

## Home Town Helps

### CITY HAS ITS DISADVANTAGES

No "Neighbors" There, as There Are in the Smaller Towns of the Country.

A big town offers advantages. There are unusual facilities for spending money, impressive buildings to suggest man's importance and show houses where one may be entertained, at a price, by experts in the entertaining business. There are smooth streets to encourage the consumption of gasoline and smooth promoters to encourage the cutting of eyeteeth. There are pedestrians wearing the latest styles and newspapers chuckling over the latest scandals.

But there are no neighbors. In a city a good neighborhood is a part of town inhabited by people who have plenty of spending money. In a small town a good neighborhood is one inhabited by people who make good neighbors.

A good neighbor is one who bids you good morning, calls to ask what he can do when you are sick, borrows your garden tools, keeps his chickens and children at home, never plays his phonograph after ten o'clock at night and takes a mild interest in all of your affairs. He calls you Tom, if you happen to be a Tom, and feels free to enter your house by the kitchen door if that is the more convenient way. Are there any such in great cities?

When the wife bakes and has unusually good luck the best loaf goes to the neighbor. It expresses friendship and her commendable pride in good craftsmanship. After a few days the loaf returns in the form of a cherry pie, hot from the oven, or a bowl of dumplings cooked in the home-made blackberry wine left from the boiling of a ham. If one of the children cuts a finger the neighbor has iodine. He offers it freely, for tomorrow night he may forget to bring home a can of tobacco.

Small-town people are one big family. If their mode of life makes secrets impossible, it also lessens the number of things that should be kept secret; and their interest in one another—an interest that might be very annoying to a big-town man—is inspired by kindness rather than curiosity.

The man who asked "Who is my neighbor?" was not a small-town man, else he would have known.—Robert Quillen in the Saturday Evening Post.

**Urges Parks for the People.**  
Recreation has an important place in the new movement to enlarge the system of federal and state forest reservations and parks and to acquire woodland parks for municipalities, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington, D. C. While the occasion for such reservations is frequently the protection of watersheds, timber production or other public benefits, all of the areas afford opportunities for outdoor recreation. Equally true it is that recreation has an important place in the demand for a large program of road improvement and extension.

**The Small Town Rules.**  
The small town rules America because, instead of being a place of hotels, restaurants and amusements, it is a place for normal living—where men walk home to lunch from their offices and mow their own front lawns and weed the backyard garden and bid their neighbors across either fence the time of day; where they not only live in today, but remember yesterday and plan for tomorrow; where families and communities retain, cherish and transmit traditions. There beats the heart of America.—Omaha Bee.

**Remove Seed Pods.**  
It seems unnecessary to suggest that each day you remove all dead leaves and flowers, but some fond gardeners do neglect this phase of the work. You know if you don't do this two things are sure to happen: First your garden appears untidy, and second your flowers develop seed pods, and this means the energies of the plant are all devoted to maturing seeds and not to sending forth new growth, and hence you have fewer and fewer and finally no flowers.—Exchange.

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#### PAID LOCALS BRINGING RETURNS TO CLEANERS

The Swiss Cleaners are running paid locals in The Pioneer and in commenting upon the results they say that each ad means at least ten dollars worth of new work for them. "The results obtained are great," is the common sentiment of those who use this method of letting the public know what they have to offer.

The classified department, including want ads, for sale ads, etc., is equally effective and everyone who has anything to sell or wants to buy a certain article is urged to use this department. Big results are being obtained every day through The Pioneer's advertisements.

## MARKETS—LOCAL AND FOREIGN

### BEMIDJI CASH MARKET QUOTATIONS.

#### GRAIN AND HAY

Oats, bu. ....	55c
Red Clover, medium, lb. ....	16c-18c
Wheat, hard ....	\$1.60-\$1.80
Wheat, soft ....	\$1.50-\$1.60
Rye, bu. ....	\$1.45

#### VEGETABLES

Potatoes, per cwt., small lots ....	90c
Potatoes, car load lots ....	\$1.00
Cabbage, cwt. ....	\$1.50-\$2.00
Onions, dry ....	\$2.25-50
Beans, cwt. ....	\$6-\$7
Butterfat ....	60c
Eggs, fresh, dozen ....	55c-57c

#### MINNEAPOLIS CASH GRAIN.

At close of business October 22:		
	Low	High
No. 1 Northern Dark Wheat ....	\$2.11	\$2.15
No. 1 Nor. Wheat ....	2.08	2.11
No. 3 Yellow Corn ....	.84	.85
No. 3 White Oats ....	.48%	.49%
Choice Barley ....	.90	.95
No. 2 Rye ....	1.67%	1.68%
Flax ....	2.66%	2.68%

#### MEATS

Mutton ....	13c
Hogs, lb. ....	19c-20c
Dressed beef, lb. ....	12c-14c
Turkeys, live, lb. ....	40c-45c
Old Toms, live, lb. ....	25c-30c
Geese, live, lb. ....	25c-30c
Ducks, live, lb. ....	16c-18c
Hens, 4 lbs. and over ....	25c

#### HIDES

Cow hides, No. 1, lb. ....	5c-6c
Bull hides, No. 1, lb. ....	5c-6c
Kipp hides, No. 1, lb. ....	6c-7c
Calves, No. 1, lb. ....	8c
Wool, bright ....	15c-20c
Deacons, each ....	60c
Horse hides, large, each ....	\$3-\$3.50

#### SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK.

Cattle—Receipts, 6,200; market, slow and mostly steady.	
Hogs—Receipts, 75,000; market, mostly 50c lower; top, \$12.50; bulk of sales, \$12.00@12.25.	
Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market, steady.	

### HART AND VAUDEVILLE AT THE GRAND TONIGHT

The vaudeville program which is the regular Friday night attraction at the Grand theatre, opens tonight with an Italian duo whose song numbers must be heard to be appreciated. Following this worthy pair, are Pearl and Hale, blackface comedians who sing a lot, talk some and dance a little. Mahoney and Cecelia come next with their comedy skit entitled "A Sea-Side Flirtation" and the bill closes with Paula Armstrong and Co. in "A Herculean Surprise."

Wm. S. Hart in "John Petticoats" precedes the vaudeville with the first performance beginning at 7:30 and the second at 9:15.

### IDEAL SERVANTS IN MEXICO

One May Get a Descendant of the Incas and a Friend for Life, for \$15 a Month.

Mexico is Utopia for American housewives, for there is no servant problem there, according to Mrs. S. C. Dunlop, wife of the chief engineer of Cia Transcontinental de Petrolco, the Mexican branch of the Standard Oil company.

"Ten years ago I could hire any servant for \$2 a month," she said, "and now I have to pay only from \$10 to \$15. Often in my kitchen I have a descendant of the Incas making my bread, and when a Mexican Indian—who must not be confused with a peon—really attaches himself or herself to

you, you have not only a servant, but a friend for life, one who really looks after your interests.

"Of course, in Mexico, as well as anywhere else, the servants stand 'on their rights.' The cook only cooks and does not wash dishes; the chambermaid will have nothing to do with the kitchen; but after all, the wages of the five or six servants do not equal those of one servant in New York.

"I hear my New York friends groning because the food of the servants costs more than their own table. Now, if you give your Mexican Indian her tortillas (cakes) and her beans with plenty of chili, she is perfectly satisfied and acorns a more elaborate diet."

The Filipino people are unanimous in their desire for independence. Whenever they are called upon to deposit their ballots they have always ratified this aspiration. At every session before adjournment their representatives in the Legislature reiterate their faith in the principles of liberty and the independence of the Filipino people.

The Filipinos declare they have no grudge or grievance against the American people. Their appeal is accompanied by a message of friendship and gratitude for all that America has done for them. They point out that Uncle Sam gave independence to Cuba, and they hope that they, too, will receive that boon without which, they declare, no civilized and patriotic people can enjoy the maximum of happiness and self-respect.

### SPOON-IN FAVOR WITH TURKS

Subjects of the Sultan Have Little Use for the Fork as a Table Utensil.

According to figures compiled by the American Cutlery bureau of information, the average yearly requirements of Constantinople before the war in the way of cutlery were 50,000 dozens of table knives, 30,000 dozens of spoons, 20,000 dozens of forks, 50,000 dozens of scissors, 25,000 dozens of razors of all kinds and 5,000 dozens of hair clippers.

As will be seen, much more spoons are sold than forks, which is contrary to the experience in other countries where, as a rule, more forks are required than spoons. This is explained by the fact that Constantinople supplies great quantities of cutlery to Asia-Minor and other outlying regions of the former Turkish empire, where table manners still have not been developed up to the standard of Paris.

The Arab is fond of the spoon, because it is handy in eating his cereals, but he prefers to deal with chopsticks by way of the fingers, which is a more simple procedure than piercing one's eye with a fork.

So it is the spoon that stands on the top of the list of the cutlery orders coming from Turkey to Uncle Sam. It is conceded in all foreign countries today that American table cutlery holds the center of the stage in point of quality.

### MAKE WAR ON THE ANTS

Destructive Little Creatures May Be Routed by Hot Water or Kerosene Emulsion.

Ants are quite troublesome in some localities. They almost destroy large areas of otherwise healthy grass. There are two methods of routing this enemy. One is to locate each hill and pour boiling water over it, or kerosene emulsion where the hot water is apt to injure the plants. Bisulphide of carbon can be used, but it is more expensive than the other remedies. This insecticide has the advantage of being more penetrating and follows the intricacies of the tunnels of the hills therefore destroying all the inhabitants.

**His Narrow Escape.**  
Clarence and his nurse were promenading along the veranda at the summer resort hotel. A woman stopped them to speak to the pretty child, and, on hearing how he had accidentally rolled down the hotel steps, was profuse in sympathetic exclamations. "O, dear! O, what a narrow escape!" etc.

Clarence enjoyed her admiring sympathy so much that he added another flight of steps to the tumble when he related the episode to the next woman. By the time he reached the end of the veranda he had improved his story by rolling from the top floor of the hotel clear down to the steps outside the veranda, finishing off with:

"And I came near cracking my skull, too."

## ADDITIONAL WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Small house with screen porch. Two corner lots, 100x140 ft. Cheap, for cash, if taken at once. Call 716-J. 10-221f

FOR SALE—Drop-head sewing machine. Like new. Cheap. 421 Irvine ave. 10-221f

TICKET SELLER wanted at Rex theatre. 1110-22f

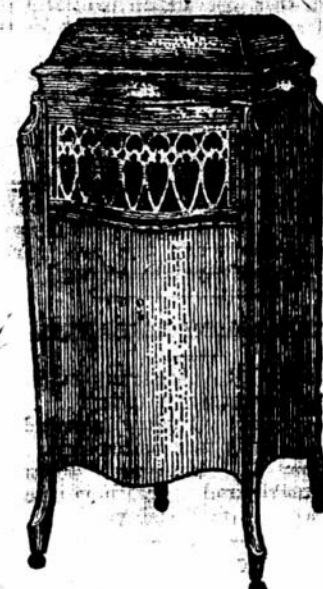
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\* REDBY AND RED LAKE \*  
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C. Townsend, auditor for the International Lumber Co., was in Redby Wednesday and Thursday on official business for his company.  
Harold Rearesek, formerly a clerk in the agency office, has again reported for duty in the same office.  
Rev. Lambert, who succeeded Mr. Palmer as pastor of the Methodist church here had services Wednesday night in the government school building.  
Charles H. Clifford, a Sioux Indian, has reported to the agency as farmer, he will be stationed at the old farm station.  
Mrs. Shogrin, of Quiring, Minn., is spending a few days in Red Lake.

Mrs. Messerschmidt of Quiring has accepted position as cook in the government mess, succeeding Mrs. Julia Spears, resigned.  
Mr. and Mrs. Louie Caswell have as their guests this week, Mrs. Caswell's two sisters, Mrs. W. B. Caldwell and Mrs. B. C. Caldwell and their mother, Mrs. Margaret Gair, all of Fosston, Minn.  
Mrs. Workman and little daughter of Redby, were visitors to Red Lake Wednesday.  
Asst. County Supt. Miss Lilliscove, of Bemidji, was a caller to Redby and Red Lake the 20th and 21st, visiting the county public schools.

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The HALLMARK Store  
Bemidji, Minn.

## Clifford's 98c Sale, Oct. 23rd, 25th and 26th

SAVE BY SPENDING HERE

Kellogg's Korn  
Krisp, 8 packages  
for ..... 98c

Oil Sardines, 14  
cans for .... 98c

Douglas Corn  
Starch, four 2½-lb  
pkgs for .... 98c

Red Beans, 10 cans  
for ..... 98c

CRISCO, 3-lb can  
for ..... 98c

Herring, 8-lb pail  
for ..... 98c

6-lb bag Oatmeal  
and 5 lbs Cream  
of Wheat for 98c

COCOA, three 1-lb  
pkgs for .... 98c

SALMON, 4 tall  
cans for .... 98c

Douglas Gloss  
Starch, four 3-lb  
pkgs for .... 98c

Libby's Tomato  
Soup, 10 cans 98c

Compound, 4 lbs  
for ..... 98c

Swift's Borax Soap,  
21 bars for . 98c

2 cans Grated Pine-  
apple and 2 pkgs  
Jelly Powder  
for ..... 98c

Swansdown Cake  
Flour, two pkgs  
pkgs for .... 98c

7 cans Sardines and  
2 cans Salmon  
for ..... 98c

2 pkgs Corn Starch  
and 2 pkgs Gloss  
Starch for ... 98c

5 cans Red Beans  
and 5 cans To-  
mato Soup for 98c

DOUGLAS COOK-  
ING OIL, 1-qt  
can for only. 98c

BROOMS, 2 good  
brooms for . 98c

Muleskin Gloves, 3  
pair for .... 98c

6 cans Sunbrite Cleanser.....  
6 small packages Gold Dust....  
5 packages Ivory Soap Flakes..

**These 3 for 98c**

We have a carload of Fancy New York Apples in bushel baskets WHILE THEY LAST. \$2.75

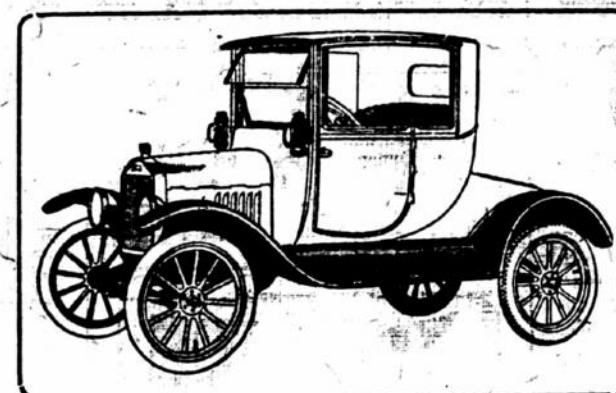
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THE FIRST PERSON BRINGING THIS ADVERTISEMENT AND BUYING A COUPELET WILL BE GIVEN A PRESENT

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