Sheep's Legs.**  
A nobleman against whom insanity  
was imputed by his relatives was ask-  
ed during the examination by Lord  
Loughborough, "How many legs has a  
sheep?"  
"Does your lordship mean a live or  
a dead sheep?" asked the nobleman.  
"Is it not the same thing?" said the  
chancellor.

"No, my lord; there is much differ-  
ence. A live sheep has four legs, a  
dead sheep but two. The others are  
shoulders."

**His Interference.**  
Cittiman—Look here, sir, didn't you  
warrant the horse you sold me yester-  
day to be without fault? David Harum  
Yes. Aia't he? Cittiman—No, sir, he  
is not. He interferes. David Harum—  
Waal, I don't see as you hev any rea-  
son fur complainin' about that. He  
don't interfere with anybody but him-  
self, does he?—Lippincott's.

**Racing Dope.**  
"Charles, dear," said young Mrs. Tor-  
kins, "why do you call racing calcula-  
tions 'dope'? I thought that was a  
slang name for a drug."  
"You're quite right," was the answer.  
"They call it that because all it gen-  
erally gets you is a pleasant dream and  
a rude awakening."—Washington Star.

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farther than the sound of any other  
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**Bobby Remembered.**  
Binks after inviting his friend Jinks,  
who has just returned from abroad, to  
dinner is telling him what a fine mem-  
ory his little son Bobby has.  
"And do you suppose he will remem-  
ber me?" said Jinks.  
"Remember you! Why, he remem-  
bers every face that he ever saw."  
An hour later they enter the house,  
and after Jinks has shaken hands with  
Mrs. Binks he calls Bobby over to him.  
"And do you remember me, my little  
man?"  
"Course I do! You're the same feller  
that pa brought home last summer  
and ma wuz so mad about it that she  
didn't speak to pa fur a whole week."  
—Galveston News.

**An Odd Mistake.**  
Captain Amundsen, having lost sev-  
eral dogs in his expedition to the ar-  
ctic regions, told some of the Netchillie  
tribe that he would purchase one from  
them. The suggestion caused consternation  
and was promptly refused. An  
explanation was demanded. The man  
applied to returned next day with a  
chubby, laughing boy on his back.  
"Such we do not sell," he said. Amund-  
sen was astonished. "You wished to  
purchase one," said the man, seeing  
Amundsen's perplexity. Finally it was  
discovered that the Greenlandic term  
for "dog" was equivalent to "child" in  
the Netchillie language.

**A Surprise.**  
A cook at a cheap boarding house  
played a little game on a grumbling  
boarder by serving him with a piece of  
sole leather instead of beefsteak.  
"You've changed your butcher, Mrs.  
Hascher?" said the boarder, looking up  
at the landlady after seeing two or  
three minutes at the leather.  
"Same butcher as usual," replied the  
boarding mistress, with a patronizing  
smile. "Why?"  
"Oh, nothing much," said the board-  
er, trying to make an impression on  
the steak with his knife and fork,  
"only this piece of meat is the tender-  
est I have had in this house for some  
weeks."—Strand Magazine

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