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"Dyspepsia is a dreadful thing," sighed the afflicted one. "It makes a man feel as if he were dead and his monument was erected upon his chest."

THE Minneapolis employes of the Northern Mill Co. have passed resolutions thanking Judge R. D. Russell for his prompt action in securing them their back pay and pledging him support in case he is a candidate for reelection.

FOR five years past N. Richardson has been mayor of Little Falls, but was defeated on Tuesday for a reelection by I. E. Staple, the reform candidate. The fight was an exceedingly hot one, Staple's majority being 30 out of 896 votes cast.

THE Wheeling, W. Va., Intelligencer, speaks sensibly as follows: "The war against the Union left little of the democratic party north of Mason & Dixon's line. The war against the bread and butter of the people may have a like result. All the signs point in that direction."

THE fact is acknowledged all over the country that Grover Cleveland is doing more for the republican party than any other man today. Looking at it in this light Grover isn't such a bad fellow after all, but he will have to take his medicine in '96 with the balance of the gang.

AT Aitkin on Saturday last Miss Elma Johnson, an estimable young lady, was assulted by a tramp on the railroad track near town, but a coming freight train frightened him away before he could accomplish his fiendish purpose. The villan was caught on Monday and is behind the bars.

ST. CLOUD is in the throes of a heated mayoralty contest with D. W. Bruckart, the present incumbent, D. T. Calhoun and Jeremiah Donohue in the field. The people claim Mayor Bruckart has opened things up a trifle too wide during his term, and the conservative element is pushing Mr. Calhoun's cause.

W. C. P. BRECKENRIDGE, the so-called silvery tongued orator and congressman from Kentucky, seems, from the evidence in the breach of promise suit against him now being tried, to have been more of a lecherous rake, a despoiler of innocent girlhood, than a statesman or a man. If he got his just deserts he would be doing service for the state elsewhere than in the halls of congress.

IN Minnesota the democrats will be very generous this year and Maj. Baldwin is quoted as saying that some good populist should be nominated for governor and in that case the democrats would turn in and endorse the nomination. It is a fact that the wise democratic politician is getting as far into the clear this year as possible, and they had rather see their populist friends put up for slaughter than stand up to the rack themselves. Why not put Maj Baldwin in nomination and let the populist endorse him?

THE Press of yesterday says that the negotiations which have been pending for the last two months between the Gull River Lumber company and the E. W. Backus company were closed last evening, the latter named firm purchasing the entire plant, which includes a saw mill, planing mill, machine shop, stables and piling grounds, the latter about thirty acres, formerly owned by the Northern Mill company. This firm is one of the syndicate which, a few days ago, purchased the Pillsbury and the Walker and Akeley timber in the northern part of the state, together with the Brainerd mill and Brainerd & Northern Minnesota railway, formerly owned by the Northern Mill company. The purchase price is said to be between $150,000 and 170,000 for the Northern Mill property.

The Full Returns.

The DISPATCH this week gives the result of the elections in all the towns in Crow Wing county, and although part of them were published last week, we publish the list entire this week for the benefit of those who desire to save the list:

DAGGETT BROOK—Supervisors, H. Abbott, chairman, E. B. Bentley and Geo. Flichhacks; clerk, H. Lenharts; treasurer, A. C. Guiett; assessor, C. Racy; justice, H. Lenharts; constables Warren Godfrey and James Holzapple.

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NOT AS PAINTED.

The Rainy Lake Country Described By a Former Brainerdite Who Has Been There.

A private letter to W. J. Davenport from Hugh Steel, formerly in the dairy business in this city, but now of West Superior, is given below by permission of the writer, and a perusal of it by those who have the "fever" will probably do much good. After a few preliminary remarks Mr. Steele says:

"I arrived home on the 17th after a trip of three weeks in the new eldorado, and must say that I cannot give you the least encouragement to go there. A small amount of gold bearing quartz is being found on islands in Rainy lake, but I found only one place where any work was being done and that was a hole about 4x4 feet, three feet deep. The vein is about three feet wide, and will assay on an average about $12 per ton, but small specimens have been found which will go much higher. I was shown other properties which they are trying to boom which I consider worthless. No work is being done in mining, whatever, not one man employed. The owners of the townsite are advertising and people are rushing in from all points of the compass, but most of them leave, after a short stay thoroughly disgusted. The townsite is about 60 acres in extent, mostly cleared, but the men who have been employed in clearing it have had no pay for two months. There are two log houses, one log store building with three stores, six or seven log camps and a dozen tents containing a population of 200 people, all idle except a few men clearing townsite and building shanties. There are ten places where vile whisky is sold and three meat markets. Three or four store outfits are on the way there and a dance house is under construction. The outfit for a bank has arrived and it is reported that a stone building 30x40 will be put up to accommodate it. The much advertised saw mill is about two miles from the townsite and has a capacity of from 5000 to 6000 feet per day. The stamp mill of which so much has been said has not arrived yet and I doubt very much if it ever will. There is no one going there with means and the people are trying to live off each other with what few suckers they can catch from the outside. The townsite proprietors are booming it on wind, pure and simple, as their reputations cannot be damaged. Lots 25x125 are selling from $250 to $300, but I would hesitate about taking the gift of one unless they would pay for recording it. I had heard so much about the Rainy lake district, and not being busy I took the trip although I was not very enthusiastic before I went and much less when I returned. There is still a very large extent of territory unexplored, and possibly it might pay one to put in a month or so exploring. There is no timber of consequence there, but some good farming land can be found on Rainy river on both sides. I have given you my candid opinion of the country and you can use this letter any way you desire as I consider it an outrage to induce so many poor people to come there and spend what little money they have with no prospects of anything better.

Yours truly,
HUGH STEELE,
West Superior, Wis., Mar. 19, 1894.

Details All Fixed.

All the details in the big pine land transfer to the syndicate of Minneapolis lumber manufacturers have been completed and the contracts were signed Monday morning, says the Minneapolis Journal of that date. This important work having been completed, the next thing in order is the organization and incorporation of the syndicate. This will take place in the next 30 days. The purpose of the organization is accomplished as soon as the logs are turned into the boom limits at Brainerd. Here they are to be divided and distributed to the various companies in proportion to the interest of these companies in the recent deal. The plans for the season's work and the extension of the lumber railroad to Leech Lake, will not be taken up until the organization is completed. The companies comprising the syndicate are not all equal owners, but nearly so.

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Fire Department Election.

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D. McINTOSH, Chief.

Does Water Run Uphill?

That water should run uphill is popularly supposed to be as impossible as it seemed to Macbeth that "Birnam wood should come to Dunsinane." In fact it is a favorite illustration of the the impossibility of a thing being done. But it is a fact that the Mississippi does run uphill; that is, its mouth is higher than its source. The equatorial radius of the earth is thirteen miles greater than the polar. The distance on the circumference from either pole to the equator is 6,225 miles, making the up-grade a fraction over two miles to the thousand. The Mississippi is 2,600 miles long, and the mouth would therefore be five miles farther from the center of the earth than its source. Does not that mean that it runs uphill? In going from the Twin Cities to St. Louis the river would run uphill about a mile. But if you should make the journey over the Burlington line, you would never realize that you were making an ascent, so slight is the grade of the road, and so smooth the track. The most beautiful river scenery in the West lies along this route. In going south ask your agent for tickets via the Burlington Route, and for further information address W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, Minn.

GOOD FOR EVIL.

"Jessie," said Anton Mosby, the forester, to his daughter, "why do you persist in your friendship for our boarder, Hayes, when you know I don't like him? I've warned you often enough. When a man is ashamed to tell his business, it doesn't take much discernment to see that something is wrong. He has been in our house now about five weeks and during the whole time has not hinted a word as to the meaning of his trips into the woods. Yesterday I saw him prowling about the old quarry, but when I asked him what he was after he said he was looking for game. A likely place indeed to find anything to shoot!"

"Father," said the daughter, "Mr. Hayes has always treated me like a gentleman, and as there is no other company here I don't see what harm can come from talking with him."

"I know that it is lonesome here, Jessie, with no one but me for company, and when we can afford it we shall go where you can have better advantages, but that fellow Hayes is not the right kind, and I don't want you to have anything at all to do with him. I've left word with Dick to have his horse ready when he gets back, for he has got to leave this place today. Of course I've got no proof that he is a bad one, but it is easy enough to see. Look at his brace of pistols. I tell you a rifle is good enough here against anything but the sheriff's posse. But I must go; remember what I say and don't look for me back before night," and Mosby turned away.

Anton Mosby's occupation was to protect a large section of pine timber owned by an eastern company from encroachments by rival firms and necessitated long tramps along the boundaries of the great forest estate. His home was located in a small clearing not large enough to escape the shadows of the trees for more than half of the day. The nearest village was a lumbering town about 15 miles distant. From this village ran a narrow, scraggy road out into the forest, past Mosby's house, and then at the distance of a mile or so divided, one branch turning south and leading somewhere in the direction of civilization, the other running several miles northward and ending in an old quarry which was dug in the side of a rocky ledge.

After Mosby's departure Jessie went on with her work indoors with a heavy heart. Her father's suspicion that the man Hayes, who had been sojourning with them, was only a refugee from justice, pained her. He had always been very obliging about the house, had books in his saddlebags and sometimes read aloud to her, which was a matter of real entertainment, and while she did not care for him she felt extremely sorry for the treatment he received at her father's hands. She had to confess, however, on thinking it over, that it was a queer place for a man to come whose only occupation was pleasure.

Her father had an idea that some day an officer of the law would ride into their little clearing and demand a prisoner; that a scene would follow, and the prisoner, escaping, would seek safety in the slimy caves which penetrated the sides of the limestone ledge. He even dreamed about it and awoke one night imbued with the idea that the house was surrounded by mounted horsemen. Day by day his suspicions increased, until finally from fear of Jessie's falling in love with a villain he decided to drive him away.

Hayes was an ordinary looking man of about 5 feet 10, hair brown, eyes blue and rather quick and nervous in his speech. It was a suspicion of embarrassment in the latter respect when questioned as to his business that first led Mosby to observe his actions, and his preference for the old quarry road, which was rough and swampy and led through a tangled growth of underbrush, seemed evident enough that he belonged to those who prefer darkness rather than light.

These suspicions made Mosby, naturally a hospitable man, cold and satirical, and many an arrow of sarcasm was plumed for his victim's breast, but Hayes usually seemed perfectly oblivious of their meaning, a fact which only further determined Mosby in the belief that he was a bad one.

The season had been exceedingly dry. For nearly a month not a drop of rain had fallen. The sand lay in drifts in the middle of the road and blew away from the roots of the trees. During the previous weeks a great fire had been raging to the northward, several towns being razed to the ground and a wide stretch of timber ruined. The ledge of rocks referred to ran in a crescent and acted as a barrier to the flames, so that the country over which Mosby presided was left unharmed.

This great northern section, however, where the fires had been so destructive, was inhabited by wolves, which now, goaded by fire and hunger, sought safety to the southward. Mosby saw them frequently, and their baying could be heard at night while prowling through the woods in search of food.

When Mosby went on the tramp, he invariably took his rifle with him, hoping to obtain enough pelts during the season for a robe.

"Wolves," he used to say to Hayes, "are about all the game you will find about these quarters, but if you want to kill any you'd better throw away your six shooters and get a rifle, for all the things are good for is to kill men, and I reckon the people around here are a peaceable lot. Of course, it might be a good thing if one wanted to escape from a constable, but we are presuming that you want to kill animals." But his arguments as to the relative merits and uses of the two weapons had little effect on Hayes, who still continued to carry the pistols and make excursions not into the woods—where, Mosby ventured, "there might be a stray deer if one happened to see it"—but toward the quarry and the hills.

Whether Mosby wanted to keep watch of his strange boarder's actions that day or whether his business led in that direction we cannot say, but he spent the afternoon exploring the timber abutting the highlands. His observations were quite minute, and the sun was beginning to redden the clouds in the west when he started for home, and by the time he reached the road it had become quite dark. He had about eight miles to cover, but the way was so rough that he made slow progress. Here and there a moonbeam glistened on a sandy opening, but for the greater part of the time the foliage of the trees entirely obstructed the light, so he slumped wearily along, musing upon the events of the previous weeks and wondering where Hayes had gone to spend the night.

A warm breeze swayed the tops of the huge pines; this and the sticks which crackled under his feet were all that broke the silence of the night—all until from the distance came suddenly to his ears the hoarse baying of a wolf. From time to time it was repeated, until from another direction arose an answering howl, prolonged and mournful.

Mosby plodded along, giving little heed except wishing that he could get a sight on one of the varmints in a bright spot of moonlight. The howling of the wolves gradually became more frequent and began to sound nearer and nearer. Mosby came to a halt and examined the condition of his gun, and then, although feeling that the rifle insured his safety, began to hasten his steps. By the time he had covered another half mile he knew that there was danger behind, for the weird sounds had increased into a din and an uproar. They were evidently on his trail and rapidly approaching, dozens of them perhaps, courageous at last from strength of number. He realized that there would be scant time for reloading a gun after once firing and looked about for a tree which he could climb and pick them off one at a time, but where there were trees the darkness was so deep that the project had to be abandoned as impracticable, and he could not endure the thought of remaining a prisoner all night in the uncomfortable branches of a pine tree on account of a few wolves. This decision was scarcely reached when he would gladly have changed it, for a moment later the wolves reached the road behind him and were coming along at long leaps, filling the air with their mournful screams.

Mosby, still cool and confident, raised his rifle to his shoulder. A gray form flashed in the light a little distance away, and he fired. The howling of the pack suddenly ceased as one of their number rolled in the sand, and Mosby, after reloading, started on a trot toward a small opening. Before he reached it they were in pursuit again.

Mosby fired again, but missed his aim. For a moment they hesitated, their eyes shining in the darkness, and then gnashing their fangs rushed forward into the light. Mosby's heavy rifle whirled around his head and descended on the skull of the foremost wolf, but the beasts, crazed with hunger, had lost all fear, and Mosby saw that he had met his fate. A wave of sorrow for poor Jessie, left all alone in such a country, welled up in his heart, and then, gritting his teeth in anger, he grasped his gun stock tighter and struck again. This blow was his last, for the next instant he was borne to the ground. Bang! bang! bang! suddenly rang through the forest. A wolf with his fangs buried in Mosby's arm released his hold; another tearing furiously at his breast fell dead. The air resounded with quick reports, and Mosby, weak and almost dying, saw the suspicious boarder rush into the fray, a repeater in each hand.

When he next opened his eyes, he was at home and Jessie by his side. "Where is Hayes?" he murmured.

"Here, father," she answered, and Hayes stepped forward from the shadow where he had been sitting.

The old man would have given him his hand, but his arms were limp and lifeless. "You saved my life," he murmured gratefully, "and I reckon your kind of weapons are the best, after all, among wolves. You must stay with us the whole season, and Jessie and I will do our best to entertain you."

Hayes smiled. "It was a lucky thing that you sent me away, Mr. Mosby, for otherwise I would not have been on the quarry road and saved you. I finished my work here yesterday, and so when Dick told me that I must go I started for the quarry to get some things. Jessie has told me what you feared I was, and I do not blame you. It did look suspicious, and I often felt ashamed that I had to keep so quiet, but my time has been spent negotiating purchases of land. I am the junior partner in a firm which expects to establish a mine in this vicinity and came here enjoined to absolute secrecy. The business is now where this is no longer necessary, for we have contracted for all the land we want except one corner, probably the richest in ore, however, of all." Hayes then opened his papers and showed a plan of the grounds.

"Why," cried Mosby, "that corner belongs to me and is the most worthless piece of ground on the footstool. I've always been ashamed to claim ownership."

"Do you wish to sell it, Mr. Mosby?" asked Hayes.

"Sell it?" returned Mosby. "Take it for nothing. Bring me the paper, and I will sign the deed."

Hayes acted with alacrity; he found a form, filled in some figures and held it in front of the old man.

"For and in consideration of $20,000!" gasped Mosby. "What does it mean?"

"It means," replied Hayes, "that I consider it a reasonable bargain for our firm at that price."

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Legal Notices.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss.
District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.
Charlotte D. Roberts, Plaintiff,
vs.
John N. Roberts, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court of the 15th Judicial District, in and for the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office corner of Front and Sixth streets, in the City of Brainerd, in said county, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated March 15th, 1894.

LEON E. LUM,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

By virtue of an execution, issued out of the district court for the second judicial district in and for the county of Ramsey and state of Minnesota, upon a judgment entered and docketed in said court, on the 17th day of November A. D. 1887, in a certain action wherein the Commercial National Bank was plaintiff, and J. Robert Howes and John A. Davis defendants, in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendants, for the sum of two thousand thirty-nine and 40-100 dollars which judgment was duly assigned by said plaintiff to Andrew S. Davis and by him to H. H. Davis who now owns the same. I have on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1894 levied upon as the property of defendant John A. Davis the following described real estate situate in Cass county Minnesota to wit: Lot five (5) of section eight (8) township one hundred thirty-seven (137) range twenty-nine (29) and lot three (3) and the west half of the southeast quarter (w ½ se ¼) of section nineteen (19) township one hundred forty (140) range thirty (30) according to government survey.

And will sell the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs, at the front door of the Gull River post office at the railroad station known as Gull River in Cass county aforesaid, on the 23rd day of April A. D. 1894, at four o'clock p. m. of that day.

Dated February 26th, A. D. 1894.

HENRY SPALDING,
Sheriff of Crow Wing county Minn.
By J. W. Slipp, Deputy.

Probate Notice.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing. } ss. In Probate court. Regular Term. March 5 1894.

In the matter of the estate of Zillah Goss, deceased:

Letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Thomas Blackburn of said county,

It is ordered that all claims and demands of all persons against said estate be presented to this court for examination and allowance, at the Probate Office, in Crow Wing county on the following days, viz: The first Monday in each month for six months next hereafter.

It is further ordered that six months from the date hereof be allowed to creditors to present their claims against said estate, at the expiration of which time all claims not presented to said court, or not proven to its satisfaction, shall be forever barred, unless for cause shown, further time be allowed:

Ordered further, that notice of the time and place of the hearing and examination of said claims and demands shall be given by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to the day appointed for such examination, in the Brainerd Dispatch a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 5th day of March A. D. 1894. By the Court:

MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

[Seal.] LEON E. LUM, Attorney for Petitioner.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss.

In Probate Court, Special term March 17, 1894.

In the matter of the estate of Anna E. White deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of N. P. White, of Brainerd, Minnesota, representing, among other things, that Anna E. White, late of said Brainerd, on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1893, at Brainerd, Minnesota, died intestate, and being a resident of this county at the time of her death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this county, and the said petitioner is a son of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to Frank A. White granted;

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before this court on Monday the 9th day of April A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court house in said county.

Ordered further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd in said county.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1894.

By the Court:
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

(SEAL)

(First publication March 23.)

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., March 22, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before S. F. Alderman Clerk of Dist. Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Wednesday May 2, 1894, viz:

JOHN G. KNEBEL,

H. E. No. 13748, for the S ½ SW ¼ NE ¼ SW ¼, Sec. 17, Twp 43, Range 29.

He names the following witness to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Magnus Olson, Abraham C. Guiett, Chris Racy and John Lease, P. O. Address of all Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minn.

A. BARTO, Register

(First publication March 23th.)

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., March 20, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before S. F. Alderman, Clerk of the District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Wednesday, May 2d, 1894, viz:

MAGNUS OLSON,

H. E. No. 13718 for the W ½ NE ¼ and S ½ NW ¼, Sec. 22, Twp. 43, Range 30.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

James Galbraith, Nathan A. Lease, John G. Knebel, Abraham C. Guiett, P. O. address of all Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

A. BARTO, Register.

Assignee's Notice,

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss.
District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the assignment of Isidore Katz and Harry Katz, partners as Katz Bros., insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of said court, on the 7th day of April, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, I will offer for sale, at public vendue, at the warehouse of C. M. Patek, in the rear of Kinkele's saloon on Laurel street, on 6th street, in the city of Brainerd, Minn., the stock of hardware and book accounts of said insolvents, in bulk, to the highest bidder, for cash.

Dated March 14th, 1894.

WERNER HEMSTEAD,
Assignee.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., March 1, 1894

Notice is hereby given, that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before S. F. Alderman, Clerk of District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Saturday, April 7th, 1894, viz:

EDWIN H. GREEN,

H. E. No. 13063, for the sw ¼ sw ¼ e ½ sw ¼ sw ¼ se ¼ Sec. 6, twp. 134, Range 27.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

William Smith, Frederick Cowden, William Harmon, Fred L. Hazelton, P. O. Address of all Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minnesota.

A. BARTO, Register.

(First Publication Feb. 23.)

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 19, 1894.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Martin C. Johnson against Adolph Irwick for abandoning his Homestead No. 15948, dated October 28th, 1892, upon the se ¼ nw ¼ and lots 1, 2 and 5, Sec. 4, township 46, range 29, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of the clerk of the District Court in the City of Brainerd, Minn., on the 18th day of April, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

A. BARTO, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE. St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 19, 1894.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had at this office, on the 24th day of April 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as ordered herein, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

A. BARTO, Register.

(First publication Feb. 2d, 1894.)

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., Feb. 1, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before S. F. Alderman, Clerk of the District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Saturday, March 10, 1894, viz:

WILLIAM E. GARLINGHOUSE,

H. E. No. 13649, for Lot 1 SE ¼ NE ¼ and NE ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 12, T'p 45, Range 29.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Seivert Olson, Sylvester Heath, Edward Heberling, Nathan N. Halliday, P. O. Address of all Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minn.

A. BARTO, Register.

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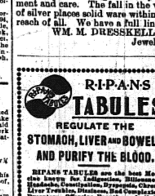

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BRAINERD, ... MINN.

The idea of placing saleswomen instead of men in the boys' clothing department has been adopted by a firm with large stores in several cities.

The Pollard-Breckinridge suit is dividing the honors with congress. There is no lack of racy amusement in Washington this season.

London is to have a university that will rival Oxford and Cambridge. All the preliminary details for its establishment have been arranged.

The system of numbering the hours of the day from one to twenty-four has been adopted by the Italian railroads, and is in use for all time schedules.

The secret of Gladstone's perennial youth is suggested in the news item that on the day he resigned the office of prime minister he completed an English translation of the Odes of Horace. He renews his strength by change of work and is apparently never idle.

It has been discovered that Boss McKane robbed the citizens of Gravesend of about $500,000 in addition to his other little eccentricities. He was a man of many talents and none of them were done up in napkins, as he would have told his Sunday school pupils if any one had happened to ask him.

John Redmond, member of parliament for Waterford, finds himself brimming over with a lack of confidence in Lord Rosebery, and so far as Lord Rosebery is concerned he has to use an oyster dredge on his inner consciousness to bring his confidence in John Redmond to the surface.

Hazing in New York is to be a criminal offense hereafter. This will be a great blow to the popularity of Cornell university, and will narrow its curriculum shamefully and all because a most unnecessary person died while a party of savants were objecting to a gang of mere freshmen.

The sovereign of a little Greek island during the middle ages styled himself: "The Protector of Religion, whose Fame is Infinite, who Exceeds the Sun, the Moon, the Unexpected Buds, the Stars, the Jewels; whose Feet are as Fragrant to the Noses of Other Kings as Flowers to Bees; the most Noble Patron, the God by Custom."

In round numbers the total amount of life insurance written by the different insurance companies of the world is $12,000,000,000. Of this sum $5,500,000,000 is placed in the United States. Between the years 1880 and 1890 there was $2,500,000,000 new life insurance written in this country, and but $1,000,000,000 in the whole of the British Empire.

The following is a characteristic extract from the manuscript diary of King James II., which is preserved in the Imperial library at Paris: "I did not retire from the battle on the Boyne from a sense of fear, but that I might preserve to the world a life that I felt was destined to future greatness."

Philip D. Armour is not confining his benefactions to Chicago. He has just donated a million dollars to San Francisco for the purpose of founding a manual training school on the plan of the Chicago institution established by him. Mr. Armour wants the world to be better by reason of his having lived in it.

The town treasurer of Middleboro, Mass., has discovered $300,000 in the treasury which he cannot account for. It will be necessary to coin a new word for this case. If the money had been missing from the treasury it would have been a shortage. The present discrepancy must therefore be a longage.

Theatrical talent of the female gender in New York is paid $15 a week this season, as against $50 last. We knew that the drama was deteriorating in New York, but we are rather surprised at so marked a slump as this. Still, business is business, and $15 is a whole lot of money to give for some of the acting that Gotham gets.

The man who profanely threatened to break his son's blank neck unless he experienced religion and joined the church now lives in Indianapolis. Saturday he attempted to blow up a newspaper office because its editor is an infidel and antagonizes the Christian religion. If that stalwart sort of Christianity gets to heaven, all peace-loving people will be anxious to move out.

Florists say that the cyclamen, which bears those marvelous winged blossoms that seem to hover over the plant rather than to be part of it, produces finer blossoms when raised directly from the seed than when the bulb is planted and allowed to germinate. Amateurs, when they attempt the clamen, usually buy the bulbs, and a single bulb sometimes costs nearly as much as a small blooming plant.

The weight of different kinds of wood is exceedingly variable. White pine is the lightest of the common woods, a cubic foot of it weighing 34 pounds; willow wood weighs 36; red pine, 37; yellow pine, 38; pitch pine, 43. Poplar weighs 46 and hickory 52. Logwood weighs 57; mahogany, 66; live oak, 67; and lignum-vitae, the heaviest of all, weighs 83 pounds to the cubic foot. A block of lignum-vitae, thrown into the water, will sink like a stone.

The latest news from Roncador Reef is that nothing but the hull of the wrecked Kearsarge is left. But as the purpose of the wrecking force now bound for the reef is practically to rescue a sentiment, its occupation is not yet gone. If only the stem, keel, sternpost deadwood, and part of the ship's frames are brought from the reef the wreckers will have recovered all that remains of the Kearsarge that sunk the Alabama.

An electric motor attachment has been applied to the Gatling gun, which promises not only to more than double the destructive capabilities of that particular machine, but to effect a grand advance in the efficiency of all machine guns. The motor is detachable, is of one horse power, is very small, weighing but a trifle over fifty pounds, and is placed on the breech of the gun, amply protected. The motor increases the present rate of firing 1,200 shots a minute, to more than 3,000 shots a minute.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

The Latest and Most Important News of the World, Culled From the Telegraph Reports of the Press Associations.

From the Nation's Capital.

The government reports 115,000,000 bushels of wheat in farmers' hands.

Maj. Gen. Howard is said to contemplate becoming a candidate for congress on leaving the army.

According to a department report the Russian thistle infests forty thousand acres in the Northwestern states.

Minister Thompson confirms the report of the surrender of the Brazilian insurgents.

An effort will be made in congress to abolish the coast and geodetic survey.

The resignation of Frank Barret as supervising inspector for steam vessels at St. Louis has been requested by Secretary Carlisle.

Secretary Herbert replies to a house inquiry as to his authority for placing naval forces under the control of Blount at Hawaii.

The deficit of the government, it is now estimated, will fall ten or twenty millions below the seventy-eight millions figured out by the secretary of the treasury in January.

Personal Mention.

Patrick Ford, aged 94 years, of Rockford, Ill., dropped dead at his home.

W. W. Raymond, an old missionary, died at Skipanon, Or., aged 79 years.

Fred Gebhardt, Lily Langtry's former devotee, weds a Baltimore lady.

Richard Croker, the Tammany chieftain, will buy a ranch in Texas.

Senator Hill, it is reported, will marry Miss Letty Scott, niece of Vice President Stevenson.

Ludwig August Frankl, the Bohemian poet, died in Vienna, where he had lived for many years. He was 84 years old.

Judge Horatio M. Vandeveer died at Taylorsville, Ill. He had filled many public offices and was reported a millionaire.

Harriet W. Potter of St. Joseph, Mich., will soon wed Hawaiian Minister Thurston, whom she first met at the world's fair.

Mr. Gladstone has so far recovered his health as to have been able to leave his house yesterday. He spent the afternoon in his library.

The three daughters of Joseph Scheck of Sanborn, N. Y., became suddenly insane. They are eighteen, twenty and twenty-seven years old, respectively.

The Hancock monument commission has adopted the design of Henry J. Ellicott of Washington for an equestrian statue of Gen. W. S. Hancock in bronze.

The president has approved the joint resolution authorizing Gen. O. O. Howard to accept the decoration of the Legion of Honor from the president of the French republic.

James Theobald, Conservative member of parliament for the South or Romford division of Essex, Eng., died as the result of injuries sustained while boarding a moving train.

Intimate friends of Miss Hope Goddard, the Providence heiress and daughter of Col. William Goddard, do not credit the report of her engagement to C. Oliver Iselin of New York. Recently it was falsely reported that Miss Goddard was to wed James J. Van Alen.

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, recently foreign secretary to the government of India, who was at the head of the British mission which last year visited the ameer of Afghanistan at Cabool, has been appointed British minister at Teheran, in succession to Sir F. C. Lascelles, who has been transferred to St. Petersburg.

The Casualty Record.

W. Evans, a farmer living near Grinnell, Iowa, fell from his wagon and broke his neck.

John Peters and Rudolph Junkins were killed at Etna Mills Cal., by a snowslide.

George Endriss a wealthy stockman of Galena, Ill., was thrown from his carriage and instantly killed.

Gygnet, an old town in Ohio, was visited by flames, and a block of business houses was completely destroyed.

Officers of the Lansing Lumber Company place their loss by the fire at Dodge, Mich., at $170,000.

Tobias Bossert, an old man was thrown from his buggy at Omaha and killed. He had been drinking.

At Atchison, Kas., the Missouri River is cutting a new channel, endangering property valued at $1,500,000.

Joseph Brunk was dangerously injured by being caught in the machinery of his flour mill at Kewanna, Ind.

At Elwood, Ind., a 3-year old daughter of Dr. Coxe had both legs cut off by an electric car. She cannot recover.

The boiler of a saw mill exploded at Dresden, Ont., and Engineer Cornell and his three children were killed.

A. Hawkins, a contractor at Brazil, Ind., was buried under a mass of rock which had been blasted out, and probably fatally injured.

The 2-year old son of E. B. Shepherd, of Columbus, Ohio, ate concentrated lye and will probably die from the effects.

Antone Turk, an Austrian about 35 years old, blew out the gas in the St. Nicholas Hotel in Joliet, Ill., and was asphyxiated.

Isaac Brown, of Rockton, Ill., while lying in jail intoxicated set fire to his mattress, but was rescued before being burned, though nearly suffocated.

Mrs. S. D. Coffey, of Brazil, Ind., wife of Judge Coffey, of the Indiana supreme court, was thrown from her carriage in a runaway and it is feared she was injured internally.

The 10-year old daughter of Capt. W. J. Swain, ex-state comptroller of Texas perished in a fire which destroyed his house at Henrietta, Texas. Capt. Swain was also severely burned.

Criminal Doings.

Fred Amthor, a butcher, lost his money in a poker game at Indianapolis and committed suicide.

An investigation at Cleveland, Ohio, shows that Assistant Fire Chief Speddy sold his influence to city contractors.

A. R. Beal tried to kill his wife and himself at Dubuque, Iowa, because the woman had left him.

J. A. Gunn and John Hill had a duel at Calera, Ala., Gunn being fatally hurt.

West Boothe, a negro boy, was shot fifteen times during a quarrel at Longoven, Tex. Boothe will die.

Burglars robbed the safe of the postoffice at Patoka, Ill., and secured $150 in cash and $130 in stamps.

John H. Hiler, charged at Peoria with bigamy, has been locked up in the county jail in default of $1,000 bail.

Ex-Deputy Collector Walter P. Shaw was found on trial at Louisville for violating civil service rules.

John Carroll, who held up a man in an Indianapolis street in broad daylight, was captured by a citizen after a two-mile chase.

Andrew Saur, cashier of the defunct Defiance Savings Bank, of Defiance, Ohio, has been arrested on a charge of embezzling $37,000.

Edward K. Sturgis, of Spokane, Washington, ended his life, by wading into the river and sending a bullet into his brain.

Incendiary fires have destroyed five barns and a livery stable at Fort Dodge, Iowa, in two weeks and over thirty horses were burned to death.

A Southern Pacific Railroad freight train was boarded at Marfa, Texas, by thirty tramps, who refused to get off, and the sheriff arrested the entire lot.

Frank Williams, of Newkirk, Arkansas was shot and killed by an unknown enemy, who shot him through an open window.

Ex-Coroner William Danlsburg, of Rochester, N. Y., tried to commit suicide by turning on the gas in his room and will probably die.

Unemployed workingmen who have been subsisting on the charity of San Antonio, Texas captured a Southern Pacific freight train and left for California.

Randall Smith agent for the Hammond Publishing Company of Chicago, was fined $50 at Carrollton, Ill., for impersonating an officer while collecting for atlases.

Ernst Woyt committed suicide with poison in his upholstering establishment at Kansas City Mo. He left a note to his wife and daughter, saying desperation had driven him to the act.

John Rodgers, a farmer who is alleged to have robbed a neighbor's residence, was shot dead by members of the Mulberry Detective Association near Frankfort, Ind. The assassins form an amateur detective association.

Henry Harding of Tunkhannock, Pa., a prominent and wealthy lawyer, left two weeks ago for a Grand Army encampment at Philadelphia, and has not been heard from since. No reason for his disappearance is known and foul play is feared.

Foreign Gossip.

Da Gama, the Brazilian insurgent, notifies President Peixoto that he will surrender if guaranteed protection.

The report that the crew of the yacht Natalie was shot by Haitien soldiers is untrue.

English troops have taken possession of Bluefields Nicaragua. The native troops have withdrawn. Collisions have occurred.

Premier Senor Sagasta has completed the reconstruction of the Spanish cabinet. The ministers of war, justice, foreign affairs and marine are not changed, but Senor Salvador takes the place of Senor German Gamazo, resigned, as minister of finance.

Chancellor von Caprivi submitted to the bundesrath a proposal for the coinage of 11,000,000 marks in five-mark pieces; 7,000,000 marks in two-mark pieces, and 4,000,000 in one-mark pieces. The proposition was made as a result of the increased demand for such coins, and from the fact that the silver coinage has fallen 22,000,000 marks below the authorized limit.

The joint action for slander of Finance Minister Miquel and Chancellor von Caprivi against writer Plack, Bookseller Dewald and a public speaker of the name of Schweinhagen began. The first two issued a book entitled: "Pharisees and Hypocrites," in which were produced the charges of Rector Ahlwardt. Schweinhagen vilified the ministers in speeches at various meetings. He declared that Herr Miquel had been guilty of a criminal transaction in connection with the Roumanian loan. The prisoners upheld their assertions.

Miscellaneous Items.

The woman suffrage bill was defeated in the Ohio assembly.

Both houses of the Ohio legislature passed the biennial session resolution.

Fifteen girl students of Vassar have joined the Salvation Army.

Elias D. Lefevre fell dead in his barn at Sterling, Ill.

Superstitious Poles of Nanticoke, Pa., suspect a neighbor woman of being a witch and have threatened to kill her.

The Republican League of Kansas has been called to meet in Topeka, April 5.

The Pittsburg school row is settled unexpectedly by the nuns withdrawing as teachers.

The will of Rufus S. Frost of Chelsea, Mass., bequeaths $33,000 to schools and libraries.

Walter Wellman and the American members of his Arctic expedition sailed from New York on the Britannic.

A fatal boxing match caused the police to forbid boxing at the Athletic club in Chicago.

A syndicate of eastern men has secured the natural and artificial gas plants of Lafayette, Ind., for $840,000.

In Festival Hall, at the Midwinter Fair, the teachers' congress, the first of a series was largely attended.

The Charleston, W. Va., Gazette has made a ninety-year contract with the Associated Press.

The war between the Moore and Gregg factions at Enid, Okla., is to be settled by arbitration.

Emerson McMillan was awarded $25,000 damages in a suit against the Big Four road for injuries resulting from a railroad wreck.

Rev. Edward Averill was ordained an Episcopal priest at Fairbury, Ill. Many churchmen from other places took part.

The New York senate passed a bill making minor grades of hazing misdemeanors, and the inflicting of physical injuries felonious.

Citizens of Greenwood, Ind., have boycotted a saloon-keeper so thoroughly that he cannot buy food, raiment or water.

It is said that about 10,000 Canadian Knights of Labor, dissatisfied with Sovereign, may secede from the organization.

Fifth Avenue theatre, in New York, was crowded with people who attended the George W. Childs memorial services.

The federal grand jury at Macon, Ga. recommends that there be a government prison built on property near Augusta.

Arnt Olson called Judge Woods a liar in court at Sioux City, Iowa. The Judge knocked the man down with a cane.

A story that Actor M. B. Curtis confessed the killing of Policeman Grant at San Francisco is denied by his attorney.

Navigation on the Mississippi was opened by the arrival of a steamer at Dubuque, Iowa. This is several weeks in advance of the season.

Carl Hensel, a Grand Rapids, Mich., drug clerk, died, probably from the effects of an experimental dose of some medicine.

A property man who was secretly married to actress Phyllis Rankin, was discharged on the knowledge reaching Sidney Drew.

The Rev. Father Ryan, vicar-general of Dubuque, Iowa, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination as a priest.

Over fifty horses, including stock on one farm valued at $12,000, have been killed and cremated in Arizona, because they were affected with glanders.

The Arizona encampment, G. A. R. closed a three days' session, at which C. D. Bolden was elected department commander and J. G. Savage national encampment delegate.

The state convention of the "National Party for the Abolition of the Drink Traffic" met in Pittsburg, Pa., with fourteen delegates, eight of whom were women.

Judge E. W. Cunningham has gone from Emporia, Kan., to the state soldiers' home at Fort Dodge to investigate charges that the contractor has been supplying the home with diseased beef.

Capt. David Coull, of the steamer Castilian Prince, reports seeing a water spout of great size off Hatteras coast.

Trouble over the expenditure of city funds at South Enid, Okla., has reached a stage where bloodshed is feared.

In the Thirteenth congressional district of Illinois Maj. Warner, Col. Charles Bogardus and James Francis M. Wright have declined to become candidates, leaving a clear field to Congressman B. F. Funk.

Ex-State Bank Examiner Holman has become a candidate for congress in the Tenth Indiana district. The other candidates are William Johnson of Valparaiso, Capt. Swigert of Logansport and Charles Landis of Delphi.

Contagion.

It was lodge night and they felt a sweet sense of security as they sat in the parlor and burned $9 coal.

"Dearest," he remarked, "after what has passed between us—"

She interrupted him with a gesture of deprecation.

"My love," she said gently, "I pray you don't speak of it, and, moreover, I cannot be absolutely sure that I caught the measles from you, after all."

MINNESOTA IN BRIEF

INTERESTING EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN MINNESOTA.

Important Occurrences in the North Star State Day by Day—A General Resume of the Week's Doings Arranged for Rapid Reading.

Wednesday, March 14.

A young man named Thomas Moran has been arrested at Red Wing charged with criminal assault on Agnes Boyle of Pelle Creek.

The clothing store of John Birch of Litchfield was entered by burglars and clothing to the amount of $100 taken.

Aug. Froelich made a deliberate attempt at suicide at Stillwater by throwing himself in front of a passenger train at Midvale station, on the Omaha. He was severely bruised about the head, but will recover.

The Glenwood Bottling Works owned by the late Alexander Marion, has been sold to George W. Thacker and J. L. Crump of Glenwood. They propose to enlarge the plant and do business on a much larger scale than heretofore.

Miss Floy C. Williams, daughter of a well-to-do farmer near St. Cloud, has eloped with Ed A. Moore, formerly of St. Cloud, but now of Eau Claire. Her parents were opposed to the match, so Moore came from Eau Claire secretly and spirited her away. The parents are very angry.

Much inconvenience is experienced by business interests in Faribault on account of the discontinuance of the train on the Iowa and Minnesota division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, which formerly left the Twin Cities in time to arrive there at 9:30 p. m.

Thursday, March 15.

A legal entanglement arises in Minneapolis which may result in the Floyd brothers gaining their freedom.

Dunn & Marcin's mill at Rock Creek commenced cutting a few days ago. They have 5,000,000 feet to saw this season.

The Southern Minnesota Fair association has decided upon Sept. 3 to 8 as the dates for holding the Southern Minnesota fair this fall. A. T. Stebbins was elected president of the association.

The Commercial house, of Redwood Falls was leased by A. A. Van Winkle of Faribault, who has taken possession. Mr. Van Winkle was formerly proprietor of the Brunswick at Faribault.

The trial of John Weller at Little Falls, the supposed murderer of Albert Koeneke, has been continued to April 24 on account of the disappearance of Ben Lezart, a witness for the state.

A largely attended mass meeting of citizens was held at the opera house at Litchfield for the purpose of discussing the license question, which is to be voted on at the city election April 2. The battle is going to be a hot one, as the forces are very evenly divided.

Friday, March 16.

Fred Welso of Redwood Falls is charged with bigamy.

The local committee make arrangements for the National Prison Reform association convention in St. Paul.

The initial copy of the Prohibition paper, the Hammer, has made its appearance at Willmar, with Prof. Hillebo as editor. An affidavit of one of the detectives, published therein, is one of the leading features, giving a long list of names of individuals, when and where they drank.

At the meeting of the Hastings Republican club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. A. Whiteford; secretary, J. A. Jelly; treasurer, F. E. Estergreen; executive committee, F. J. Colby, A. E. Rich, Vanransler Shepherd, Nels Erickson, J. C. Hartin; delegates to state league, E. A. Whiteford, J. A. Jelly, M. H. Sullivan, Nehemiah Martin, W. C. King.

Saturday, March 17.

A Bohemian farmer by the name of John Barnz, committed suicide by shooting himself on account of domestic troubles. His home is at Rush Creek, about fifteen miles from Winona.

Sheriff Maher telegraphs John Birch at Litchfield that he as captured one of the men who burglarized the latter's store and Birch went to Buffalo, Wright county, to identify the clothing.

Work on the construction of the new bridge across the river at Little Falls will be begun at once, the Pine Tree Lumber Company have the construction of it in hand.

The reformers carried the day in the village election at Royalton. The voters there declare themselves opposed to license by a majority of 13 and elected a corps of officers from their best business men.

Rev. James Chamberlain, of Owatonna, who was called to take the position of pastor of the Congregational Church at Faribault has decided not to accept the call, preferring to remain in Owatonna.

Judge Searle adjourned court at Little Falls until April 24, when a special term will be held for the purpose of hearing the Welter trial. Witnesses in this case are not all to be found and has brought about the postponement.

Arrangements are now completed for a new bank at St. James, which will be known as the Citizens' bank. At first it will be a private institution, but within a year it is the intention to incorporate into a state or national bank. The officers will be as follows: T. K. Haugen, president; Hans Olson, vice president; H. M. Serklund, cashier.

The opera house block at Winnebago City which was constructed twenty years ago, fell with a great crash. Fortunately no one was hurt. The building was valued at $16,000. The south part will be repaired and the ground store rooms be made tenantable.

Sunday, March 18.

Active work was begun at Duluth on the new board of trade building, which is to be located on First street and Third avenue west.

George Diehl, a carpenter working at the Imperial mill, Duluth is missing, and is supposed to have been drowned. He leaves a wife and four children.

Frank and Lou Floyd, the accomplices of bank embezzler Scheig, are sentenced in Minneapolis to five years in the penitentiary.

William Canfield, aged fifty-two, a resident of Minnesota since 1855, died at Little Falls of jaundice. He was a corporal in Company C, Tenth Minnesota.

The three hundred-barrel flour mill at Osakis, the property of the Osakis Milling company, George Tileston, of this city, president, burned to the ground. The loss is $20,000; insurance, mostly in millers' mutual companies, $17,500.

The Rochester city council has voted to accept the electric light plant which the Western Electric company, of Chicago, has just finished putting in. A test trial of the plant has already been made and has proven satisfactory. The cost of the system is $21,500 and of this $10,000 has been paid the company down, while the balance will be paid during the war.

Monday, March 19.

Mrs. Mary Louise Quinn, one of the oldest residents in Minnesota, died at St. Paul at the age of ninety-five years.

The grocery business of B. F. Collins at St. Peter was purchased by A. R. Davis and A. Lundeen.

The "degree" contest held between the Blue Earth City and Amboy Odd Fellow lodges at Winnebago City, was won by Amboy.

A. Kuckenbecker, of Kuckenbecker & Blon, butchers, suddenly left Owatonna for parts unknown. He bade his wife and children a loving goodbye and said he never would see them again. His business is badly mixed. He is treasurer of the A. O. U. W., and the accounts are all short. Officials are on the lookout.

A man named Bower of Minneapolis came to St. Cloud to look for his wife, who had left her home in Minneapolis some time ago to visit her mother at Great Falls. The husband learned lately that she was in St. Cloud in a house of prostitution, and with an officer made the rounds, and finally located her with a Mrs. Vaugn. She at first refused to go, but, being forced, left with her husband for home.

While the fast stock train on the Chicago Great Western stopped at Taopi the other evening two tramps were seen attempting to unfasten the seal of one of the cars. The conductor, Mike Koop, attempted to drive them away, when one of the men drew a revolver and shot at Koop, the ball striking a rib on the left side, just under the heart. The tramps then fled, but were pursued by a posse of citizens and trainmen and soon captured. They gave their names as J. S. Miller of Pittsburg and P. F. O'Brien of St. Paul. Sheriff Millson went down afterward and brought them back to Austin and lodged them in jail.

Tuesday, March 20.

A new rifle range will probably be constructed at Fort Snelling.

T. G. Brown, special agent of the Sioux Falls Co-Operative Savings and Loan association, is now in Echo for the purpose of establishing a branch office there.

The tramp who attempted to criminally assault Miss Alma Johnson at Aitkin was caught asleep in the woods near Kimberly by two of the sheriff's posse. He is a Bavarian named John Fisher. All danger of lynching is thought to be averted.

A PARIS SWINDLE.

Selling a Hotel Full of Sham Guests, Along With a Well-Watered Wine Cellar.

A married couple from the country, desirous of keeping a small hotel or lodging house in Paris, were recently deceived in a scandalous manner by a man and woman said to be of foreign origin. The country people, enticed by the description given in an advertisement of a hotel in the Luxembourg district—the proprietors of which wanted to retire from business—came up to Paris in order to inspect the establishment. They were received in a most courteous manner by the landlord and his reputed wife, who conducted them round the hotel, pointed out that every room was occupied, and then showed them a well stocked wine cellar. Furthermore the lodgers seemed to be bibulous persons, for they were continually giving orders for Burgundy and Bordeaux while one lady, occupying room No. 8, on the first floor, and said to be very rich, appeared to have an insatiable thirst, which caused her to quaff frequently magnums of champagne. All this promised well, and the hotel seemed to be a sound investment, and to bring in prompt returns, the country people gave £80 to the outgoing proprietors on the spot. The remainder of the purchase money was paid by means of short-dated bills. Having received the cash the vendors departed, leaving an address. Next day the bibulous lodgers also vanished, including the rich lady with the permanent thirst, which could only be allayed by "bottled sunshine from Epernay or Ay." The new landlord and landlady thus found themselves without lodgers and fearful suspicions arising in their minds they went down to the wine cellars. There a new surprise awaited them! The bottles of champagne, Burgundy and Bordeaux, which they had not examined in their haste to come to terms, were full of water! The victims of deception rushed to the address of their predecessors, but the swindlers were unknown there. Later on they met a waiter who had formerly been in the hotel, and who told them that the place had only been hired a few weeks before their arrival by the persons who duped them. The case was then placed in the hands of the police, who have since arrested the swindlers.—London Telegram.

Basic Slag as a Manure.

Metallurgy is becoming one of the most efficient producers of manure in the world. Twenty years ago thousands of tons of phosphoric acid were wasted in the production of cast iron, but the basic process has changed all this, and the apparatus attached to the furnaces for the recovery of the ammonia from the furnace gases furnish a new and important source of sulphate of ammonia for use as manure. Another very new valuable manure is basic slag. It would seem that the British farmer, notwithstanding his present doleful dumps, would rather have small crops than be weaned from the methods of his forefathers, and the lofty way in which he has declined to recognize the unquestioned value of basic slag has deprived him of a good deal of the sympathy that misfortune usually induces. The German agriculturists, on the contrary, are keeping alive to the importance of the slag, especially upon land devoted to potatoes and such like crops. Contracts have been concluded with the steel makers of the Black Forest district for 10,000 tons of slag for Germany during the present year, and satisfactory freightage rates have been conceded by the carrying companies for the transmission of the material to its intended destination.

The Honest Dentist.

"Harry, dear, I found an honest dentist to-day," said Mrs. Cumso to her husband.

"You don't say," tell me about this wonderful freak of nature!"

"Well, he examined my teeth and said they didn't need anything done to them."

"What did he charge you for that?"

"Only five dollars, when he might have worked all day, and charged me ten or fifteen. Don't that show he was honest, dear?"

"No; it shows he was lazy."

It Was Too Great.

"I'll not stand your abuse any longer, sir," thundered an irate judge who had been violently criticised in his rulings by a junior counsel. "You are fined $50 for contempt of court."

"If you want to find me for it," was the attorney's reply, "$50 won't come anywhere near covering it."—Town Topics.

A Pressing Engagement.

Young Husband—I think I shall have to go out to-night, my dear. I have an appointment.

Young Wife—Oh, Tom, what is it?

Young Husband—An appointment with my tailor, love. He is to call here to-night to collect his bill.—Life.

The internal temperature of trees has been observed for some time past by M. Prinz of Uccle, in Belgium, who finds their mean annual temperature at the heart of the trunk the same as that of the air, but the mean monthly temperature of the trees sometimes differs from the latter by 2 or 3 deg. centigrade.

Chicago butchers have been serving horse meat to their customers as prime beef, and several of them have been arrested. They can only be punished for a misdemeanor, however, for there is no law which forbids the selling or cutting of horseflesh. The only statute that can cover the case is that relating to the sale of one article as an entirely different one, for which the punishment is merely nominal.

Prince Colonna, the profligate husband of Millionaire Mackay's daughter, wanted to challenge an American editor for exposing his nefarious conduct towards his wife, but was dissuaded by a friend, who evidently knew the stuff that American editors are made of. But for this fact the princess would now be a widow.

It is believed that whales often attain the age of 400 years. The number of years these huge creatures have lived is ascertained by counting the layers of laminae forming the horny substance known as "whalebone." These laminae increase yearly, just as the "growths" do on a tree.

WORK OF CONGRESS.

RESUME OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

Condensed Record of the Important Transactions of Our National Lawmakers—The Work Done in Both Branches.

Washington, March 15.—The test vote which was to be taken to-day on the seigniorage bill—the vote on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed the third reading—had the effect of attracting a large attendance to the gallery. The senate early took up the consideration of the bill, and Mr. Teller of Colorado and Mr. George of Mississippi spoke in favor of its passage, the former criticising severely some statements made by Senator Sherman in his recent speech against the bill. Before Mr. George had concluded his remarks the hour for a vote arrived and Mr. Harris insisted upon the vote being then taken on Mr. Allison's motion, with the result that it was defeated by 28 to 45. It is expected that the bill will pass by about the same vote tomorrow. Mr. Manderson moved then to commit the bill to the finance committee, and this motion was also defeated by a vote of 27 to 44. The vote in detail is as follows on Mr. Allison's motion:

Ayes—Aldrich, Allison, Brice, Caffery, Carey, Chandler, Cullom, Davis, Frye, Gallinger, Hale, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mitchell (Wis.), Morrill, Palmer, Proctor, Quay, Smith, Stockbridge, Vilas, Wilson, Washburn—28.

Nays—Allen, Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Blanchard, Butler, Call, Camden, Cockrell, Coke, Colquitt, Daniel, Dubois, Faulkner, Gibson, Gordon, Hansbrough, Harris, Hill, Irby, Jones (Ark.), Kyle, Lindsay, Martin, Mills, Mitchell (Or.), Morgan, Murphy, Pasco, Peffer, Perkins, Pettigrew, Power, Pugh, Ransom, Roach, Shoup, Squire, Stewart, Teller, Turpie, Vest Voorhees, White, Wolcott—45.

The house is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill. To-day forty pages of the bill were disposed of making in all eighty-three in two days, and leaving sixteen pages more exclusive of two paragraphs, those relating to the coast and geodetic surveys and the Missouri river commission, which were passed over temporarily. No amendments of importance were adopted to-day although the Northwestern members made a vigorous effort to increase the amount for the survey of public lands. The appropriation for the geological survey which usually encounters bitter opposition, to-day passed unchallenged, the amount appropriated being $414,000.

Washington, March 16.—The seigniorage bill has passed the senate 44 to 31. The following is the detailed vote:

Yeas—Allen, Bate, Berry Blackburn, Blanchard, Butler, Call, Cockrell, Coke, Colquitt, Daniel, Dubois, Faulkner, George, Gordon, Hansbrough, Harris, Hunton, Irby, Jones (Ark.), Kyle, Lindsay, McLaurin, Martin, Mills, Mitchell (Or.), Morgan, Pasco, Peffer, Perkins, Pettigrew, Power, Pugh, Quay, Turpie, Vest, Voorhees, White, Walcott—44.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Brice, Caffery, Carey, Chandler, Cullom, Davis, Dolph, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Hale, Hawley, Higgins, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mitchell (Wis.), Morrill, Murphy, Palmer, Platt, Proctor, Smith, Stockbridge, Vilas, Washburn, Wilson—31.

Friends of the bill say President Cleveland will sign it, while others claim that it will be vetoed.

The senate also passed the bill to amend an act authorizing the construction of a high wagon bridge over the Missouri river at Sioux City. The amendment extends the time for the construction of the bridge until March 2, 1896. A charter was also granted the Iowa & Nebraska Pontoon Bridge company, authorizing it to build a bridge across the Missouri river near Sioux City, Iowa, and to after an executive session of thirty-five minutes the senate took the adjourned a bill granting to the Duluth & Winnipeg Railroad company a right of way through the Chippewa and White Earth Indian reservations in Minnesota. Bills to extend the time for completing a bridge across the Missouri river between Kansas City and the town of Sibley, Mo., and granting right of way to the Duluth & Manitoba Railroad company across the Fort Pembina reservation in North Dakota were passed, and the senate adjourned until Monday.

Washington, March 19.—The house today resumed consideration of the sundry civil bill. When this is disposed of, which will probably be done to-night, the house will take up the four contested election cases which are pending — the O'Neil-Joy case from the Tenth Missouri district; the Williams-Settle case, from the Fifth North Carolina; the English-Hilborn case, from the Third California, and the Whatley-Cobb case from the Fifth Alabama. The O'Neil-Joy and English-Hilborn cases, which were both decided against the sitting members (Republicans) by a strict party vote in the committee on elections, are the most important and will require the major portion of the time.

The senate devoted itself to routine business of no general interest. It is probable that the fortifications appropriation bill will be reported from the committee, and if it should be, an effort will be made to take up the discussion and put it upon its passage. For the rest, there will be an effort to dispose of the government printing site, the Russian thistle appropriation and the McGarrahan bill, and of a large number of special bills on the calendar.

Washington, March 21.—The sundry civil appropriation bill was passed by the house without division. The amendments to the appropriation for the general land office, amending the provision of the act of 1891 repealing the timber culture and pre-emption act, which was adopted in the committee at the suggestion of Mr. Holman, and which was bitterly opposed by the Western members, was defeated in the house. The clauses which sought to require an accounting by the disbursing officers of soldiers' homes to the treasury department, and annual reports by the boards to the secretary of war, failed, as did Mr. Black's point of order. The bill as passed carries $217,000 more than it did when reported from the committee on appropriations.

The tariff bill was to-day fairly launched on its way in the senate, Mr. Voorhees, the chairman of the finance committee, reporting it to the senate, and giving notice that on April 3 he will take it up for consideration. The rest of the day was taken up by Senator George of Mississippi in a discussion of the legal aspects of the Hawaiian question, defending the action of the president. There is but little interest manifested in the proceedings, and there was a very slim attendance in the galleries, while the Republican side was almost deserted. Several unimportant bills were passed in the afternoon, and after a brief executive session the senate adjourned.

GOV. RICH SUSTAINED.

His Action Is Approved by the Michigan Supreme Court.

Lansing, Mich., March 21.—The supreme court this morning rendered a decision sustaining Gov. Rich in removing Secretary of State Joachim, State Treasurer Hambitzer and Land Commissioner Berry for gross negligence in failing personally to canvass the returns of the amendment election of 1893. They hold that it was within the power of the governor to remove such officials under the constitution, and that he has power to determine as to the facts. A judgment of ouster is entered. As soon as the decision was read, Col. Atkinson, for the canvassers, announced that he would appeal the case to the United States supreme court and asked for a stay of proceedings. Chief Justice McGrath refused the stay, saying the point could be determined just as well if the ouster went into effect immediately. The cause took the removal of the officials by permitting the manipulation of the returns of 1893, whereby their salaries and that of the attorney general were largely increased. All of the above officials and several clerks have been indicted by the grand jury on various charges of fraud.

ITALIANS INJURED.

A Mob at Altoona, Pa., Attacks Italian Workmen.

Altoona, Pa., March 21.—A mob of 300 men and boys went out to the edge of the city yesterday, where twenty-five Italian laborers were at work, and with sticks, stones and pistols drove them into the woods. One of the victims was seriously wounded in the neck by a pistol bullet; another was so badly beaten that he may die, and several others were seriously hurt. The men attacked were brought here yesterday by a Philadelphia contractor, and put to work on a new electric railway to be built from this city to Bellwood. Repairing to this city, the mob repaired to the Italian quarter and notified the residents of that portion of the city that they must leave at once. A large number of them have already obeyed the order, and men are guarding. Mayor Heress and Sheriff Hughes called the mob together and begged them not to go any further in the matter, and promises were made that all the Italians would be discharged and none but resident labor be employed on the new road. This had the effect of quieting them somewhat, but there is still a very ugly feeling among them.

NOW IN THE SENATE

TARIFF BILL REPORTED FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Consideration of the Measure Will Begin April 2—Important Changes Are Made by the Committee Before Reporting the Bill.

Washington, March 21.—The Wilson tariff bill, as amended by the senate finance committee, has been reported to the senate by Chairman Voorhees. In reporting the bill, Chairman Voorhees gave notice that it would be called up in the senate on Monday, April 2.

The provisions abrogating the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty are struck from the revised bill and a specific declaration is inserted repealing the reciprocity treaties negotiated under the McKinley act. Other changes made in the revised bill from the bill as agreed upon by the subcommittee, are as follows:

Glycerine is changed back to the rates fixed in the house bill, which are 1 cent per pound for the crude and 3 cents for refined, instead of 20 per cent ad valorem, in the senate subcommittee bill; licorice, 15 per cent ad valorem instead of 25 per cent ad valorem in the senate subcommittee bill, and 5 cents per pound in the Wilson bill; blues containing ferocyanide of iron are restored to the Wilson bill rate, which is 6 cents per pound, instead of 20 per cent ad valorem in the senate subcommittee rate; lime is placed at 15 per cent ad valorem, instead of 20 per cent in the senate subcommittee bill, and 10 per cent in the Wilson bill, and the duty is made to include the value of the covering or barrels; plaster of paris, which was not changed in the Wilson rate of 10 per cent ad valorem on the ground article, is to pay a duty of $1 per ton; calcined plaster of paris, $1.25 per ton, instead of 15 per cent ad valorem in the Wilson bill; cast polished plate glass, finished or unfinished, and unsilvered, not exceeding 24x60 inches square, 20 cents per square foot, instead of 18 cents in the Wilson bill; all above the dimension given, 35 cents per square foot, instead of 30 cents as in the Wilson bill; all sheets of iron or steel, common or black, thinner than No. 25 wire gauge, and black taggers, iron or steel, pickled or cleaned, is changed from 9-10 of 1 cent per pound to 3-4 of 1 cent per pound, and the provisions which have been held for the tin plate and which was stricken out of the original bill, that the tariff shall take effect after Oct. 1, 1894, is restored; tin plate, terne plate and taggers tin, 1 cent per pound, instead of 1 1-5 cents as in the Wilson bill, the senate subcommittee not having before changed from the Wilson bill in this paragraph the subcommittee provision that the rate shall take effect after Oct. 1, 1894, is restored; cast iron pipe of every description, 22 1-2 per cent ad valorem, instead of 25 per cent in the Wilson bill and 20 per cent in the senate subcommittee bill; crosscut saws, mill pit and draw saws, 15 per cent ad valorem, instead of 25 per cent, the Wilson bill rate; aluminum in crude form, 15 per cent ad valorem, instead of 25 per cent, the Wilson bill rate. The leads and lead ore duties are left unchanged and iron ore duties as in the senate subcommittee rates, as are the iron ore and coal duties.

An increase is made in duty on shirts to 50 per cent. Tariff in playing cards is left as in the Wilson bill. The provision for a 20 per cent duty on pineapples and bananas is struck out. Cocoanuts, brown straps and horn tips are restored to the free list. In internal revenue the tax on cigars and cigarettes is made as in the present law.

The provision in the income tax amendment relating to a tax on building and loan associations, which was exempted by the house and stricken out when the senate subcommittee reported the bill has been restored with the proviso that the tax shall not be levied upon those institutions which make no loans except to stockholders for the purpose of enabling them to build homes.

Clauses are inserted in the bill defining more strictly who are manufacturers of and dealers in tobacco.

The language of the bill repealing the McKinley act has been modified to a considerable extent. The house bill provided for the repeal of "all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith."

The senate committee bill, when first reported, struck out that language and named the McKinley bill by title and repealed it, together with its parts inconsistent with the present bill. The bill reported to-day provides specifically for the repeal of section 3 of the McKinley act, the reciprocity section, and inserts the following, abrogating the treaties made by this section:

"All agreements or arrangements made or proclaimed between the United States and foreign governments, under the provisions of said section are hereby abrogated, of which the president shall give such notice to the authorities of said foreign governments as may be required by the terms of such agreement or arrangements."

Sections 15 and 16, of the McKinley law, are repealed specifically.

These sections provide that the producer of the forests upon the St. John and St. Croix rivers, in Maine, and their tributaries may be readmitted free of duty.

The section which was inserted in the bill by the senate subcommittee, regarding the Hawaiian treaty, has been eliminated from the bill, the effect being to leave the Hawaiian treaty in full effect and force.

Tramp Who Needs Hanging.

Bruce, Wis., March 21.—A tramp attempted rape on the 12-year-old daughter of D. Arrance last evening, about three miles from this city, entering the house while the parents were away, demanding supper and then making his brutal attempt. Officers are after him, and if he is caught it is feared he will be roughly dealt with.

Death of a Redwood Farmer.

Redwood Falls, Minn., March 21.—John March, a wealthy farmer residing near this city, died this morning of heart disease. Mr. March was 71 years old. He was born in Canada. He leaves a wife and two grown up children.

Maj. O. F. Hayes Dead.

Hastings, Minn., March 21.—Maj. O. F. Hayes, one of the survivors of the old First Minnesota regiment of the late rebellion, died from diabetes to-day. He was 60 years of age and a member of Dakota Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M.

Old Tickets Renominated.

Providence, R. I., March 21—The Democratic state convention met here to-day and nominated the ticket which they had in the field in 1892. The Republicans did the same a few days ago. The Democratic ticket is: Hon. David Baker for governor; Dalton E. Young for lieutenant governor; John J. Offerman for secretary of state; James A. Alrich for attorney general and John M. Penny for general treasurer. The platform commends the repeal of the Sherman coinage; the pending tariff legislation; the repeal of the federal election law and the conviction of Boss McKane.

Blind Pig Raid.

Glenwood, Wis., March 21.—A wholesale raid of blind pigs was made to-day. Ed Tuttle, John Schuster and Fred Auener were arrested, charged with selling liquor without a license. They furnished bail for appearance March 23, but the fight is in prospect between the liquor and no license elements.

THE POLLARD CASE

THE SENSATIONAL SUIT AGAINST BRECKINRIDGE.

Miss Pollard Takes the Stand and Relates the Story of Her Shame—She Testifies That Breckinridge Held Illicit Relations With Her After His Marriage.

Washington, Special.—The suit for breach of promise instituted by Miss Madeline Pollard against Congressman Breckinridge of Kentucky, which has been on trial for the past week, promises to be the most sensational in court annals since the famous Beecher-Tilton case. The time so far has been taken up with the selection of the jury, reading of depositions, and taking of evidence in support of Miss Pollard's claim that Mr. Breckinridge had promised to marry her. Friday Miss Pollard took the stand and commenced her story of how Breckinridge played on her affections and so completely gained control of her as to accomplish her ruin under promise of marriage. She also testified that Breckinridge was the father of four children born to her.

Washington, March 20.—Madeline Pollard faced her opponents on the witness stand to-day under a continuous fire of cross-questions, and the trial was like a play in which one actor is starred to the exclusion and belittlement of all accessories. Maj. Ben Butterworth, the ex-congressman from Ohio, played a minor part as the questioner, all the interest centering about the slender black-robed plaintiff in the case.

It was the most interesting day of the sensational trial, and it was made more so by the masterful display of the intellectual resources of Miss Pollard, and the telling replies which flashed forth at every turn of the plot as the lawyers followed up every possible trail which might lead to admissions casting any sort of shadow on the life of the woman apart from those passages which had been identified with the career of the Kentucky congressman.

Miss Pollard told of the illicit relations which had existed between her and Col. Breckinridge for many years. She said they continued until May 17, 1893. This produced a sensation, as Col. Breckinridge secretly married Mrs. Wing, his present wife, April 29, or nearly a month before his last visit to Miss Pollard. When Miss Pollard was asked how long she and the colonel remained at a certain assignation house in Washington she replied: "Two or three hours, wasn't it, Mr. Breckinridge?" at the same time looking directly at the defendant. This caused a general laugh which the judge rebuked. The witness said that Col. Breckinridge compelled her to give one of the children away. At one time during the examination Miss Pollard wept and was on the verge of fainting. Once during the testimony she declared that justice would be done, and "these men (looking at the jury) will see that it is done."

Washington, March 21.—The cross-examination of Miss Pollard was resumed to-day. A letter was handed to the plaintiff, which she said had been written by her to her protector, Mr. Rhodes. After looking at it she inquired why the heading had been torn off, Mr. Butterworth replying that he did not know, and her lawyers cautioning her that it was not her place to ask questions. Mr. Butterworth read the letter to the jury. It was dated Lexington, Nov. 20, 1884.

"Miss Hoyt has just asked me for the money for my board," it said. "Please, dear, get me that $40 before Saturday without fail. I know any one with as many friends as you can get it; you can come Saturday evening at 7 and stay until half-past 8. Be careful in talking and we can have a pleasant time. Put the money in an envelope and hand it to me at the door as you go. Yours truly, Madeline," was the signature. There was a reference in the letter to people who lived across the street whom she did not want to know or be made known to.

Another letter was presented to the plaintiff, scrutinized by her lawyers and read to the jury. "It was dated Nov. 27 and began "Dear Mr. Rhodes," and expressed worry at not receiving the money. Other letters of much the same character were read. One dated Feb. 9, 1885, spoke of her disappointment at not having received money, and told him not to come to see her unless he brought it. This was just before Miss Pollard was going away for the birth of her first child.

Among the letters were two dated at New Orleans and postmarked Toolesborough, Ky., in which the writer told Rhodes of her arrival in New Orleans, of the weather, and other inconsequential matters. Other letters, same dated at Cincinnati and others at Lexington, asked Rhodes for money, the sum varying from $10 to $40. Mr. Butterworth desired his questioning principally to the New Orleans letters, and the plaintiff frankly admitted that she had never been in that city.

"Mr. Breckinridge knows very well where I was at that time," she added.

"But I was not asking Mr. Breckinridge," Mr. Butterworth remonstrated. Her explanation when again asked was:

"Did your mother know where you were when you wrote those letters?"

"Mr. Breckinridge planned them all—dictated them to me. Some of them he wrote on the typewriter when I was in the asylum and not able to write, saying in explanation that I was learning the typewriter; some of them he wrote in advance and dated ahead. He would mail them on the cars or wherever they would not be postmarked."

She said that she received various sums from Mr. Rhodes.

During the examination counsel for Col. Breckinridge admitted the marriage in New York to Mrs. Wing, but objected to the word "secret."

Miss Pollard admitted that she threatened to shoot Col. Breckinridge in New York and he promised to marry her if she would not. The day after he was married to Mrs. Wing. She said people had sent her anonymous letters, telling of his relations with negro women. When Miss Pollard spoke about her dead baby she broke down and wept audibly. As she could not compose herself court adjourned.

Mrs. Eysbrood Will Live.

Frederick, S. D., March 21.—Mrs. L. Eysbrood, east of town, who took poison on Friday with the intent of taking her life, will recover.

The Industries.

Washington, Special.—The census bulletin on manufactures in the United States was made public to-day. The statistics are given for all classes of mechanical and manufacturing industries. The total number of manufacturing establishments in the United States is reported as 355,401 against 253,852, in 1880. The summary of totals given the following figures for 1890: Capital, $6,524,475,305; miscellaneous expenses, $630,944,058; aggregate of the average number of employments, 4,771,832; wages, $2,282,823,265; cost of materials used, $5,158,868,353; value of products, $9,370,107,624. The number of establishments and aggregate capital invested in Northwestern states is as follows: Iowa, 7,440, $77,513,097; Minnesota, 7,505, $127,686,618; Montana, 280, $4,203,794; North Dakota, 382, $2,864,553; South Dakota, 499, $3,207,796; Wisconsin, 10,417, $246,515,404.

Nova Scotia Elections To-Day.

Halifax, N. S., Special.—A general election is in progress throughout the province, the legislature having expired by limitation. The last general election was in 1890. The party headed by Premier W. S. Fielding, which has been successful in the last two general elections will again carry the province.

Robbery at Newport.

Decorah, Iowa, Special.—Burglars broke into the postoffice at Freeport last night, broke open the safe and took $700. Freeport is located about five miles from here, and is a town of 500 inhabitants. The postoffice is connected with a general store. Snyder Bros., the proprietors, tracked two men from the store to the Bridge on Water street, and there lost the trail. Snyder Bros. offered $200 for the capture of the parties.

Gold on the Lahn.

New York, Special.—The steamship Lahn, which arrived this morning, brings 225,000 francs gold consigned to this city.

KOSSUTH IS NO MORE.

The Hungarian Patriot Passes Away at a Ripe Old Age.

Turin, March 21.—Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, died here at 10 o'clock last night. He had been residing for the last twenty-five years at Turin, engaged in completing his biography. Lajor (Louis) Kossuth was born at Monok, in the county of Zemplin, Hungary, in 1802. His parents were poor, but of noble rank. Choosing the legal profession, Kossuth studied law at the Protestant college of Sarospatak. In April, 1848, at Debreczin, the national assembly declared the independence of Hungary and that the Hapsburg dynasty had forfeited the throne. Kossuth had urged that this radical measure be taken. It was followed by his being appointed provisional governor of Hungary. He was speedily beset with difficulties, being disappointed in his hopes for the intervention of the western powers and having to cope with a Russian army which had come to assist the Austrian cause. To put an end to dissensions between himself and Gorgei he resigned the dictatorship to his rival. The Hungarian patriots were defeated at Temesvar Aug. 9, 1849, and Kossuth fled into Turkey, where he was held a prisoner, but safe against both Austria and Russia. In September, 1851, he was liberated, and sailed in an American frigate to England. There he was received with the warmest evidences of admiration, as subsequently in America. He landed in America in December, 1851. His speeches aroused the greatest enthusiasm wherever he went. Kossuth returned to England in June, 1852. He resided in that country until the Italian war against Austria broke out. This led him and most of the other expatriated Hungarians to leave for Italy.

St. Paul, March 21.—Among the compositors employed on the Pioneer Press is William Waigli, whose father was Louis Kossuth's private secretary from 1848 to 1852, comprising the whole period of the Hungarian revolution and the sojourn of Kossuth in the United States. Mr. Waigli had full charge of all the patriot's affairs, correspondence, etc. He accompanied Kossuth upon his travels in this country, and when Kossuth returned to Europe he entrusted the Hungarian refugees in the United States to the care of Mr. Waigli, who took them to St. Louis. Mr. Waigli remained in this country and took up his abode in Milwaukee, where he died in 1870. His widow, who still lives in Milwaukee, has possession of many valuable papers left by Kossuth bearing upon the revolution in which he bore so prominent a part.

HIGH WATER.

The Ouachita River in Arkansas Breaks Its Record.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 21.—The high-water record of the Ouachita is broken. Rain has continued to fall almost incessantly all day, making the fifth day and night it has poured almost without ceasing. Every small mountain stream has been converted into a roaring river, while the Ouachita is raging, sweeping everything in its path. No trains have yet moved on the Hot Springs railroad, as the track is still under water to the depth of nearly eight feet at one point where it runs near the river. There is no telling when trains will move, as the river is still raging, and an old river man says it will continue to rise until 12 o'clock to-night. He says the river is now nine feet higher than it has been in forty years, and he is doubtless correct. The Gaines farm at Lawrence Station, on the Hot Springs railway, is under water, and the old Gaines residence, which has stood there for nearly fifty years, is inundated. Never before has the water been high enough to touch this house, so this is conclusive proof that the river is higher than it has been in fifty years. The ferryboats along the river have been swept away, and all farms in the bottoms have been swept of fencing and left as barren as a bald prairie.

THEY WILL NOW WED.

Finge of the Romantic in a Wisconsin Land Contest.

Eau Claire, Wis., March 21.—The final decision of the secretary of the interior in the land case of Francis L. Box and Jerry Dunnmon against Jessie M. Sinclair has been received. Box is knocked out because he went upon the land prior to the date of opening under the law, Dec. 20, 1890. It seldom there is a tinge of romance about a land office case. There is in this one. Miss Sinclair, whose home was at Durand, was a school teacher. Her affections had been gained by a worthy young man, whose home is not far from the Sinclair homestead in Pepin county. Both were poor. She determined to do her part in giving herself and her future husband a start, and with this purpose she settled on the land in question, a portion of the water reserve territory. The land she gets is worth about $4,500, having valuable pine on it. Friends of the young lady state the wedding will now take place in the near future. Hoke Smith's decision has settled that.

QUINCY HAS GOLD.

Reports of Valuable Ore Discoveries in Another Section of Minnesota.

Quincy, Minn., March 21.—While the Rainy Lake and Redwood Falls gold excitement is at its height another "find" is reported from an unexpected quarter. Jacob Mello, a small farmer living on the middle branch of the Whitewater river, who has recently secured title to a large tract of wild (and hitherto worthless) land comprising several thousand acres, known as "the pines," has made public the discovery of both "free gold" and an immense vein of gold-bearing quartz on this property. An old forty-niner, who has fully explored the property, pronounces the prospects equal to anything he had ever seen in the palmiest days of California mining. Operations for improving the mine will be commenced at once.

Heir to a Fortune.

Mooresfield, Ind., March 21.—It is currently reported that Miss Alice Hicks of Napoleon, Ripley county, a college student here has fallen heir to a fortune of $100,000. Her aunt in Texas willed her entire fortune to the young lady.

Russo-German Treaty.

Berlin, March 21.—The Russo-German commercial treaty ratifications were exchanged to-day at the foreign office, between Baron Marshall von Bieberstein, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, and Count Schouvaloff, the Russian ambassador.

Nickells Nabbed.

Minneapolis, Special.—A highly sensational finale to the Graham-Nickells series of episodes was sprung yesterday when Clint Nickells was arrested at the home of Mrs. Maud Davenport Graham, at Twenty-second street and Aldrich avenue south, on a charge of adultery preferred by the injured husband in the case, Willis H. Graham. The warrant was served upon the amorous Clint by Inspectors Morrissey and Courtney, who relate something of a sensational parting between the man and Mrs. Graham as Clint started for the police station. Mrs. Graham has just returned from Wahpeton, N. D., where she has instituted divorce proceedings against her husband. Mrs. Graham is the daughter of the late "Tony" Mason, as he was familiarly known at Kansas City. He was worth over $1,000,000, and lived in a castellated mansion in the swellest portion of the city. Maud was Mason's eldest daughter, and is said to have been a gay girl from her early days. She married Willis Graham in Kansas City in 1883. She inherited a big fortune from her father. Nickells, until the time of his going to Wahpeton, was a druggist at Kansas City, and is also said to have been a hummer. He was married to a highly respectable young lady of Kansas City, and is still so. It is told of Nickells that he has neglected her to give his attentions to Mrs. Graham.

Mello Has Fled.

New York, Special.—The Herald's Rio de Janeiro special says: Admiral Mello has just been seen in the streets of Montevideo. He has deserted his followers as Admiral da Gama deserted his officers and men on the harbor fleet. The insurgent sailors here will be pardoned. The officers will be court-martialed.

Scarlet Fever Epidemic.

Winnebago City, Minn., Special.—Scarlet fever has been prevalent in the vicinity for some time, not only in Winnebago City but in the surrounding towns. The schools and churches will be closed.

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The Terrible Celerity With Which the Guillotine Takes Human Life.

The striking thing about the execution of Vaillant was the appalling quickness of it all. Action was so rapid, says a writer in the New York World, between the instant he appeared in the doorway of the prison to the moment the knife fell that it was almost impossible to distinguish the slight details of incidents. He flung himself regularly against the plank, was strapped to it and in the flash of a glance the plank was pushed forward on the platform of the guillotine. An instant's vision of a recumbent figure, face downward, in the same moon of a head, with two staring, wide open eyes, which almost defied gravity, as it seemed, and with a slight zigzag movement, to the right ward, while simultaneously the plump body rolled in it, convulsive, into the capacious basket at the bottom of the frame of the guillotine. The swiftness, the mechanical promptness of the business fairly crippled the spectator's faculties. It is impossible to realize that a human life could end in less time than it would take to draw a full breath. The guillotine had done its work and Vaillant was a shriveled sense of horror in the sight. Twenty-four hours later no one could have associated Barbis with perhaps the most impressive vengeance society has ever taken upon the reverse. He March even festival was being kept as he Mardi Gras known since the beginning days of the republic, in spite of the London weather, as it is called, all Paris gayety was given over to French fun-making were unobtainable visible in every quarter. Pageants of needless idle folly streets in theatrical garb. The concert halls contributed a carnival immensely successful in merry making. Scores upon scores of high chariots, bedecked with every fanciful device known to stage management and crowned with the dedicated horns of the season, kept the population in spot mouth delight from early morning to midnight

Embroidering Flowers.

It is not the polisher alone who uses natural flowers for studies. They are also of great use to those who embroider them in their natural forms and colors. If this work is done perfectly it is well for one who has the least power to paint studies of flowers in water color to be used in the winter, and the same every flower study that she owns it across so that she may get the right shadings for buds, leaves, stems and blossoms. A handsome bang ing of crossed ribbon satin with a tinge of pink in it has across one side and the foot a band of rapid blossoms in which the colors selected for the embroidery have a very real effect. Wood brown is the color used for the stems, four shades of sage green for the leaves and white and pink for the leaves, while for the flowers that one wide deep cream white is used, with a faint tint on the edges, and a little deeper touch of pink on here and there a pistil. In the heart of the flower there is a little pale green and one faint touch of yellow pistils. Embroidery nowadays is so much used on art that shading has to be carefully studied, and it will be found as well for the novice to select conventional patterns, or, if a bird or flower conventional coloring, which may often be used with excellent effect.—New York Tribune.

Found a Red Hot Place.

"What on earth are you stopping here for with the weather at 11 below," asked the bright young man with a cigar stuck at the corner of Woodward avenue and Congress street, as his companion halted suddenly.

"Getting warm," said the tall man at the end of his sentence dropped down on the frozen pavement. "Say, you fellow," and a little deeper touch of pink on here and there a pistil. In the heart of the flower there is a little pale green and one faint touch of yellow pistils. Embroidery nowadays is so much used on art that shading has to be carefully studied, and it will be found as well for the novice to select conventional patterns, or, if a bird or flower conventional coloring, which may often be used with excellent effect.—New York Tribune.

Like Curses Like.

Biggs—I hear that your mother and mother-in-law are now visiting you. How do you get along between them? Diggs—Splendidly! They take up so much time fighting each other that they let my wife and me alone.—Hallo.

Lake Dickcissel is the most elevated and one of the largest of the lakes of North America. It forms part of the boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan, and empties into Aspen valley among the snowy outliers of the Andes. Dickcissel is upward of 7,000 feet above the level of the sea.

It Pays.

It pays to read the papers, especially now and then, for there often in them the very good business opportunities are brought to your attention. For instance, W. H. Johnson & Co. of Richmond, Va. are now advertising a different line of goods in each issue. We suggest that you look up their ad and write to their business. It might pay you to write to them.

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THE DENTISTRY OF TO-DAY.

Changes Since Washington had Teeth Carved from a Block of Ivory.

When we think reverently and admiringly of the father of our country, and of all the dangers he dared and the evils he encountered so as to get out to remount one of the hardest trials of his life; and that must have been the accomodation of his mouth to a set of teeth manufactured from ivory and taken from that mouth, and carved, it is said, from a whole block of ivory. When he had contrived to accomodate himself to the annoyance, the affair became to been a singular revelation that his smile made, and Lady Washington may have found something trying in the face opposite her of the greatest and grandest of men. What a marvel in comparison is the dentistry of to-day, that knows how to preserve the teeth indefinitely while that is bestand so to preserve the shape of the face and the delicate beauty of the lips and gums necessity can absolutely remove the bone, and put in its place the prepared rubber, so that the face shall be devoted and clamped, till a fair face is the envy of a queen, and what a difference in the teeth made to-day to supply deficiencies, so light, so useful, fitting so readily to the place, that the wearer most longs to see nature replaced and improved upon universally.

Yet in spite of the beautiful delicacy and regularity of the modern artificial teeth in general, a certain kind of effect is obtained when the teeth are not so perfect, and such an effect is due to a typical prototype. A little gold filling here, a wedge-like arrangement in the gap, a hint of overlapping, an atom or two of unevenness at the end, all these give the unlassdidance look, mischief and precise perfectness does. This, however, is a mere surface artifice for the unfascinance in giving individuality to the mouth. All and each of these little peculiarities are the result of unconsciousness of the person possessing them; they are the natural result of retaining points to the memory or the imagination And provided they be not too obtrusive, and the work be sufficiently wholesome looking otherwise they do not at all interfere with the charm of "sugared lips parted with sugar breath." It is with difficulty, indeed, that many of the teeth that give they are so in ugly and projecting shape, and the difficulty, and is never for and life of the countenance. A man whose beard largely hides his teeth can even more than a woman, have a great advantage, so far as teeth are spoken of, that a man's mirror of these teeth are not all they should be. But great is the marvel of dentistry and life-like and comfortable as artificial teeth can now be made, under skilful manipulation, and the wearer

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Local News Notes.

Carpet at D. M. Clark & Co's.

This is Good Friday and the banks are closed.

Revival services at the M. E. church all next week.

Paint brushes, a new stock, just in at C. B. White's.

John Nevers was a Little Falls visitor Wednesday.

Finest mixed sweet pea seed in bulk at Swartz Drug Store.

Miss Mary Hurley is visiting friends in Perham this week.

Buy your meats at C. A. Walker & Co.'s, the finest in the city.

Mrs Fannie Smith and daughter Elowise left for Minneapolis on Tuesday.

C. H. Paine has sold the stock of groceries in his store on 6th street to A McGinn.

Good native beef, fresh killed, at Lowest Prices in the city at C. A. Walker & Co's.

W. E. Everly, formerly of this city, has gone to Glyndon, where he will reside in the future.

Mrs. J. J. Howe, jr., came up on the noon train Wednesday, and is visiting with relatives in this city.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give a pink tea in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Tuesday, April 3rd.

The regular W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. parlors on Tuesday afternoon. All are invited.

Wm. Eisck has bought the cigar stock and fixtures of the tobacco store on Sixth street formerly owned by M. L. Swartz.

John A. Jackson, Waukesha, Wis., has been in the city for several days visiting old friends and attending to business matters.

Revival services at the M. E. Church all next week. Rev. Koch and Presiding Elder Shannon will assist. All are invited.

J. B. Galun and wife, of Sauk Rapids, were in the city Saturday, and Sunday visiting relatives. Mr. Galun is auditor of Benton county.

Master Edgar Demeules, son of A. J. Demeules, is in the city visiting relatives. He is a student in St. John's Seminary near St. Cloud.

Geo. Gardner is having the hall over his business block on Laurel street wired and will light it with electricity. Arc lights will be used.

On Friday evening next occurs the calico ball to be given by Brainerd Div. No. 7, U. R. K. P. Preparations are being made for a large attendance.

Miss Mary Campbell, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. P. Murphy, at Billings, Montana, for several months past, returned to Brainerd on Friday last.

Fred Davenport, Frank Smith and Francis Britton started for Rainy Lake via Aitkin, Grand Rapids and Tower, on Friday morning last. They will make the entire trip by team.

James Andrews, for many years a resident of Brainerd and an employe of the N. P. company, met with a severe accident at Madison, Wis., where he now lives, by which he loses his right hand at the wrist.

A formal grand opening of W. P. Buckley's sample room on Sixth street occurred last night at which time a very fine lunch was served and the guests were entertained with fine music. Mr. Buckly is the successor to M. Cullen & Co.

H. S. Totton, formerly of this city, but now of Minneapolis, is mentioned by the Globe as a prominent candidate for the appointment of deputy United States Marshal under J. Adam Bede. He has Maj. Baldwin's endorsement.

A car load of flasks and jugs was received by Geo. Gardner on Monday at his wholesale and retail liquor house, and he is now prepared to supply the trade in quantities to suit. The stock is complete and parties in need of goods in that line should get prices before ordering.

J. M. Elder informs the DISPATCH that Ambrose Tighe, the receiver of the Brainerd Water Co., will be in Brainerd, April 20, at which time he will hear any and all complaints in regard to water rentals. Mr. Elder hopes that all who feel dissatisfied with the rates or anything in connection with the water service, will see Mr. Tighe at that time in order that it may be satisfactorily adjusted.

F. W. Malloit, for many years employed with the Northern Pacific company in Brainerd returned on Wednesday from Great Falls, Montana, where he has been for some weeks past. He is now in the employ of the Great Northern road as general foreman of its machine shops in the above named city, and has returned for his family, expecting to leave for his new field of labor again the first of the week. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Malloit will wish them success in their new home.

WE MAKE a cut of just one-half on all Cloaks, for Children, Ladies and Misses.

HENRY I. COHEN.

Hardware at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Miss Amy Lowey is visiting St. Paul friends.

I. N. Smith, of Staples, was in the city yesterday.

The city schools will open again on Monday morning.

A very pleasant card party was enjoyed at Mrs. S. F. Alderman's last evening.

J. L. Smith, of Minneapolis, has been in the city attending to business matters during the week.

John Congdon, jr., by invitation will attend the McKinley meeting at the university at Hamline next Thursday.

Edward and Chas. Hazen, of Duluth, were in the city several days during the past week attending court.

The ladies of Brainerd should not fail to attend the grand Easter opening at Mrs. C. Grandelmyer's Saturday.

A change in date of the treasurer's dance at Gardner hall in this city has been changed to April 25th, according to the Staples World.

Edwin Edwards leaves on Sunday night for Great Falls, Montana, where he goes to accept a lucrative position in the Great Falls machine shops.

Gentlemen should insist on having their wives and daughters visit the grand Easter opening of spring millinery at Mrs. C. Grandelmyer's on Saturday March 24.

A very pleasant occasion will be the ball given by the N. P. Library Association on Thursday evening of next week at their rooms. Refreshments will be served free to all who attend.

By notice published in the St. Paul papers it is announced that the state auditor will auction the grass cutting privileges on the unorganized townships of Crow Wing and Cass counties in Brainerd on June 6, at 10 a. m.

Anyone and everyone holding keys to the safe at our store, will be allowed to try them on and after the 21st of March—Saturday the 31st of this month.

HENRY I. COHEN.

N. B.—By the way, have you seen our spring cloak stock?

A fine illustrated pamphlet of "The Yakima Valley" has just been issued by the passenger deparment of the Northern Pacific railroad and can be obtained free by application to Chas. S. Fee, St. Paul, Minn. It is a very interesting book full of illustrations and valuable information.

A tarantula is on exhibiton at Beach, Cole & Beach's grocery store that was found in a bunch of bananas on Wednesday. The animal, which is a large specimen, was put into the glass jar to which it was transferred and since then hundreds of little tarantulas have hatched out. Mr. Cole now has enough of the variety to give his friends each one—if they desire a souvenir of that character.

H. H. Hart, secretary of the State Board of Correction and Charities, was in the city today on official business, his visit being for the purpose of inspecting the jails and poor farm in this county. Mr. Hart informed a Dispatch representative that he was very much pleased with condition of the county institutions, the county jail being in the best possible shape all things considered. He spoke very highly of the management of the poor farm, stating that the buildings were clean, neat and tidy and expressed the opinion that Overseer McCulloch evidently knew his business although he is a new man in the position. Mr. Hart left for Atkin on the 10 a. m. freight.

Four for Stillwater.

District court has been in session during the week, and will probably be finished to-night or to-morrow. The grand jury, of which W. D. McKay was foreman, returned indictments against Geo. Vyvette and John Sullivan, the men who passed forged checks at J. H. Koop's store last week and also against B. Howard, John Karl and John Gallagher, the three men who robbed Veon's jewelry store. Howard turned states evidence in the latter case, and the other four men plead guilty to the charges and were sentenced to one year each in Stillwater prison yesterday afternoon, Sheriff Spalding taking them to that place to day. Indictments were also returned against J. W. Porter for grand larceny and also burglary, and against J. Guiett for assault. Mr. Porter pleading not guilty.

The civil cases of importance were: M. Hagberg vs. G. G. Hartley; verdict for plaintiff $179.

Mrs. W. Davis vs. Mary Gray, verdict for plaintiff $362.

Geo. M. Kidd vs. Edward and C. S. Hazen; verdict against C. S. Hazen, $442.

Flint Wagon Works vs. Gray & Wheatley; verdict for plaintiff for $1087.

S. E. Olson vs. H. Spalding, verdict for defendant $8,500. This is the case where the real parties at suit as defendants were H. Rosenblatt and J. S. Gardner, the latter gentleman having attached the Rosenblatt stock, and while it was in Sheriff Spalding's the fine instance case was begun by S. E. Olson and shipped to Minneapolis.

Trial of J. W. Porter for grand larceny resulted in an acquittal.

J. Guiett was convicted of assault and sentenced to pay a fine of $30 or 40 days in the county jail.

When court adjourns it will be until April 26th at which time it will be reconvened.

To Help Brainerd.

Brainerd was honored with a visit from Ex-Gov. A. R. McGill and B. F. Nelson on Wednesday, the latter's business being an inspection of the Northern Mill Co.'s interests here. The former gentleman represents the Northern Trust Co., of Minneapolis, and the latter is a member of the lumber firm of Nelson, Tenny & Co. An offer has been made for the mill property and the visit was to determine as to whether the price named was enough for the plant. Mr. McGill stated that the deal would be closed up on his return to Minneapolis. It is altogether probable that the transfer of the property, together with other deals that are being made will help Brainerd materially.

Ladies are cordially invited to inspect our fine line of Children's Suits, Ables Bros. the Leading One Price Clothers.

James McCabe Shoots Tom Murry.

A serious shooting affair occurred on Fifth street Monday night at 12 o'clock—James McCabe, commonly known as "Farmer," and Thomas Murray being the parties who figured in the affair. Several stories are current as to what lead up to the shooting, and just how it occurred, but the exact details will probably not be known until the matter is aired in the courts. As near as the writer can learn McCabe and Murray have not been on the best of terms owing to some account which the latter owed. It is stated that the two men met early in the evening at Crowley & Hait's saloon on Sixth street, and McCabe refused to shake hands with Murray and some words passed. The latter left the place and about midnight they met near the building formerly occupied by L. W. Burrell as a blacksmith shop, on Fifth street, and after some words a fight ensued. At this juncture several men came upon the scene, among whom were Charles Katz and Mr. Conley. The men were both down on the sidewalk pounding each other, finally getting on their feet. McCabe then pulled a gun and fired, the ball from the 38 caliber revolver striking Murray on the left side under the arm, and he fell to the sidewalk, while McCabe turned and walked a short distance toward his place of business, and it is said made the remark "I had to protect myself." Patrolmen Hurley and Quinn, who were near the Last Turn saloon heard the shot and hurried to the scene as fast as possible and placed McCabe under arrest. Murray with assistance walked to the jail where his wounds were attended to by a physician, and later on he was moved to the Lumberman's Hospital on a stretcher. McCabe was then turned over to Sheriff Spalding, and placed in the county jail. On Wednesday the ball was removed from Murray's body being taken out near the back bone, and he is now in a fair way to recovery.

On Tuesday McCabe was brought before the municipal court and Judge Chipperfield continued his examination until March 30, remanding him to jail without bail. On Wednesday his attorneys McClenahan & Mantor, applied to the district court to have the prisoner admitted to bail, and the application was granted, bail being fixed at $2000, the bond being signed by J. C. Jamison, A. C. Gould, L. W. Chase, Wm. Gergen, J. H. Kelehan and C. E. Peabody.

Easter Opening.

A grand opening of spring millinery will take place at Mrs. C. Grandelmyer's parlors to-morrow (Saturday) March 24th. The finest and most fashionable line of goods obtainable in the eastern markets will be displayed for public inspection. Something exquisite in Easter hats. The ladies of Brainerd and vicinity cannot afford to miss the opportunity.

Republican Club Meeting.

A very enthusiastic republican club meeting was held at the municipal court rooms on Wednesday evening, and was presided over by President John T. Frater, who made a very neat fifteen minutes speech at the opening. In the absence of C. E. Chipperfield, secretary, N. H. Ingersoll acted in that capacity pro tem. The object of the meeting was to elect delegates to attend the state club convention at the Minneapolis on the 28th, A. J. Halstead, A. T. Kimball and R. H. Paine being chosen as such. An informal talk was had after the election, at which time the names of several gentlemen were brought before the club, who had signified their desire to become members, and the fact that several of them had heretofore been life long democrats it was taken as a significant fact that the people are beginning to get their eyes open to the duty they owe the country.

It is expected that at least twenty gentlemen from this city will attend the McKinley demonstration at Minneapolis next Wednesday as tickets to that number have been reserved for Crow Wing county.

Please call early at our store on the 31st of March to avoid the rush. Everybody will be there with one or more keys to get that $25 in gold and silver.

HENRY I. COHEN.

N. B.—By the way, we have the finest stock of dry goods in the city and are selling it cheap.

Easter Services.

The services at St. Paul's church on Sunday next (Easter) will be as follows: 10:30 a. m., morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion. 12:30 p. m., Sunday school and baptism. 3:30 p. m., Knights Templar service. 7:30 p.m., evening prayer and sermon. All are cordially invited. Sojurning Knights Templar are courteously requested to report at the Asylum at 2:30 p. m. and unite with Ascalon Commandery in the afternoon service.

25 per cent saved by buying your clothing and gents' furnishing goods at the new clothing store of Abeles Bros., one door west of the City Hotel Front street. tf.

Pillager Items.

A. B. Cole intends starting his wood saw next Monday at Wheelok. This will give a few of the idle men in the county a chance to go to work.

Only one team was seen hauling wood to the station Wednesday during the storm. Not even the man who hauls wood with a cow was in.

Johnson & Dahl have broke camp and will finish their job of cutting logs next winter.

Some people around here are getting pretty light fingered lately. A short time ago a jar of pork, a jug of kerosene and a lantern was taken from Becker & Palmer's camp. This is not the first instance we have heard of but hope it will be the last. The parties concerned have a pretty good idea who the thief is and will be ready for him next time.

John came home the other morning after being absent for two days. He said he had not slept any during the two nights and had had a good time. He did not mind being up on such occasions, but did not tell us, however, where he had been—we can guess pretty near. We expect to be able to tell something more next time.

We were visited by a man the other day looking for work who claimed he had been in Brainerd after his winter's work in the woods, and while there had been robbed of his money and shoes. Such cases are frequent and nearly all are caused by the cursed drink, alcohol.

We have heard a rumour among railroad men to the effect that the Gull River depot is to be moved to this place. We cannot vouch for the truth but would like to see it come just the same.

If you are thinkipg of painting this spring, get prices on paints, varnishes and brushes at C. B. Whites. A fresh stock just opened.

Wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Patron Saint.

Even the elements vied with each other in doing honor to St. Patrick's Day, which was fittingly observed in this city Saturday last. The chief attraction, however, was the entertainment given by the young people of St. Frances Catholic Church at the opera house in the evening and which was a success in every respect.

The entertainment was billed to open at 8 o'clock, but at 7:30 every available seat was occupied, and by the time the curtain was raised standing room was at a premium. At exactly 8 o'clock Brainerd Lodge A. O. H., in regalia, marched into the opera house to martial music in a body and filled the seats in front of the parquet which had been reserved for them. The stage decorations were very pretty and called forth many a complimentary remark. Music was furnished by Whitford's superb orchestra, and several pieces of music suitable to the day were listened to with great pleasure by the audience before the curtain went up on the first act. The play "A Soldier of Fortune," was presented in a manner highly complimentary to the young people who took part in it, and exhibited a vast amount of hard work on their part, as at no time were there tiresome delays in the progress of the play, and the lines were perfectly rendered, something unusual in an amateur entertainment. C. D. Johnson, as Col. Fitzmoodle, the soldier of fortune, a soldier to whom the glimmer of regimentals and brass buttons was more acceptable than the smell of gunpowder, was immense, but as Charlie has appeared before the Brainerd public many times before, the audience expected him to do his part well, and he did not disappoint them. J. F. Gerrity, as the villian, was well up in his part, and did the sly underhanded work to perfection. J. C. Hart, as the bankrupt guardian, impersonated the difficult role with intelligence, and many compliments were tendered him. J. P. Early, as Orril Clifford, and H. J. Linnemann, as Dr. Fargo, were both good, and rendered their respective parts in a manner that commanded the approval of the large audience. Jas. Willis, jr. as the spoiled boy, was a pleasing feature of the entertainment. R. E. Atkinson, as Snowball, the negro servant, was void of sight, and brought down the house, as did also James Somers as Barney, the Irish gentleman. Miss Mamie Carney, Miss Carrie Morrison and Miss Sarah Canan, in their respective roles of Miss Agnes Belmont, Miss Ida Lowewell and Miss Pricilla were all very pleasing, and rendered their parts in a manner that captivated the audience.

Between the acts orations suitable to the occasion were delivered by Rev. Father Lynch, H. C. Stivers and A. J. Halsted, each of which was well received by the assembled audience. Songs were also rendered by Mrs. H. Thevret, S. F. Alderman and J. P. Gardiner, and in each case the singer was brought before the audience a second time so loud and long was the applause.

The occasion was one of financial benefit and enjoyment, and those who attended were highly pleased with the home entertainment. The receipts amounted to $301.25, the expenses being $67.15.

Largest line of children's shoes at Bredfeldt's. Bed rock prices.

Gypsine and Alabastine wall finish in all tints at C. B. White's.

Cheap Rates to California.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Company has put into effect a series of low round-trip rates to California points. Tickets are good until July 15th, 1894, and are good for stop over under certain conditions.

These rates will enable those desiring to do so, to spend the winter in southern California, or to visit the mid-winter fair to be held at San Francisco. This latter event will undoubtedly be second only to the World's Fair and will repay a visit as it will exhibit the resources and capabilities of California.

St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth to San Francisco and returning via Portland 45 St. Paul or returning to Missouri River, $80.50.

For further information apply to Chas. S. Fee, G. P. & T. A., St. Paul, Minn.

Notice To Water Consumers.

Water rent for the second quarter of 1894 must be paid by April 10th. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE, and the supply for consumers who have not paid by that time will be shut off.

BRAINERD WATER CO.
Room 17, First National Bank Block.

DON'T GO BY A GOOD THING! Our new spring stock of Dry Goods,

HENRY I. COHEN.

People are rejoicing over the bargains they are getting at the new clothing store of Abeles Bros. tf.

To Exchange.

160 acres fine farm land north of Fort Riply, 60 acres under cultivation, for Brainerd property. No incumbrance.

J. B. SMITH,
Sleeper Block.

Touch up and varnish your wagons for spring trade, at Congdon's. It will save you money.

The office of J. B. Smith is the headquarters for reliable fire insurance. Room 3, Sleeper Block.

Re-varnish your buggies once a year at Congdon's.

Have your prescriptions filled at the McFadden Drug Store.

City Government.

The city council held its regular meeting on Monday evening with all members present excepting President Williamson, and Ald. Sanborn.

The clerk's financial report for February was read and approved:

The following claims against the city were allowed:

M. Hagberg, supplies	$3 70
D. W. Whitford	50
Feltz Graham freight	1 53
F. B. Johnson, supplies	5 70
W. H. Onstine, lumber	78 65
Dr. Werner Heumstead services	17 35
Members fire department	15 00
Elec. Eng. Co. supplies	22 52

Bill of D. M. Clark & Co., $11.27 was referred to purchasing committee.

Motion made and carried that chief of police be notified of condition of Laurel and 9th street at mill track, which is being blockaded with ties.

The street committee was instructed to look into condition of road between northeast and southeast Brainerd, and also condition of sidewalk on Eighth street north on the east side of school house, also sidewalk at corner of Oak and 9th streets.

The matter of abatement of sidewalk tax on the east half of lot 5, block 3, Farrar & Forsyth's addition was referred to street committee.

The matter of building an addition to the hose house in southern Brainerd was referred to fire committee to report at next meeting.

Report of the electric light committee recommending that the superintendent be allowed to purchase a meter was adopted.

The matter of the condition and fixing of the coffer dam was referred to the electric light committee with power to act.

The matter of placing arc light at the corner of Oak and 10th streets was referred to electric light committee with power to act.

The matter of repairing the sewer on Laurel street west was referred to the health, sewerage and police committee with power to act, and they were also instructed to examine the sewer running from the shops to the ravine.

Report of Hose Co. No. 4, as to list of members, was accepted.

Application and bond of W. H. Gardner, for liquor license, were read and on motion the bond and application were ordered return to applicant with the information that the council had not the power to act in matters of transfer of liquor licenses.

Council adjourned.

Silverware, useful and ornamental at Mrs. F. G. Sundberg's.

Horseke epping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Banear.—tf.

Eggs for Hatching.

Anyone wishing a setting of eggs from the White Face Black Spanish Chicken can get them for $1.00 by calling at H. J. CUNNINGHAM'S, Tenth and Laurel Streets.

Abeles Bros., the leading one price clothiers, are selling new spring suits furnishing goods, hats, shoes, etc., 25 per cent lower than any other house in this city. Call and see them. tf.

DON'T GO BY A GOOD THING! Our new spring stock of Dry Goods.

HENRY I. COHEN.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the plat of township No. 140 N. of range No. 30 W., of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Minnesota, has been filed in this office. On and after the 18th day of April, 1894, this office will be prepared to receive applications for entry of the public lands in said township.

A. BARO, Register.
C. F. MCDONALD, Receiver.

St. Cloud, Minn. March 14, 1894.

BE THE FIRST to get one of our Cloaks at half price.

HENRY I. COHEN.

Ripans Tabules cure headache.

Estray.

Came to my enclosure about Nov. 1st last, one red and white heifer. The owner is requested to call and take her away and pay charges.

SOLOMON MARKEE.

Furniture at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Mack's headach's powders will cure your head ache. Twenty-five cents at the McFadden drug store.

KEEP YOUR EYE PEELED! for The new Spring Stock which is to be here this week.

HENRY I. COHEN.

The largest and finest line of children's suits to be found at the new store of Abeles Bros. Prices far below all competion. tf.

Great rush for bargains at the new clothing store of Abeles Bros., next door west of City Hotel, Front street.

Get your harness repaired at D. M. Clark & Co's.

KEEP YOUR EYE PEELED! for The new Spring Stock which is to be here this week.

HENRY I. COHEN.

Sherwood's Cough Syrup is sold on a guarantee at the McFadden Drug Store.

Sash and doors at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Children and misses Russett shoes in colors at Bredfeldt's. Sold at bottom prices.

A full line of T. L. Blood & Co's paints just received at C. B. White's.

WE SOLD 15 Cloaks in three days last week. Why? Because they were sold at half price.

HENRY I. COHEN.

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Orient Ins. Co., of Hartford,	"	2,189,981.00
Northern Assurance Co., of London,	"	1,653,711.00
Queen Ins. Co., of America,	"	3,338,915.00

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