

## About The City

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**LEAST WE FORGET**  
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 Basketball this evening.

That on Easter Monday a dance will be given by the Bemidji Athletic club.

That news items telephoned to the Pioneer are appreciated both by the publishers and readers of the paper. Phone 31.

That the Bemidji Athletics will battle for the championship of the world this evening when they meet the Fond du Lac quint.

The convention of the Woman's missionary society of Adam's presbytery will meet in the Presbyterian church, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 17 and 18.

"Mutt and Jeff in Panama," will be staged here March 23. The company is considered a good one and the play will be given here under the auspices of the Athletic club.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Tollefson of Rosby was in the city yesterday between trains.

Attorney M. J. Brown went to the cities last night on business.

Skating Sunday. Orchestra.—Adv. Mrs. B. Severens of Grant Valley was in the city shopping yesterday.

G. M. Torrance returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul.

Dancing Saturday after the game.—Adv.

Marilee Ryan left this noon for Ball Club where he will spend the next week.

Neal Greeley of Virginia visited with friends in Bemidji for a short time Friday.

Masquerade Wednesday March 18.—Adv.

W. T. Willson of Alexandria is among the business callers who are in the city today.

Arohdeacon H. F. Parshall of Cass Lake is spending a few days in Bemidji on business.

Dairy butter at W. G. Schroeder Store 20, 25 and 30 cents.—Adv.

Mrs. Frank Patterson of Wilton is the guest of Mrs. George French of this city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore M. Klement of Remer were among the business callers in Bemidji Friday.

Pioneer paper pencils, penny piece.—Adv.

Mrs. Louise LaValley has returned home after spending the past five months in the twin cities.

Joe LaValley of Big Falls, Minnesota, is in the city visiting his brothers Lowe and C. LaValley.

Good dairy butter special 25c per pound at Berglund's Grocery.—Adv.

Dr. J. Warringer returned Thursday.

## TONIGHT AT THE BRINKMAN

### "Salomy Jane"

In four acts as presented by the Harry St. Clair Stock Company at the Brinkman tonight, is without doubt one of the best Western comedy dramas written. At present it is having an extended run with all stock companies in the larger cities, and has only recently been released for stock productions, having been one of the most successful road shows ever offered the public. It abounds in rich comedy from start to finish and the story is of a particular town on the border that has been constantly annoyed by murders, stage robberies etc. and the citizens form themselves into a committee to make the town an example to surrounding towns, by punishing the offenders. A feud between two Southerners forms the base of the plot and taken all in all, this play is one that is bound to please each and every person attending the theatre for the three nights of this production.

4 FEATURE REELS OF PICTURES  
 Hope Jones CONCERT ORCHESTRA  
 TWO BIG SHOWS ONE ADMISSION

On St. Patrick's eve the company will present the four act Irish comedy drama entitled

"Kathleen Mavorneer"

a true Irish ball with all Irish characters. Lots of Irish comedy and extremely amusing Irish reel at the finish of the fourth act make this one of the most interesting plays ever seen here.

day from Deer River where he has been on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rock of Solway were in the city yesterday transacting business at the court house.

One of these days you ought to go to Hakkerup and have your picture taken.—Adv.

Miss Nettie Gerlinger of Spur, came to Bemidji this morning and is visiting with friends and shopping.

J. M. Wilkenson of International Falls spent yesterday in Bemidji on a combined business and pleasure visit.

Large Naval oranges 20c per doz. New York apples 5c per lb at Schmitt's grocery.—Adv.

Sunol Warringer returned yesterday from Deer River where she has spent the past few days the guest of friends.

Mrs. K. Sandland of town of Frohn was in the city yesterday disposing of farm produce and also visiting friends.

The best training insures the best positions. Send for a Mankato Commercial College, Minn., free catalog.—Adv.

Superintendent W. P. Dyer will return this evening from St. Cloud, where he has attended a teachers' convention.

Mrs. E. O. Warren and Jennie Paulsberg of Federal Dam spent a short time in the city yesterday calling on friends.

T. J. Miller of Minneapolis, formerly in the land and insurance business here, is in the city for a few days on business.

If you want your work handled in the best possible manner, send it to the Model Dry Cleaning House Phone 537.—Adv.

A. P. White left this noon for Ball Club where he will remain for a short time on business for the Welsh Timber Company.

Mrs. Harry Bowers of Eckles is in the city today. She came in to attend the Mission being held in St. Philip's Catholic church.

J. P. Easton, manager of the St. Hilaire Lumber company at Warren, is transacting business and calling on friends in the city today.

Owning to the extreme length of Anthony and Cleopatra it is necessary to begin the first show at 7:00 o'clock at the Grand. Special matinee Sunday at 2:30.—Adv.

Miss Lillian Schultz will soon leave for Moorhead, Minnesota, where she will join her aunt Mrs. St. Peter, and return with her to Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomas of Blackduck are spending a few days as the guests of Mr. Thomas' mother, Mrs. William Thomas of this city.

Mrs. W. T. Blakely of Farley is spending the day in the city calling on friends and shopping. She will return to her home this evening.

The Nations greatest critics laud "Anthony and Cleopatra." See this great production at the Grand Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and evening at 7:00 and 9:00.—Adv.

Walter J. Markham left for his home in Virginia this noon after spending several days here visiting friends and transacting business.

Mrs. S. Phillips of Brainerd returned to her home in that city today after spending the past week here as the guests of Mrs. Gill Cronin.

Wilbur Lyeon, who attends school at Grand Forks came to Bemidji this morning and will spend Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lyeon.

Safety Deposit Boxes for rent at the First National Bank. \$2.00 per year for small and \$4.00 per year for large boxes. Fire and Burglar proof. You need one.

Miss Bernice Young of Crookston will return to her home in that city tomorrow after spending a few days here as the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Gladys Vye and Jessamine Gould returned to Bemidji this morning from Kellier where they spent yesterday as the guests of Miss Flora Todd.

The Henrionnet Millinery Parlor are displaying a beautiful line of pattern hats and the latest novelties to day. Their store will be open until 10 o'clock tonight.—Adv.

Miss Servia McKusick left this noon for Duluth where she plans on remaining for the next several months as the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Sallie Witting returned to Bemidji this morning from Blackduck where she spent yesterday as the guest of her father who is in business in that village.

E. E. Kenfield left today for Duluth, Washburn, Wisconsin and Minneapolis where he will spend the next several days transacting business for the Bemidji Box Company.

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TONIGHT

### "A Christmas Story"

(Vitagraph)

Neither late but it is sure to please all who have any poetry or humanity in them. It might be termed a children's story for grownups.

### "A Servant of the Rich"

(Lubin)

An unusual and interesting dramatic story

### "The Lord Mayor of London"

(Kalem)

Typical scenes in England which will interest

### "Only One Shirt"

(Kalem)

A very good comedy

## GRAND THEATRE

TONIGHT

### "A Dutch Love Story"

A Pathe In Two Parts

This two-reel drama bids fair to outclass any other of this particular nature

### "Shorty and Sandy Take In the Circus"

(Vitagraph)

A comedy of absolute novelty and real laughs

Sunday and Monday "Antony and Cleopatra" a spectacular photo-drama in eight parts. Sunday matinee 2:30 p. m. Night shows start promptly at 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock.

scene in Antony and Cleopatra. If you wish to see this production at the Grand you must be there early. Matinee Sunday 2:30 evening 7:00 and 9:00.—Adv.

G. H. Warner, of Brainerd, general manager of the Minnesota and International Railway, returned to his home in that city today after spending the past few days here on business.

Robert Larson, William Tibbetts, Alvin Olson, Max Bell, Harold Schmidt and Delbert Elletson, comprising a booster band, played on the streets last evening and later at the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred St. Peter who have spent the winter in Washington with Mr. St. Peter's parents, will soon return to Bemidji. They expect to arrive here the latter part of the month.

Pastor Charles Chandler of the Baptist church has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Parkers Prairie, Minnesota, and will begin his work there about April 1.

L. Isherwood, superintendent of the Bagley schools, and wife, came to Bemidji this noon and will attend the basketball game between the world champions and the Bemidji Athletics.

"Antony and Cleopatra," George Klein's mighty spectacle which has taken the dramatic world by storm will be shown at the Grand Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and evening at 7:00 and 9:00.—Adv.

Mrs. H. Cady will soon return from Big Timber, Montana, where she has been visiting for some time. She will visit friends in Bemidji before returning to her home at Pillager, Minnesota.

Judge P. A. Christenson and wife and daughter of Park Rapids are in the city today enroute to Becraft, where they will attend the ball given in honor of commissioner and Mrs. L. E. Hanson.

Edwin Simons and Fred Cutter gave a dance in the city hall last evening immediately after the basketball game. About 25 couples attended. The basketball team from Fond du Lac were the guests of honor.

Bueford M. Gile, instructor of agriculture in the Bemidji schools, left this morning for LaPorte where he will address a farmers' meeting which is being held in that city today. He will return to Bemidji this evening.

Among the Bagley basketball enthusiasts who came to Bemidji this noon to see the basketball game tonight were William Kaiser, H. Hanson, H. Courtenay and G. Courtenay. Several more are expected to come down on the afternoon freight.

Peck Larson of Bagley was in Bemidji yesterday on a short pleasure

trip. Together with a large number of basketball enthusiasts from Bagley he will return to Bemidji today to witness the last contest between the Bemidji Athletics and the world champions from Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

Miss Marion Vye left on the 6:30 train yesterday morning for St. Benedict's academy at St. Joseph, Minnesota, to resume her studies. Although the hour was early, a large number of her girl friends accompanied her to the train. During her stay in the city she was entertained at the home of Miss Josephine Parker, which home has been the scene of many pleasant gatherings of her friends.

There is much satisfaction in growing bank. The Northern National Bank has increased its business 25 per cent in the last year. You are sure of a welcome there.—Adv.

A Junior Epworth league has been organized in the First Methodist church. Miss Edith Schmitt is the teacher in the beginner's class where children are enrolled from three to six years. The primary department has two classes and the children are from six to nine years. Misses Florence Bagley and Alice Minnick are the teachers. Mrs. Charles Gihman has charge of the junior department, where children are enrolled from nine to thirteen. When the children have finished one department a diploma is given them and for every class completed after that a seal is added to the diploma. The general course of study laid out for the Junior Epworth league is followed.

## TRAIN BANDITS KILL AND MAIM

Fight Pitched Battle With Posse After Holdup.

### ENGINEER SHOT TO DEATH

Wavers in Meeting Demands of Thieves and His Life is Forfeited. One Deputy Sheriff Mortally Wounded and Another Badly Hurt.

Peoria, Ill., March 14.—Freight car thieves killed one man and wounded three others when surprised at work near Manlius, Ill., forty-five miles north of Peoria.

Three of the thieves were captured by a posse from Langley and Princeton. The officers are still searching for one more member of the band.

The victims of the robbers were Arthur Fisher, a Chicago and Northwestern railroad freight engineer, who was killed; Bert Skoglund, a deputy sheriff of Bureau county, fatally wounded; Leslie Beyer, son of the sheriff, wounded in the leg; and the fireman of the freight train, also shot in the leg.

The attempted holdup and shooting occurred about 4 o'clock in the morning. The conductor and brakeman of a freight train on the Northwestern road surprised the gang of thieves while they were pitching merchandise out of a train near Manlius. The train was stopped and the robbers jumped from the freight cars.

Engineer Instantly Killed. They ordered the conductor and brakeman back into the caboose and demanded that Engineer Fisher detach the engine from the train and proceed down the track. He wavered in meeting the request and was shot through the head. He died instantly. The fireman was shot through the leg.

The station agent at Manlius telegraphed Princeton, in Bureau county, and Langley, a small station near Manlius, for help. In an hour a posse of nearly 300 men was scouring the surrounding woods for the holdup men. Near Sheffield, Ill., the posse came up with the thieves.

The latter opened fire and Bert Skoglund, deputy sheriff of Bureau county, was shot through the face, shoulder and throat. He is fatally hurt. Leslie Beyer, son of the sheriff of Bureau county, was shot in the leg. The wound is not serious.

### HUERTA EMPTIES PRISONS

Nine Hundred Criminals Impressed Into Federal Army.

Mexico City, March 14.—General Huerta's recruiting methods were exemplified again by wholesale conscriptions in the suburbs. Hundreds of men were seized in the streets and locked up until they could be provided with uniforms and rifles. They were then pronounced "soldiers" and sent to Cuernavaca, where Zapatistas were reported to be operating.

Huerta also impressed 900 men from the Mexico City prisons, some of them desperate criminals in jail for serious offenses. Nothing definite is known here regarding the fighting near Torreon. The war office admitted a report that the Constitutionalists captured Agua Calientes.

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### ITALIANS KILL MANY ARABS

Fierce Battle Near Oasis of Seutina Reported.

Bengali, Tripoli, March 14.—Severe fighting, in which the Italian troops killed 263 Arabs, took place on Wednesday in the neighborhood of the oasis of Seutina, according to dispatches brought here by couriers from the interior.

An Italian column, composed chiefly of native levies, was attacked on the march by 2,000 Arabs and a sharp battle ensued.

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Phone 31



Scene in Anthony and Cleopatra, in eight parts to be shown at the  
**Grand Theatre, 2 Nights and Sunday Matinee**  
**Sunday, Monday, March 15, 16**

Matinee at 2:30 p. m. First show at 7:00; Second show at 9:00. Admission 25c