

PEKIN NEWS.

P. A. Lee was on the sick list for a few days this week suffering from a bad cold.

Peter Burns and sons from Dayton township, were at Pekin this week laying in stores for spring.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Bue Saturday morning, April 3d, a boy. Mother and babe doing well. Oscar says it is going to be a shortstop.

Otto Knapp, H. G. Scansen, and E. W. Loe made a business trip to Grand Forks this week leaving Monday, and returning Thursday evening.

Andrew Bolkan was moving his household effects this week, preparatory to settling on the so called "Daniels" farm three miles south of Lakota. Mr. Bolkan recently purchased this valuable property from his father-in-law, Mr. Ed Stahl, of Bergen township.

The stability of the lockup was tested last Friday morning, when it was discovered a drunk that had been placed in there the evening before had simply "walked out." The breaks were remedied, and we understand, the next man who is put in will not find it so easy to get out.

Two cases of fits or paralysis among children have been reported these last days. The first was one of the small boys of Gust Kling, just east of Pekin, who fell in a fit while out playing, last Saturday forenoon. Dr. Arneson was called and at the present writing the little fellow is doing very well, although it was thought for awhile that he could not live. Monday, little Lawrence Bue, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Bue, fell into spasms and for a long while it was conceded that he could not live. Dr. Arneson was again called, and by evening the child was fairly over the ordeal. This little fellow has had an attack of the same kind once before, about a year ago.—Budget.