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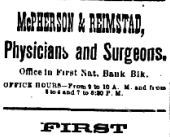

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4:30	lv. Brainerd ar.	10:30
4:15	lv. Hartley ar.	9:55
4:13	lv. Pine River ar.	9:53
3:40	lv. Backus ar.	9:20
3:05	lv. Lothrop ar.	8:30
2:15	ar. Walker lv.	7:00

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Gov. Clough has issued a proclamation fixing Saturday, May 29th as Memorial Day.

STAPLES has a new paper in the Tribune which has just reached our table, and it is a newsy sheet, well filled with advertising matter.

THE new judicial district, composed of Wright, Sherburne, Anoka and Isanti counties, will be presided over by Judge J. B. Tarbox, whose appointment has just been made.

THE city council of Grand Forks has passed an ordinance requiring all dealers in cigarettes to pay a license of $100 per annum. There is a move that will help kill the cigarette habit.

THE board of examiners of barbers, or the tensorial board to speak properly, has been appointed by the governor and consist of J. V. Matthews, of Fergus Falls, Paul Pettit, of Minneapolis, and M. E. Murry, of St. Paul.

THE Minneapolis Times publishes reports from New York to the effect that many prominent capitalists interested in the Northern Pacific are firmly opposed to the Hill plan of consolidation, and that it may be defeated.

THE governor on Wednesday announced the members of his staff, and Morrison county gets two places, Col. Edgar Hoover, Little Falls, and Major I. W. Bonck, of Royalton. These gentlemen will attend the junketing party this year and next to the national guard encampments and other places.

AT Crookston the president of the local gun club has been arrested on the charge of discharging fire arms within the city limits by some person who has a grievance against the club. This would materially affect several clubs in Minnesota if they were obliged to move their grounds outside the city limits.

INSTEAD of distributing 100,000,000 pike fry in the lakes and rivers of the state, as it was planned to do this spring the fish and game commission is somewhat concerned as to whether it is going to have any considerable number for stocking the waters of the state this year. The annual expedition to Pike river, near Tower was a failure, as the pike did not get to the headwaters as usual to spawn on account of the high water.

THAT the Northern Pacific will greatly improve their roadbed the coming season is evidenced by the fact that they received bids on Saturday last from various railroad contractors at St. Paul for moving some 500,000 cubic yards of earth on that line. The improvements to be made this summer contemplate a considerable work in reducing grades and surfacing the track between Staples and Little Falls; the reduction of grades at Winnipeg Junction; the same at Mandan, and the widening of the cuts along the Yellowstone river in Montana.

Minnesota is Recognized.

On Wednesday at Washington Henry A. Castle the veteran citizen of St. Paul, was nominated to be auditor of the postoffice department; Stanford Newell of St. Paul, was named as minister to the Netherlands; Tams Bixby of Red Wing, Choctow Indian commissioner, August F. George to be receiver of public moneys at the land office at Crookston. Speaking of Mr. Bixby's appointment, the Washington dispatches say:

Considerable surprise was manifested over Bixby's selection as a member of the Dawas Indian commission. It was supposed that the president had made up his mind to nominate Bixby for United States treasurer. The place given him today, however, is said to be one that he can accept. It pays a salary of $5,000 per annum and the duties are exceedingly light. It is what most people would call a sinecure. Senator Nelson, however, designates Bixby's place as a "snap." It is said that Bixby can hold his place and reside in Minnesota the greater portion of his time.

The Passing of the Old Soldier.

Referring to the rapidity with which the survivors of the late war are answering the roll call of death the St. Louis Globe-Democrat says: The Grand Army is dying at the rate of 100 a day. Every 15 minutes of the 24 hours the final tap sounds for some one who wore the blue. Each year puts under the sod more old soldiers than there are enlisted men and officers in the United States army. Time is carrying them off faster in the nineties than bullets in the sixties. The war lasted four years to a month. In those four years 115,000 men fell in battle on the Union side. But now between 35,000 and 40,000 die in the course of nature each succeeding 12 months. And for every three Union soldiers who went to fame's eternal camping ground two confederates are numbered with the dead.

Luther Large Percentage.

The Fergo Argus makes the following startling announcement:

Of the 2,000 elk in Yellowstone Park, 7,500 are estimated to have died of starvation last winter.

Tough on Marin.

Our distinguished member in the house, Wm. Marin, succeeded in getting an appropriation of $450 for roads and bridges, for Polk county, and it only cost us $500 and perquisites to keep him there—well done, good and faithful servant.—Polk Co. Journal.

WORK OF THE COUNCIL.

R. R. Wise is Ordered to Clean up Main Street, and the Episcopal Ladies are Granted Permission to Close Seventh Street During Their Fair.

The city council met on Monday evening with all members present except Ald. McGinn.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, after which the appointment of Sidney Hockridge as special policeman without pay by Mayor Nevers was confirmed.

Reports of different officers of the city were received, read and filed.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid.

Pay roll, employes	$519 16
Pay roll, streets	102 05
Pay roll, electric lights	199 80
Tribune, printing	16 51
W. P. Buckley, feeding prisoners	13 30
A. P. Farrar, rent	11 00
J. B. Harris, painting	3 00
Brainerd Tel. Ex.	9 00
Henry I. Cohen, supplies	2 25
Si Hall, draying	2 10
D. D. Smith, supplies	4 53
Abbott & Wilkins, supplies	2 85
Stipp Bros., supplies	14 86
McFadden Drug Co., supplies	3 00
Brainerd Lumber Co.	7 50
Gen'l Elec. Co., supplies	8 84

The city clerk was instructed to notify R. R. Wise to have the sand placed by him on Main street, removed at once.

The matter of filling and grading Fifth street was referred to the street committee with power to act.

Permission was granted T. E. Smith to fence that part of the street between Hartley bridge and his property.

The matter of having the city park cleaned up was left in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

The city clerk was instructed to notify the owners of Lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, Block 44, at the corner of Main and Sixth streets, to have the sidewalks adjoining the same, repaired at once.

Upon recommendation of the fire committee the clerk was instructed to notify the Water company to have a hydrant put in at the corner of Gillis and Farrar streets.

The fire committee was instructed to accept the offer of A. L. Hoffman & Co. to furnish carpet and two dozen chairs for the fire department rooms for $42.70.

The request of Mr. Katz to pay junk dealers' license on the installment plan, was laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

The proposition of J. F. McGinnis & Co. to furnish sidewalk lumber to the city for $9 per thousand, was referred to the purchasing committee.

The claim of Mary and William Waldrof for $500 each against the City of Brainerd, were referred to the city attorney.

The request of the ladies of the Episcopal church for permission to close Seventh street, between Kingwood and Juniper, for three days in September for a fair, was granted.

M. R. Swartz was granted permission to fence his trees to protect them in the street.

The request of the executive committee of the G. A. R. for permission to use the city park during their encampment, was granted.

Council adjourned.

A Year of Successful Work.

The following report of the American S. S. Union has been handed us by Rev. Archibald Speers, the local representative of the union for publication.

Although the year closing March 1, 1897, has been marked by continued financial stringency, yet it has pleased God to grant his abundant blessing to the missionary work of the American Sunday-School Union.

Gifts from friends have contributed to its support, so that $3464.80 more have been received from living givers than in the year preceding; and there has been an increase of $961.20 from funds invested by direction of the donors. But $13,469.50 less have been received from legacies, so that as the net result there has been a reduction in the receipts of the Society of $13,343.50. At the begining of the fiscal year, however, in view of a possible reduction in receipts, the Board reduced the expenditures of the Society as a matter of precaution.

There have been in the field 127 men under commission, of whom 86 were at work during the whole year and 41 during a portion of it. Many of them have from 5 to 30 counties for their field. As one result of their labors, 1603 new Sunday-schools were organized, with 61,600 teachers and scholars, 287 were reorganized, and given for the first time to 1473 existing schools, with 113,976 teachers and scholars; and 5858 visits were made to school previously reported, with 326,168 teachers and scholars.

Six hundred and sixty-nine schools were aided also by gifts of literature from the home office in Philadelphia. Of these, in this large number of feeble schools set to work and aided, the missionaries have been active in overtaxing labors, with the most successful results. It has often been impossible to obtain an exact statement of the precise number of "summer conversions" being mentioned, and only partial reports in many cases being given. And yet, excluding all such indefinite statements, the very large number of 8533 hopeful conversions has been reported as resulting from the work of these energetic and faithful men. They also made 94,378 visits to families for religious instruction and prayer, and distributed 6542 Bibles and 7870 Testaments. The organization of churches has followed the establishment of Union Sunday-schools in 109 cases.

It is because of such results as these that this Society still retains its strong hold upon the Christian people of our country.

Prepared dog food 2c per pound at the Blue Front Market.

Walker News Items.

From the Pioneer.

Chas. Kinkele make a business trip to Brainerd Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry McCabe returned from a visit at Brainerd, the latter part of last week.

L. P. Brookway had the misfortune to sprain one of his legs quite severely a few days ago and has been compelled to use a pair of crutches in order to get around.

Fred and Mrs. Blattner came up from Brainerd last Saturday to visit friends. Fred returned Tuesday morning, but Mrs. Blattner is still here visiting at Dufour's.

Convention of City Teachers.

Hon. W. W. Pendergast, superintendent of public instruction of the state of Minnesota, came up from St. Paul last Tuesday, by invitation of City Sup't M. H. Carleton, to meet with the Brainerd city teachers in convention. Superintendent Pendergast and Carleton visited all the schools in the Lincoln and High School buildings before the afternoon session of the convention. Schools were dismissed at 3 o'clock. As soon as the High School room was cleared of the pupils, it began to fill with teachers and citizens, and when the hour had arrived for the session to begin, 3:30 o'clock, the large and beautifully decorated High School room was literally packed with Brainerd's most intelligent and cultured people.

Rev. M. B. Bird, of the Second Congregational church, opened the session with prayer.

Miss Woods gave an exercise, "Development of Cube Root," which was very interesting.

Next there was some fine music from a chorus of girl pupils of the High School, led by Miss Sara Jansen, assistant principal.

Several teachers had prepared papers on interesting topics, which others were to discuss, but after a consultation it was decided to postpone the reading of said papers until the next meeting of the teachers, all agreeing that they preferred to give the time to State Sup't Pendergast.

Hon. W. W. Pendergast was then introduced. He has a large, well-balanced physique, crowned with sixty years of thinking, experience and culture. He gave a lengthy talk in a very instructive, entertaining and often humorous way. We are unable in this report to give even a satisfactory outline of his very able address. The teachers listened closely and were doubtless much benefited by what he said.

After he had concluded his remarks there was music by the chorus of young ladies.

Sup't Carleton then read a paper extolling the teachers' profession, and exhorting the teachers of Brainerd to make greater advancement. He told them that in the main their work had been very satisfactory to him, and that they had done well, grandly, nobly. He also spoke highly of the good work of the janitors and janitresses of the schools.

Then the chorus of young ladies rendered another very fine piece of music, under the direction of Miss Jansen.

THE EVENING SESSION.

Tuesday evening a large audience gathered at the Presbyterian church to listen to speaking by Mr. Pendergast and others. The session opened with prayer by Rev. W. H. Travis, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The Presbyterian choir, composed of Mrs. A. L. Nutting and Miss Mahlum, and Messrs. Thompson and Pennell, with Prof. Coutu as organist, rendered some especially fine music at intervals during the evening.

Rev. D. D. McKay, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, gave a short but excellent address on the subject of "Education and Teachers' Qualifications."

Secretary Pennell, of the Board of Education, read a carefully prepared and very interesting paper on "Brander and Her Schools." It was highly appreciated by all.

Mr. Pendergast's subject was "Thinking Through the Rockies," and he gave a delightful description of the Yellowstone Park.

Wednesday forenoon Messrs. Pendergast and Carleton visited the Whittier, Lowell and Harrison schools. The former expressed himself as being very highly pleased with the schools of Brainerd. He left Wednesday noon to return to St. Paul. While he was in the city he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Carleton at the Tabor Hotel.

THE CINEMATOSCOPE

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LADIES' FREE NIGHT.

For the opening night, Monday, May 10th, every person, lady or gent, who holds a paid reserved seat ticket will be entitled to one lady's admission and reserved seat free. The reserved seat sale is now open at E. F. Atwood's drug store.

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C. MARGRAVE,
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WM. DODD,
Proprietor.

Homes Under the Ground.

In the salt district in Cheshire, England, the brine has been pumped so continuously out of the earth that the land has settled very considerably. The houses naturally sink with the earth, and in some of the streets in Northwich only the roofs are visible. The houses are inhabited, although the rooms are underground. In a great many cases additional stories have been added, so that by living in the upper rooms the residents may have some light and air. The roadways sink, too, but are kept up to the proper level by the government.—New York Sun.

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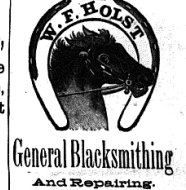

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Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed and delivered by John Anderson and Matilda Anderson, his wife, mortgagors to The Brainerd Co-Operative Building and Loan Association, mortgagee, dated February 1st, 1893, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds of Crow Wing county, Minnesota, on February 6th, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m. in book 1 of mortgages, on page 119, on which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Hundred Fifty-Six Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents ($256.48) principal and interest, and the further sum of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fee as stipulated in said mortgage, as an insurance premium paid and advanced at said mortgagors' request, and whereas no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the amount due under said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit: Lot Five (5) of block (1) of Anderson's Addition to the City of Brainerd, according to the plat thereof recorded in the Registry of Deeds aforesaid, with the hereditaments and appurtenances of said county in the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house in the said City of Brainerd, in said county, on the 31st day of May, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, to pay the amount then due on said mortgage, with interest and disbursements.

Dated May 8th, 1897.

THE BRAINERD CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION,
Mortgagee.
G. D. LABAR,
Receivers of the Brainerd Co-Operative Building and Loan Association.
LEON E. LUM, Attorney.

Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
St. Cloud, Minn., May 5, 1897.

Complaint has been entered at this office by John M. Looper against John Cleary, for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 11642, dated December 10th, 1894, upon the E½ of the NW¼ and W½ of the NE¼ of Sec. 6, Twp. 136 N., Range 29 W., in Crow Wing county, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Clerk of District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on the 28th day of June, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had before the Clerk of District Court, at Brainerd, at the above time, at which time the parties so ordered herein, will be examined and a decision rendered thereon.

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A sound body lies at the foundation of all that goes to make life a success. Exercise will help to give it.

A man is always looking for a nicer brand of smoking tobacco, and a woman for a better style of curling iron.

And now it is reported that Rivera was betrayed. An expurgated brand of patriotism is what Cuba needs very badly.

Despondent creditors may find solace in the fact that if the sultan were out of debt the powers would throw him over in a minute.

T. D. Burns, of Park View, New Mexico, recently shipped eighteen car loads of fat cattle from his range to Kansas City, the shipment bringing him over $10,000. Rustlers are so bad on his range that he feels the necessity of railroading his stock off to market.

In dealing with office seekers Mr. McKinley may take heart of grace from a remark of Mr. Lincoln to a trusted adviser: "A president must sometimes understand the duty of appearing ungrateful, and the wisdom of rejecting smart combinations with uncongenial elements."

Theodore Roosevelt went down to Ellis Island lately, and was made honorary president of the immigration board of inquiry at once. He called up the first case, and learned that a Scotchman had come over with a young girl. It was explained to Roosevelt that she was his "common law wife." Teddy bristled. "Oh, I know all about these Scotch marriages," he said. "Marry the girl now." And so they were wed.

The International Postal Congress, which meets at Washington in May, will probably consider the adoption of a special stamp having uniform value in all the countries of the Postal Union. Such a stamp could be used in payment for small orders of goods. It would so greatly facilitate international exchanges that the argument seems all in its favor, but a journal devoted to "collectors" gives amusing evidence of the extent to which a "hobby" may influence one's views on such a question. "The stamp would be a convenience in several ways," it is admitted, "yet it is to be hoped that in the interests of philately it may not be adopted."

By direction of Congress and the President the Secretary of the Navy has placed a warship at the command of the Christian Herald Bible House, New York, for the purpose of transporting any corn that generous farmers of this country may donate to their starving heathen brothers in India. Ten thousand people are dying there every day of starvation. It is likely that their cries for bread will be liberally responded to by the farmers of the west and south. Every community should be able to send a carload of the corn that is now going to waste for want of a market. Committees proposing to contribute should write to the Christian Herald. Wheat and other imperishable products will be taken.

An association recently organized in one of the suburbs of Dayton, O., has an idea which might be profitably adopted in many smaller towns. The association, according to Garden and Forest, has been formed for the purpose of beautifying the streets, the unimproved property, and the public grounds by proper planting, by promoting a general interest in gardening, and by systematic efforts to abate nuisances and to control the location of houses so far as possible. Lectures are given, with views, to show how house surroundings can be made attractive, and the newspaper reports say that this part of Dayton has shown marked improvement in its appearance. Prizes are offered by the association for the best example of planting in individual grounds, together with the condition of roadways, gutters, curbs, sidewalks, and general appearance of the houses. Prizes are also offered to boys for the best vegetable gardens, as well as prizes open to boys and girls for the best kept back yards, whether planted with flowers, shrubbery, climbers, or grass. Photographs are to be taken of the examined gardens, with particular sections and decorations of the streets entered in competition, and a neat pamphlet has been published containing views of the prize-winning grounds last year, and also embodying good advice about trees, shrubs, and climbers, with the methods of planting and caring for them.

The influence which may be exerted by one person is admirably illustrated in the case of a young Indian who returned to North Dakota after graduation at Hampton. He had learned there to wash and iron and bake bread, all of which he was teaching to his relatives and friends; and after buying a dress for his mother he carried it to a missionary and begged her to cut it out. He explained that he had never been taught to make dresses, but that with a sample he felt sure he could teach even that art to the Indian women.

The intemperate use of adjectives is a form of literary disease. Total abstinence from adjectives is not practical, but a moderate use of that part of speech is essential to the best style. One who heard Nansen address the Royal Geographical society says that in the whole discourse, lasting more than an hour, there was not a superfluous adjective.

Two men have been sentenced to the penitentiary in St. Louis for going to church. They went after midnight and stole the communion service.

An Atchison girl on her way to the altar has stopped long enough to recall that her married sister has had four babies, two buggy rides, one theatrical treat and two parties in ten years and the recollection is affecting her so seriously that it is doubtful if she will resume her interrupted journey.

An English woman who is expert in palmistry says American women are among her best customers, and she attributes this fact to their vanity. A better reason, however, may be that they have handsome hands.

When a husband milks the cow and allows his wife to keep the money made by selling the milk, all the neighborhood women see a halo around his head whenever they look at him.

It must be nice to be a Methodist preacher; every three or four years he has to move, and the people say as nice things of him as if he had died.

When a man makes a vigorous kick it is usually a sign that he did something yesterday that does not please him today.

THE NEWS RESUME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Culled From the Telegraph Reports—The Notable Events at Home and Abroad That Have Attracted Attention.

The Nation's Capital.

Commissioner of Pensions Evans has appointed S. A. Cuddy acting chief of the law division.

The Republican subcommittee of the senate finance committee, which is preparing the tariff bill, has definitely decided not to attempt to report the bill to the full committee before next Monday.

People Talked About.

Edwin F. Thorne, the actor, is dying. He is at St. Vincent hospital, New York, a victim of Bright's disease.

W. H. Wheelock, an old and highly respected citizen of Decorah, Iowa, is dead after a long illness.

Dean John Raymond French, vice chancellor of Syracuse university, died at Syracuse, N. Y., aged seventy-two.

Aubustus M. Friedlander, a portrait painter of New York, died suddenly of consumption at Colorado Springs.

President Charles B. Fosdyck of the Second National Bank of New York, died at his home in that city. He was seventy-three years old.

Judge N. C. McFarland, ex-United States land commissioner under Presidents Garfield and Arthur, is dead at Topeka, Kan.

The war department has received a telegram announcing the death at Plattsburg, N. Y., barracks of Col. Horace Jewett, Twenty-first infantry, stationed at that post.

Prince Louis William August of Baden, brother of the grand duke of Baden, died at Carlsruhe. He was born in 1829 and was a general in the Prussian infantry and president of the first chamber of the grand duchy of Baden.

Charles Sawyer, tent and awning manufacturer of Spokane, attempted to commit suicide. He climbed on the Post street bridge, and was ready to plunge into the falls when a pedestrian clutched him by the leg and held on. Sawyer pleaded pitifully to be allowed to die. His wife has lately sued for divorce.

Accidental Happenings.

Four persons lost their lives in a fire at 1728 Third avenue, Brooklyn.

While walking with her mother at Dubuque Louise Weiser, a servant girl, attempted to stop a runaway team. She fell under the wheels and was instantly killed.

Omer, a small village about twenty miles north of Bay City, Mich., was swept by a cyclone. Mr. and Mrs. Hagley were fatally injured and a score of people sustained injuries of a more or less serious character.

John Forepaw, the circus man, and Arseno Garcia and Joaquin Sierro, two well known Spaniards of Tampa, Fla., were killed by a fast mail train running down and demolishing a street car in which they were riding.

Crimes and Criminals.

August Freiberg of Rockford, Iowa, was found dead in bed, death being caused by an overdose of chloral. He leaves a wife and four children.

William P. Nichols, president of the defunct Bank of Commerce of New Orleans, has been convicted of the embezzlement of $20,000.

Fred Sohnes and Alexander Stewart, Windsor, Ont., youths, have been arrested charged with smuggling trional and sulfonal across the Detroit river.

Harry M. Mason, a mail clerk running between Mackinaw City and Houghton, Mich., was arrested on a charge of robbing the mails. He is a nephew of Gov. Rich of Michigan.

Edward S. Farrow, formerly a lieutenant in the United States army, was arrested at the Grand Central depot in New York charged with conspiracy in Pittsburg, Pa., where he is wanted. He is charged with being engaged in insurance frauds.

Henry V. Duffy, head of the largest mercantile establishment in Waukon, Iowa, was found shot through the heart on opening the store. He was in his night clothes and had a cocked revolver in his hand. None of the chambers were emptied. The presumption is that he heard burglars in his store beneath his bedroom, came down and was shot to death.

Foreign Gossip.

The natives of Mashonaland, South Africa, are again on the war path.

The Italian Geographical society has received news confirming the report of the massacre of the Boetego expedition.

At the British army maneuvers at Aldershot in August fifteen militia battalions will be mobilized.

During the past few weeks there have been some of the highest tides ever known in the Thames.

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The czar of Russia has issued an order that all criminals sent to Siberia shall be convey d by railroad instead of having to march there.

The Chilean steamer Palena, carrying American mails, is quarantined at Guayaquil, Ecuador, with several cases of yellow fever.

The Transvaal government is busy drafting full replies to the recent dispatches of Mr. Chamberlain, and it is understood that these will raise several sharp issues.

The half-yearly report of the Manchester ship canal states that the receipts show an increase of 20,679 pounds over the corresponding half of last year.

The dominion government will not press the franchise bill this session, and, therefore, prorogation may be looked for between the 10th and 15th of June.

The London Daily News says that it is rumored among the supporters of the government that the duke of Leeds is to succeed the earl of Aberdeen as governor general of Canada.

Norah Creina Blanche Bruce Baroness Aberdare, widow of the first Baron Aberdare, is dead. She was a daughter of the late Gen. Sir William Francis Patrick Napier, K. C. B.

A dispatch to the New York World from Kingston, Jamaica, says: There has been a succession of terrific earthquakes in the Leeward islands, killing many people and doing great damage to property.

Dr. Karl Peters, the disgraced former imperial commissioner for Germany in East Africa, has appealed against the judgment and sentence of the Disciplinary Chamber for German Protectorates.

Two windows in St. Paul's churchyard for the day of the queen's visit to the cathedral on diamond jubilee day, each less than four feet wide, have been let, one for $1,000 and the other for $1,500.

Otherwise.

The steamer Majestic brought over 500 Irish girls in the steerage.

The prevalence of cerebro-spinal meningitis in Boston, Mass., approaches an epidemic.

At the session of the Cape Town assembly Mr. Merriam gave notice of his intention to move a vote of no confidence in the ministry.

The Bankers' Fidelity and Surety Company of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, capitalized at $100,000, and heavily backed, has been incorporated.

The case between Bishop Bonacum of Nebraska and the priests of his diocese is now before Mgr. Martinelli for final hearing.

The female wards of the state hospital for the insane at Independence, Iowa, are in quarantine on account of diphtheria.

In the Connolly-Levigne fight before the Broadway Athletic club at New York Levigne was declared the winner in the eleventh round.

A 5 per cent advance in window glass, including all sections of the country, has been made and will go into effect at once.

Pierson H. Bristow of Des Moines, Iowa, has been selected for chief clerk of the office of fourth assistant postmaster general, vice Chaplin of New York, resigned.

The Mine La Motte, lead mining claim of Southeast Missouri, has been transferred by R. Hazzard of New York to S. P. Leathe of St. Louis for a cash consideration of $300,000.

The Kratoch Milling company's flour mills at Dayton, Ohio, have been closed by the sheriff on a judgment taken by the Citizen's National Bank of Cincinnati for $40,000.

President Finke, of the Norfolk & Western railroad, says that his company will join the new Southern Freight association just formed among the Southern lines.

The plant of the Maryland Steel company, located at Sparrow's Point, Md., will resume operations in full next Monday after an idleness of three years.

The socialist trade and labor alliance of New York is arranging for a parade of 30,000 men and women and a mass meeting in Union Square on the evening of May 1.

Isaac N. House, a well known merchant of Trenton, N. J., was found dead on his knees by the side of his son's grave. He had apparently died while praying.

A log jam in the Aminicon river at Superior, held by the ice gorge, broke yesterday, releasing 1,000,000 feet of logs and washing away three bridges valued at $5,000.

A fast to a finish in the latest thing in the sporting line. H. L. Kramer issued a challenge, backing the celebrated faster, Dr. Tanner, against all comers for $100,000.

Full particulars in the latest method of treating of phthisis by a new form of tuberculin are given in a report to the state department by Dean Mason, deputy consul at Frankfort.

W. H. Brinson has been appointed superintendent of the Ohio division of the Baltimore & Southwestern with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio, vice C. H. Howard, transferred to Cincinnati as superintendent of terminals.

Ulrich Oderbolz, proprietor of the Black River Falls, Wis., brewery, has filed a petition setting forth alleged irregularities in connection with the late municipal election, which resulted in a victory for the temperance people.

Rev. D. R. Parsons, a Methodist preacher at Manchester, Iowa, has denounced the lady minstrels, including five members of his church, who performed for charity this week. A trustee whose wife is among the number, has resigned.

State Bank Examiner Breidenthal took charge of the Bank of Hutchinson, Kas., a private concern. The principal creditor is the Metropolitan National Bank of Kansas City, which is also a large stockholder.

The lake carrier's committee on ore handling charges made arrangements with Mayor Gallup of Escanaba to appoint a man to look after the trimming at that port. The rate was fixed at 2 1-2 cents. The men wish to do away with the bosses.

Five unions in the building trades at Chicago have declared in favor of a general strike on May 1. They are the derrickmen's bridge structural iron workers, journeymen plumbers, junior steamfitters, hod carriers and building laborers.

The third annual banquet of the People's party of Massachusetts at Arcade hall, Boston, was attended by nearly 150 persons. George W. Washburn, chairman of the Populist state committee, presided, and United States Senator Marion Butler of North Carolina made the principal address.

The novel and stupendous feat of delivering 200 head of beef cattle at Circle City, Yukon, by July 1, is to be undertaken by Willis Thorne, an Alaska pioneer. Last season Thorp took thirty-five to Yukon, clearing $300 a head. They were the first beef cattle ever sent to the interior of Alaska.

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The recent strike on the Mountain Beauty, Cripple Creek, is proving quite important in one respect. The ore is being sacked, including screenings. These screenings run upward of $250 per ton, while the straight ore is good for better than five ounces per ton.

The Salt Lake Tribune states that the Ajax has registered another strike, and the management is now rejoicing over fifteen inches of ore in a six-foot vein, from which assays show 500 ounces of silver, a nice percentage of lead and gold, varying from $6 to $10 having been obtained.

A rich discovery of wire gold was found in the Galatea mine, on the county line between Clear Creek and Gilpin counties, Col. At a depth of 125 feet in the shaft a pay streak from ten to fifteen inches wide has been opened, and assays as high as 2,000 ounces of gold to the ton have been obtained.

The Edmonton (N. W. T.) Bulletin, in a two-column leader, makes the startling prediction that instead of $50,000, as heretofore, the Saskatchewan river will hereafter yield $5,000,000 every season in gold. Gold has been found, mined, or, perhaps more accurately, washed, from the banks of the Saskatchewan river for many years. The metal is found in the form of minute scales, so small as to be only noticeable to the naked eyes from their sparkle.

Swollen Streams in Kansas.

Kansas City, May 1. — A special to the Star from Independence, Kan., says: The streams are all full and there is a great deal of damage. The Verdigris has risen faster than any of the other streams and is still coming up rapidly. Elk river is out of its banks in several places, and at Elk City, fifteen miles west of here, the tracks are under water. The passenger train from Kansas City last night was compelled to cut off at Chanute.

WILLIAM HEADS IT.

Threatened European Concert Against England.

London, May 1. — The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent telegraphs:

Somewhat serious news of the threatened European combination against England is now current here. Emperor William is reported to have a decided plan by which the interests of Germany, France and Belgium in the Transvaal are to be protected against English intrigue and arms. The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tageblatt affirms that France has agreed to the Emperor's scheme, and it is further said that Russian court circles are extremely embittered against England. This is attributed to the dowager czarina having accused England of being the cause of Greece going to war. The German naval department has ordered that all the work in the dockyards be expedited. One cruiser will be ready in a few weeks, and three other vessels by autumn. Altogether there are nineteen now in course of construction.

MR. WINTER RESIGNS.

The President of the Northern Pacific Steps Out.

New York, May 1. — At a meeting of the directors of the Northern Pacific Railway company held here E. W. Winter presented his resignation as president of the company. He gave as his reason his knowledge that people other than those who controlled when he was elected last June had secured a large interest in the securities of the road, and he did not believe he would be in sympathy with them. Mr. Winter's resignation was laid on the table.

New Steamship Line.

San Francisco, May 1. — A new steamship line known as the San Francisco & Yokohama Transportation company has been established between San Francisco and Japan with a monthly service between these two points, via Honolulu. Five first-class steamers will be operated and probably a branch line will be maintained between Yokohama and Seattle and Portland. The first steamer of the new line left Yokohama April 3 and is nearly due at this port.

GREEKS BRACE UP

THE TURKS SUCCESSFULLY COMBATTED AT VELESTINO.

Troops Under Smolenski Put Up a Stubborn Fight Against the Turks and Are Successful in Holding Their Ground—People Show Their Dislike for Constantine—Ralli Well Satisfied With the Condition of the Army.

London, May 4.—The Times prints the following dispatch from its Volo correspondent: When I arrived at Volestino yesterday afternoon I had just seen the Turkish infantry advancing in two columns, intending to cut the railway. The Greeks, 12,000 strong, under Gen. Smolenski, by whose side I watched the encounter in the rear of the Eighth regiment, under Col. Gannikosta, gradually advanced one battalion to hold the railway, the other to support the artillery which had mounted guns on the right center. The Turks were evidently about 14,000 strong. Their cavalry reconnoitered the wood where the Greeks were concealed, but the batteries remained silent until 6, and at that time the fire fell short of being effective, though the Greek practice was the best I have noticed. The Turks ran away from the shells, but continued to advance in good order. Our right was really never engaged, and the railway station was defended by only a small force, with two Krupp guns. Toward the end the large Turkish center was seen to advance in the distance, but sunset at 6:45 caused a temporary cessation. Trains are running to Pharsalos now, and I managed to get through. Returning on horseback in the darkness to Volo, I was captured by the Greek outposts, thanks to the failure of headquarters to issue regular passes. I was treated with much civility, but was detained until a late hour. Having met reinforcements on the way to Velestino, I went out again to-day, when the Greeks brought up nearly the whole Pharsalos force. Save in the shape of struggles during the night the Greeks have been successful, holding their ground. The Turks mounted a battery on a hill facing the Greek left, approached the end of the wood and burned a small village. Nearly all the fighting to-day has been on the extreme right in the direction of Lake Karla and the eastern Volo road. Whoever gains this road commands Volo and could cut off retreat here. The trains are still run to Velestino, the officials displaying great coolness and courage. In one case a railway director is working a locomotive. More decisive fighting is expected to-morrow. As yet the Greek losses have not been heavy. The Red Cross society, formerly much in evidence, is now conspicuous by its absence, and this fact causes comment.

ENGLISH INTERVENTION.

The Princess of Wales Will Ask Gladstone's Assistance to Bring It About.

New York, May 4. — A copyrighted dispatch from London to the Journal says: The report that the Princess of Wales was using her utmost influence to bring about English intervention in favor of Greece in the East is corroborated by the London press. The princess, accompanied by the prince, takes the unprecedented course of asking the assistance of Mr. Gladstone. They have made an engagement to visit the ex-premier at Hawarden May 10. Mr. Gladstone is in splendid health once more.

RALLI IS PLEASED.

Expresses Satisfaction With the Condition of the Army.

London, May 4. — The Athens correspondent of the Telegraph says: "I had an interview to-day with M. Ralli, who told me that the report sent by the ministers of war and the interior from Pharsalos was in most respects highly satisfactory. He said they had wired him that the front line of the army was in battle array and the Turkish attack imminent. All preparations possible had been made for heroic defense, and the spirit of the army was better than before, owing to the change in the supreme command. Under the circumstances the cabinet deems it advisable to leave Gen. Smolenski with his own brigade and not to promote him to a higher post for the moment."

MISTAKES OF THE GREEKS.

The Attack Upon Prevesa Was Poorly Conducted.

London, May 4. — The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Arta says: "One of the worst mistakes the Greeks have made has been the casual and intermittent character of the attack upon Prevesa. Its capture was essential if the Greeks meant business in Epirus. To capture so strong a place by the means adopted was quite impossible and now the opportunity is lost altogether."

Loyalty for the Sultan.

London, May 4. — A special from Janina, Epirus, says: After traveling 200 miles across the country I found the greatest loyalty to the sultan and hatred of the Greeks everywhere. The Greek prisoners are bitter at the conduct of their officers. They are all well treated by the Turks. Seventy Turks and twenty-two Greeks are in one hospital here.

Greek Squadron Awaiting Orders.

London, May 4.—A dispatch to the Post from Karvassara says that the Greek squadron at Prevesa is passively awaiting orders, and that the Prevesa forts bombarded Actum on Saturday.

Overtures for Peace.

Athens, May 4.—It is said here on good authority that the powers have made overtures to Greece on the subject of peace but that the government declines to invoke the mediation of Europe. The king has decided to remain here for the present.

Col. Vassos Recalled.

Athens, May 4.—The Greek government has recalled Col. Vassos from Crete. He will be replaced in command of the Greek forces in the island by Col. Stalkos.

Cabinet Changes in Mexico.

City of Mexico, Special.—Current reports of the impending cabinet changes are based on the fact that the recent happy conclusion of the long pending boundary question between Mexico and England regarding Belize will relieve Minister Mariscal, who is not in good health, from the task of remaining at his post, and it is said he would like an opportunity for rest and travel, but the president regards him highly and his resignation would not be accepted readily.

To Break His Will.

La Porte, Ind., Special.—Morris Cutler of Wanksha, Wis., died recently leaving an estate valued at $1,500,000. James Cutler of Osage, Iowa, a brother, was named as the sole beneficiary, in addition to which the codicil provided for bequests to church and charitable institutions. The Cutlers residing in this city and at other points in Northern Indiana, of close relationship to the deceased, have begun contest proceedings.

Wood Alcohol His Death.

Albert Lea, Minn., Special. The coroner was called to Emmons to look into the death of T. Jostor Asiakson. He is reported to have been intoxicated for two days previously. He bought some wood alcohol for mechanical purposes, being a carpenter, but probably did not know of its poisonous nature, and drank it.

Colonists at Ortonville.

Ortonville, Minn., Special.—There arrived here a number of German families from Chicago, who will settle on farms at Lockwood. They will be followed by another colony next year.

New School Superintendent.

Litchfield, Minn., Special.—The board of education has received the resignation of Supt. Booker, who has been at the head of the schools for eleven years. Prof. R. G. Dewey of Morris was elected to the position.

NEWS FROM ATHENS.

Conflicting Reports Regarding the Diplomatic Attitude of Turkey.

Athens, May 4. — Col. Tosamedos, minister of war, and M. Theotokis, minister of the interior, are said to be favorably impressed with the situation at Pharsalos, both as respects the positions of the troops and the plan of defense. Rumors conflict materially as to the diplomatic attitude of Turkey. According to one report Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander in Thessaly, has asked an armistice of five days; according to another, an armistice exists by the tacit acquiescence of both commanders; while a third story describes Edhem Pasha as only awaiting reinforcements for an attack upon Pharsalos to be followed by an attack upon Volo. It is also said to be probable that Admiral Tamatello is preparing to prevent a possible attempt of the Turks to seize Volo by the coast roads.

Greece Anxious for the Powers to Mediate.

Paris, May 4.—Advices received here from Athens say that the Greek minister for foreign affairs, M. Skouloudis, is not opposed to mediation, but will not ask for it. Official circles at Athens, the advices add, seem anxious that the powers should impose mediation.

King George Has Spasms.

Paris, May 4. — An Athens dispatch asserts that King George is suffering from cardiacal spasms and that his physician insists that a change of air to the island of Milo or the island of Syra is necessary.

Levees in Good Shape.

Natchez, Miss., May 4.—The levees between St. Joe and this city are all looking well, and as the river is showing a slight decline there is little apprehension felt concerning them. The back levee of the Rosedale plantation in Concordia parish broke and completes the overflow of Concordia parish and the whole front is now under water from a point ten miles below Vidalia to the mouth of Red river.

Prominent Citizens Arrested.

Frankfort, Ky., May 4.—The warden of the penitentiary under the advice of the attorney general and other state officers swore out warrants against R. H. Sutter, K. H. Ethrington, Ambrose Ethrington, William Sharp and Wendell Trost, all prominent citizens, charging them with collusion and defrauding the state out of a large sum of money on bogus claims for lumber sold the penitentiary chair factory.

Southern Pacific Earnings.

New York, May 4.—The annual report of the Southern Pacific for 1896, just issued, shows gross earnings for the year to have been: Gross, $44,000,000; decrease, $1,790,357. Operating expenses, $31,962,200; decrease, $1,280,228. Net earnings, $10,704,400; decrease, $510,128. Surplus after charges, $1,789,553; decrease, $395,068.

Zertucha in Prison.

New York, May 4.—A dispatch from Havana says: Dr. Maximo Zertucha, Antonio Maceo's physician, who is alleged to have betrayed the Cuban general to the Spaniards, was arrested at his home near Guines and brought to Havana, under close guard. He is now in the military prison in the fortress of La Cabanas, opposite this city.

Cincinnati Has Two Mayors.

Cincinnati, May 4.—Last month Gustave Tafel was elected mayor to succeed Hon. J. A. Caldwell. The latter claims his term does not expire until July. Tafel qualified late last month and claims to be mayor now. Pending a decision of the supreme court, both are making appointments of members of the boards.

All Gave Bonds But Spalding.

Chicago, May 4.—All the indicted officials of the defunct Globe Savings bank, with the exception of ex-President Spalding, gave bonds and were released from custody. Spalding's bonds foot up nearly $320,000, and he cannot furnish that amount.

Composer Dead.

New York, May 4.—Woolson Morse, the composer, is dead in this city after an illness of six weeks, aged thirty years. He furnished the score and J. Cheever Goodwin the words of "The Merry Monarch," "Wang," "Panjandrum" and "Dr. Syntax."

A Railroad Sold.

Albuquerque, N. Mex., May 4.—The Atlantic & Pacific Railway company was sold at Gallup, this county, for $12,000,000. The only bidder was A. F. Walker, chairman of the board of directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway.

Davidson to Michael.

Toronto, Ont., May 4.—Harley Davidson, the well known bicyclist, will challenge Michael, the little Welshman, for a series of races of one and five miles, the third distance to be decided by the toss of a coin.

Snow Storm in Virginia.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 4.—A special to the Times from Bristol, Tenn., says: A heavy snow storm prevailed in southwest Virginia and the effect on small fruit and garden truck was disastrous.

Fish Packers Will Meet.

Cleveland, May 4. — A meeting attended by fish packers and dealers from all the fishing ports on the great lakes will be held in Chicago Friday for the purpose of forming a trust or pool.

Unitarian Conference.

Chicago, May 4.—The Western Unitarian conference was opened at Unity church, the exercises comprising a sermon by Rev. Ida C. Hulton of Moline, Ill., and a number of addresses.

Creamery a Total Loss.

Grand Meadow, Minn., May 4.—The co-operative creamery here was burned. It was a total loss. It is thought the fire caught in the engine room. The buttermaker was down town at the time the fire broke out.

Down a Shaft to Eternity.

St. Paul, May 4. — Nels P. Larson was killed by falling down a shaft in the new building of the Shufeldt Packing company at New Brighton. His neck was broken and his skull was fractured.

WHIPPED THE SPANIARDS.

Cubans Drive Them Back With Great Loss.

New York, Special.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says: A fight within a few miles of Santa Clara Friday night and Saturday morning between a Spanish column under Col. Aguirez was defeated by Col. Barrios with a loss of nearly 125 killed and wounded. The contending forces numbered about 800 men. The Cubans drove the Spaniards back after several machete charges. A small rapid-fire gun that the Cubans carried did great execution in the ranks of the Spaniards. The latter also lost four officers. An expedition was landed last week near La Grande near Santa Clara. Eight hundred Spanish troops tried to capture it but failed. One of the Hotchkiss guns that had been landed mowed the Spaniards down as they advanced to the attack. They stood for a few moments and then fled. It is said the Spanish loss was 98.

Rice County Old Settlers.

Faribault, Minn., Special.—The Old Settlers Association of Rice county met in this city with a large attendance. Several speeches upon early history were made. Twenty-five of the old members have died within a year. It was also shown that over 100 of the old settlers eligible to membership of this county had died in the same period.

Set Prairie Fires.

Miller, S. D., Special.—Joseph Cressy, a prominent farmer southeast of here, has been placed under arrest charged with setting a prairie fire which did considerable damage.

No Fight Pictures in Michigan.

Lansing, Special.—The house has passed a bill prohibiting the reproduction of prize fights by vitoscope, kinetoscope, etc. The penalty is a fine of $500 to $1,000 or two years' imprisonment or both.

FIGHTIHG IN CUBA

INSURGENTS DESTROY PROPERTY IN SANTA CLARA.

Fifty Huts, a Quantity of Furniture and Two Hundred Bales of Tobacco Burned — One Hundred Families Rendered Homeless—Military Commander of the District Asks for Reinforcements.

Havana, May 4.—On Saturday last it was officially announced the insurgents attacked the cultivation zone of Vueltas, Province of Santa Clara, and burned the ward of Santa Maria, fifty huts, a quantity of furniture and 200 bales of tobacco, rendering 100 families homeless. The military commander of the district has asked for assistance and the Estremadura battalion has been sent to reinforce him.

RIOTING IN SAN LUIS.

Laboring Classes Form Mobs and Threaten Violence.

New York, May 4.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says:

Serious rioting is reported from San Luis province and the government has sent troops there to preserve order. The outbreak is the result of great destitution and suffering in the province, and the delay of congress in extending aid to the sufferers. The rioting is confined to the laboring classes. A mob was formed and open threats were made against the governor of the province. As a result of the critical situation congress at once decided to extend aid to the sufferers, but in spite of this the rioting continues.

THREE WERE POISONED.

Looks Like an Attempt on the Lives of the Family.

Cincinnati, May 4. — A special from Brazil, Ind., says: Mrs. Clark Moore, her sixteen-year-old son and sixteen-year-old daughter and her young granddaughter are in a critical condition from poisoning. They were taken ill after dinner. The physicians pronounce it arsenical poisoning, but the manner in which it was administered was a mystery. Mr. Moore and two other children, who ate at the same table were not affected. It is believed an attempt was made by some enemy on the lives of the family.

ACCOUNTS ARE SHORT.

Prominent Officials in Cincinnati in a Tough Position.

Cincinnati, May 4.—Another sensation in official circles was created by the revelation that John C. Whetstone, secretary of the water works, and Albert F. Ensline, one of the receivers, are short in their accounts. An investigation is in progress, from which, it is said, that it already appears that Whetstone's shortage will reach $15,000. The amount of Enline's deficit does not yet appear.

J. V. CRUM DEAD.

Demise Due to an Operation for Appendicitis.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 4.—John V. Crum, the famous sprinter, died here in the hospital, as the result of an operation for appendicitis. Crum ran and jumped a week ago without previous training, which caused his illness.

Denied by Gen. Lee.

Milwaukee, May 4.—Gen. Joseph B. Doe denies the charges telegraphed from Washington to the effect that he took advantage of his position as assistant secretary of war to supply himself with many useful and ornamental articles at the expense of the government. He declined to make specific denial of the different charges, but declared that the accusations constituted a ridiculous mass of falsehoods. He also defended Mr. Whitton of Janesville, who was his secretary.

Street Railway Employes.

Dayton, Ohio, May 4. — A delegate convention of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America is in session here. The delegates are from the state bodies and represent numerous minor brotherhoods and federations. The secretary's report shows that internal dissensions have been subdued and that the strikes of the past year have been of a different character and more successful than ever before.

Looks Like Foul Play.

Cincinnati, May 4. — William Moore was locked up here charged with fraudulently soliciting aid from Masonic lodges. Three months ago William Moore, a wealthy shoe dealer of Rochester, N. Y., disappeared and took with him about $5,000. It is thought the man arrested here knows something of the whereabouts of Mr. Moore and has been impersonating him. It is feared that Mr. Moore has been foully dealt with.

Base Ball Player Injured.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, May 4. — Capt. Thomas, of the Iowa State university base ball club, was seriously injured at Mount Vernon in a game with Cornell college. Thomas, who was on first base, stooped to pick up the ball when Smith, of Cornell, collided with him, striking the captain on the temple with his knee. Thomas was unconscious for several hours, and it is feared has sustained fatal injuries.

For the Heirs of Lynched Italians.

Washington, May 4.—President McKinley has sent to congress a message concerning the lynching of three Italians at Hahnville, La., on the night of Aug. 8, 1896. He recommends the appropriation of $6,000 for the heirs of the persons without admitting the liability of the United States in the premises. The message is accompanied by papers from the secretary of state.

Early Log Drive.

Grantsburg, Wis., May 4.—The big St. Croix drive, containing some 50,000,000 feet, will reach the big dam to-night, where the boom company takes charge of them. This is the earliest since the dam was built.

Fires in the Woods.

Ashland, Wis., May 4.—Forest fires are starting up about Ashland. A big fire has been burning for several days across the bay. Another is threatening Brule and has burned a store at Maple, near here.

DENIED AT WASHINGTON.

No Communication From the British Government Concerning Hawaii.

Washington, Special—There has been no communication from the British government to the authorities here concerning Hawaii, and the report emanating in Japan that Great Britain had expressed disapproval of Hawaiian annexation to the United States is denied by officials. A similar denial is made by officials of the Japanese government as to the reports that negotiations have been opened between Tokio and Washington relating to Hawaii. The Japanese foreign office has gazetted the promotion of the present Japanese consul general at Hawaii to the rank of minister resident. This gives him larger authority in dealing with diplomatic affairs between Japan and Hawaii, and the legation here has no further jurisdiction of the subject except as it may affect the relation of the United States and Japan.

Utilizing Marsh Grass.

Oshkosh, Wis., Special—In thirty days Oshkosh will have in operation the first grass twine factory in the world. It will employ 300 hands and will make binding twine from marsh grass, something never done before.

Somewhere to Live.

Washington, Special.—The president is receiving almost daily invitations from friends and admirers asking him to spend his summer outing at different resorts. Summer residences in the mountains and at the seashore have been tendered him. Most of the invitations come from New England.

Gets the Death Penalty.

Atlanta, Ga., Special.—H. S. Perry, who killed Bely Lanier at Decatur March 8, alleging that Lanier had been guilty of an assault upon the person of his (Perry's) wife, was convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged.

FORTY-SIX COUNTS.

In an Indictment Found Against Bank Cashier Hatch.

Helena, Mont., May 4.—The United States grand jury made its final report to-day. Indictments against Vice President Edgerton, Assistant Cashier Hill and Director Beattie, of the failed First National bank, which were presented at the last term and quashed on technicalities, were ignored and the defendants discharged. The grand jury found forty-six counts against Benton D. Hatch, cashier of the Northwestern National Bank of Great Falls, charging, among other things, that he took $2,000 of the bank's money to buy the stock of Conrad brothers.

WILL KILL HIM.

That, of Course, Will Be Norman's Fate if Caught.

Larimore, N. D., May 4. — August Norman, the man who cut the throats of four sons of Knute Hilstead and assaulted Mrs. Hilstead, is still at large. A large party is scouring the country, but as yet no clue of his whereabouts has been found. If captured and brought here he will do well to make his peace with God, for his life will not be safe.

Prairie and Forest Fires.

Bismarck, N. D., May 4. — Prairie fires have been doing great damage in this county during the past week. The grass is dry and burns with great fierceness. Joseph Jennings, a farmer living a few miles north of here, lost his barn, several horses and 300 bushels of grain. Matthew O'Brien, living in the same neighborhood, lost his house, barn and all his farm machinery.

Stole $18,000 and Skipped.

Webster City, Iowa, May 4. — It is announced that the amount of Cashier H. H. Espe's theft from the Savings Bang of Radcliffe is in the neighborhood of $18,000. The bank has transferred its business to the State Bank of Radcliffe. Espes has left for parts unknown and no trace of him can be found.

A Short Sentence.

West Superior, Wis., May 4.—W. L. Mosse pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzlement, and received a sentence of six months in the county jail. He was local manager of the Superior Telephone company and attempted to commit suicide by morphine recently when about to be arrested.

Bad for Both.

Albert Lea, Minn., May 4. — While Hon. Elleud Erickson and wife of Bath were out driving the team ran away and both were thrown out of the carriage and severely injured. Mr. Erickson had a leg and Mrs Erickson an arm broken, and both were severely injured otherwise.

Seeding in South Dakota.

Yankton, S. D., May 4.—Small grain has all been planted in South Dakota and much of it is coming up nicely. The surface moisture has entirely disappeared except on the bottom lands. Wheat will be more extensively cultivated this year than ever before.

Arrested for Forgery.

Jamestown, N. D., May 4.—William Scott Cummings, a painter, who has been in the city for several weeks, was arrested and taken to Mandan to answer to several charges of forgery. Cummings has served one term for forgery.

May 29 for Decoration.

St. Paul, May 4.—The governor has issued his memorial day proclamation recommending that Saturday, May 29, be observed, the 30th falling on Sunday. This is in deference to the old soldiers, who want to observe the 29th.

Seven Thousand for a Life.

Eau Claire, Wis., May 4. — In the case of John Erickson against the Dells Lumber company a judgment for Erickson for $7,000 and interest for personal injuries was affirmed. Erickson died three weeks ago.

South Dakota Odd Fellows.

Huron, S. D., May 4.—The annual session of the grand lodge of South Dakota Odd Fellows, the grand encampment and Daughters of Rebekah assembly will begin in Aberdeen May 18, continuing three days.

Lawyers Elect.

Eau Claire, Wis., May 4.—The Eau Claire County Bar association at its annual meeting elected T. F. Frawley president; Ira B. Bradford, vice president and Frederick A. Teall, secretary and treasurer.

To Prison for Life.

Clinton, Iowa, May 4. — Christian Eckerlebe, for the murder of Mina Kiel, near Bellevue, on July 4, 1896, was sentenced by Judge Waterman for life imprisonment and has been taken to Anamosa.

Defeated on Habeas Corpus.

Grand Rapids, Minn., May 4. — The governor's requisition to take W. P. Nisbett, one of the jewelers of this place, back to Illinois, was defeated on habeas corpus. The matter will be appealed.

Cycle Path in Sight.

Faribault, Minn., May 4.—A subscription paper is being circulated for the purpose of building a bicycle path to one of the lakes, a distance, including the return, of eighteen miles.

Trying to Save Kellihan.

Fairmont, Minn., May 4.—The attorney of Lewis Kellihan, under sentence of death for the murder of George A. Thorburn, has made application for a new trial.

Dead at Stillwater.

Stillwater, Minn., May 4. — Charles Shogreen, a well known logger and woodsman, died in the city hospital of heart disease. He was sixty-six years old.

Needed at Aberdeen.

Oakes, N. D., May 4. — One John Grass, wanted at Aberdeen, S. D., on charge of intimacy with a woman, was apprehended here and taken back.

A Bank Closes.

St. Charles, Minn., May 4.—The St. Charles Deposit bank has given depositors notice to withdraw their deposits.

Slayton's Jail Leaky.

Slayton, Minn., May 4. — Dick Lee and Joe Gies escaped from jail here.

SERIOUS CHARGES.

Capt. Romeyn Prefers Charges Against His Accusers.

Atlanta, Ga., Special.—The thirteen army officers constituting the court martial before which Capt. Henry Romeyn is now on trial at Fort McPherson, have received orders from the war department to the effect that upon the conclusion of the present trial they shall remain in Atlanta to await further instructions. The order is regarded as very significant from the fact that Capt. Romeyn has preferred charges against Lieut. M. J. O'Brien, of the Fifth infantry, who is the former officer's accuser in the case now being tried. The charges against O'Brien are said to be very serious, and should he ever be brought up for trial it is expected that there will be some very lively proceedings which will totally eclipse in sensation the trial of Romeyn.

Accused of Counterfeiting.

Algona, Iowa, Special—Miles Marshall of Britt, Hancock county, has been arrested on a charge of passing, manufacturing and having in his possession counterfeit coin. The counterfeit silver dollar is said to be a dangerous one. His brother was arrested as an accomplice, and in default of $2,000 bail the two were committed to jail.

Chinaman Jerked Heaven.

Spokane, Wash., Special.—Gin Fon was hanged for the murder of Lee Tong, one of the most atrocious in the history of the Northwest. Fon having literally hacked his victim to pieces. Prior to the execution he confessed his built, professed faith in the Christian religion and was attended by two Christian Chinese ministers.

Indicted for Embezzlement.

Atlanta, Ga., Special.—Henry A. Cassin, the defaulting cashier of the Georgia Loan, Savings and Banking company, has been indicted by the grand jury, embezzlement being the charge.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Interesting Happenings in the North Star State.

A colony of Noblis county people have emigrated to Eugene City, Ore.

A commercial club has been formed at Hutchinson.

Peter B. Melbostad has been commissioned postmaster at Wolverton.

A post office has been established at Tuthill, Anoka county, with Charles D. Tuthill as postmaster.

The force of men at the Great Northern shops at Barnesville is to be very largely increased in the near future.

The two-year-old son of Fred Hunkins, a messenger in the employ of the American Express company at Winona, lost his life by drowning.

Harvey Halstead, employed in the Hennepin paper mill at Little Falls, had an arm crushed and was badly burned.

The residence of D. N. Green, three miles out of Verndale, burned to the ground. It caught from a defective flue. Insurance, $600.

William Nagles of Park Rapids died very suddenly from heart failure. He was an old settler and a prominent farmer.

Sam Arnold of Melrose, a brakeman on the Great Northern, had his hand crushed while coupling cars at Milaca. Dr. Nichols amputated the index finger of the right hand.

Ralph Yates of New Ulm was first in the examination of candidates for West Point, with Mark Woolery of Blue Earth City as alternate. Six candidates took the examination.

Mrs. Ellen Spaulding, wife of Willard Spaulding and a most estimable woman of Maine Prairie, committed suicide while laboring under a temporary fit of insanity.

Fire at Little Falls destroyed the livery barn of the Columbia hotel, owned by William Von Demars. The horses were saved. The fire was set by small boys playing with matches. Insured.

Adolph Schriver of the town of Graham, Benton county, fell from the roof of a house where he was building a chimney, and died a few minutes after being picked up. He was aged forty years and leaves a wife and family.

In the United States court at Mankato a verdict for the railroad was rendered in the case of R. J. Sheridan of Faribault against the Chicago & Northwestern railway. Sheridan sued for $6,000 damages for ejectment from a train.

William Severton's body was found in the Cobb river, in Medo township, near Mankato. It is believed to have been there two days, but whether he was accidentally drowned or committed suicide is unknown, although opinion leans towards the latter theory.

Anton Swenson, a farm hand, arrested for the theft of a bicycle, pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $40 and costs. The bicycle was stolen last September from Olof Olson, grand recorder of the A. O. U. W. of Minnesota.

The Moorhead relief committee having in charge the government allowance has arranged for paying bills for subsistence stores, which amount to nearly $600, as soon as the funds are received from the government. The committee decided to ask for $400 additional.

If the water in Lake St. Croix at Stillwater continues falling a few days longer the boom company will start its works. The only mill running there is the East Side mill. As soon as the boom starts up other mills begin.

I. O. Ringness of New London was arrested by Deputy Game Warden S. E. Fay for illegal fishing. Mr. Ringness was summoned before Judge Otterness in justice court at Willmar and pleaded guilty of catching one pickerel. He was fined $20 and costs.

Engineer Darling, of the Northern Pacific surveying crew, is in Little Falls, and has set the citizens again talking about a new depot. The latest reports are that the Northern Pacific will build a tunnel under the Mississippi at that place.

Mrs. Esther Cross, an old settler in McLeod county, died at the age of sixty-six years. Her husband was well known there during the Indian outbreak and previously. He was killed by the Indians in September, 1862.

Fire broke out in the engine house at Olivia, and had it not been discovered heavy damages would have been done. The loss was small and fully covered by insurance. This makes the second fire that has occurred in the building within a month.

The railroad station at Royalton was burglarized. A small amount of express matter was stolen. The United States mail was left untouched. Entrance was effected by breaking a window. No clue.

State Auditor Robert C. Dunn has rented the state hospital site at Anoka for two years. No timber is to be cut and no land is to be broken. The lease was made in parcels, and the total amount realized was $930 cash, the Hanson farm of 111 acres renting at $200.

Four tramps that robbed a store at Riceville, Iowa, last week, were surrounded at Taopi by Marshal Nelson and citizens. A fight with guns took place, the robbers being well armed. Several shots were exchanged, but done took effect. Three tramps were captured and are now in jail.

Judge Searle has been asked to grant an injunction by the Case Implement company, at Little Falls, to restrain Officer Lauerman from removing machinery from his wagon factory, as the company holds a mortgage on it. The case will go to the supreme court before it is settled.

Jacob Leonard, who has been on trial in the United States court at Mankato for several days, charged with issuing fraudulent pension papers in Nicollet county, has been found guilty and sentenced to Stillwater one year. Judge Lochren pronounced the sentence. Mr. Leonard is an old man, very feeble, and is unlikely to serve out the sentence.

A trim government steamboat has been launched at Pokegama Falls. Lieut. Col. W. A. Jones, chief engineer of the Upper Mississippi reservoir system, and others interested in the government work, were present, and named the craft "the Gen. Poe." The steamer is seventy-two feet long, seventeen feet beam and draws from fourteen to eighteen inches.

The grand lodge of Druids of the State of Minnesota will meet in the city of Winona June 15 and 16. Elaborate preparations are being made for their reception. The large Philharmonic hall has been engaged, and a concert and other events are being arranged for their entertainment. During the meeting of the grove the corner stone of the building to be erected by the local grove will be laid with imposing ceremonies.

Cholera Experiments in Iowa.

Des Moines, May 1.—Both houses of the legislature have passed a law asked for by James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, causing the governor to accept the rules of the department of agriculture to stamp out hog cholera. It is proposed to select one or more counties where the disease is worst, inspect all hogs, kill those affected and keep diseased hogs out. The federal government pays all expense.

Will Be Expelled From Cuba.

Havana, May 1. — The case against the insurgent leader, Jose Poretto Cepo, a naturalized American citizen who commanded the insurgent cavalry in the engagement at Matiempo, and who was captured last year on board a coasting vessel bound from Cienfuegos to Battabano, has been decided. He has been sentenced to be expelled from Cuba.

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Impure Air Blood

Eating rich and hearty food, sweets and fats in winter, close confinement and breathing vitiated air in office, store, shop, house, factory or schoolroom, necessarily makes the blood impure. **Take** and eruptions, boils, pimples, humors, are the result. Dizziness, indigestion and many other troubles are also caused by impure blood.

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Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, indigestion, biliousness. 25 cents.

BEAUTY IN MATURITY.

A Woman Is at Her Best Later in Life—Some Notable Examples.

The physical beauty of women should last, growing more and more mellow women, like that of men, should be determined from the standpoint of advancing maturity cannot be disputed. It is absurd to claim that the ripe, rich beauty of forty is less attractive than the budding maturity of sweet sixteen. When women live in harmony with nature's laws each stage of life has its own charm. The fullness of beauty does not reach its zenith under the age of thirty-five or forty. Helen of Troy came upon the stage at the age of forty. Aspasia was thirty-six when married to Pericles, and she was a brilliant figure thirty years thereafter. Cleopatra was past thirty years when she first met Antony. Diane de Poictiers was thirty-six when she won the heart of Henry II. The king was half her age, but his devotion never changed. Anne of Austria was thirty-eight when described as "the most beautiful woman in Europe. Mme. de Maintenon was forty-three when united to Louis, and Catherine of Russia was thirty-three when she seized the throne she occupied for thirty-five years.

Mlle. Mar was most beautiful at forty-five, and Mme. Recamier between the ages of thirty-five and fifty-five. The most lasting and intense passion is not inspired by two-decade beauties. The old saw about sweet-sixteen, is exploded by the truer knowledge that the highest beauty does not dwell in immaturity. For beauty does not mean alone the fashion of form and coloring, as found in the waxen doll. The dew of youth and a complexion of roses are admirable for that period; but a woman's best and richest years are from thirty-six to forty. It is an arrant error for any woman to regard herself as passe at any age, if she grows old gracefully. Chicago Chronicle.

An Eastern college girl jilted a poet and married a butcher.

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will remove the poisonous Uric Acid by putting the Kidneys in a healthy condition so that they will naturally eliminate it.

CYCLISTS CAN'T DANCE.

At Least, an Englishman Says They Can't Do It Gracefully.

A new terror threatens the cyclist. It is asserted that bicycling injures the power of dancing. People who cycle a lot, according to a medical man, find it almost impossible to perform the graceful movements required by waltzing, says Answers.

"Wheeling," says the doctor, "causes the muscular portion of the calf of the leg to bulge out considerably beyond its natural line, and any cyclist will admit that after a ride of ten or fifteen miles walking is irksome.

The Uncle.

"Go to the ant, thou sluggard," they said, sternly.

He shrugged his shoulders.

"Uncle," he muttered.

Assuredly he would not work as long as he had a shirt to pawn.—Detroit Journal.

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Sweet and Guileless.

Mrs. Bunker—You ought to have been at our church Sunday. The minister preached a sermon that would, I think, have interested you very much.

Mrs. Dockey—Indeed, what was the subject?

Mrs. Bunker—"The Art of Growing Old Gracefully."

They say the ensuing proceedings were frightful.

Getting Ridiculous.

"Well," said the man without a newspaper, "what is the news from abroad to-day? How is the concert of the powers getting along?"

"Poorly, I should judge," said the disgusted man with more news than he wanted. "It seems to have been turned into a very low class, continuous show vaudeville."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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"Darling," she said, "do you love me as much as ever?"

"Indeed, I do," he exclaimed, fervently; but he added, sotto voce: "I have only found out recently how much that was."—Somerville Journal.

Germany has now electric lights in over 1,000 postal cars, and Austria is about to adopt the same system.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c

A frontage overlooking the west steps of St. Paul's cathedral has been rented for diamond jubilee day at over £2,000.

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For children teething softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

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To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Prepared for It.

He (ecstatically)—Miss De Peyster promised to marry me last night.

She (calmly)—I congratulate you.

He—You don't seem to be surprised.

She—No, I can't say that I am. I heard her say yesterday that she had made up her mind to have a husband before the year was out, and that almost any old thing would do.—Somerville Journal.

The annual earnings of miners in Silesia, Germany, are, after subtracting the insurance, only $174 to $260.

Physicians Wise in Their Generation.

The above class of scientists recognize and have repeatedly borne testimony to the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a remedy and preventive of fever and ague, rheumatism, want of vigor, liver complaint and some other ailments and infirm conditions of the system. Experience and observation have taught them its value. They but echo the verdict long since pronounced by the public and the press. Only the benighted now are ignorant of America's tonic and alterative.

A clergyman who has returned from Formosa says that insurrection prevails all over the island. The Japanese have killed hundreds of people in cold blood.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, $1. All druggists.

An order has been issued forbidding the sale of liquor in the restaurants of the Maine Central railroad.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has been a family medicine with us since 1865.—J. R. Madison, 2409 42d Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A patient brought into Guy's hospital, London, the other day, on being told that his leg was fractured, exclaimed with fervor, "Thank God, it ain't broke."

Hall's Catarrh Cure

Is a constitutional cure. Price, 75c.

Oranges have been grown in Lyons county, Kan., the owner of a tree having plucked three this season.

Not one of the women who held office during the last year in Ellis, Kan., secured re-election at the late election.

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"BUT, Hal, you would like her," said Col. Vandycke. "I am certain of it."

"That is where I disagree with you," remarked Halleck Dane. "A proud, haughty heiress, accustomed to have every one fall down and worship at her shrine!"

"A dear, gentle little girl, with just spirit and sparkle enough to redeem her from the charge of insipidity," protested Col. Vandycke. "Come, forego your prejudices, Hal, and accompany me to Miss Freyling's reception tonight, and I will present you to our little Queen of Love and Beauty."

Halleck Dane shrugged his broad shoulders deprecatingly.

"I have always said," he declared, with quiet obstinacy, "that my wife should not be selected in the glare and glitter of a ballroom. My regrets to Miss Freyling, and my thanks to yourself, but I have some letters to write this evening, and I must make a hermit of myself for the time being."

Col. Vandycke shook his head.

"Go, then, Hermit of the Wilderness," said he, "but if you die a wretched bachelor, lay not the blame to me."

Mr. Dane laughed, but the smile died away from his lips, as he entered the twilight solitude of the village street.

"I will not be introduced to Miss Durande," he said to himself. "A man's time and individuality are his yet, I hope, but I have no surplus leisure to spare in heiress-worship."

Halleck Dane had been physician in charge of the Lindley hospital for three months now. Lindley was a gay little town, with a military station close by, half a dozen churches, a town hall, an atheneum, and several manufactories.

Dane avoided making the acquaintance of Miss Durande, the belle and beauty of the place. In fact, he had not even seen her as yet.

"I came here to work, not to flirt," he said, brusquely.

Miss Dorella Durande did not understand this in the least. She was a pretty, sweet natured young girl, who liked all the world, and expected all the world to like her. And at last she reluctantly made up her mind that Dr. Dane did not want to cultivate her acquaintance.

"Let him go," said Dorella, pretending not to care a pin's point. "There are plenty of pleasant people in Lindley without him!"

And after that she was careful to time her visits to the hospital so that she would not meet the physician in charge.

"I can't give up my poor, sick people," said Dorella, "but I won't have any sneering scientist contemptuously overlooking me."

Miss Freyling had chosen an unfortunate evening for her reception.

"Of all nights in the year for old Hannah Hopkins to fall sick—on the edge of Owl Glen!" said Dr. Dane, looking dolorously at his order tablet, as he shook the snow off his coat collar in front of the fire. "But I suppose there's no help for it—she's old and poor, and has no troops of friends to rally to her aid."

THE MYSTERY IS SOLVED.

His horse, unfortunately, was dead lame, and having no fancy for driving the poor teams turned out by the local livery stable, Dr. Dane resolved to walk the four solitary miles, bounded by pine forests and surrounded by desolate hills that lay between the village and Owl Glen.

He had not gone far, however, before he became dimly conscious, through the snow, of a little buckboard wagon in front of him drawn by a stout, gray pony and driven by a woman in a dread-naught gray sacque, with a fur cap, pulled down over her ears.

"Some farmer's wife returning late," he thought. "I wish she would be polite enough to offer me a ride."

He spoke up briskly. "Madame," he said, "I am Dr. Dane."

The pony was abruptly checked. "I am going to Owl Glen to seek a sick woman," he added. "If you would kindly allow me to ride with you as far as our ways lie together—"

"Oh, certainly," said the solitary driver: "jump in. I am going to Owl Glen myself."

"Perhaps you know Hannah Hopkins!" hazarded the doctor, who was rather pleased by a something quick, lively and energetic in the tone of his interlocutor.

"Oh, yes, I know her very well. That's where I am going," said the woman—no farmer's wife, as Dr. Dane began dimly to comprehend. Now she touched up the pony at full speed.

"It must be Miss Martineau, the rector's sister," thought Dr. Dane. "No one else would take the trouble to drive out such a night as this, merely to see a miserable old pauper woman. "And he said aloud, "I beg your pardon, Miss Martineau, for not recognizing you before."

Did she laugh? or did he only fancy it? But she answered, quietly, "It is rather an unfavorable atmosphere for recognitions of any sort."

And they drove on faster than ever.

"She's an excellent whip," thought Dr. Dane, "and the horse isn't any ordinary village hack or farm screw."

"How it snows!" he said, at last. "But you don't seem to mind it!"

"I don't at all," was the reply. "I'm used to wind and weather."

"Then it can't be Miss Martineau, after all," cogitated the doctor. "Oh, I see now—it's Phebe Otway, the village nurse, whom all the poor people send for. But I can't imagine Daniel Otway's wife with such a sweet, musically modulated voice. It's a gift of heaven to save people, I suppose. Well, I respect Phebe for having the energy and resolution to face a storm like this for the very problematical payment which she has to expect from old Hannah Hopkins!"

And then he relapsed into silence after one or two more remarks, to which his companion did not seem inclined to reply, save in monosyllables, until they stopped in the midst of a whirling snowdrift, before old Hannah's cabin, on the edge of a thicket of pines.

"Shall I put the horse out?" Dr. Dane asked. "There is neither man nor boy here to render such services, and—"

"I can put him out myself," said the woman, quickly. "I know where the lantern and the matches are kept in the shed, and I have taken Prince Charles in and out of the shafts many a time."

Without waiting for an answer, she led the pony around the corner of the house and vanished as it were into a white wilderness, while Dr. Dane opened the door and went into the sick room, where he wretched old octogenarian lay groaning by the light of a pine wood fire alone.

"Well, Hannah," said he, cheerfully, "how are you?"

But, instead of answering, the old woman screwed up her eyes to peer past him into the gloom, as if expecting yet another figure to appear.

The next instant the back door opened and a small, slight figure came in, already freed from clumsy cloak or sheltering fur cap—a girl of perhaps twenty, with clear, brown eyes, rosy cheeks and coils of brown hair wound around and around her head. Hannah's blear eyes brightened at the noiseless apparition.

"I knew you would come, pretty one," she said. "You always come where there is pain or trouble or heavy hearts, my queen."

"So," said Dr. Dane to himself, "it is neither Miss Martineau nor Daniel Otway's wife. I wonder who it is."

All that wild, tempestuous night the two kept vigil at Hannah Hopkins' bedside, and, in his secret heart, the doctor confessed that he had never seen a quicker comprehension, a more tender heart, a stronger fortitude, than that of his unknown companion. And when, at daybreak, the angel of death set the prisoned spirit free, and they sat alone by the corpse, Dr. Dane spoke out:

"We can do no more for the poor creature," said he. "She's at rest, now. Let me take you to your friends."

"No," said the girl, quietly. "I shall stay here until some of the village people come. I will not leave her, poor soul!"

"Can I send some one?" he asked.

"If you choose," she answered.

"But I don't like to leave you alone."

"Do not be afraid," she said, a little scornfully.

So Halleck Dane left her. Fortunately he met some one a few rods in the road, and returned with reinforcements—a sturdy old farmer and his wife.

"Miss Durande," cried the woman, the minute her eye fell on the slight figure at the bedside, "you never mean to say that you have been here all night! But I don't b'lieve old Hannah could have died without you, she was that fond of you. Heaven bless your sweet face!"

Dr. Dane started, feeling the color mount to his face.

"Ah!" said he, striving to speak calmly, "so the mystery is solved! You are Miss Durande!"

"Yes," she said, "I am Miss Durande. I did not reveal my identity before, because I knew you did not like me, Dr. Dane."

"But I do like you," said the doctor, impulsively. "It was only my fancied ideal of Miss Durande that I disliked!"

"Was it just to be judge, jury and executioner, without even allowing the poor defendant to put in a plea?" asked Dorella.

"It was cowardly and base," admitted Dr. Dane. "If you can forgive me, do. But I shall find it impossible to forgive myself."

The heiress held out her hand with a most fascinating smile beginning to dimple the corners of her perfect mouth.

"Such humility is irresistible," said she. "You are pardoned!"

They drove home together the best friends in the world, Dr. Dane wondering how it was possible that the real Miss Durande should be so unlike the silly, simpering, conceited little personage whom he had decided she must be—and Dorella, woman-like, thinking all the more of him because she had been called upon to forgive his shortcomings.

Of course the sequel remains to be told. Of course Dr. Dane and Dorella Durande liked each other all the better, now, for having so heartily despised each other before. And one day Dr. Hal told Miss Durande that he liked her better than any one else in the world—and, in return, Miss Durande confessed that "she loved him—oh, so dearly!"

And when he heard of it, Col. Vandycke laughed as if it were a supreme joke.

"Didn't I tell you, long ago?" said he.—New York Ledger.

PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES.

Why It Is That One Bicycle Rider Carries Money.

For two days Grim has been getting his wheel in shape for the warm weather campaign, says the Detroit Free Press. "I'm getting pretty well along in years," he said, in discussing the matter, "and was a little slow in accepting the bicycle as something to be encouraged, but now I come pretty near being a crank. I'm fixing this machine up as a jeweler would a watch. I know where every tool is and what it's for. But there's something else. See this little pocket here inside my bicycle coat? See how this strong strap of cloth buckles over it, and notice the lining of chamois. That's for money; an emergency fund that is never to be disturbed until I come face to face with the emergency. Now, I'll explain. Last summer I grew ambitious and made a long run into the country. I timed myself wrong and started home a trifle late. I was scorching through the main street of a little town out here when a big fellow rushed to the middle of the road, spread his legs like a colossus, threw his arms out and yelled 'Halt!' I halted and was promptly informed that I owed $2 for riding without a lamp. I tried to explain, but the big constable was not there for argument. Then I took the ground that he couldn't fine me and that I at least had the right to a trial. 'You're tried now,' he roared, 'an' found guilty. Didn't I ketch you at it? Is there any lantern hitched to that ole velocipede of yours? You settle or go inter th' calerboose. You can't come 'round here tellin' me nuthin' 'bout the ordinances of this here cor-p'ration.' My chief trouble was that I had no money. I had left home with very little, and there are roadhouses on that route. After a long plea I got the officer to hold my bicycle for security till I could come to Detroit for money. Then I broke for the station, where there was a train soon due. But it came upon me like a 1,000 volt shock that it takes cash to ride on railroads. I left my $150 watch with the agent before I could get a ticket. If such a thing should occur again there will be money right here in this little pocket."

She Saw.

On a recent afternoon, says the Washington Post, a large blond lady—good looking, too—passed by the messengers who guard the part of the senate wing which is reserved exclusively for the press. As she went by one of the messengers said: "That is private, madam." "Oh, I just want to look out of the window," she replied, and walked along. The messenger hurried after her and continued, "But that is private, and you are not permitted to go back there." She didn't blink an eyelash, but walked along. "I beg your pardon," said the messenger, coming up with her. "Oh, you can come along with me if you want to," she replied, smiling at him sweetly. "I want to see what is to be seen from this window." And she did.

Doesn't Follow.

Miss Singleton—"Married? No. I hope not. The men are all fools."

Mrs. Midmay—"I don't see how you can say such things."—Boston Transcript.

A MAN CAN ENDURE.

LIVES WITHOUT MUCH DIFFICULTY IN THE EXTREMES.

One Result of Nansen's Expedition—The Records of Meteorological Observations Are Very Valuable in Several Ways.

NOT the least interesting of the many results of Nansen's expedition are the records of meteorological observations that were continued almost uninterruptedly for the better part of three years, and which throw distinct light upon the climatic conditions of the far north. These show, says the Indianapolis news, what had already been suspected by scientists, that, so far as a minimum temperature is concerned, the highest northern latitudes are more favorably situated than many regions lying full fifteen or twenty degrees (approximately 1,000-1,400 miles) farther to the south. The lowest reading of Nansen's thermometer, registered on board the Fram, was 61.5 degrees Fahrenheit, or some 12 to 15 degrees higher than the minimum noted by the British polar expedition of 1875-6, and 8 degrees above the minimum of Kane. The lowest winter temperature recorded by Mr. Peary was 53 degrees Fahrenheit. In strange contrast to this in itself sufficiently severe temperature are the rigors of certain less favored localities lying south. Thus, in the Kara sea, which lies between Nova Zembla and Siberia, and whose center is approximately crossed by the seventy-third parallel of latitude, a temperature of 61 degrees is by no means uncommon, and the sea, partly from this cause and partly from the fact that it is largely choked with ice, has justly received the name of the "ice cellar" of Eurasia.

At Yakutsk, in Siberia, a well-known governmental post, lying considerably southward or outside of the arctic circle, a temperature of from 70 to 80 degrees below is reported almost annually; and at Verkhojansk, which is situated almost within the same broad region, but somewhat on the polar side of the circle, there is a registry of 92 degrees for the month of January, 1894. Prof. Mohn, the distinguished Norwegian scientist, asserts, moreover, that at the Russian station at the mouth of the Lena river, Siberia, the extraordinary low temperature of 94 degrees Fahrenheit has been recorded.

That man should be able to endure, one might say almost with impunity, such excessive severity of climate is not a little remarkable, and it is more surprising when it is considered in connection with his endurance of the opposite extreme, that is, the highest summer temperature. We have as yet, perhaps, no absolutely reliable data for the highest sun temperature on the earth's surface, but it may safely be assumed to be in the neighborhood of or even beyond 150 degrees. It is claimed by Alexander Von Humboldt that Ritchie observed near Mourzouk, in northern Africa, a temperature (in a measure reflected from the desert sands) of 135 degrees in the shade, which is probably the highest that comes authoritatively from the records of travelers. If this is true, then there can be little doubt that the sun temperature was fully 15 degrees higher. With the two extremes before us, then, we have for the human subject a climatic resistance of at least 244 degrees, or 32 degrees more than is found in the range between zero and the boiling point of water. How much more than this man could endure it is difficult to say, but doubtless many degrees could yet be added to either side of the thermometric scale without materially or necessarily affecting his system. His resistance to the temperature of furnace rooms, as is evidenced in the work of stokers on board the transatlantic liners, is an indication of this. And yet more the remarkable experiments recently conducted by the eminent physicist Raoul Pictet upon his own person, when by artificial processes he subjected his body to a temperature of 65 degrees.

BUDAPEST.

The Picturesque and Lively Yankee City of the Old World.

Budapest, as everybody knows, is formed of two cities, separated by the Danube and joined together like New York and Brooklyn by great bridges, says Scribner's. Buda is a city hundreds of years old and rises on a great hill covered with yellow houses with red-tiled roofs and surmounted by fortresses and ancient German looking castles and the palace of the king, with terraces of marble and green gardens running down to meet the river. It still is a picturesque fortified city of the middle ages. Pesth, just across the way, is the most modern city in Europe—more modern than Paris, better paved and better lighted, with better facilities for rapid transit than New York, and with houses of parliament as massive and impressive as those on the banks of the Thames and not unlike them in appearance. Pesth is the Yankee city of the old world, just as the Hungarians are called the Americans of Europe. It has grown rapidly in forty years, and it has sacrificed neither beauty of space nor line in growing. It has magnificent public gardens, as well as a complete fire department; it has the best club in the world, the Park club, and it has found time to put electric tramways under ground and to rear monuments to poets, orators and patriots above ground. People in Berlin and Vienna tell you that some day all of these things will disappear and go to pieces; that Pesth is enjoying a "boom" and that the boom will pass and leave only the buildings and the electric plants and the car tracks, with no money in the treasury to make the wheels go round. I do not know whether this is or is not to be, but let us hope it is of the mind that sees nothing in progress but disaster and makes advancement spell ruin. People who live in a city where one is asked to show a passport, a certificate of good health, a police permit and a residence card in order to be allowed to mount a bicycle, as I was asked to do in Berlin, can hardly be expected to look with favor on their restless, ambitious neighbors of the Balkans.

Blood Poison and Insanity.

From the New York Medical Record: While the fullest credit should be given to the staff of this important institution (the State Institution of Pathology), it is but fair to state that the study of toxaemia in connection with insanity is by no means a novelty, nor is it the discovery of the enterprising young gentlemen (connected with the establishment) who have been credited therewith. Over a decade ago Salomon, Regis and others recognized the toxic origin of mental disease, while no less than ten others, among them Herter and Smith, have written extensively on the subject. Perhaps most credit should be given to Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, whose paper on "Autotoxis as a Cause of Insanity" was read before the Medical Society of London in May last, and noticed in your London letter a short time subsequently. In this paper, which contained much original research, the connection between toxaemia and insanity was fully shown.

It has been found by experiment that tea retards digestion.

SCHEMED TO GET WIVES.

How Early Settlers in Oregon Induced Women to Go to Their State.

"There are plenty of women in Oregon now," observed a prominent Oregon politician, who is in Washington to see that the state is not forgotten in the matter of patronage, "but it is within the memory of many of us when women were scarce there. We gave it out that we wanted them for school teachers and the like, and encouraged them to come out there, but the truth was the men wanted them for wives. I remember once we sent a young man to Massachusetts, where he was well acquainted, with orders to collect one hundred young women and escort them back to Oregon. We guaranteed every one of them one year's employment. The active man in the matter was a fine looking young man, who afterwards served two terms in congress from our state. He spent two months in selecting the party and started west with them. On the trip out he courted one of the school teachers on his own hook, and actually got her consent to a marriage on the arrival of the train at Portland. The boys howled considerably about it, claiming that he had treated them unfairly in having first choice, but there was a lot of fine, marriageable material left. Some of these women are today the leading ladies of the society of the state. More than three-fourths of the hundred were married inside of three years, and many in less than one year. A few of the lot, however, are teaching school here today, not that they did not have any offers, but because they would not accept any of the fellows who offered themselves. Now that Senator Mitchell has about given up his contest to return as senator, he will likely be succeeded by a gentleman who married one of the party of school teachers to which I refer. He will bring his wife here with him, and your Washington folks can see for themselves the kind of ladies we had out there for school teachers. They can't be surpassed, even if equaled anywhere. I may be an interested person, though, for it happens that my wife was one of the party."

DON'T DO IT.

Avoid Discussing Irritating Subjects at the Dinner Table.

Why is it that in most households the dinner table become a dumping ground for the wholesale plaints of its members? Probably because this is the only meal of the day when the entire family meet together, and each one feels it a duty to air a few personal grievances in order to seek consolation from the others, says the Boston Herald.

Out of deference to digestion, if for no other reason, dinner table conversation should be of the spiciest, but this fact is lost sight of in the general desire of everybody, from papa down to the youngsters, to serve up only those topics which have marred rather than made the day's happiness. Hardly has the man of the house finished his carving duties before he falls into an animated financial discussion with his wife. Household expenses are rehashed, bills grumbled over, and the cost of living recalculated with tedious regularity. Mother in her turn eagerly pours into any listening ear her domestic woes. The day's errors below stairs are minutely recorded. She sighs over Bridget's butter waste, declares that the butcher's indifference to her order is becoming intolerable, and so on. Then the small boy (poor little target for family flaw-picking) comes in for his share of criticism. His failures at school are relentlessly raked up and all sorts of punishments threatened unless there is speedy reform. If there are guests present this talk of the inner circle is, for courtesy's sake, given a less personal flavor, but only then. "Good cheer and plenty of it" is not the motto of the average family dinner.

Was It Her Night Off?

A Manchester correspondent tells me of one of the latest developments of the servants' craze for imitating their mistresses, which occurred recently. "It was," she says, "the 'night out' of the cook of a friend of mine. The front doorbell rang, and, hearing the housemaid having a somewhat angry colloquy at the door, the lady went herself to see what it was about. She met the maid with a calling card in her hands, and on asking who had been at the door the girl replied: 'Only visitors for Miss ——,' naming the cook, who carried the card to the kitchen. Out of curiosity the lady went later on into the kitchen and found the card (a bona-fide printed visiting one), and on it inscribed as follows: 'Miss B—— W——, first and third Tuesdays.' The mystery remains as yet unrevealed whether these dates represent 'nights out' or 'days at home.'"—Gentlewoman.

Obliging.

Tourist (in North Wales)—Wasn't there a steep hill here once? Native—There was, but the bicyclists objected to it and the rural council had it removed.—Tit Bits.

A Good Reason.

Smyth—What makes you think Boggett is a good bookkeeper? Browne—He never returned the ones I loaned him.—New York Tribune.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The notes of the bank of England cost exactly one halfpenny each.

Amsterdam had 1,475 fires last year, at which nine persons lost their lives.

The army expenses per head of the population is $4.75 in France and $3.59 in Germany.

Berlin now has electric street cars with storage batteries that need to be charged but once a day.

The number of emigrants from Great Britain and Ireland in 1896 was 241,912, of whom 36,000 went to South Africa.

In Zululand, when the moon is at the full, objects are as distinctly visible at as great a distance as seven miles. By starlight one can see to read print with ease.

Spain has more sunshine than any other country in Europe. The yearly average in Spain is 3,000 hours; that of Italy, 2,300; Germany, 1,700; England, 1,400.

There are about 2,000 persons in France who are set down as anarchists, and are under the constant watch of the police of the various European countries.

There are in France 2,159 women authors and journalists, and about 700 women artists. The provinces contribute most of the writers—about two-thirds—while Paris is represented in the same proportion among the artists.

MODERN PROVERBS.

A little meanness goes a long way.

Staying qualities are the only kind that are worth having.

Some mortals smile at obstacles and then slip around them.

When some people come to think of it they do not know what they believe.

Some parents spare the rod until their children flail them over the head with it.

There is no other remedy for the blues quite equal to heroic doses of useful employment.

If you would raise yourself in the estimation of some haughty mortals you must kneel at their feet.

Before a reformer makes the world over he should consider just how many people he is about to leave out of a job.

THE JAPANESE AND DEATH.

As Courteous as They Are Theatrical and Artistic.

I have just spoken of the Japanese as behaving simply at funerals. That is only partially correct, says St. Paul's. They are quiet, but not quite simple—so quiet that their manner seems simple. As a matter of fact, they take an elaborate part in the prescribed rites, bowing here, bending there, strewing prayers to the right and sweetmeats to the left. But it is all done "with good accent and with good discretion." They have the art of arts, the art that hides art. Let me dwell upon this thought a moment. Let me put it another way, for it is one of the most beautiful things that can be said of the Japanese. They have learned to apply to life and to art (there life and art are almost one) the great art principles that Hamlet proclaimed to the players. They in the very torrent, tempest and the whirlwind of passion have acquired and beget a temperance that gives it smoothness. They are not "too tame." Discretion is their tutor, and they o'erstep not the modesty of nature. And on no other occasion is this splendid national characteristic of smooth, discreet behavior and appropriate action so noticeable or so grateful as when a number of Japanese gather together about the deathbed, the coffin or the grave of friend or kinsman. The Japanese are as courteous as they are theatrical and artistic. Their courtesy and their art are very closely allied. Their keen sense of courtesy and their unflagging practice of it has, I believe, as much to do with the quietness and fitness of their funerals as has their fine artistic instinct. They are as a nation even prouder and more studious, I think, of their courtesy than of their artistic excellence. "Cry; it will do you good!" I said once to a poor Japanese woman who, crouching beside her dying husband, was controlling herself with an effort that would, I feared, make her ill. She laid her little, slim brown finger upon her trembling red lip and shook her head, then whispered: "It might disturb him." "Cry; it will do you good!" I said the next day when the man was dead, and she seemed almost prostrate with grief and over-enforced control. "It would be most rude to make a hideous noise before the sacred dead," came the soft reply.

HOTELS IN GREECE.

Single Rooms Are Rare and the Furnishings Are Painfully Scant.

In Greece the hotels of the interior follow one general type—the Italian. There is no common sitting room, says the Atlantic. Why should there be? There is no office, but that does not seem to interfere with the presentation of bills. The ground floor is given up to a cafe or restaurant, if the innkeeper goes into that line of business. Very often, however, the master of the Apollo has only rooms to let. The sleeping apartments on the floor above are often approached by an outside stairway, and, as is to be expected in a southern climate, they are scantily furnished. Over-furnishing is a vice anywhere. Under a southern sky it is a crime, of which the Greeks are not guilty. There is usually a mirror, though that tribute to human vanity is sometimes lacking, and, like the Turk the solitary Turkish towel bears no brother near his throne. The bedstead is invariably of iron and does not offer the same vantage ground to the assailants of sleep as a wooden framework would do, but the cushions are there and the walls are there, so that small comfort is to be derived from that slight reduction of possibilities. As in primitive United States within my memory, single rooms are rare. Two, three, four, five beds are put in one room or strung along the corridors. A fastidious person who desires to occupy a room alone has to pay for all the beds therein. In some places special charges are made for sleeping in the daytime, and there is a fixed rate for sleeping on the floor. That a man should wish to be private when he is asleep seems absurd. But in this whole domain we Americans, who submit to the abomination of the Pullman sleepers, have no right to find fault with any other nationality—we have no right to be fastidious about undressing in the eyes of the world, and a large charity ought to cover the diversities of different religions and different periods in this respect. In the good old times people used to go to bed utterly devoid of raiment, and the bedclothes, as we call them still, were the only clothes.

How Boys' Marbles Are Made.

Marbles are manufactured from the material which gives them their name. At the marble quarries the refuse stone is broken by hand into small cubes. A bushel or more of them is poured into a great revolving cylinder, which is supplied with water from a faucet. The cylinder is revolved at a high rate of speed and the cubes are ground down to the tiny spheres which give such delight to the hearts of the boys. From one to two hours are required to finish a lot of marbles and they are afterwards stored according to size and painted by hand. The crockery marbles or "potteries," are molded of the same material and then are glazed and baked. The glass marbles containing images and flowers are molded.—Exchange.

Nails Melted by Lightning.

Somewhat recently, during a thunderstorm at Klausthal, in Germany, a flash struck a wooden pillar and melted two nails instantly. From the mass of the nails and the heat required to melt them, Dr. Grottewitz, an electrician, calculated that they could only be fused artificially by an electric current of two hundred amperes, at a pressure of twenty thousand volts. This amount of energy applied for one second is equal to five hundred horse-power, and applied for one-tenth of a second would represent five thousand horse-power. So if we suppose the effect took place in the one-hundredth of a second, it would represent a force of fifty thousand horse-power.

Beautiful Text.

Baron—Sorry you can't come in, Van Tintram. How was the sermon this morning?

Van Tintram—I didn't hear the sermon, but the text was good.

Baron—Indeed! What was it?

Van Tintram—It was that beautiful passage: "He giveth his beloved sleep."—Brooklyn Life.

Kissing Can't Be Wrong.

If kissing were unlawful lawyers would not allow it; if it were not holy ministers would not do it; if it were not modest, maidens would not indulge in it; and if it were not plenty poor folks could not get it. All of which is embodied in an old saying of Scotch dialect origin.

The Deadly Quick Lunch.

Mrs. Farmer—You say you are a sufferer from quick consumption?

Weary Willie—Yes, lady. Dese five minute handouts is suthin fierce.—Truth.

Her motherly eye is very acute, but in this case she did not know all that had occurred. "Come, Mr. Washington," she said affably, "I wish to present you to my daughter." "Thank you," said Willie, "but I don't think there's any use in your trying. I have already offered myself to her and she wouldn't accept me."—Washington Star.

AN OPEN LETTER.

From the Herald, Sauk Centre, Minn.

The following communication was recently received by the manufacturers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People:

"Dr. Williams' Medicine Company.

"I was born in Germany and am thirty-seven years old. I live with my husband on a farm. For ten years I suffered with leucorrhœa so that I was a burden to my friends and myself also. I had tried a great many doctors and different kinds of medicine without securing any benefits. My condition had become so deplorable that I had almost given up hope of recovery, one day I saw in the Sauk Centre Herald an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as 'a drowning person catches at a straw,' so I grasped this chance and purchased from Hanson & Emerson a box of Pink Pills. I commenced taking them in March, 1896, and after taking one box I felt so much improved that I bought more.

"After taking them for a time I found to my surprise that I was entirely cured. Ever since then I have been as strong and well as I ever was, and am able to do the arduous duties which fall to the lot of a farmer's wife without feeling the least fatigue or inconvenience.

"I hope this will be the means of placing your wonderful pills in the hands of some sister sufferer, who may rejoice with me. I am satisfied that no woman need suffer as I did, when such an efficient remedy is so close at hand."

(Signed) Mrs. H. Stenkernagel.

Subscribed before me this 19th day of December, 1896.

Chas. F. Hendry, Notary Public, Minnesota.

Dr Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Politics and Beggary.

A tramp was brought up before a New York justice. The charge was vagrancy and begging on the street.

"Do you deny begging on the street?"

"Certainly I do."

"Did you not hold out your hand and take off your hat?"

"Yes, I admit that; but I can explain my conduct. I was once a candidate on the reform ticket, and I got into the habit of taking off my hat and stretching out my hand to shake with the voters, and I could not break myself of it afterward."—Tammany Times.

Rough on John.

Mrs. Billus—John, are you going to vote at the primary elections this morning?

Mr. Billus—No; haven't time.

(A pause.)

Mr. Billus—Maria, what are you doing with that old suit of mine?

Mrs. Billus—I'm going to put it on and go and vote at the primary. I don't want folks to think that we haven't a man of some kind about the house.—Chicago Tribune.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Gave It Away.

Little Willie (meeting the visitor)—Oh, now I know why mamma said, Miss Oldbird, that you are a perfect cat.

Miss Oldbird (with a glassy stare)—Why, my dear child?

Little Willie—You have whiskers.—Pittsburg News.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Agreed With Him.

"I tell you," said the man who is always excited, "the world is on the verge of another revolution."

"That's true," replied his friend, who keeps cool.

"And there's no telling where it will end."

"Oh, yes, there is. It will end in twenty-four hours, and start right over again, the same as usual."—Washington Star.

A Novel Fact.

Bookman—This novel I can recommend to you, sir.

Father—I see the author is a woman. What I want is a novel I can let my daughter read.—New York Journal.

French detectives, as well as English, watch over the safety of Queen Victoria while she is on the continent.

FOR SALE—Restaurant—Best location in city, clearing $100 net per week; will stand investigation. Room 33 Colton Blk., Minneapolis, Minn.

It is said that the emperor of Russia received over 500 threatening letters prior to his journey to France.

Special staff uniforms are to be abolished in the British army for all ranks below colonel. Staff officers will be distinguished by an aguillette.

The fifth international congress of criminal anthropology will be held at Amsterdam in 1901.

In Ireland only one shamrock is known. It is an indigenous species of clover, which trails along the ground among the grass in meadows.

A Limited Monarchy.

Mr. Bluff (host at a little dinner of male friends)—Yes, gentlemen, I hold that every man should manage his own house. There is no other way. Well, as you are all through, gentlemen, suppose we adjourn to the library for a smoke.

Waggish Guest—Why not smoke here in this grand old dining room?

"Um! Mrs. Bluff won't let us."—Taggart's Times.

Getting at the Facts.

"Popper," said Willie, "is this a republic?"

"Yes, my son."

"And can we all do as we please?"

"That is the law—unless we please to do what is wrong."

"Is skating wrong, pa?"

"No, indeed."

"Then I'm going. Ma said I should not, but if the law says——"

He didn't go.—Taggart's Times.

A Harrowing Wit.

"I say, marm, won't you give me one of dem famous pies o' yourn? I ain't had a square meal for a month."

"Do you think you could make a square meal out of one of my pies?"

"Yes, marm, I just do."

"Well, you couldn't. My pies are all round! Here, Tige."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Lonely Man.

"I'm down on these literary clubs; they have a bad effect on domestic happiness."

"In what special way?"

"Why, since my wife got so busy reading Emerson, she doesn't care to look on while I whitewash the back fence."

His Way.

Askins—How in the world did you ever find such a treasure in the way of a coachman?

Sagely—I advertised for one that was neither too sober nor too honest.—Philadelphia Press.

A Pleasing Rejoinder.

"I declar', it didn't take you no time at all to men' dem trowsis, Sis Brown."

"No, Brer Jimson, I done it with neatness an' dis patch."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Patents Issued.

List of Northwestern patents issued last week:

Charles Bodin, Stillwater, Minn., unloading device for log carriages; Edward H. Burger, Duluth, Minn., safety pocket; James W. Cole, assignor one-half to W. L. Winans, St. Paul, Minn., bicycle support; Charles W. Davison, Minneapolis, Minn., rail joint; Silas L. Heywood, Minneapolis, Minn., variable direction and speed device; Andrew Lee, St. Paul, Minn., expanding augur; Swan Olsen, Ulen, Minn., nut wrench; William M. Stone, Minneapolis, Minn., (trade-mark) watches.

T. D. Merwin, Patent Lawyer, 910, Pioneer Press Building, St. Paul, Minn.

Once More the Cannibal.

"Mixthedrinkses," said the cannibal chief to his right bower, "do you think that last missionary was old enough to eat? I noticed he hadn't any teeth. How about it?"

The right bower cringed three times and then murmured from the dust where he lay:

"He was, your chieftship—in fact, he done et."

And, observing the well filled condition of his man, the chief knew that he had been done out of a good, tough meal.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Dog.

"An ocean greyhound!" called out the man aloft, "signalling that she is in distress."

"A sad sea-dog, to be sure," said the captain, making an entry in his log.

"Did you ever? Well, well!"—Detroit Tribune.

His Threat.

Daughter—Don't be angry, papa, because this young man is going to marry me and take me away from you.

Father—Angry, my darling? Never! But I'll do harm if he ever does anything that causes you to come back to me again.—Boston Traveller.

A Criticism Indorsed.

"How do you like the organist?" asked Mrs. Cumrox.

"I don't think he pays enough attention to the stops," was the reply.

"It seemed so to me," was the reply. "Some friend ought to suggest to him that he's likely to become tiresome if he keeps on playing and playing the way he does."—Washington Star.

A MODERN POCAHONTAS.

Lives Saved Every Day by Indian Sagacity, in a Way that Rivals the Bravery of the Indian Girl of Old.

The Wonderful Power of the Indians to Interpret the Secrets of Nature.—A Godsend from the Dark Ages that has Now Been Given to Civilization by the North American Indian.

Everyone remembers the story of Pocahontas, who, when John Smith was brought before her father, Chief Powhatan, away back in 1607 and was condemned by him to death, fell upon the white captive's neck as the blow of the executioner was about to descend, and saved his life, afterward marrying him, their descendants to-day, according to tradition, being found among the oldest families of Virginia. This little instance of Indian nature is repeated to us in our every day life. The Indians may not actually be with us, but that which is the fruit of their labors and is the embodiment of their knowledge and learning, as Nature taught her lessons, is ours. The Kickapoo Indian Remedies, which are sold throughout the land to-day by druggists, are the same medicines and are made in the same way that the Indians prepared their remedies hundreds of years ago, when they—in their primitive state—first learned that without proper care sickness would ensue, and when

sickness did take place, that something must be done to alleviate pain and drive such afflictions from the body. Perhaps the Indians did not know cause and result, but they did know Nature. They understood her marvelous ways. Instinct taught them the great medical virtues of the herbs, roots, barks and gums of the forest. They recognize the great fact that we are told to

"Seize on truths wherever found,
Whether upon Christian or on heathen ground,
Whether among our friends or our foes,
The plant's divine where'er it grows,"

and of these plants the Indian learned the secret of long life and good health, to such a degree that it has become a matter of history. To sufferers, no matter where nor from what, learn the Indian's secret by taking the remedies he used and health will again be yours. Bear in mind the fact that the Kickapoo Indian Remedies cure whenever a cure is possible, and are always harmless, containing no poisonous ingredients of any description.

Send to the Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co. for book entitled "The Kickapoo Doctor," which will be mailed to you free, and is filled with information concerning symptoms of disease, their treatment and cure.

SPRAINS AND PAINS St. Jacobs Oil the foil. Use it and promptly feel the cure. That's all, but that is something sure.

Big G CURES in 1 to 5 days. Guaranteed not to stricture. Prevents contagion. THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO. CINCINNATI, O. U. S. A.

CURE YOURSELF! Use Big G for unnatural discharges, inflammations, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Painless, and not astringent or poisonous. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles, $2.75. Circular sent on request.

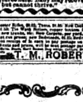
Easily Enough.

"Mr. Gibbons," said the teacher of the class in rhetoric, "point out the absurdity of this figure of speech: 'At this time the Emperor William hatched out a scheme,' etc."

"It seems to me all right," replied the young man, after reflection.

"It does? Explain, if you please, how he could have 'hatched' out a scheme."

"Well, he might have had his mind set on it."—Taggart's Times.



THE DOCTOR—"One layer of paper is bad enough, you have three here. Baby may recover but cannot thrive."

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Wall Paper is Unsanitary. KALSOMINE is TEMPORARY, ROTS, RUBS OFF AND SCALES.

ALABASTINE is a pure, permanent and artistic wall-coating, ready for the brush by mixing in cold water.

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FREE A Tint Card showing 12 desirable tints, also Alabastine Souvenir Rock sent free to any one mentioning this paper. ALABASTINE CO., Grand Rapids, Mich.

A FEW PRICES

All Goods at Wholesale Prices to Consumers. T. M. ROBERTS' SUPPLY HOUSE, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

"When I Saw—your advertisement

I thought that it was probably like the announcements of many other makers of harvesting machinery—big blow and little show; but I'm ready to surrender; go ahead, gentlemen, you're all right; I bought one of your binders last season and it is equal to any claim you ever made for it."

This is the condensed essence of what Mr. Thomas Carney, of Washington Court House, Ohio, has to say about the McCormick Right Hand Open Elevator Harvester and Binder. The claims made for McCormick Machines are strong claims. That' because

McCORMICK

Machines are so constructed that strong claims for them are justified. The machine you want will cost you more than the other kind, for the simple reason that it is worth more; that's all — there's no other reason — and in the end you'll be glad you paid the difference, because *there's nothing cheaper than the best.*

McCormick Harvesting Machine Company, Chicago,

The Light-Running McCormick Open Elevator Harvester,
The Light-Running McCormick New 4 Steel Mower,
The Light-Running McCormick Vertical Corn Binder and
The Light-Running McCormick Daisy Reaper, for sale everywhere.

Perfect Manhood now within the reach of EVERY MAN.

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Most Marvelous Invention of the Century

Never Before Seen in Brainerd

The production of realistic depicture of human beings and objects in motion is of very recent invention, and has created a sensation throughout the world. It is a most entrancing sight. We have secured this attraction for an entire week, because it has nowhere been able to satisfy public demand fully in less time.

PRICES Reserved Seats, 25 and 35 cents; General Admission, 25 cents; Gallery, 15 cents. Reserved Seat Sale now open at E. F. Atwood's drug store.

LADIES' FREE NIGHT.

Every person, Lady or Gent, who holds a Reserved Seat Ticket for the opening night,

Monday, May 10th,

will be entitled to one lady's admission and reserved seat **FREE** for that night only.

Arthur Hagberg,

Successor to T. McMaster.

Dealer In Groceries, Provisions, Flour and Feed.

Odd Fellows' Block, Sixth Street.

Having recently purchased the Grocery Business of T. McMaster, and added to it my own stock, I now have the Largest Stock of Choice Groceries in the city, and Customers will be convinced by a call that I will SELL THEM RIGHT. Everything in the Grocery Line can be found at our Store.

ARTHUR HAGBERG,
TELEPHONE CALL, 5-4.

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Dealer in **HARDWARE**

A Complete Line of Builders' Hardware, Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Nails, Paper, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Wall Finish and Brushes.

Contracting and Building.

Plans, Specifications and Estimates Furnished. All kinds of Shop and Wagon Work Promptly Attended to.

Guns, Ammunition, and Sporting Goods.

Refrigerators in Stock.

I. U. WHITE, Manager. Walker Block, Laurel Street.

ATTENTION

Having purchased the Plumbing Stock of the late R. H. Paine, at a Large Discount, anyone wishing work done in that line, will save money by calling on us for Prices. We also have a

Tin Shop in Connection

And can do all kinds of Roofing and Spouting or anything in the Tin Line. Also carry a full line of

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And REPAIR WHEELS on Short Notice.

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Brainerd Dispatch.

Official Paper
Of Crow Wing and Cass Counties.

N. H. Ingersoll, P. W. Wieland. } Editors and Proprietors.

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Issued every Friday morning at Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minnesota, from rooms 5 and 7, Sleeper Block. Terms $1.50 per year. Finest job printing office in the city.

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We, the undersigned, hereby agree to accept for publishing all legal notices, of every character to be done in compliance with the laws of Minnesota for less than Ten full rates allowed by law; and no reduction will be given on notices furnished in plate.

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H. G. STYRING, Journal.
INGERSOLL & WIELAND, Dispatch
A. J. HARRIS, Tribune.
Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1897.

Local News Notes.

Smith & Winslow, insurance.

Smith & Winslow loan money.

Smith & Winslow, real estate.

Smith & Winslow rent houses.

Pressed corned beef for sale at Paine & McGinn's.

Store your stoves and furniture with D. M. Clark & Co.

Five rooms to rent over the N. P. bank. Inquire at the bank.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, $1.75, at Sundberg's.

We sell Commercial Club Coffee at 35 cents per pound. BEACH & SON.

Fresh salt water fish received daily at Benson & Gray's Fifth street meat market.

For nice fresh eggs call at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 10 cents per dozen.

Fresh butter, the very best at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 16 cents per pound.

Furnished room for rent. Three minutes walk from depot. Inquire at this office.

Bicyclists should refresh themselves with a glass of ice cream soda at McFadden Drug Co.'s.

Buy your drugs and medicines at Atwood's drug store, and get a free chance on the $100 bicycle.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. Apply to W. D. Rogers, 71 6th street south. 5w.

Have you tried that pressed corned beef that Paine & McGinn are selling. If not, get a sample order.

Geo. F. Merwarth, whose death is recorded in another column carried an insurance of $1500 in the Ætna.

A drink of ice cream soda is very refreshing after riding a wheel. Stop at McFadden Drug Co.'s and try it.

STRAYED—One large black sow. Leave information at Bane & Bane's meat market and receive pay for trouble.

Fresh butter and eggs at Bane & Bane's meat market. Eggs 10 cents per dozen, and butter only 16 cents per pound.

Those who miss the Smalley concert will miss the greatest musical treat Brainerd has been offered in many years.

Hoffman's second hand store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you complete house-keeping outfits on installments.

An exchange says there will be no pay car on the Northern Pacific henceforth, employees being paid off by draft direct from headquarters instead.

Don't make any mistake as to the time and place of the great Smalley Company concert. It is to be at the First Congregational church on Thursday, May 13th.

The Little Falls Herald says two young girls, evidently runaways from Brainerd, made themselves conspicuous Tuesday, and were ordered out of town by the chief of police.

FOR SALE—My residence property on Seventh street opposite post office. Will sell one, two or three lots as purchaser may desire. Inquire on premises. MRS. C. DREBEN.

A social hop will be given this (Friday) evening at Gardner Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. McTague, of Duluth, who are in the city visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner.

Chas. Zerbock found a boy's blue-black Chinchilla overcoat on Wednesday evening, which the owner can have by calling at the telephone office, proving property, and paying for this notice.

M. Mahlum has this week opened a model grocery establishment on Laurel street in the Walker block. The stock is entirely new and fresh, and Mr. Mahlum expects a share of the trade, which he certainly will get.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular weekly meeting Wednesday, May 12th, at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Abbott, on Pine street, between Fifth and Sixth, from 2:30 until 4:30.

A tea will be given at the residence of Mrs. E. B. Mallough on Seventh street north, on Friday May 7th. All are invited to come. A special invitation is extended to the gentlemen. Tea will be served at 6 o'clock, 25 cents.

The Aitkin Age says the little boy of Wallace Robinson at Cedar lake, who was struck by the engine of a special last Saturday afternoon, has so far recovered as to sit up and take some nourishment. The little fellow had a close call.

Repairs have been the order of the day in the First National Bank block this week, a new hardwood floor having been laid in the rooms occupied by the Swartz drug store and in the Sundberg jewelry store now paper and a new floor have been added.

Have your prescriptions compounded at Atwood's drug store, where none but strictly pure drugs are used. A free ticket given with every FIFTY-CENT purchase on a $100 High Grade (Ladies' or Gent's) Bicycle. Call and examine it.

On Tuesday evening at a meeting of the trustees of the First Congregational church, a call was extended to Rev. Geo. W. Gallagher, of Dickinson, N. D., which will undoubtedly be accepted by that gentleman. The church has been without a regular pastor since the resignation of Rev. T. M. Edmands.

Photographer J. S. Dryadale, of Brainerd, has leased the Wagner gallery at Aitkin, says the Age, and is fitting it up in tasty style, and will open the same for business next week. His sister, Miss Dryadale will be placed in charge, and the negatives will be retouched and finished by Mr. Dryadale at his gallary in Brainerd.

The W. C. T. U. Oratorical contest previously mentioned in these columns will take place on Wednesday evening May 12, at the Congregational church at 8 o'clock. There will be seven contestants, and music will be interspersed between the recitations. The prize will be awarded by three disinterested judges, and is a beautifully engraved silver medal put up in a satin lined leather case. It is hoped that a large audience will encourage these young Misses by their presence. Admission 10 cents. The second W. C. T. U. contest will be held in the Presbyterian church May 26th.

Arrangements have been made with the B. & N. M. people whereby trains will stop at Webb Hills place on Fish trap lake during the coming summer. Mr. Hill will arrange to accommodate parties who desire to enjoy an outing at one of the best fishing grounds in Northern Minnesota and in connection with the trains Oscar Miger is arranging to run his steam boat from Gull Lake daily. This will accommodate parties who desire to go to the Club house or any other point on Gull Lake.

Mr. Miner's steamer will run out in the morning to meet the down train and back to the lake after the afternoon train has arrived.

While at Motley on Monday the writer visited the Excelsior creamery which has recently been started there by M. M. McKillop, of Todd county. The business is in charge of Mrs. McKillop, and is doing a paying basis although it has been in operation only a short time. The milk of from 300 to 500 cows is tributary to this creamery and there is no doubt but that it will be a profitable thing for the farmers of that section as well as the proprietor. The butter manufactured is of a high grade, is handled by several of the Brainerd grocery houses and it always found to be as represented, first-class.

Dr. H. J. Rieland, the Brainerd Refractionist, will be in the city at the Windsor House, May 10 to May 16th. If your eyes itch, burn, blur, ache, grow dim, get tired, feel dry and gritty, squint, eyelids inflame and eyeballs become bloodshot, be sure and see the doctor for these symptoms are oftimes the commencement of conditions that may cause you years of suffering and possibly blindness, and you should have advice thereon. Dr. Rieland has made the study of the eye and the fitting of glasses a specialty for many years, and his great success in correcting the work of the so-called eye specialists, is well known. Do not fail to see him and have your eyes and glasses examined. Office hours 8 to 10 a. m., 12 to 3, 6 to 8 p. m. Consultation free.

Fred Hoffmann returned from Brainerd Tuesday, where he had been for several days, completeing the purchase of the Brainerd brewery by himself and Mr. Bopple. They took possession of the property May 1, and are now operating it. Mr. Hoffmann reports the property in good condition, supplied with good appliances for making beer, but needing a few additions to increase its capacity and add to the convenience of operating. He says there is no doubt of the enterprise paying fairly well, and he is well pleased with Brainerd. The large number of men employed in the railroad shops and the saw mill bring large amounts of money in circulation monthly, and the business men generally report a good volume of trade. The people of Brainerd will find Mr. Hoffmann to be an excellent citizen, reliable and trustworthy in every particular. He is held in high esteem in Little Falls and has served several terms on the city council and board of education.—Little Falls Transcript.

Wm. Patterson was up before the municipal court on Tuesday charged with attempted arson and on the preliminary examination was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. It appeared at the examination that Mr. Patterson and his wife had some trouble and she had left his humble lodging on the day the fire was said to have been set. In order to bring her back he sent word according to the testimony that if she did not return he would burn her clothes up. She did not return, however, and shortly after noon on Monday smoke was seen to be issuing from the rooms occupied by them in the Fleming building, next to E. H. Simmons' store in East Brainerd, and an investigation showed a quantity of clothing burning on the floor in the room used for a kitchen. Patterson appeared about the time the fire was extinguished, from an ajoining room, and claimed to be ignorant of the origin of the blaze, but owing to the threats he had made in the hearing of the neighbors a warrant was issued with the above result. Patterson is about 60 years old and his wife is 18, they having been married some three years ago at Crow Wing, and in the preliminary examination yesterday she was a witness against her husband. In the meantime Mr. Patterson is stopping with Sheriff Erickson on account of being unable to get bail.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Al. Sanders has moved his family to Verndale.

Mrs. F. W. Murray is visiting St. Paul friends.

Mrs. E. Bissiar is spending several days in Staples.

Geo. Moody went to Minneapolis on Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Lightfoot, of Staples, spent Sunday in Brainerd.

Miss Claude Dueber returned from St. Cloud on Saturday last.

Major Ruffee returned from Washington, D. C., on Saturday last.

W. J. Lashbee has accepted a position in Staples with R. R. Wise.

Leon E. Lum was in the city from Duluth over Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. J. B. Best and children, of Staples, are visiting Brainerd friends.

J. L. Snyder, of the Y. M. C. A., was a Little Falls visitor on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, of Staples, were Brainerd visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Dryadale went to St. Cloud on Wednesday on a visit with friends.

G. M. Walker leaves today for Glendive, Mont., where he will remain during the summer.

Mrs. J. N. Sanborn started for Marshal, Texas, on Wednesday, where she will visit some time with her mother.

Joe Markham, of Aitkin, well known in Brainerd, has gone to St. Hilaire where he has begun the construction of a new hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gallup will start tonight for Balfour, B. C., where Mr. Gallup intends locating, providing the country suits him.

W. H. Brimson, formerly connected with the B. & N. M. in this city, has been appointed to a position on the B. & O. road, with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mrs. H. Hanscome left Wednesday for Augusta, Georgia, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Whitney. Mr. Hanscome has decided to locate in Georgia.

A. N. Dare, of Elk River, was in the city on Monday leaving that evening for points on the Pacific coast accompanied by A. F. Ferris of this city. They will be gone a month.

Miss Ricka Johnson returned to her home at Audubon on Wednesday, after spending some days in this city. She was accompanied by her brother, Albert Johnson, who will remain some days.

John Weed, of Ellis, was in town the first of the week on his way to Brainerd. Mr. Weed was the innocent purchaser of a team of horses stolen by O. D. Ellis, and his trip was in connection with this deal.—Staples World.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gates and children left Brainerd for the east last night. Mr. Gates has secured employment as traveling salesman for Foley Bros. & Kelly of St. Paul, and will make his headquarters at Chicago. Mrs. Gates will visit friends in New York state until September, when she will join her husband in Chicago, where they will make their home in the future. They have many friends here who regret their removal from our midst.

McGarry is Judge.

On Monday Gov. Clough appointed J. G. McGarry, of Walker, Cass county, as judge of probate of that county. The county commissioners recently appointed will meet within a few days and name the balance of the county officers and it is asserted by the knowing ones that George Hardy will be the sheriff, George Kirk, auditor, and B. F. Hartshorn, county attorney.

Ft. Ripley News.

Jerry Howe, of Brainerd, was at the Fort on Monday, looking after a log drive which was being driven down the Noka Sebic river.

Wm. Bredfeld and wife, of Brainerd, spent Sunday with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boot.

Rumor says there is to be a wedding in the neighborhood soon.

Dr. Young, of Brainerd, visits this place every Monday morning, and has quite a number of patients in this vicinity.—Ft. Ripley Cor. Little Falls Herald.

Fine Entertainments.

The following letter explains itself:

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING,
Oakland, California.

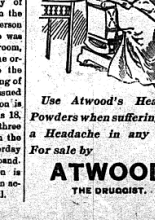
MR. J. L. SNYDER,
Brainerd, Minn.

DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter of the 24th inst., would say that The Smalley Concert Co., and J. Arthur Loining gave us two very fine entertainments. Miss Olaf Kraver we have not had yet, but she lectured in Portland, Oregon, a few years ago under my auspices, and she gives great satisfaction. In fact she is a real novelty.

Cordially yours,
NOEL N. JACKS,

Tickets at the Davis Music Store, and Atwood's drug store.

THE ILLS OF LIFE.



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John Elder's Remains Buried.

The remains of John Elder were brought to this city on Sunday morning by Mark Murphy, of Minot, N. D. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the residence of D. R. Elder on Fourth street north, Rev. R. C. Opie preaching the funeral sermon, and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

From Mr. Murphy it was learned that the unfortunate man who lost his life in the great blizzard of November last, had wandered some 25 miles from where he had unhitched his horses from the stage and had evidently made a hard struggle to reach some place of shelter from the storm. His sleigh when found was within a mile and a half of a stopping place, or ranch as it is called, and the ranch fence was within a few rods of him. His sleigh contained wood and an ax besides plenty of robes, but Mr. Elder after having lost the road in the storm, which is evidently did as he had encircled six or seven times before he finally took his team off the sleigh, though he could reach his destination with the horses and they were unharnessed and he started but the animals evidently refused to face the storm and went in an opposite direction. The theory advanced by those who live in that region is that Mr. Elder urged his team forward as long as they could stand and when they gave up he continued the unequal struggle on foot but finally becoming exhausted laid down in the snow. When found his head was resting on his arm with a peaceful expression on his countenance as though he had gone to sleep and death had claimed him while in that condition, which was undoubtedly the case. He was bundled up in a buffalo coat and his hand was covered with a heavy winter cap encircled with a woolen muffler, the mitten of the right hand was gone and his vest was unbuttoned, the theory advanced being that as he always carried a note book or diary in his inside vest pocket, he had taken his mitten off and unbuttened his vest to get the book in order to write some last request when he saw that he was likely to perish in the storm and that the book and mitten were dropped in the snow and lost as no trace of them has been found. The body of the deceased was in a fair state of preservation, so much so, outside of the discoloration, that the features were perfectly natural, and his relatives have the satisfaction of knowing that the remains were unmistakably identified, something unusual in a case where a body had remained exposed to the elements for so long a period. Mr. Elder's brothers in this city feel very grateful to Mr. Murphy and others in Minot and vicinity for the interest they took in the matter and will ever remember the acts of kindness extended.

Geo. F. Merwarth, aged 42 years, died at his home in East Brainerd on Tuesday morning of heart failure. Mr. Merwarth has not been well for some time and his death while a shock to his family and friends was not entirely unexpected. The deceased was a highly esteemed citizen and had been an employe of Parker & Topping in the Northern Pacific foundry for some time. The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon from the residence in East Brainerd under the auspices of Unity Lodge No. 194, I. O. O. F., the Moulders Union also participating, and Rev. D. D. McKay will preach the funeral sermon. Relatives of the family from Parsons, Kansas, are expected to arrive on the afternoon train today to attend the last sad rites. The deceased leaves a wife and five small children to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Samuel Gerard, aged 63 years, died at her home south of Brainerd on Saturday last of heart disease. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday from the Catholic church, Rev. Fr. Lynch officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson mourn the death of an infant daughter, aged 13 month, which occurred on Thursday. The funeral will be on Sunday from the residence, Rev. Romo officiating.

New Paper for Cass.

A. G. Bernard will start a new paper at Walker at once, which will be known as the Walker Pilot. Under a law passed by the last legislature to fit this exact case, a newspaper in a newly organized county may be established and at once become a legal newspaper for official publications. Whether arrangements have been made with the commissioners whereby the new publication will get the legal advertising of the county or not remains to the seen, but undoubtedly that is the plan. The Cass County Pioneer, which has struggled along for some years, is, for some reason best known to the locality in which it is published, not suited to a new, hustling town, and hence it was deemed necessary by the powers that be to make if possible for another paper to live there.

Encampment.

The 12th annual encampment of the Park Region Association, G. A. R., will will be held in this city on June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Arrangements are being made to make it a grand success.

Not Dead but Drunk.

On Monday W. D. McKay received a telegram from the superintendent's office at Duluth stating that the engineer on No. 6 had reported a dead man lying near the west whistling post at Wheelock and requested him to notify Coroner Dean and have him go on No. 6 to the place and report the result of the investigation to that office. Mr. Dean had about nine minutes to get his pick-up box to the depot as the train was in when he got the message from Mr. McKay over the telephone. In order to get the "full" particulars regarding the fatality the writer accompanied the coroner on his trip. When the whistling post was reached the conductor kindly let the coroner, the newspaper man and the coffin off and a thorough search for two miles up and down the track revealed nothing dead and the idea dawned upon the two men that either the dead man had come to life or the railroad man who reported the matter was an infernal prevaricator. At this juncture it was remembered that a section crew had been sighted some two miles down the track and their services were secured to convey the box and the men that accompanied it to Motley where it was found that the dead man was only dead drunk and had been lying near the track at the point indicated until just previous to the arrival of the party that had been sent out to pick him up.

The good people of Motley, however did not propose to let Coroner Dean return to Brainerd without a "stiff" and they very neatly arranged a figure representing a man clad in overalls, rubber coat, cap, etc., and placed it in the pick-up box and when Mr. Dean opened the box at the express office here on Wednesday morning to see what made it so infernal heavy, as he termed it, he discovered the joke that had been so neatly perpetrated.

Let it be Brainerd.

The Minneapolis Journal is authority for the statement that James Theilman has issued a challenge to any strap athlete in Minnesota, for $1,000 a side, the terms of the match to be 50 clay birds, sixteen yards rise, 50 live birds, thirty yards rise, and the gun to be 12-gauge. It is also stipulated that the match shall occur at Brainerd, Little Falls or Duluth.

New Officers.

At the regular meeting of Ascalon Commandery No. 16, A. F. and A. M., Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

E. C.—George A. Keene.
Gen.—Geo. D. LaBar.
Capt. Gen.—Henri Ribble.
Sen. Warden—T. E. Netterauer.
Jun. Warden—F. B. Johnson.
Treasurer—J. N. Nevers.
Recorder—E. M. Westfall.

Proceedings Board of Education.

The board of education held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, all members being present except Mr. Hurley.

A communication from Rev. Pentzwith, asking for the use of the old third ward school building for Sunday School purposes was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.

The resignation of Miss Hawkins was accepted.

A communication from Miss Marilla Fuller asking for a change of room, was referred to the committee on teachers.

Miss Jennie Paine was granted a raise of $5 per month the coming school year, on account of being a grammar grade teacher.

The complaint of Mr. Martin against Earl Mallory was referred to the committee on teachers.

The board purchased three globes from Mr. Adams for $25.

The teachers of the city schools were requested to turn out with their classes on Memorial Day, and assist in the exercises.

The president appointed Messrs. Preston, Nolan and Titze a special committee to provide lemonade, etc., for school children on Memorial Day.

Miss Johnson, Miss Jansen and Miss Woods were designated to assist in the state examination after the schools close.

The superintendent was given full control over all examination papers hereafter.

On motion the board proceeded to vote for high school principal. The informal ballot resulted as follows: Prof. Haaft 5, Prof. Biggs 2, Miss Johnson 2; the first formal ballot was: Haaft 6, Biggs 4. Eight ballots were taken without a choice. The ninth ballot stood Haaft 8 and Biggs 6. Prof. Biggs having received a majority of the full board was declared elected, and his salary fixed at $100 per month.

For first assistant principal of the high school Miss Jansen received 8 votes, and was declared elected and salary fixed at $60 per month.

For second assistant principal of the high school Miss Holland received 8 votes and was declared elected and salary fixed at $50 per month.

A ballot was taken on Miss Whitehead's application, which resulted in 6 votes for and 3 against. Having received a majority of the entire board, she was declared elected and her salary fixed at $47.50 per month.

Miss Nellie Merritt was unanimously elected a teacher to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Miss Hawkins, and salary fixed at $47.50.

The matter of electing a teacher for the new room expected to be opened in the third ward was deferred at this time.

The finance committee was instructed to borrow funds to meet current expenses.

Several claims against the board were audited and allowed.

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