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Suits for Men,
Suits for Boy's,
Odd Coats,
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I will make a cut of 50 cents on the Dollar for the next 15 days, commencing

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Now is your time to buy a Suit of Cloths. Remember this Sale will only last Fifteen Days.

Men's 93 BLUE OVERALLS, only 39c
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IT WILL PAY YOU to watch our window for NECK TIES. All the Latest Styles of the season, and prices to suit 'em all.

The Above Prices are for

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EXTRA

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For lovers of something extra fine in the Beef line we will hereafter have fresh every week Kansas City Steer Beef. Owing to the superior quality of this Beef the price will necessarily be a trifle higher than for common beef.

Best Cuts Sirloin and Porterhouse 18c
Best Cuts Prime Rib Roasts 15c

Other Cuts in Proportion.

Our prices on common beef will remain as heretofore. The extra quality beef quoted above is for lovers of extra fine, juicy, tender steaks or roasts. Yours for Extra Fine,

BANE & BANE,

City Meat Market, Sixth St.

KILLED!

As nearly everybody lost their Plants during the severe weather, we are here to make the following offer:
Twelve Assorted Plants, (in pots) **$1.00**
Our own selection. Twelve Varities. All strong, healthy stock. Get in your orders early. Delivery will be made when you *see* ready, and each order cared for as received. We guarantee satisfaction. Best offer ever made. Order now. With a $2.00 order we will give a Hanging Basket Assortment.

BRAINERD GREENHOUSE.

TELEPHONE CALL, 92-2.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY

A. Olson, the Sixth Street Tailor, the Victim.

THE CRIMINALS ARE ARRESTED.

Both are Young Toughs Who Have Lived Here For Years. The Crime Confessed By One of Them.

A. Olson, the well know Sixth street tailor, was the victim of a dastardly highway robbery on last Sunday morning about 1 o'clock, while on his way home, which nearly cost him his life. As it is, his injuries are sufficient to confine him to his house for several days. That he escaped with his life is due to the fact that the shot bag broke with which he was assaulted, and not to any connections on the part of the dastards assaulting him. Robbery was the motive of the assault, but the miscreants only succeeded in getting Mr. Olson's watch for their pains, and they are now prisoners in the clutches of the law.

The robbery occurred near the corner of Eighth and Holly streets, just opposite the Whittier school. Mr. Olson was proceeding at this late hour on his way home when he was met at this point by two men, who came across the street, and before he could defend himself they assaulted him, one of them striking him with a billy made of shot. He was knocked down, but not entirely senseless, spraining his ankle as he fell. They then continued to beat him about the head and face until the shot bag broke, having pounded the flesh on his face to a jelly. He made violent outcries, which frightened the men, so they snatched his watch and ran away without getting the few dollars in change which Mr. Olson carried. Mr. Olson then, in spite of his injuries, made his way home, and the police were notified by telephone of the dastardly crime. Dr. Hemstead was also summoned and cared for Mr. Olson's injuries, which, while very painful, were not dangerous. The officers went to Mr. Olson's residence, and, after getting as good a description of the men as Olson could give, they spotted their men, Jake Sylvester and Alfred Plummer, and locked them up, putting one in the jail and one in the lock-up, so they could not arrange a a strong story of their whereabouts.

These men were suspicioned as the guilty parties at once because they answered the description given by Mr. Olson, and because they were seen by Officer Derocher hurriedly coming from the north side a few moments after the robbery occurred, and because it was later ascertained that they were seen about town where Mr. Olson was, and were known to have heard a conversation Mr. Wallace had with their victim about some rent due, which they supposed Mr. Olson had been paid and had on his person. Their suspicion was further corroborated by finding blood spattered over the sleeve of Sylvester's coat. The officers, however, to cinch the case, determined to put the prisoners through the sweat-box process, and on Monday morning Sheriff Erickson and Deputy Winters succeeded, it is reported, in getting Plummer to give the whole story up, including the whereabouts of the watch. As a result the officers made a demand of Pat Corrigan, employed at McCabe's saloon, for the time-piece. Mr. Corrigan denied having the watch, but when the officers placed him under arrest for receiving stolen property, he got the watch and gave it up.

The men were arraigned in the municipal court on Monday morning charged with highway robbery, and their preliminary examination was set for Monday, March 20th.

Mr. Olson is doing nicely at the present writing. Stories have been circulated about the city at different times that his condition was dangerous, but this is not true. Dr. Hemstead says he will probably be about in a couple of weeks, his sprained ankle being the most painful of his injuries.

Highway robberies have been too numerous here lately, and public sentiment is very strong that the miscreants guilty of the offense should be shown no mercy.

A Good Idea.

Send your friends a nice photograph for an Easter souvenir from Marie A. Canan's over post office.

Free Government Lands.

M. E. T. Holmes, traveling agent for the Canadian Government free lands, was in town this week and appointed Jas. R. Smith agent for this locality, who will be pleased to furnish all information as to how to obtain 160 of the finest farm lands in western Canada. Call on him and get some pamphlets describing the country.

TIMOTHY ENRIGHT DEAD.

A Brainerd Boy Gives Up His Life in the Philippines in His Country's Service.

On Saturday afternoon a telegram was received in this city from Gov. Lind, announcing the death at Manilla of Timothy Enright, who enlisted from this city in the 13th Minnesota volunteers. The governor that day received a cable message, from Col. Ames in command of the regiment, announcing the death of Mr. Enright as the result of an accident from an electric wire. Mr. Enright, with his regiment, was engaged in police duty in patroling the city, conceded by all, the most important and most arduous duty in the service there. Just how the accident occurred will not be known until mail advices are received. Mr. Enright has a brother, M. J. Enright, and sister, Mrs. John Boyle here, who, with a large number of friends and acquaintances deeply mourn his loss. But it will be a comfort to know that he died heroically in the services of his country and his country's flag.

Mr. Enright enlisted at Minneapolis on the second call for troops by the president. When the call was made he was employed in the N. P. boiler shops here and had lamented that he was not in the service. When he saw the call in the papers he threw down his tools, called for his time, and went to Minneapolis and enlisted and was sent with 300 other recruits to fill up the 13th. He has written home on several occasions and reported he liked the service, being well and healthy and having gained in weight while in Manilla. The DISPATCH only three or four weeks ago published a letter written to his brother, M. J. Enright, which was very interesting and full of hope. The grief stricken relatives of Mr. Enright have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.

Officers Elected by the Organized Towns in the County on Last Tuesday.

The annual town elections were held throughout the state on Tuesday, and below we publish the result of the town elections in Crow Wing county:

OAK LAWN.

Supervisors, Geo. Keough, chairman, Herman Dullum, Jos. Friedsam; clerk, Stanford Cameron; treasurer, F. H. S. Asphoim; assessor, Matthew Cameron; justice, Iver Benson; constable, Wesley Waite; poundmaster, Geo. Bane.

CROW WING.

Supervisors, A. Dougherty, chairman, A. Anderson, Chas. Renstrom; clerk, W. W. Hutchins; treasurer, G. W. Young; justice, A. F. Lodwig; constables, J. K. Gardner, Chas. Norton.

DEERWOOD.

Supervisors, C. H. Adams, chairman, John Brand, Robert Archibald; clerk, O. C. Coffin; treasurer, Harry Patterson; justices, R. B. Coffin, C. J. Rathvon; assessor, D. E. Whitten; constables, W. A. Coffin, John S. Johnson.

MAPLE GROVE.

Supervisors, M. F. Driver, chairman, N. J. Nesheim, N. J. Nelson; clerk, C. A. Nelson; treasurer, J. B. Swisher; justice, Nels G. Olsein; constable, Nels Christianson. Vote carried against restraining cattle.

LONG LAKE.

Supervisors, Knute J. Nesheim, chairman, John W. Bouck, Frank J. Lingnau; clerk, Andrew J. Lingnau; treasurer, John Gibb; justice, John Sandgren; constables, Gust Erickson, Paul Lingnau.

DAGGETT BROOK.

Supervisors, H. Abbott, chairman, Frank Kienow, Joseph Fallon; clerk, W. O. Bennington; treasurer, E. B. Bentley; justice, W. O. Bennington; poundmasters, Jno. Miller, A. Guyett.

Able and Elevating.

The Detroit Record of the 10th inst., contains the following:

Rev. G. W. Gallagher's lecture in the Masonic hall last Friday evening was able, elevating and it was listened to with much interest by all present. Mr. Gallagher has a ready fund of wit and logic, is a good impersonator and an entertaining talker. There should be more such meetings in every community.

SEAMLESS SHOES.

To introduce these splendid shoes for men, boys and youths wear, the manufacturers will permit us to give a liberal discount on the first pair you buy. We want everybody to see them. We feel sure those who see them and learn the price will have a trial pair. We also have them in women's, suitable for light farm wear and for a comfortable house shoe and in heavy grain leather for men and boys farm wear. Call and see them at the Big "9".

R. F. WALTERS, 6th street.

EVERY DAY!

We are selling new merchandise way below value. If you are a Cash Buyer we want your business, and it will pay you to visit our store .....

NEXT WEEK

The following items will be of interest, if you need them or not.

Lace Curtains

25 pair Lace Curtains, Taped Edges, per pair, only 39c
50 pair Lace Curtains, Taped Edges, worth $1.25, per pair, only 69c
25 pair Lace Curtains, Taped Edges, worth $1.50, per pair, only 98c
25 pair Lace Curtains, Taped Edges, worth $2.50, per pair, only $1.65

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

LOT Ladies' Shirt Waists, only 23c
LOT Ladies' Fine Shirt Waists, worth up to $1.00, your choice, only 48c

MEN'S GLOVES.

5 dozen Men's Good Working Gloves, per pair, only 19c

REMEMBER

That Saturday is the last of our Linen Sale. Have you been supplied? If not, come at once. We have still a few pairs of Shoes left on the Bargain Tables and will continue to close them out at, per pair, only 49c

WHEN YOU WANT

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Clothing, Shoes,

Come in and see what we can do for you.

A. E. MOBERG,

32 and 34 Front Street, Brainerd, Minnesota.

Gardner Hall

F. L. LAMBERT, Manager.

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One Night THURSDAY, Mar. 23

The Comedian,

L. R. STOCKWELL,

Representing Hoyt's

A Midnight Bell

A Carefully Selected Company .....

New Songs, Dances, Specialties

Everything New but the Name.

Seats on sale at

Swartz's Drug Store

Seat Sale Opens on Next MONDAY MORNING.

PRICES:

First Six Rows ..... 75 cents
Balance of the House .... 50 cents

She Has Arrived.

The Greatest Medium of modern times has arrived in Brainerd for a 4 days' visit en route from the coast to New York. This is the lady who astonished the entire United States with her truthful predictions. She is known from Maine to California. She is making short stops in the most important towns and cities along the N. P. railway. She gives the life from the cradle to old age accurately. Tells about and advises about law suits, deeds, estates, wills and mortgages, tells about divorces, makes harmony in family troubles, tells about matrimony, if he or she is adapted to each other, etc. In fact, tells everything. She has rooms at the City Hotel. Strictly private--ladies' entrance up-stairs. Hours from 9 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. Sunday from 2 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. Reading 50 cents and upwards. She remains till Tuesday night, March 19th.

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BRAINERD. - - MINNESOTA.

The individual who stands still is sure to lose ground.

When a man loses faith in humanity he hits himself a solar-plexis blow.

Beauty is but skin deep, but homeliness measures twelve inches to the foot.

Hobson has kissed a bride in Japan. The young man simply can't resist the temptation.

The name of the new president of France is pronounced as though it were spelled "Loobay."

Gen. Miles is acting in a way that justifies the national honor in regarding him as a bold, horrid man.

If the czar means business why does he not incorporate his disarmament scheme under the laws of New Jersey?

When Senator Billy Mason talks of a Lafayette for the Philippines he forgets that Lafayette was a friend of this country.

"What helped you over the great trials of life?" a successful man was once asked. "The other trials gave me a lift," he answered.

It did not, however, require an official note from Sampson to tell the world that Schley was there during the denavyizing of Spain.

A prisoner escaped from the Toledo workhouse and took the bloodhound along with him. That man ought to be at the head of some trust.

Meat is worth $1 a pound in Manila. This is probably due largely to the fact that most of the Manila butchers have recently gone into the saloon business.

Arthur Balfour is the latest Englishman to hint that John Bull is looking for a partner, preferably a tall man with a goatee and straps to his trousers.

Washington, it may be remarked, was enough of an expansionist to crowd the British invaders off the United States. We need a Washington right now.

One of the dogs entered for the Chicago bench show is the possessor of gold-filled teeth, and therefore has an intrinsic value which will remain even if he doesn't draw a prize.

The sultan of Sulu is to be offered home rule under the American flag, but he will never be able to realize the full extent of his good luck until he hears from the dime museum managers.

The burdens of taxation laid upon liquor saloons are regarded with equanimity by the average citizen. The decision of the commissioner of internal revenue requiring the payment of a special tax by proprietors of rum saloons who may employ an orchestra to attract customers will be accepted as justifiable and exemplary. The performance is held to be a musical entertainment liable to taxation. A source of misery may be protected by law, but its maintenance ought to be discouraged in all legal ways.

An application has been made by S. L. Hutchins, John E. Patton and other leading colored citizens of Chattanooga, Tenn., for a charter for the National American Colonization Association, the object being to organize branches in the southern states. The association is formed with a view to colonizing negroes in the west and securing from congress a concession to allow the colonies so formed the right of state government and representatives in congress, etc. The plan was organized by S. L. Hutchins, a negro lawyer, who has given the question of "What to do with the negro?" a great deal of study. Hutchins was a circuit judge in North Carolina during the reconstruction days, and it is said of him that he came nearer to giving satisfaction to the whites in his circuit than any negro who ever held a like office. Hutchins gives a reason for his proposed colony that "the people of the United States should be given an opportunity to see whether the negro is capable of governing and holding office." The application for charter says that "it is not fair to judge of the negro's ability to conduct public affairs, to judge him by the failures he has made in office in the south. Given an opportunity when they are altogether dependent upon themselves, the negro will solve the question speedily as to whether he is worthy of citizenship and to be an integral part of the governing people." Hutchins claims that a number of the leading negroes of the south are in sympathy with him in the movement.

At the dedication of an immense convention hall in Kansas City the other afternoon, somebody uttered a loud call for "Pryor," one of the soloists with the Sousa band, which had been engaged for the occasion. The crowd of people present mistook the enthusiast's call for an alarm of fire and it was with great difficulty that a panic was prevented. As our civilization advances and things become systematized it will, no doubt, be necessary even to suppress old and honorable family names in the interests of public safety.

THE NEWS RESUME

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

A General Resume of the Most Important News of the Week From All Parts of the Globe, Boiled Down and Arranged in Convenient Form for Rapid Perusal By Busy People.

Accidental Happenings.

The freight steamer Selkirk was gutted by fire at Nanaimo, B. C. She carried a cargo of hay, longs and cattle.

Fire destroyed the Hungarian elevators at Denver, and rendered nearly valueless 300,000 bushels of wheat.

A naval powder magazine exploded near Toulon, France, killing all the soldiers on duty there and a number of other people.

The Buttery whirlpool rapids elevator, a Niagara landmark, was torn from its fastenings during a recent hurricane and hurled into the gorge. It fell on the waiting room of the Gorge road, crushing it to the ground. Several people in the building had narrow escapes. The elevator was built in 1869.

Foreign Notes.

Spain, according to a report, has sold the Caroline, Marianna and Pelew islands to Germany.

Great Britain repeats that she will defend China against the aggressions of other powers.

The Argentine training ship, with President Sarmiento, has arrived at Valparaiso, where great festivities have been prepared in his honor.

The British steamship, St. Regulus, from Liverpool, Feb. 9, has arrived at Brunswick, Ga., several days overdue, after a perilous voyage.

President Alfaro of Ecuador has issued a proclamation granting amnesty to rebels who shall lay down their arms within thirty days. Those not complying will be regarded as outlaws.

The Madrid correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle says that Don Carlos, the pretender, has forbidden the Carlists to take part in the forthcoming election to the new cortes.

The court of appeals at London has upheld the decision of the lower court ordering the Peter Schoenhofen brewery to pay income tax on the entire profits of the business in Chicago, and not merely on the portion remitted to England.

Washington Talk.

Gen. Wood makes an appeal in behalf of the starving people in Cuba.

Cubans impose upon Americans in the matter of food supplies.

The muster-out movement of volunteers in Cuba has begun.

Gen. Wood denies that there is any trouble at Santiago.

Census Director Merriam has appointed several of his leading assistants.

The astounding discovery is made that just one-half of the Cuban army of 50,000 are officers.

The attitude of the United States regarding the dismemberment of China will be one of "disinterested neutrality."

The government steamer Aberdeen has arrived at Halifax from Sable island, bringing the crew of the wrecked steamer Moravia.

Very few applications have been filed for grants, franchises or concessions for the construction of public works in Cuba and Porto Rico.

There is good reason to believe that the president will offer the position of librarian of congress to Herbert Putnam of Boston.

President McKinley decides not to organize a provisional army of 35,000 men, as the army bill authorizes him to do.

The chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy at Savannah, Ga., which is the original chapter of the organization, has adopted resolutions strongly protesting against President McKinley's suggestion respecting the federal care of Confederate graves.

Otherwise.

A coal combine is planned, with $880,000,000 capital.

Serious floods occur along the Ohio river.

Americans who were in the Nicaragua revolution return home.

The American Steel and Wire company buys Mesaba iron mines.

Gen. Otis decides upon aggressive operations against the Filipinos.

The Federal Steel company and the lake shipbuilding interests may combine.

Arthur W. Pinero's new play, "The Gay Lord Quex," is nearly ready for production by John Hare at the Globe theater, London.

The Union Casualty and Surety company of St. Louis has been sold for $300,000, but the identity of the purchasers has not been made public.

Four hundred New York city Methodist ministers applaud a paper read by one of their number, denying the infallibility of the Bible.

Winston Bros. of Minneapolis have a contract for grading between Omaha and Tama, Iowa, for a double track on the Chicago and Northwestern road.

Mayor Quincy of Boston has given directions to the superintendent of public grounds to begin the work of exterminating the English sparrows.

It is stated that the Britton tin plate mill at Cleveland, Ohio, owned by the tin plate trust, will be permanently closed.

It has been found that nearly all wall paper at present contains arsenical poisons, some of them in surprising quantities.

At the office of the Federal Steel company it was denied that any purpose to absorb the Chicago Shipbuilding company, which has its yards on the Calumet river, as was asserted in a dispatch from Cleveland, Ohio.

Americans will establish banks at Manila and Honolulu.

It is likely that Eddy Santry will meet "Young" Pluto at Springfield during the first week in April.

"Mexican Pete" of Cripple Creek and his manager, Thomas Osborne, are in Chicago, and are looking for engagements. Pete wants especially to meet Frank Childs.

Citizens of Fort Wrangel, Alaska, are said to be drawing up a petition asking the high joint commission to cede their town to Canada. This is one of the oldest settlements in Alaska.

Workmen at Detroit, engaged in cleaning out the cellar of the building on Jefferson avenue occupied by the Norris Collar company, found, in an unused portion of the cellar a safe which belonged to George J. Hiller, who was killed in the boiler explosion in the Journal building, Nov. 5, 1895.

Criminal Record.

Spaniards are persecuted and murdered by Cubans.

Mrs. Cody was convicted of trying to blackmail George and Helen Gould.

The Wilkesbarre (Pa.) postmaster was arrested, charged with tampering with the mails.

Harry Hutchinson, aged eighteen years, has been arrested, charged with wrecking express train No. 3, Cincinnati Southern railway.

An unsuccessful attempt was made by an organized gang to hold up and rob Neel, a small town in McDonald county, Missouri.

Officers of the Montana Ore Purchasing company were fined for contempt of court—an indictment growing out of the Boston & Montana trouble.

The Order of Railway Conductors and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are endeavoring to obtain a modification of their contract with the Cotton Belt road.

The United States grand jury at New York has returned an indictment against James McNaughton, formerly president of the Tradesman's National Bank, for violating the banking laws.

The $200,000 worth of deeds, bonds and negotiable papers found in an alley in Chicago, had been stolen from the waiting room in the Dearborn station. J. R. Sigafus was the owner.

There is a strong belief among farmers around Poseyville, Ind., that Stephen Glawser did not kill his wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Kinchloeb, and then commit suicide, but that the three were murdered.

No one will die as a result of the rioting in which the men of the Eighth immune (colored) regiment engaged at Chattanooga, Tenn., but half a dozen people injured will be laid up for several months.

A conspiracy among the convicts in the state prison at St. Quentin, Cal., to murder their guards and effect a wholesale delivery of prisoners, was revealed to Warden Hale through the faint-heartedness of one of the conspirators.

Personal.

Austin Bidwell, the Bank of England forger, died at Butte, Mont.

Gov. Barnes of Oklahoma has vetoed the statehood bill.

D. Dewitt Talmage has resigned his Washington pastorate to devote all his time to religious journalism.

M. L. Hayward has been elected United States senator by the Nebraska legislature.

It is rumored that Quay will withdraw from the Pennsylvania senatorial contest.

Admiral von Knorr, commander-in-chief of the German navy, has been placed on the retired list.

The Republican city convention of Chicago has nominated Zina R. Carter for mayor. Mr. Carter is a member of the drainage canal board.

Congressman Sulzer of New York is confident that he will succeed Bailey as Democratic leader in the house and will be nominated for vice president.

George H. Lyman, collector of the port of Boston, has resigned his position on the Republican national committee of Massachusetts.

Another report comes from Rome to the effect that Archbishop Ireland is to be made a cardinal. He states his position on "Heckerism."

Michael Angelo Wolff, an artist, whose portraits of little waifs had brought him note, died at the home of his sister in Brooklyn, of heart disease.

Vice Chancellor Pitney of Jersey City has appointed Walter L. McDermott, son of State Senator McDermott, receiver for the American Grocery company.

Wilson H. Day of Cleveland is to be the general manager of the Chautauqua association. The appointment was made some time ago, informally, and was confirmed at the meeting of the trustees held in Cleveland.

Chief Naval Constructor Hichborn, the designer of the battleship Wisconsin, became a rear-admiral, by virtue of the provision of the naval personnel bill relating to the bureau officers in the navy department.

Gen. Reyes, the Nicaraguan officer who headed the recent revolution at Bluefields, and who succeeded in escaping from that place, is still at Bocas del Toro. Nothing is known as to his future movements.

A Poser.

"Papa," said Tommy Treadway.

"Now, Tommy," replied Mr. Treadway, "I shall answer only one question to-day. So be careful what you ask."

"Yes, papa."

"Well, go on."

"Why don't they bury the Dead Sea?"—Household Words.

Poor for the "Devil."

A certain kind of fire grate used in some railway engine sheds is sometimes called a "devil."

At the headquarters of one railway company a telegram was received from an out station which read:

"My letter yesterday; send 'devil' next train."

The "devil" was dispatched, and soon after its arrival another telegram was received saying:

"'Devil' arrived. Send coal to feed it."—Jewelers' Weekly.

GEN. WHEATON TAKES PASIG

FILIPINOS GETTING A TASTE OF REAL WARFARE.

The City of Pasig, Near Manila, Attacked and Captured by the American Forces After an Hour's Fighting—Rebels Were Unable to Stand Up Against the Determined Onslaught of Gen. Wheaton's Men—Thirty Filipinos Killed and Sixteen Taken Prisoners—The American Loss Is Three Killed and Fourteen Wounded.

Manila, March 15. — Gen. Wheaton attacked and captured the city of Pasig, east of Manila, yesterday afternoon. The enemy made a stand for an hour, but at the end of that time were forced to retreat. The loss of the Filipinos was thirty killed and sixteen prisoners. Of the United States forces six were wounded.

At daylight Brig. Gen. Lloyd Wheaton's divisional brigade, consisting of the Twentieth United States infantry, the Twenty-second infantry, eight companies of the Washington volunteers, seven companies of the Oregon volunteers, three troops of the Fourth United States cavalry and a mounted battery of the Sixth artillery, was drawn up on a ridge behind San Pedro Macati, a mile south of town. The advance was sounded at 6:30 a. m., the cavalry leading the column at a smart trot across the open to the right, eventually reaching a clump commanding the rear of Guadaloupe. Supported by the Oregon volunteers, the advance force opened a heavy fire on the natives. The response was feeble and desultory, apparently coming from handfuls of men in every covert. While the right column was swinging toward the town of Pasig, they advanced, pouring volleys into the brush. The small body of rebels made a determined stand at Guadaloupe church, but the enemy was unable to stand the assault. At 7:30 a. m. a river gunboat started toward Pasig. The rebels were first encountered by this vessel in the jungle near Guadaloupe. Steaming slowly, the gunboat

Poured a Terrible Fire

from her Gatling guns into the brush. For all of an hour the whizzing of the rapid-fire guns alternated with the booming of the heavier pieces on board. In the meantime Scott's battery on shore was shelling the trenches and driving the enemy back. The artillery then advanced to the ridge of bamboo and drove a few of the enemy's sharpshooters away with volleys from the carbines. The artillery then advanced and met with little opposition. In the meantime the infantry had been sent forward in extended order, the Washington regiment resting on the bank of the river, each regiment deploying on reaching its station, furnishing its own supports. The entire column then wheeled toward the river, driving the enemy toward his supports, and then advanced on Guadaloupe. The artillery moved to a ridge commanding Pasig and Parteros. By this time the enemy was in sullen flight along a line over a mile long and the firing was discontinued temporarily in order to give the troops a rest before making an attack on Pasig. The enemy's losses were believed to be severe. After a short rest Gen. Wheaton resumed the attack on Pasig. Scott's battery, supported by two companies of the Twentieth regiment, advanced on Guadaloupe by the road along the river bank, the remainder of the Twentieth regiment and the Twenty-second regiment following the reserve of the Oregon volunteers. At 11:30 a. m. the column came in contact with the enemy and a gunboat steamed to the firing line and

Cleared the Jungle

on both sides, while the battery took up a position on a bluff at the right. The first shot from the American field pieces at 1,200 yards range dislodged a gun of the enemy at Pasig. After the town had been shelled the Twentieth regiment lined up on the bluff and the Twenty-second took up a position on the left of the place, with the cavalry in the center, whereupon the enemy retreated to the town. The gunboat then moved into a bend opposite and a hot fire on the rebel position was maintained along the whole American line until 2:20 p. m., when preparations were made for the attack. At 3 p. m. our gunboat started in pursuit of the enemy's armed tug, chasing her to the lake. At 3:30 a large body of the enemy was discovered working around our right flank and the Twentieth was moved to a commanding ridge. The rebels were met opposite Pateros, but the enemy bolted. The whole American line bivouacked at 5 o'clock. About 700 rebels are supposed to be marching northward a few miles to the southwest.

Three Killed; Fourteen Wounded.

New York, March 14.—Following is the Journal's revised list of the casualties in yesterday's fighting at Manila:

Killed—Privates Stewart, Twentieth infantry; Munson, Twenty-second infantry; James L. Kline, Twentieth Kansas.

Wounded—Corporal Chris Thompson and Privates L. Folger, Charles Davis, Thomas Miller, R. Piper, C. Sumner and Matthew Sharkey, Twentieth infantry; Privates Charles Easley, Theodore Misner, John Blazek, William O'Brien, William Rhinehard and Willet Harmon, Twenty-second infantry; Private Walter Irvine.

Two Victims of Fire.

Chenoa, Ill., March 15.—A charred body was found in the ruins of the Gazette office, which was burned Sunday. It is believed to be that of James Cain, a printer known in Cincinnati and St. Louis. Thomas Finlan has been missing since the fire and is believed to have been burned to death.

Putnam Librarian.

Washington, March 15.—The president has appointed Herbert Putnam of Boston, Mass., to be librarian of congress.

THAT'S WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH

That's What's the Matter With the Cuban Assembly.

Havana, March 16. — Gen. Gomez says he recognizes only one power in the island—that of the United States. All that the Cubans can do he declares is by permission of the American authorities, and therefore the military assembly can only talk. In his opinion the assembly is acting as it does because it wants to get more money out of the United States. In this connection he points out that the assembly first proposed to ask for $80,000,000. As for himself, he avers that he is not a begar. The United States government offered the $3,000,000 and he has never asked an increase in the gift. Indeed, he says to ask more would be undignified and improper. To all callers Gen. Gomez speaks lightly of the assembly, declaring that it was his creation, as he did not wish to appear a dictator, and that the real military members who took no part in the vote to depose him will now resign. He calls the assembly "a collection of black clouds with much thunder, but little rain."

He did not communicate with Gen. Brooke yesterday, but will confer fully to-day.

The military assembly met in the afternoon with the usual guard. Most of the time was occupied in discussing the pronouncement which is to be issued with a view of justifying last Saturday's action in the eyes of the people.

Gen. Sanguilly introduced a resolution protesting against the acceptance of the $3,000,000, preceding it with a long preamble declaring the assembly was

Ready to Co-operate

with the United States in maintaining order in Cuba. The motion called for the adoption of resolutions in the name of the armed people of Cuba. The first extended the thanks of the assembly to the United States for aid during the recent war. The second thanked the United States for the offer of $3,000,000, but went on to assert that, "owing to the assembly's exact knowledge of the needs of the Cuban soldiers, its members consider it their duty to declare the amount insufficient.

"We cannot honorably accept is as a gift, but only as a loan," the resolution proceeded, "as President McKinley's authorization is necessary to raise funds needed to accomplish the disarming of the Cuban troops and exclusively used for that purpose."

The third resolution appointed a committe of three to present these resolutions to President McKinley.

Gen. Sanguilly's motion was carried by 18 votes against 4.

The "document of justification" was then read. It is very long and cites cases to show the disobedience of Gen. Gomez to the assembly, declaring that those familiar with the inner history of the war know that strained relations always existed between him and the Cuban civil authority.

GOMEZ A HERO.

The People of Cuba Rally Around Him.

Washington, March 16.—Senor Quesada has received a cable message from Santiago which says:

"The people of Santiago disauthorize the assembly, sustain Gomez and are preparing a public manifestation."

Senor Quesada was criticised by the Cuban assembly for his action in assisting a negotiation with Gen. Gomez for payment of $3,000,000 to the Cuban army.

Dissolve the Assembly.

Havana, March 16.—A rumor is in circulation that the Washington government will dissolve the assembly. It is published in an extra edition of La Discussion. The suggestion has frequently been made to Gen. Brooke to take such a course, but up to this time he has formed no such intention.

AT THOMASVILLE, GA.

Presidential Party Guests of Mark Hanna.

Thomasville, Ga., March 16. — The presidential party arrived at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. The party was met at the station by Senator Hanna, Mayor Hopkins and a number of prominent citizens. The distinguished visitors were immediately driven to Senator Hanna's house on Dawson street. By special request there was no demonstration, but bunting and decoration were seen everywhere. The mayor had issued a proclamation inviting everybody to decorate their buildings in welcome of the chief executive and the request was liberally replied to.

FAT MAN DIES.

Alfred Daniels, Who Has Traveled With Barnum, Et Al.

Webster City, Iowa, March 16.—Alfred Daniels, a museum freak, who had traveled with Barnum & Bailey, Forepaugh and other like shows as a "fat man," died at his home, two and one-half miles west of Lehigh. He once weighed 604 1-2 pounds, and was on the road fourteen years. He amassed a fortune and three years ago purchased a fine farm. He weighed 480 pounds at the time of his death.

SILENCE BY DOCTORS.

New York Law Says Physicians Must Not Give Information About Patients.

Albany, N. Y., March 16—Gov. Roosevelt has signed an amendment to the civil code which prohibits absolutely a physician from divulging any information concerning one of his patients, either before or after the death of the patient. For a long time the insurance law has permitted a physician to testify concerning the physical condition of a policyholder, which was at variance with the code.

Becker Confesses.

Chicago, March 16.—Augusta Becker, the sausagemaker who has been under arrest for four weeks on a charge of murdering his wife, made a full confession last night. He said that he cut his wife to pieces and burned the remains in a stove.

Republican Victories.

Atlantic City, N. J., March 16.—The entire Republican city ticket was elected by a majority of about 600. The Republicans were victorious in other towns which held elections.

PASIG BURNED BY THE REBELS

THE ENEMY PUTS THE TORCH TO THE TOWN.

Insurgents Encountered in Such Force Beyond Pasig as to Necessitate a Change in Gen. Wheaton's Plans—Cavalry Attack a Rebel Stronghold, Driving the Enemy Out—Several Sharp Engagements in Which the Rebels Are Driven Back—Natives' Avenue of Communication Now Closed—Gen. Otis Reports.

Manila, March 16. — Late yesterday Gen. Wheaton's column encountered the enemy in such force between Pateros and Taguig as to necessitate a change in the original plans. The cavalry attacked a rebel stronghold in the jungle, driving the enemy into Pateros. The Americans had one man killed and three wounded. Scott's battery shelled the city and woods effectively. Later the enemy crossed the river from Pasig. Two companies of the Second Oregon infantry cleared the right bank after a sharp engagement and then retired with three wounded. In the meantime the Washington volunteers closed in, driving small bodies of the rebels back upon Pateros. One man was killed. During the night the enemy burned the town of Pasig.

Later—Gen. Wheaton's brigade continues the work of clearing out the rebels around Pasig. The Washington volunteers have captured and burned Pateros, meeting with a sharp fire from the enemy while crossing the river. To-day's fighting was like that of the past week, the insurgents occasionally making a stand, but eventually fleeing. Their loss is supposed to have been small, as the Americans were unable to see the enemy in the thickets. The progress of the advance is slow.

OTIS WILL BE SUSTAINED.

In Forbidding Negotiations Between Spaniards and Insurgents.

Washington, March 16.—Gen. Otis, in forbidding further negotiations between the Spanish at Manila and the insurgents touching the surrender of the Spanish prisoners held by the latter, acted upon his own authority. The government has not sent him any instructions upon this point, but it will unquestionably support him to the extreme in any action of that kind he may take. It is said at the state department that there have been some exchanges between the United States and Spain through indirect channels touching these particular prisoners dating back to the signature of the protocol last August. The United States government undertook finally to secure the release of the prisoners. It never contemplated trying to secure their release by ransom, but simply through the suppression of the insurrection, and cannot be held by any requirement of international law to do more than has been done to secure the release of the prisoners. There will be no relaxation of the efforts in this direction, but, as the United States campaign in the Philippines is being conducted with all the energy possible and as the release of the prisoners depends upon the issue of that campaign there can be no complaint of failure on the part of the United States to meet its obligations.

FALL OF PASIG.

Gen. Otis' Cablegram on Yesterday's Movements.

Washington, March 16.—The cablegram from Gen. Otis, received at the war department, was as follows:

"Until yesterday field operations here since the capturing of Caloocan were of minor nature, consisting of driving back small bands of insurgents with considerable loss to the latter. Yesterday Gen. Wheaton attacked a large force of the enemy, drove them back and took line of the Pasig river, which he now holds. Two improvised gunboats in the lage have captured considerable property. Insurgent loss heavy. Our killed and wounded aggregate thirty-five, mostly slightly wounded. Otis."

THEIR LINE CUT.

Americans Drive the Natives Before Them.

Manila, March 16. — Brig. Gen. Wheaton's column advanced beyond Pasig to the shores of Laguna de Bay, sweeping everything before it. The enemy made a running fight and suffered severe loss. The natives' avenue of communication north and south is now closed, the American cordon stretching over a mile from the river to the lake. Two of yesterday's wounded are dead. They are Privates Munson and Stewart of the Twentieth and Twenty-second regiments.

HAS FAINTING FITS.

Yet the Pope's Physicians Say His Condition Is Not Serious.

London, March 16. — A special dispatch from Rome announces that the pope suffered a renewal of fainting fits, but it is added that his physicians do not regard his condition as serious.

Rome, March 16.— The condition of the pope's health is completely satisfactory. There is no foundation for the report published by the news agency in London that the pontiff has suffered from a renewal of fainting spells.

Age Limit Increased.

Washington, March 16. — An order has been issued by the war department increasing the age limit for enlistment from thirty to thirty-five years. The youngest age at which a man can be enlisted is eighteen years. The results so far for the enlistment of troops is very encouraging.

French Novelist Dead.

Paris, March 16. — A dispatch from Lunesville, announces the death of Emile Erckmann, French novelist. He was in his seventy-seventh year.

COST OF THE WAR WITH SPAIN

ACCOUNT CHARGED UP WITH $482,562,083.

Chairman Cannon, of the Appropriations Committee, Makes a Statement of the Appropriations Made by the Fifty-Fifth Congress—Places the Total for the Entire Congress at $1,566,890,016—Appropriations Authorized for Future Congresses Under the Continuing Contract System, $70,000,000—Increase Over Last Congress.

Washington, March 12. — Availing himself of the privilege accorded by the house of representatives previous to adjournment, Chairman Cannon, of the committee on appropriations, has prepared for the Congressional Record a more extended statement of the appropriations made by the Fifty-fifth congress than he made the day after adjournment. He places the total appropriations for the entire congress at $1,566,890,016, and the appropriations authorized for future congresses under the continuing contract system for battleships, river and harbor improvements and public buildings at $70,000,000. The total appropriations made at the last session Mr. Cannon places at $673,658,400, showing an apparent reduction of $219,573,214 below the appropriations of the preceding session. Mr. Cannon attributes this reduction to the extraordinary war expenses of the preceding session. Of the total appropriations for the congress he says that the sum of $482,562,083 is directly chargeable to the war with Spain. He thus shows that the ordinary expenditures for the two years covered by the congress were $1,044,580,273, and this sum exceeds the total appropriations of the Fifty-fourth congress by $39,746,658. This excess is accounted for as follows:

For payment of pensions, $3,875,200; for the postal service, to meet increased demands of commerce, $16,619,581; for river and harbor improvements, $3,401,128; for constructing new ships, $6,080,838; for beginning the work of the twelfth census, $1,000,000; for the Paris exposition, $1,210,000; for new public buildings, $5,000,000; for payment of judgments against the government under the Bowman act, and for the French spoliation claims, $3,100,768. Total, $40,287,516. Mr. Cannon congratulates congress and the country upon this showing and also upon the fact that, notwithstanding the war, close attention was given to the ordinary expenditures of the government, which is, he thinks, unusual.

ADMIRAL KAUTZ'S MISSION.

He Goes to Samoa to Fulfill a Treaty Obligation.

Washington, March 12.—It is denied positively at the state department that Rear Admiral Kautz has gone to Samoa on the Philadelphia to restore the status quo existing before the last emute, to depose Mataafa and restore Malietoa Tanus even if force is necessary to accomplish these objects. It is said that the admiral has gone to Samoa to meet the treaty obligations that is imposed upon the United States to send a warship there at least occasionally as an evidence of the interest held by the United States in the islands. While there he will make a careful examination of the conditions on the islands and look into the events leading up to the restoration of the provisional government, reporting all the facts to Washington. It is not expected that he will be a disturbing element and endeavor to make arbitrary changes, but only prevent bloodshed and protect life and property.

SEE HOW IT'S DONE.

Court of Inquiry Inspects Packing Houses at Chicago.

Chicago, March 12.—The court of inquiry resumed its work regarding beef yesterday by continuing the investigation of processes of preparation at the stockyards. Several more of the packing houses were inspected, most of the time being spent in examining the methods of one of the companies which deals exclusively in canned goods. The various stages from the killing of beef to the labelling of the can were witnessed. After seeing an animal killed the court followed the carcass to the refrigerator rooms and from there to the department where the meat was cut into the proper size for canning. Much information was obtained as to the character of the meat used for canning purposes. Gen. Davis was the chief inquisitor, the other members of the court being content to simply watch the various processes.

SOLDIER STABBED.

Tragedy Enacted on a Train Conveying Kansas Volunteers.

Kansas City, March 12.—The Twenty-third Kansas volunteers, en route to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., from Santiago, passed through here. When a short distance out from St. Louis a soldier named Williams was stabbed to death by a comrade named Ray. Williams, who was known as the "Bully of the Regiment," had stirred up considerable trouble, finally assaulting Ray. Ray drew a knife and struck Williams in the breast, killing him instantly. Ray is under arrest.

Record-Breaking Justice.

Philadelphia, March 12. — John P. Evans, who was arrested while in the act of robbing a dwelling was railroaded through court and sentenced to six years within twenty-four hours of the time of his arrest.

Steamer Ashore.

Nassau, N. P., March 12.—The British steamer Collegian, Capt. Owe, New Orleans for Liverpool, is ashore on the Riding rocks. An underwriter's agent has left here to assist the distressed vessel.

FLOODS AND WASHOUTS.

Southern Minnesota Towns Suffer Severely.

Preston, Minn., March 15.—Saturday night Preston witnessed the highest water mark for more than twenty-five years. It thawed all day, and about 5 o'clock it commenced to rain and continued raining until about 2 a. m., when it turned colder and commenced snowing. All the south and east part of town was under water and much damage was done. An ice am was formed above the Conkejy mill dam, and when it broke the large cakes of ice, some 20x30 feet and three feet thick, were carried all over the flats. The streets south of main street are filled with ice. The mill dam east of town is greatly damaged and many wagon bridges washed away. The iron bridge crossing Root river on the east of Preston is greatly damagen, the east abutment being entirely gone. The greatest damage done is to Collins' lumber yard. The water stood three feet deep all over the yard. A great deal of lumber was washed into the channel of the river and oated away. Many families were moved to higher quarters, and many business men were obliged to stay up town all night on account of not being able to cross the river. The turntable was thrown out of its pit and no engines can be turned for some time.

Lanesboro, Minn., March 15. — The worst freshet for years occurred here Saturday night. Telegraph and telephone wires are down, and the wagon bridge opposite the railway water tank dam and part of the railway bridge east have gone down. The railway west of town is covered with heavy blocks of ice.

VOLUNTEERS LET OUT.

Those in Cuba Will Be Brought Home and Mustered Out.

Washington, March 15.—The war department has determined to muster out and bring home all the volunteers in Cuba with the exception of the volunteer engineers and immunes. The necessity for immediate action has been brought to the attention of the war department on account of the quarantine regulations against Cuba which goes into effect about May 1, and which are especially strict at all Southern ports. When the troops are brought to this country they must, under the law be mustered out in camps, and they no doubt will be brought to camps nearest their homes. It is desired also to have them brought to places where fumigating can be done, and it is possible that troops for Northern states may be brought to Montauk and Camp Wykoff again be established, although the present intention is to have all Northern troops sent to Camp Meade, in Pennsylvania. The troops of North Carolina, South Carolina, Louisiana and Georgia will probably be brought to Savannah, the Texas troops to Galveston and the Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia troops to Old Point Comfort, Va.

IDENTIFIED BY GEN. WOOD.

Remains of Admiral Villamil Found Among the Rocks Near Santiago.

Santiago, Cuba, March 15.—Sunday Gen. Leonard Wood, military governor of the department of Santiago, in the presence of the adjutant generals of the department, Col. Beacon and Capt. Gilmore, of Capt. Scott, captain of the port, and other officers, positively identified the remains of the Spanish o...cer discovered a few days ago among the rocks on the shore about four miles west of El Moro, as those of Admiral Villamil, who commanded the Spanish torpedo boat destroyers in the naval battle which resulted in the destruction of Admiral Cervera's squadron.

Gen. Wood, through the war department, will notify the secretary of state of the finding of the remains, so that they can be removed to Spain, if the Spanish government so desires. Pending final disposition they will be kept at the arsenal here. The tattered uniform will also be held subject to Spain's wishes. The arm chair is at present in charge of Capt. Scott.

GUSTAF IS HOOTED.

Norwegians Make a Demonstration Against Him.

Christiania, Norway, March 15. — There was a popular demonstration here last evening against Crown Prince Gustaf, Duke of Wermland, who was recently appointed regent on account of the illness of his father, King Oscar II. The prince was returning from the military club when he met a crowd of people who hooted him, hissed him and pelted him with snowballs. The crowd was dispersed by the police, and several arrests were made. The Norwegian papers condemn the demonstration.

SPAIN'S TRADE LAST YEAR.

Notwithstanding the War It Shows a Balance in Her Favor.

Washington, March 15. — United States Consular Agent Mertens, at Grao, has submitted to the state department some figures relative to the Spanish trade last year, showing the surprising fact that notwithstanding her completed defeat in war and her distressed economic conditions, Spain was actually able to show a balance of trade in her favor for 1898. Mr. Mertins cites this fact as a demonstration of the natural wealth of the country. The total exports were $162,401,638 and imports $91,772,450.

The Sizemores Not Guilty.

Tekamah, Neb., March 15.—George Russell and Ed Sizemore, brothers, were found not guilty of the murder of Charles Beck of Decatur, this county. Beck was murdered and robbed seven years ago. The Sizemores were recently arested.

Mr. Kipling's Plans.

New York, March 15.—Though Mr. Kipling has made no definite plans for the immediate future, an intimate friend said his visit to this country will probably be a short one. He will return to England early in the spring.

Coal for Dewey.

Washington, March 15. — The navy department is now loading a Newport News 5,000 tons of coal to be taken to Manila via the Suez canal. The department has shipped 40,000 tons to Manila since the war begun.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, March 16. — Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 67@68 1-4c; No. 2 Northern, 64 1-2@65 1-2c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 31 1-4 @ 32 1-4c; No. 3, 31 @ 32c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 @ 29 1-2c; No. 3, 28 3-4@29 1-4c. Barley and Rye — Sample barley, 37@43c; No. 2 rye, 53 @54c; No. 3 rye, 51@52c.

Duluth, March 16. — Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 69 3-4c; No. 1 Northern, 67 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 64 1-4c; No. 3 spring, 60 1-2c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 70c; No. 1 Northern, 68c; March, No. 1 hard, 69 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 67 1-2c; May, No. 1 hard, 71 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 69 1-2c; July, No. 1 hard, 72c; No. 1 Northern, 70c; oats, 28 1-4c; rye, 53 3-4c; barley, 40@46c.

Minneapolis, March 16. — Wheat — March closed at 68 1-4c; May opened at 67 5-8c and closed at 68 1-2c; July opened at 68 3-8c and closed at 69 1-2c. On track — No. 1 hard, 68 3-4c; No. 1 Northern, 67 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 65 3-4c.

Chicago, March 16. — Wheat—No. 2 red, 69 1-2 @ 70 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 65@65 1-2c; No. 3, 63@64 1-2c; No. 1 Northern spring, 69@71c; No. 2, 67@69c; No. 3, 63@67c. Corn—No. 2, 34 1-2c; No. 3, 32@32 1-2c. Oats—No. 2, 27 1-4 @ 27 1-2c; No. 3, 27@27 1-4c.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 16—Flour is steady. Wheat dull; No. 1 Northern, 69 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 67 1-2c. Oats dull at 28 1-2@29c. Rye lower; No. 1, 55c. Barley steady; No. 2, 48c; sample, 37@46 1-2c.

Chicago, March 16. — Hogs — Light, $3.65@3.90; mixed, $3.65@3.95; heavy, $3.75@3.95; rough, $3.65@3.70. Cattle —Beeves, $3.85@5.70; cows and heifers, $2 @ 4.75; Texas steers, $3.40@4.75; stockers and feeders, $3.40@4.65. Sheep — Natives, $3 20@4.70; lambs, $4.25@5.25.

Sioux City, Iowa, March 16.—Hogs—$3.55@3.70. Cattle—Beeves, $4@5.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $2@4; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.40; calves and yearlings, $3.75@5.10.

South St. Paul, March 16. — Hogs—$3.60@3.70. Cattle—Cows, $2.50@3.25; steers, $4.30@4.60; stockers, $3.40@4.50; heifers, $2.00@3.25; stags, $3.60; bulls, $2.75; calves, $6.

WAS NOT VILLAMEL.

Something Further About the Body Found Near Santiago.

Washington, March 16. — The secretary of the navy has received the following telegram from Portland, Or.:

"The remains found in chair about four miles west of Santiago, as reported in to-day's papers, are not those of Villamel, but of Spanish seaman. Report follows by mail.

—"Proctor, Assistant Engineer."

The officer from whom the above message was received was an engineer on board the Gloucester, which was the instrument that destroyed the Pluton, on board of which Admiral Villamel started from Santiago. He was in charge of the landing party which went to the succor of the Spanish sailors who managed to reach the shore from the sinking vessel and were being fired upon by the Cubans. While bringing the particular seaman down to the shore to take him aboard the Gloucester the seaman died and his remains were allowed to sit in the chair in which the body had been conveyed. The department officials believe that Villamel's body lies at the bottom of the sea.

MR. SWIFT TESTIFIES.

Head of the Packing House of Swift & Co. Appears Before the Court.

Chicago, March 16—Col. O. M. Smith, purchasing agent of the government at Chicago since 1895, testified yesterday before the government court of inquiry that the store and canned roast beef bought by him during the Spanish war were all upon the direct order of Gen. Eagan, commissary general. He also stated some purchases of canned beef were made without his knowledge by the commissary general. One of yesterday's important witnesses was Gustav Swift, head of the packing house of Swift & Co. Good progress was made by the court, but the end of the list of witnesses to be examined in Chicago is not yet in sight.

DEWEY MAY RETURN.

Citizens of Washington Want Him at a Peace Festival in May.

Washington, March 16. — Admiral Dewey will be in Washington May 20, if the plans of a committee of prominent citizens here do not fail. An imposing delegation will wait upon the secretary of the navy and ask him to authorize the admiral to accept an invitation from the city of Washington to be the guest of honor at the peace festival to be held here the latter part of May. Secretary Long will refer the request of the citizens' committee to the president at Thomasville, and if he gives it his approval the committee is sanguine that Admiral Dewey will accept and arrive here in time.

RECIPROCITY NEGOTIATIONS.

Washington, March 16. — Negotiations for reciprocity treaties with Germany and France have been resumed and there is still a prospect that a treaty may be negotiated with Great Britain covering the British West Indies. These several treaty negotiations were interrupted some months ago by the service Mr. Kasson, our reciprocity commissioner, was obliged to give to the Canadian commission. As this work is closed Mr. Kasson is free to resume the work with the other countries, and he has written to inform them that he is at liberty to proceed.

Glencoe Enterprise.

Glencoe, Minn., March 16. — A 300-barrel flour mill will be erected here next spring, to cost $30,000. Bean & Hilliard of New Prague are at the head of the enterprise.

The German Army.

Berlin, March 16.—The reichstag, by a vote of 209 to 141, rejected the army increase demanded by the government. The government proposal was also rejected. The Center and Freisinnige Union voted with the minority.

Athletic Boycott.

Chicago, March 16.—Representatives of Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Purdue, Northwestern and other universities met here and declared a boycott aginst the University of Chicago in all matters athletoc.

THE LEGISLATURE

Business Transacted by Minnesota Solons.

St. Paul, March 9. —By a majority that was simply crushing in its magnitude the house yesterday rejected the Grondahl bill providing for the care of the chronic insane by counties, and probably settled for all time to come the policy of the state in caring for the most unfortunate class of its wards. When the roll was called the bill received but 15 votes, while 91 members of the house recorded themselves in the negative.

The following bills were passed:

Authorizing the holding of the elections of townships in certain cases within the limits of certain villages, and the holding of township offices by electors of the village. — Increasing the compensation of the supreme court reporter. — Restoring the annual appropriation of $20,000 for support of the soldiers' home. — Providing for a boiler inspector for each congressional district. — Allowing townships to own property in incorporated villages for town hall purposes and to hold elections therein.

The following bills were introduced:

To regulate bicycle riding outside the limits of cities and villages. — Relating to consolidation of railroads. — Prohibiting the diminution of the term of office or the salary of any public office during the term. — For the appointment of a mine inspector. — To provide for the care and treatment of crippled and deformed children. — To prescribe the duties of the deputy state treasurer.

The house spent a couple of hours in committee of the whole at the close of the afternoon session, Mr. Foss in the chair, devoting all the time to the Snyder bill for the creation in the three large cities of a teachers' retirement fund. The result was the defeat of the bill by a vote of 52 to 44.

The Senate.

The senate devoted most of its time yesterday to consideration of the measures relating to beet sugar bounty, insane hospitals and the proposition to place state fee officers on a salary basis.

The beet sugar industry received a severe setback by the passage of the Batz bill to repeal the law of 1895, under which a bounty of 1 cent a pound was offered for the manufacture of beet sugar, and again, in the slaughtering of the Knatvold bills of the present session which proposed the limitation of the bounty to $20,000 a year and its equal division between the manufacturer and the farmers that grow the beets.

The insane hospital question was easily disposed of. The senate seems to have made up its mind to let the house take the initiative in this matter, and yesterday afternoon when the several propositions of this nature that were made a special order for 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon was reached, the senate followed the lead of the house and postponed consideration of the measures until 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, March 16.

The proposition to put state fee officers on a salary basis was under discussion most of the forenoon. It was decided to investigate the reports of fee officers' earnings as recently made to the senate.

St. Paul, March 10.—Senator Thompson of Fillmore county yesterday introduced a measure embodying the so-called "colony plan" of caring for the state's insane, which is advocated by the superintendents and resident directors of the insane asylums of the state. The plan is proposed as a substitute for the county plan, and, also, for the so-called district proposition, which has in view the establishment of two more comparatively large institutions, one at Anoka and the other at Hastings. The Thompson bill provides for the construction of an equal number of detached cottages on each of the three large insane asylum sites at St. Peter, Rochester and Fergus Falls.

The following bills were introduced: noticeIm entsdeaC em em em em emw

Relating to appeals from the decision of county commissioners in the matter of claims. — To prohibit the sale of prison-made goods without their being plainly marked. — To amend the statutes relating to the pay of county commissioners. — To amend the statutes so as to give county commissioners $3 a day compensation. — To regulate the incorporation and management of building and loan and savings associations.

The House.

The house decided yesterday in committee of the whole to report favorably on the bill prepared by Adjt. Gen. Lambert providing for the payment of the national guardsmen who were accepted as volunteers by the general government, at Camp Ramsey during April and May of last year, at the rate provided by the military code of the state for national guardsmen in actual service, for the period between the order of the governor mobilizing the guard and the muster of the three regiments.

The following bills were introduced:

To repeal chapter 395, Laws of 1897, relating to school bonds. — To amend sections 27 and 48, chapter 22, Laws of 1893, as amended, defining a legal newspaper. — Relating to the taxation of insurance companies. — To appropriate $5,000 for 1899 and $7,000 annually thereafter for the use of the state dairy and food commission in enforcing the laws relating to the adulteration of foods. — To prevent the taking of fish from lakes within the limits of incorporated cities between Nov. 1 and March 1. — Relating to the composition, duties and membership of the state agricultural society. — To amend the laws relating to game and fish. — To construct three cottages for the insane and to appropriate money therefor.

St. Paul. March 11.—When the senate was called to order yesterday forenoon Senator Horton called up his concurrent resolution petitioning President McKinley to recall from the Philippines the Thirteenth Minnesota volunteer regiment, and it was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Considerable time was spent in committee of the whole and a number of bills were acted upon

The following bills were passed: To amend the laws relating to town elections and powers of supervisors—To amend section 1050, Statutes of 1894, so as to alow a justice of the peace to hold his office in a different ward from that in which he is living; relates only to cities of between 2,000 and 15,000 population that are incorporated under the general statutes.

The following bills were introduced: To amend the Statutes of 1894 relating to limitation of the time of beginning actions—To prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated and unwholesome dairy products.

The House.

Three bills designed to straighten out the taxation at Duluth were recommended to pass. A large number of other bills were acted on in committee of the whole. None of them were of any great general interest.

The following bills were introduced: To prevent fraud in the sale of dairy products—Directing the railroad and warehouse commission to investigate the reasonableness of certain rates—To amend chapter 107, Laws of 1883, relating to trust companies—To amend chapter 318, Laws of 1897, creating a board of state drainage commissioners—To amend section 5, chapter 1, Session Laws of 1878, relating to exemptions from taxation.

St. Paul, March 13.—The house Saturday emphatically rejected the proposition contained in Mr. Staples' bill creating a legislative committee of five members to conduct an investigation during the recess into the conduct of the correctional and charitable institutions of this and other states, with a view to possible legislation in the direction of a state board of control.

The following bills were passed:

Providing for a revision of the list of delinquent road tax by road overseers before the same is returned to the town supervisors. — Providing for the payment of arrears of pay to the enlisted men of the national guard. — Providing for a Minnesota standard policy for mutual hail insurance companies. — Providing for judgment and costs, pending stay of execution, shall draw 7 per cent interest. — Making tax receipts, stubs, etc., prima facie evidence of taxes paid and by whom paid, in actions concerning rights to real property. — Providing for a second edition of 10,000 copies of the legislative manuel. — Enlarging the powers of councils in villages of more than 3,000 inhabitants relative to the removal of snow, etc., from sidewalks. — Providing a method for dedicating land for public roads or cartways. — Providing that no occupant of a public street or other public grounds may acquire title by adverse possession. — Making it a misdemeanor to dock the tail of a horse.

The following bills were introduced:

To prevent the desecration, mutilation or improper use of the flag of the United States or the flag of the State of Minnesota. — Enabling owners of land to test the validity of tax certificates at any time. — To amend the Laws of 1895, regulating the use of pound nets.

St. Paul, March 14.—The attendance of the house was light, but a heavy day's work was accomplished. The house was in committee of the whole almost all day and twenty-five bills were acted upon to a conclusion, while considerable progress was made on half a dozen more.

Mr. Jackson's bill to straighten out the horsethief bounty law and to reduce the bounty from the indefinite amount fixed by existing law to $25, and to put owners of bicycles and mules on an equal footing before the law with the owners of horses, was recommended to pass, but not until it had been very materially amended.

A communication was received from Secretary of State Hay conveying the protest of the Swiss minister against a discriminating tax on foreign insurance companies.

The following bills were passed: Making the term of office of municipal judges in cities of less than 5,000 inhabitants four years instead of three—To legalize certain sales of real estate under order of probate court—Relating to the addition of platted territory to villages—Requiring railroads to adopt standard gauge—Authorizing municipal judges in cities of less than 5,000 inhabitants to call in an attorney to try cases in which the judge is or may have been interested.

St. Paul, March 15.—The senate put in a busy day yesterday, following its adjournment over Sunday. Senator Knatvold introduced a bill, which was passed under suspension of the rules, appropriating $1,500 for the use of the governor to defray the cost of cablegrams, etc., conveying for the benefit of relatives, information as to the condition of sick and wounded members of the Thirteenth Minnesota volunteers, now stationed at Manila doing heroic duty as the police force of that city. Among other matters of general interest that the senate did was to pass the Sweningsen bill, requiring manufacturers of "process" or "renovated" butter to so brand the same before placing it on sale, and the advancement to the calendar of the Grindeland bill to license commission men and compel them to give a bond.

The following bills were passed:

Relating to exemption from taxation, exempts but one person of each family living in the same house who may own $100 or less of personal property. — Providing for the giving and enforcing of a lien for labor and services performed in cutting, hauling, banking, rafting, driving, cribbing or towing logs, cedar poles, etc., gives employes first lien. — Providing for an investigation of Sunday labor by the commissioner of labor. — Providing for the issue of bonds for the purchase of sites and erecting school houses in independent school districts. — Relating to the ownership of real estate by corporations. — An act to provide for the incorporation of villages and to define their duties and powers, and to repeal certain laws in relation thereto. — Relating to the admission to practice of attorneys and counsellors at law. — To provide for clerk hire of county treasurers in counties where the treasurer's salary is fixed by special law.

The following bills were introduced:

Relating to the title to real estate by descent. — Relating to the practice of veterinary medicine. — To authorize county commissioners to appropriate money for the erection of monuments in memory of Union soldiers. — Relating to garnishment proceedings; exempts $9 a week. — To enable city councils of a certain class to assess abutting property benefitted by local improvements.

The House.

The house spent most of the day in passing the bills which had accumulated on the calendar for several days preceding. There was a list of twenty-eight of them. Not all of them were passed.

The combination horse-bicycle-thief-bounty bill was amended by reducing the bicycle bounty from $25 to $15, but even in this form could not command quite a majority. The vote was 56 to 33, which defeated the bill. Mr. Donahue gave notice of a motion to reconsider. Later in the day Mr. Donahue's motion was adopted and the bill recommitted to the committee of the whole. The anti-boycott bill went through by a vote of 66 to 15.

Among the more important bills passed were the following:

Providing that the provisions of the Chattel Mortgage Law of 1897, with respect to notice of sale, etc., shall apply to all conditional sale contracts, seed grain, liens, etc. — Defining the duties of contractors with respect to mechanics' liens. — Relating to farmers' mutual fire insurance companies.—Providing for the organization of towns in certain cases. — Authorizing county commissioners to pay for services of physicians called in emergencies to treat county patients. — Prohibiting boycotting. — Providing for a maximum penalty of $250 or six months' imprisonment for witnesses failing to obey subpoena. — Providing that right of way for public roads or cartways over property owned by a ward in guardianship or by the estate of a deceased may be obtained as right of way of railroads is now obtained. — making the removal of a bicycle malicious mischief. — Allowing the owner of property sold for taxes to pay one year's delinquent taxes at a time. — Raising the age of consent from fourteen to sixteen years. — Providing that a person convicted of non-support may give bond instead of going to jail. — Authorizing courts to hold sessions outside of county seats for the purpose of naturalization. — Relating to the incorporation of religious societies.

The following bills were introduced:

To amend section 3759, Statutes of 1894, relating to the apportionment of school funds. — Relating to apportionment of county school funds. — To provide for the punishment of persons from seven to sixteen years who commit a crime. — Relating to land titles. —Relating to the assessment and collection of taxes. — To allow territory to be detached from one school district and attached to another in certain cases.

INDIANS ARE VERY RESTLESS.

Trouble Feared at the White Rock Agency.

Price, Utah, March 16.—Reports from White Rocks agency are to the effect that the Indian leaders there are very restless and trouble is anticipated by Indian Agent Myton by reason of the failure of the government to pay the Indians for Colorado lands. The matter was presented to Agent Myton by the head men of the White River Utes some ten days ago and the agent referred the matter to Washington. Nothing has been heard from the interior department and in consequence the Indians are becoming restless, and it is said threaten all manner of things. The Indians behind the agitation are old men and were more or less identified with the Meeker massacre. This fact caused some alarm, and by reason of Agent Myron's return to White Rocks by special conveyance from Price, where he was called from Salt Lake, lends color to the reports that an outbreak may occur at any time. The Indians are in an ugly mood and say if washington does not pay them for their lands in Colorado they propose going back on them.

Merritt Will Be Marshal.

Chicago, March 16. — Gen. Wesley Merritt accepted the invitation to act as grand marshal on the parade here Oct. 9, Chicago day, the occasion being the laying of the corner stone of the new federal building by President McKinley. Gen. Joe Wheeler and other notables will be invited to act as division commanders of the parade.

Arrest for Child Murder.

San Francisco, March 16. — Mrs. Minnie Adams has been arrested on suspicion of having murdered her two-year-old illegitimate child by administering carbolic acid. A quarrel with the father of the child is believed to be the motive for the revolting crime. The father, Wilson Gray, is the accuser of the woman.

Must Pass an Examination.

Washington, March 16.—All the men appointed second lieutenants in the army will have to pass examinations before they are commissioned. They will take rank according to the examinations which they pass, the men from the regular army taking precedence over those appointed from civil life.

Nerves in the Brain.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 16. — Dr. Carl Huber, assistant professor of anatomy and director of the histological laboratory at the University of Michigan, has just discovered that, contrary to the belief of the best physiologists of the world, the blood vessels of the brain are controlled by nerves.

Incendiarism the Charge.

Black River Falls, Wis., March 16.—Hans Peterson of the town of Albion was arrested on complaint of K. K. Hagestad, charged with setting fire to a barn and six other buildings on the farm of George Peterson Oct. 18, 1897.

War Tax Decision.

Chicago, March 16. — The appellate court has unanimously sustained the decision rendered by Judge Tuley last summer that express companies are obliged to furnish war revenue stamps to all shippers.

Independent of the Cortes.

Madrid, March 16.—The Correspondencia says the cabinet has advised the queen regent to ratify the treaty of peace with the United States without awaiting the reassembling of the cortes.

The Brainerd Dispatch.

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INGERSOLL & WIELAND, Dispatch.
A. J. HALSTED, Tribune.
Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1899.

FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1899.

THE boys are "wearing of the green" today.

THE ground hog will kindly remember that he was sent back for only six weeks, and they have expired.

THE Cuban assembly has deposed Gomez as commander-in-chief of the Cuban army, and now the people threaten to depose the assembly.

THE Deleware legislature adjourned without electing a senator, and the state will be represented by only one senator for two years. Considering the size of the state one senator is enough.

THE American troops in the Philippines have begun active operations against the insurgents and are driving them inland like sheep. Nothing can stand before the valor of the boys in blue.

THE French government has just ordered ten locomotives from the Baldwin works at Philadelphia for state railways. It looks as if America will shortly be furnishing iron and steel machinery for the world.

THE farmers in the county don't seem to respond to the county fair project as they should. They should be more anxious for a good county fair than the town people, as they will receive the most benefit.

THE daily papers are now trying to prove that St. Patrick was a Frenchman, that he knew nothing of "wearing of the green," and that he never even saw shamrock. The Irish seem to have no rights the yellow journals are bound to respect.

CENSUS DIRECTOR MERRIAM will appoint ex-Labor Commissioner Powers, of this state, to an important position in the census bureau. If all census appointments are equally meritorious, the coming census will be a model. Mr. Powers, as a statistician, has no superior.

COUNTY ATTORNEY S. F. ALDERMAN must be more than satisfied with his success at this term of court. He won every criminal case that he prosecuted and in which an indictment was secured. This is a record as county attorney which has never been equalled in this county, and fully justifies the confidence the people of the county reposed in him when they elected him last fall by four votes to one for his opponent.

THE Arena says John Lind has been governor two months and none of the bad things predicted of populistic success have materialized. Grover Cleveland was president four years his first term and none of the bad things predicted of free trade occurred, simply because congress was republican or anti-free trade, but when Mr. Cleveland was elected his second term and also a free trade congress, the country suffered all the evil things that were predicted and more, and it is equally true of Mr. Lind and his crazy populist notions. As long as the state has a republican legislative body, Mr. Lind will be unable to inflict any of his absurd theories on the public, and the state will prosper. But a complete populist administration would produce all the woes suffered by Kansas and other populist communities in the past.

Comparison and Contrast.

Two years ago William McKinley entered on his duties as president of the United States, and the contrast between the present conditions and those which existed during the last two years of the preceding democratic administration comes to every thinking American citizen with great force, says the St. Cloud Journal-Press. It presents all the difference between adversity and prosperity, between want and plenty, between idleness and activity, between wretchedness and happiness. Then mills and factories were closed and men were without employment or if any had work it was at greatly reduced wages; now every form of industry shows the greatest activity, labor is in demand and wages are steadily advancing. Then the building of railroads and other large works of improvement had ceased; now new lines and additional branches are being constructed in nearly all the states, giving steady employment to armies of men. Then money was in hiding, and scarcely any rate of interest was high enough to tempt it forth; now the market is glutted with money and rates of interest were never so low. Then bonds had to be issued, not only once, but again and again, with which to provide gold to redeem the obligations of the government; now the surplus of gold, brought to the treasury in the ordinary course of business, is far in excess of all demands. Then there was an all-pervading feeling of distrust, of uncertainty, of apprehension; now the very air seems to palpitate with the feeling of bouyance which permeates all localities and all classes. Then the country was under the depressing influence of the Wilson bill, which was so long on promise and so short on performance; now it has the Dingley bill, which protects American industries and insures to American labor its proper reward. Then the country was threatened with the free coinage of silver at the Bryanistic ratio of 16 to 1, the very possibility of which paralyzed every fibre of commerce; now the financial policy of the government is based on a single gold standard, which gives confidence to capital and maintains the full value of the income of labor.

Let any intelligent man, from his own knowledge of the conditions then and now, carry out these comparisons and draw his own deductions. The difference is the direct and immediate result of opposing governmental policies. The one is the popocratic, free trade, free silver policy; the other in the republican, protection to American industry, gold standard policy. The one would mean for the future as it brought in the past, idleness, want, disaster; the other means for the future as it has brought for the present, activity, plenty, prosperity. There is no heated campaign on now, and it is a good time for men who want to vote intelligently and wisely when the time comes, to do some quiet thinking.

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Mr. R. D. Ransom, of Third Ave., East Brainerd, fireman at the Brainerd Lumber Co., says: "I can only speak of Doan's Kidney Pills as I found them. They certainly did me a wonderful sight of good. For as long as twelve or fourteen years I was a sufferer from kidney ailment. My back hurt me awful; I could stoop, but when I attempted to rise up severe pain caught me in the loins. Often in bed I could not change my position, and when morning came I had to be helped out of bed. The kidney secretions were of a very unhealthy color and were otherwise irregular. I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills which my son-in-law brought me early in the spring. I began using them carefully, and that box did me so much good I took another. The result was simply this, my back has not troubled me the least bit since. The effect upon the kidneys has been shown by the change in color, etc., which was brought about by the kidney secretions. I ascribe this happy result to Doan's Kidney Pills, for I took nothing else. I believe that others will experience just as radical a change as I did from their use."

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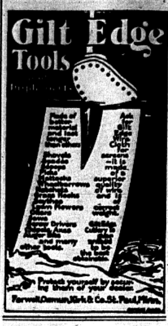

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Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage, executed and delivered by Wendla Sundstrom and Karl V. Sundstrom, (or Wendla Sundstrum and Karl V. Sundstrum), husband and wife, mortgagors, to the New York Mortgage Loan Company, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, mortgagee, dated May first A. D. 1893, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on May 22nd A. D. 1893, at 3 o'clock p. m., in book E. of Mortgages, on page 469, on which there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice Five hundred forty six dollars ($546), and no action has been instituted to recover the debt secured or any part thereof, and whereas said debt and mortgage were sold and assigned by said mortgagee to Joseph B. Aldrich by assignment, dated June 9th, A. D. 1898, and recorded in said Registry of Deeds, on June 14th, A. D. 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., in book N, of Mortgages on page 98.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that under a power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises by the sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the County Court House, in the City of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to satisfy said mortgage, and costs and expenses of sale, including Fifty Dollars attorneys fees, as stipulated in said mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage, and so to be sold, are situated in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot two (2) of block four (4) of Schmelz Third addition to the City of Brainerd according to the plat thereof of record in the Registry of Deeds of said Crow Wing County.

JOSEPH B. ALDRICH,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
LUM, NEFF & HARTLEY,
Attorneys.
Dated Feb. 8th, 1899.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

The names of the mortgagors are Thomas Wilson and Hannah Wilson, his wife; and the name of the mortgagee is Guaranty Savings and Loan Association; the mortgage is dated December 1st, 1895, and was recorded on the 12th day of December, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., in book "N" of mortgages on page 220, etc., in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Crow Wing County, Minnesota.

There is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, the sum of four hundred and seventynine and 90-100 ($479.90) dollars, being the principal sum with accrued interest, premium and fines thereon, and insurance premium of $8.40, paid December 15th, 1898, less the withdrawal value of the stock pledged as collateral for said loan. No action at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the following described premises situated in the County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: The east one-half (E ½) of lots one (1) and two (2), in block one hundred and twentyfive (125), town of Brainerd, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Crow Wing County, Minnesota, will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public auction at the front door of the court house at Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of May, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay said debt, and twentyfive dollars attorney's fees and the foreclosure disbursements.

Dated March 10, 1899.
GUARANTY SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
Mortgagee.
C. H. CHILDS,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
517 First Avenue S.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss
District Court, 15th Judicial District.
CAROLINE CHARLOTT ANDERSON,
Plaintiff,
against
JOHN WILLILM ANDERSON,
Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is filed in the office of the District Court of the Fifteenth Judicial District, in and for the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in the City of Brainerd, in the said County of Crow Wing, within Thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

Dated Feb. 8th, 1899.
CLIFTON A. ALLBRIGHT,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Office: Room 15, First National Bank Block,
Brainerd, Minnesota.
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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss
In Probate Court, Special Term, Feb. 27, 1899.
In the matter of the Estate of Nils Wilson, deceased:

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Gust Carlson, of said county.

It is ordered, That all claims and demands of all persons against said estate be presented to this court, for examination and allowance, at the Probate office in the City of Brainerd, Minn., on the following days, viz: Commencing on Monday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1899, and on the first Monday of each month thereafter for six months.

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

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

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 27th day of February, A. D. 1899.
By the Court,
{SEAL.} MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.
W. H. MANTOR, Attorney for Administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., January 19, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of District Court at Brainerd, Minn., on March 24, 1899, viz: Helen Anderson, H. E. No. 15888 for the NW¼ NW¼, Sec. 15, and NE¼ NE¼, Sec. 16, Township 43, Range 31 W.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Sam. Williams, Fred Veillett, Gideon Matte and E. Bordleau, P. O. address of all, St. Mathias, Minnesota.

M. D. TAYLOR, Register.

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., Jan. 30, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of the District Court, Crow Wing County, Minn., at Brainerd, on March 18th, 1899, viz: Carl E. Carlson, H. E. No. 15606, for the E½ SE¼, Section 8, Township 44, Range 29.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Olaf Graff, Louis Wicks, Nils J. Nilson, of Brainerd, Minn., and Christian A. Nilson, of Flak, Minn.

M. D. TAYLOR, Register.

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., February 17th, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Monday, April 3rd, 1899, viz: Samuel W. Robinson, H. E. No. 15916, for the S½ NW¼, Sec. 32 Twp. 44, R. 29.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Warren Godfrey, Glenn L. Peck, Nels G. Olson, J. A. DeCoster, P. O. Brainerd, Crow Wing county, Minn.

M. D. TAYLOR, Register.

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at St. Cloud, Minn., March 8, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of District Court, at Brainerd, Minn., on Monday, April 17th, 1899, viz: John A. Bark, H. E. No. 14,295, for the SW¼ NE¼, W½ SE¼ SE¼ SW¼ Sec. 10, Township 45, Range 29.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ernest Jeun, Charles Ober, Henry J. Shields and P. G. Nygren, P. O. address of all Deerwood, Crow Wing Co., Minnesota.

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No. 14, Duluth Express	8:30 a. m.	8:40 a. m.
No. 12—Duluth Mail....	10:30 a. m.	12:10 p. m.
No. 54, Duluth Freight..	9:15 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
No. 58, Duluth Freight..	8:55 p. m.	9:40 p. m.
WEST BOUND.		
No. 5, Fargo Express....	1:00 p. m.	1:30 p. m.
No. 11, Pacific Mail......	11:59 a. m.	12:05 p. m.
No. 15—Duluth Mail....	11:50 p. m.	12:01 a. m.
No. 57, Staples Freight..	4:20 p. m.	5:10 p. m.

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No. 11, Morris, Sauk Center & Brainerd......	5:15 p. m.	

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Crow Wing County.

GENTLEMEN:

I herewith submit a Statement of Receipts, Disbursements, Assets, Liabilities and Balances During the Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, A. D. 1898.

A. MAHLUM,
County Auditor.

Tabular Statement of Receipts, Disbursements and Balances for Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, A. D. 1898.

	Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1897	Collections during the year	Total of foregoing items	Disbursements as per vouchers cancelled	Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1898
STATE FUNDS.					
State of Minnesota	....	$8686 25	$8685 30	$8585 26	$99 14
State School Land Account	38 97	457 40	496 37	488 88	208 49
School Text Book Account	149 72	59 71	209 43	....	209 43
Total	$188 69	$4532 51	$4691 19	$4453 62	$287 57
COUNTY FUNDS.					
County Revenue Fund	$1201 22	$16583 54	$17784 76	$15800 45	$1984 31
Poor Fund	31 29	5009 18	5040 47	4850 89	189 58
Road and Bridge Fund	62	2986 13	2986 75	2980 85	5 90
Special Road and Bridge Fund	2095 10	19523 71	21618 81	21021 82	596 99
Bond Interest Fund	564 96	17730 96	18294 92	17867 88	436 64
Sinking Fund	1270 55	49 15	1320 10	43	1319 67
Fund	96 66	....	96 66	....	96 66
Fund	91 69	....	91 69	....	91 69
Redemption Fund	96 21	785 50	848 71	755 50	93 21
Special Poor Fund	314 21	556 55	870 76	635 00	235 76
Total	$6657 21	[illegible]	$69919 95	$64942 55	$4977 40
CITY AND TOWN FUNDS.					
City of Brainerd	....	$13426 64	$13426 64	$13426 64	....
City of Brainerd Sidewalks	....	265 59	265 59	265 59	....
City of Brainerd Sinking	....	1465 00	1465 00	1465 00	....
City of Brainerd Andrews Judgment	....	18 22	18 22	18 22	....
City of Brainerd Opening Sixth Street	....	20 91	20 91	20 91	....
Town of Mooresville	$126 41	13 45	141 86	....	$141 86
Town of Crow Wing	....	54 80	54 80	54 80	....
Town of Oak Lawn	....	268 28	268 28	268 28	....
Town of Deerwood	....	408 21	408 21	408 21	....
Town of Daggett Brook	19 81	118 07	118 07	113 07	....
Town of Long Lake	....	141 26	161 07	139 17	21 90
Town of Garrison	....	190 60	190 60	190 60	....
Town of St. Mathias	....	106 69	106 69	106 69	....
Town of Maple Grove	....	97 54	97 54	97 54	....
Total	$147 73	$16708 80	$16856 53	$16692 78	$163 76
SCHOOL FUNDS.					
General School	$ 18	$12784 57	$12784 75	$12790 04	$5 29*
Brainerd District Independent	....	27598 64	27598 64	27598 64	....
Brainerd District Sinking	....	1337 50	1337 50	1337 50	....
School District No. 1	....	204 92	204 92	204 92	....
do No. 2	....	245 65	245 65	245 65	....
do No. 3	....	409 12	409 12	409 12	....
do No. 4	....	585 69	585 69	585 69	....
do No. 5	....	255 69	255 69	255 69	....
do No. 6	....	86 77	86 77	86 77	....
do No. 7	....	436 69	436 69	436 69	....
do No. 8	....	543 25	543 25	543 25	....
do No. 9	....	580 79	580 79	580 79	....
do No. 10	....	180 78	180 78	180 28	50
do No. 11	79 90	178 69	258 59	258 59	....
do No. 12	98 61	[illegible]	439 60	439 60	....
do No. 13	....	357 87	357 87	357 87	....
do No. 14	....	338 64	338 64	338 64	....
do No. 15	....	163 68	163 68	163 68	....
do No. 16	....	154 70	154 70	154 70	....
do No. 17	....	125 23	125 23	125 23	....
do No. 18	....	196 91	196 91	196 91	....
do No. 19	....	215 09	215 09	215 39	....
do No. 20	....	302 47	302 47	302 47	....
do No. 21	....	194 59	194 59	194 59	....
do No. 22	1 94	54 25	56 19	56 19	....
do No. 23	....	178 44	178 44	178 44	....
do No. 24	....	81 78	81 78	33 25	48 53
do No. 25	....	197 91	197 91	197 91	....
do No. 26	....	250 05	250 05	250 05	....
do No. 27	....	263 40	263 40	262 40	....
do No. 28	....	109 78	109 78	96 28	13 50
do No. 29	....	220 50	220 50	201 12	19 38
do No. 30	34 58	[illegible]	275 56	275 56	....
do No. 31	....	81 16	81 16	66 62	14 54
do No. 32	....	133 33	133 33	133 33	....
do No. 33	....	150 18	150 18	150 18	....
do No. 34	....	335 16	335 16	335 16	....
do No. 35	....	267 87	267 87	267 87	....
do No. 36	....	209 65	209 65	209 65	....
do No. 37	....	240 36	240 36	240 36	....
do No. 38	....	21 18	21 18	17 81	3 37
do No. 39	....	114 08	114 08	114 08	....
do No. 40	....	124 38	124 38	....	124 38
do No. 41	....	2 39	2 39	....	2 39
do No. 42	42 08	[illegible]	43 08	43 08	....
do No. 43	68 58	[illegible]	126 36	126 06	....
do No. 44	....	60 13	60 13	57 73	2 40
do No. 45	....	13 39	13 39	....	13 39
do No. 46	....	122 43	122 43	122 43	....
do No. 47	....	6 98	6 98	....	6 98
do No. 48	....	21 42	21 42	21 42	....
do No. 49	....	66 63	66 63	66 20	43
do No. 50	....	54 74	54 74	....	54 74
do No. 51	....	49 18	49 18	....	49 18
do No. 52	....	47 06	47 06	....	47 06
do No. 54	....	51 33	51 33	....	51 33
Total	$305 16	$51448 18	$51749 34	$51302 58	$487 40
TAX COLLECTIONS.					
Tax Collections	$10595 24	$88274 90	$98870 14	$88063 70	$10806 44
RECAPITULATION.					
State Fund	$158 68	$4532 51	$4691 19	$4453 62	$237 57
County Funds	6657 21	[illegible]	69919 95	64942 55	4977 40
City and Town Funds	147 73	16708 80	16856 53	16692 78	163 76
School Funds	305 16	51448 18	51749 34	51302 58	487 40
Tax Collections	10595 24	88274 90	98870 14	88063 70	10806 44
Total	$17865 61	[illegible]	$243087 12	$225055 16	$16048 57

*Overdrawn

Receipts.

Into the County Treasury to the Credit of the Different Funds.

GENERAL COUNTY FUND.

Interest on deposits ... $980 13
Jury fees ... 20 00
Court fees ... 11 77
Fire warden, ½ state ... 9 43
Candidates' fees, blue ballots ... 265 00
Balance of appropriation for costs in matter of 17 towns returned by county attorney ... 15 15
Tax collections ... 15571 06
Total ... $16583 54

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

Old Mississippi river bridge iron sold by Commissioner Cale ... $40 01
Tax collections ... 2946 12
Total ... $2986 13

POOR FUND.

Amount returned from appropriation made for transportation of family of S E Smith to Aitkin ... $2 05
Tax collections ... 5007 13
Total ... $5009 18

SPECIAL POOR FUND.

Products sold by the overseer of the poor farm ... $530 59
Tax collections ... 25 96
Total ... $556 55

SPECIAL ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

To eighteen bonds, $1,000 denomination, with accrued interest ... $18176 98
Tax collections ... 1446 73
Total ... $19623 71

BOND INTEREST FUND.

Amount borrowed from the First National Bank of Brainerd ... $7600 00
Tax collections ... 10130 96
Total ... $17730 96
Sinking fund, tax collections ... 49 15
Redemption fund, tax collections ... 785 50
Total ... [illegible]

Disbursements.

POOR FUND.

A Angel, goods for poor farm ... $19 75
A Angel, goods for poor farm ... 12 50
M K Swartz, drugs for poor farm ... 36 75
Beach, Cole & Beach, goods for poor farm ... 20 40
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 147 00
Campbell & Smith, goods for poor farm ... 12 75
C D Johnson, drugs for poor farm ... 3 90
C D Johnson, drugs for poor farm ... 3 65
Werner Hemstead, medical services poor ... 45 00
Mrs M C Rosen, nursing poor ... 6 75
S & J W Koop, goods for poor ... 11 60
Larson & Walters, wood for poor ... 3 25
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 15 00
Slipp Bros., goods for poor farm ... 46 61
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 19 00
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 7 00
Wm Clark, temporary aid ... 5 00
Mrs Durham, temporary aid ... 10 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 9 25
Mrs Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
John Brooks, temporary aid ... 6 00
Wm Clark, temporary aid ... 5 00
Evergreen Cemetery Association, graves for paupers ... 21 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
W W Craig, goods for the poor ... 8 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 26 45
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 7 50
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 86 40
Rostad, Bane & Co., meats for poor farm ... 11 00
A Angel, goods for the poor ... 8 85
Geo S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 51 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 15 00
Slipp Bros., goods for the poor farm ... 8 30
Koop Bros., goods for the poor ... 9 00
Chas A Krech, wood for poor ... 3 50
Con O'Brien, goods for the poor ... 9 00
J F McGinnis, goods for the poor ... 9 70
T McMaster, hay stumpage for poor farm ... 26 00
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 20 00
James Wickham, blacksmithing poor farm ... 3 50
Mrs Durham, temporary aid ... 20 00
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
John Brooks, temporary aid ... 6 00
J B McKinney, temporary aid ... 6 00
Wm Clark, temporary aid ... 5 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 66 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 86 40
L M Koop, goods for the poor ... 6 58
Williamson & Smallwood, goods for poor ... 16 94
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 7 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
C D Johnson, drugs for poor ... 4 00
Mary Hicks, temporary aid ... 4 10
Harry Patterson, transportation for pauper children to Owatonna ... 22 41
W W Craig, goods for poor ... 6 00
D M Clark & Co., goods for poor farm ... 7 40
Koop Bros., goods for the poor ... 9 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 15 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 8 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 3 40
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 10 00
J B McKinney, temporary aid ... 6 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
Evergreen Cemetery Association, graves for paupers ... 9 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 15 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 70 10
James Wickham, blacksmithing poor farm ... 4 75
Mrs C Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
W W Craig, goods for poor ... 15 00
John Brooks, temporary aid ... 5 00
D D Smith, goods for the poor farm ... 17 60
A Angel, goods for poor farm ... 6 55
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
A P Farrar, inventory of poor farm ... 3 00
J D Gabiou, wood for the poor farm ... 19 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 16 75
Martin Toobey, temporary aid ... 3 35
H I Cohen, goods for the poor ... 5 46
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
J B McKinney, temporary aid ... 6 00
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
Ed Armstead, medical treatment ... 200 00
J L Camp, medical treatment poor ... 40 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 37 50
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 7 00
Losey & Dean, coffin and burial of poor ... 38 50
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 34 60
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 53 75
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 22 00
A Angel, goods for the poor ... 5 65
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 87 34
Craig & Craig, goods for poor ... 10 00
Harry Patterson, transportation for pauper ... 3 75
Mahlum & Valleutyne, goods for poor ... 5 00
M McFadden, premium insurance on warehouse at poor farm ... 16 80
Koop Bros., goods for the poor ... 13 00
T McMaster, goods for the poor ... 23 29
Jas Thompson, temporary aid ... 6 13
Sam McCourrity, laborer at poor farm ... 15 00
Fred Berg, laborer at the poor farm ... 15 00
Mrs S L Searfoss, nursing poor ... 1 90
Koop Bros., goods for the poor ... 18 00
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Mrs C Wahlen, temporary aid ... 3 00
Joel Smith, lumber for the poor farm ... 20 80
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
D D Smith, wagon for the poor farm ... 53 60
Henry James, work at poor farm ... 3 40
J L Camp, medical services for poor ... 55 40
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 12 50
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 34 70
McCourrity & Berg, work at the poor farm ... 14 85
Knute Olson, work at the poor farm ... 22 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
W W Craig, goods for the poor ... 10 00
A P Farrar, transportation to poor farm with pauper ... 3 00
Con O'Brien, goods for poor farm ... 21 00
Koop Bros., goods for the poor farm ... 7 50
R F Walters, goods for the poor farm ... 3 50
L E Lum, interest on the poor farm mortgage ... 50 00
R H Paine, plumbing at poor farm ... 1 00
C D Johnson, drugs for poor farm ... 1 75
Chas Russell, work at poor farm ... 1 50
Beach, Cole & Beach, goods for poor farm ... 5 75
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 16 00
H Drapeau, goods for the poor farm ... 13 40
Mrs C Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
Redding & Reilly, goods for poor farm ... 20 00
A P Farrar, money advanced for transportation for pauper ... 3 25
G S McCulloch, money advanced account of poor farm ... 26 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 25 00
D M Clark & Co., goods for poor farm ... 6 50
James Wickham, blacksmithing at poor farm ... 7 20
Koop Bros., goods for the poor farm ... 10 25
A P Farrar, railway fare for pauper ... 90
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 41 70
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 2 20
O D Johnson, drugs for the poor farm ... 1 45
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 22 00
James Rhodes, laborer at poor farm ... 2 50
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 37 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
Slipp Bros., goods for the poor farm ... 17 75
W W Craig, goods for the poor ... 5 00
J F McGinnis & Co., goods for poor ... 6 70
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
Jno Bubar, inventory of poor farm ... 3 00
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 16 25
Losey & Dean, burial of paupers ... 12 00
James Wickham, work at poor farm ... 4 70
Mrs H Shupe, work at the poor farm ... 2 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 37 50
Koop Bros., goods for the poor ... 3 65
R G Vallentyne, goods for poor ... 5 00
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm ... 50 00
Knute Olson, laborer at poor farm ... 23 00
D D Smith, goods for the poor farm ... 18 50
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Evergreen Cemetery Association, graves for poor ... 15 00
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 9 20
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 34 34
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 7 50
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 22 86
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
Harry Patterson, visiting paupers ... 5 00
W W Craig, goods for the poor ... 6 00
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
F J Closterman, goods for the poor ... 6 30
Knute Olson, work at the poor farm ... 22 00
G S McCulloch, overseer etc., poor farm ... 54 95
J L Camp, medical services poor ... 40 00
Joel Smith, transportation for paupers ... 4 80
Losey & Dean, coffin, etc., for paupers ... 25 00
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Mrs O Whalen, temporary aid ... 3 00
John Brooks, temporary aid ... 5 00
Ed Armstead, temporary aid ... 5 00
Joel Smith, transportations for pauper ... 4 75
Patrick Wilson, work at poor farm ... 1 10
Stendal & Peterson, ice for poor farm ... 5 50
M Hagberg, goods for the poor farm ... 25 05
M Hagberg, goods for the poor ... 13 50
G S McCulloch, overseer poor farm, etc ... 57 05
D M Clark & Co., goods for poor farm ... 3 55
D M Clark & Co., coffin and burial for poor ... 10 00
J W Billings, work at the poor farm ... 3 60
J L Camp, medical services for poor ... 30 60
J L Camp, medical services for poor ... 40 00
Wm Durham, work at the poor farm ... 3 25
Joel Smith, lumber for the poor farm ... 13 90
Nesheim Bros., threshing at poor farm ... 46 97
Mrs J Plummer, nursing poor ... 26 00
Slipp Bros., goods for the poor farm ... 7 75
Mrs Wm Durham, temporary aid ... 5 00
Knute Olson, work at the poor farm ... 44 00
G S McCulloch, overseer of poor farm, etc ... 52 50
M K Swartz, drugs for poor ... 11 05
J L Camp, medical services for poor ... 49 50
J L Camp, medical services for poor ... 40 00
J M Hayes, goods for the poor ... 5 00
McFadden Drug Co. drugs for poor ... 7 60
Johnson's Pharmacy, drugs for the poor ... 7 85
P M Lagerquist, goods for the poor ... 5 00
McFadden Drug Co., drugs for poor ... 1 35
A P Ferris, interest on poor orders ... 306 08
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on poor orders ... 22 20
Chas Krech, interest on poor orders ... 64
L J Cale, railway fare for pauper ... 1 50
J M Hayes, interest on orders poor fund ... 34
P M Lagerquist, interest on orders poor fund ... 27
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on orders poor fund ... 47 65
R P Nelson, interest on orders poor fund ... 12 86
M McFadden, interest on orders poor fund ... 3 87
Geo D LaBar, interest on orders poor fund ... 325 60
J M Elder, interest on orders poor fund ... 3 00
C E Cole, interest on orders poor fund ... 1 16
G S McCulloch, interest on orders poor fund ... 30 40
R H Bodine, interest on poor orders ... 2 61
First National Bank of Brainerd, interest on poor farm mortgage ... 11 27
G S McCulloch, interest on poor farm orders ... 12 25
E P Nelson, interest on poor farm orders ... 9 50
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on poor farm orders ... 24 75
First National Bank, interest on poor farm orders ... 60 67
O D Johnson, interest on poor farm orders ... 2 95
F B Johnson, interest on poor farm orders ... 19
Mrs F McCaney, temporary aid ... 5 00
J M Elder, interest on poor farm orders ... 12 16
Refunding Orders No. 40, 41 and 42 ... 2 20
Total ... $4850 89

SPECIAL POOR FUND.

First National Bank of Brainerd, poor farm ditch ... $227 00
First National Bank of Brainerd, poor farm ditch ... 240 25
R K Whiteley, surveying poor farm ditch ... 24 00
Joel Smith, planks for poor far ditch ... 143 75
Total ... $635 00

BOND INTEREST FUND.

First National Bank of Brainerd, loan to pay interest on bonds ... $5308 91
Refunding Orders No. 40, 41 and 42 ... 18 65
Interest on Railroad bonds, $100,000 issue ... 6070 00
Interest on Bridge bonds, $50,000 issue ... 2000 00
Interest on Court House bonds, $15,000 issue ... 1200 00
Interest on Court House bonds, $60,000 issue ... 2100 00
Total ... $17867 56

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

A Moore, road work ... 25 00
Wm Gergen, road work ... 5 90
R K Whiteley, surveying roads ... 8 00
Andrew Brand, overseer ... 25 50
Henry Wellwood, road overseer ... 10 50
J W Slipp, surveying roads ... 4 00
D Archibald, viewing road work etc ... 28 80
A P Farrar, viewing road work etc ... 4 80
L J Cale, viewing road work etc ... 4 80
E Bath, road work ... 5 25
Robert Magnan, appropriation for road work ... 50 00
C B Rowley, repairs on bridge ... 7 70
J M Jarboe, road work ... 2 90
Chas Krech, road work ... 20 50
W W Craig, road scraper ... 5 00
Fred Elmer, road overseer ... 7 50
Henry Killing, road overseer ... 4 75
John Bubar, road work ... 28 50
Joel Smith, road work ... 35 70
Ernest Juene, road overseer ... 21 75
R K Whitely, surveying roads ... 4 00
Joel Smith, plank for bridge ... 9 00
H Moorehouse, road work ... 9 00
F L Hanscom, bridge repairs ... 2 00
A F Ludwig, bridge repairs ... 1 97
Robert Maghan, road work ... 20 00
I Carr, road work ... 3 00
P & E Waite, road work ... 3 00
Chas Krech, interest on road and bridge fund order ... 60
D Archibald, viewing roads ... 12 00
A P Ferris, interest on road and bridge fund order ... 87
Wm Chord, road work ... 1 50
D Archibald, road work ... 19 00
John Bubar, road work ... 26 40
T J Kiley, road work ... 11 50
R K Whiteley, surveying roads ... 30 00
Walter Johnson, surveying roads ... 6 00
Emil Hanson, surveying roads ... 6 00
John Blomquist, surveying roads ... 6 00
T J Dykeman, appropriation road work ... 75 00
Gull River Lumber Co. lumber for bridges ... 39 39
J M Young, balance appropriation road work ... 7 00
J G Taylor, balance appropriation road work ... 10 00
J W Roberts, balance appropriation road work ... 25 00
Ben Chord, balance appropriation road work ... 30 00
A F Ludwig, balance appropriation road work ... 35 00
L Garrison, balance appropriation road work ... 7 00
Joel Smith, lumber for bridges ... 11 25
D Archibald, viewing roads ... 6 00
Ben Chord, appropriation road ... 14 00
E B Bentley, appropriation road work and bridge ... 50 00
Max Kneiff, road work ... 36 60
John Palmquist, road work ... 25 00
Olson Skau, road work ... 20 60
R C Summers, appropriation road work ... 30 00
John Lind, appropriation bridge ... 25 00
Joel Smith, road work ... 45 60
L J Cale, road work and material ... 15 50
J W Roberts, road overseer ... 19 80
John Lind, road overseer ... 16 50
J B McKinney, road overseer ... 19 80
Walter Johnson, road overseer ... 20 25
F L Hazelton, road work ... 9 00
H J Welliver, road overseer ... 16 00
Ed Bath, road overseer ... 14 14
H T Wellwood, road overseer ... 9 50
P J Kiley, road work ... 20 25
Joshua Wood, road work ... 6 00
Ashley Guyett, bridge work ... 75 79
John Bubar, road work ... 61 00
J W Roberts, road overseer ... 12 00
Henry Roberts, road work ... 8 00
A E Halstrom, road work ... 5 00
F L Richard, road work ... 19 50
A M Bratt, road work ... 7 50
A Bacon, road work ... [illegible]
C H Heath, road work ... [illegible]
O P Tift, road work ... [illegible]
C Gordon, road work ... [illegible]
D Archibald, road work ... [illegible]
R K Whiteley, surveying roads ... [illegible]
Joel Smith, plank for bridge ... [illegible]

A P Farrar, road work	17 50
David Petrie, road work	4 00
Frank Petrie, surveying road	6 00
D Archibald, appropriation for road work	40 00
Geo. Alexander, road work	3 00
John Lind, road work	9 00
Geo. Jackson, road work	4 00
John Flousberg, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	9 00
E Guems, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	7 00
Mack Tomlison work on Nokay Sebie bridge	15 00
J B McKinney, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	19 50
John Dixon, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	9 00
W L Green, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	21 00
James Sloughlin, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	21 00
Geo Alexander, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	3 25
A Bratt, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	30 00
Wm Flousberg, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	15 00
Seth Broth, work on Nokay Sebie bridge	22 50
A A Miller, road work	3 00
J W Roberts, surveying road	1 00
Oscar Roberts, surveying road	1 00
Henry Roberts, surveying roads	1 00
A E Halstrom, surveying roads	1 00
T C Pointon, surveying road	6 00
A Everett, bridge work	84 00
Joel Smith, bridge work	31 70
Fred Magnan, bridge work	6 75
Harry Hagadorn, bridge work	15 00
Fred Elmer, appropriation road work	50 00
A A Miller, plank for bridge repairs	9 57
Joel Smith, part appropriation Pine River bridge	10 50
H S Wellwood, work on road	7 00
L J Cale, work on road	12 00
A M Bratt, work on bridge	9 00
J M Young, work on road	8 00
A F Ludwig, work on Hay Creek road	60 00
John Peterson, road overseer	12 00
Wm F Holst bridge work	10 75
Henry Harmon, bridge work	12 75
J B Swisher, appropriation for bridge repairs	20 00
E Bath, road overseer	4 50
L J Cale, viewing roads	11 00
Fred Eimler, road overseer	29 56
Hugo Drecher, road work	30 50
Gust Johnson, road work	3 25
L Garrison, road work	21 00
D Archibald, road work	37 50
A W Miller, road work	19 50
E H Green, road work	15 00
John Bubar, road work	16 00
Joel Smith, road work	16 75
Joel Smith, road work	30 80
R K Whiteley, surveying roads	27 00
Brainerd Lumber Co., lumber for bridges	121 50
John Lind, road overseer	3 25
Joel Smith, road work	6 00
T C Pointon, road work	10 00
Tom Pointon, road work	9 00
Geo Petrie, road work	10 00
R J Maghan, overseer	30 00
R J Maghan, road work	22 00
W H Rosenkrans, road work	10 60
John Palmquist, road work	25 00
G S McCulloch, work with road machine	17 50
D Archibald, road work	14 50
D Archibald, road work	15 00
Parker & Topping, bridge castings	5 75
A P Farrar, viewing road	4 00
Joel Smith, appropriation for bridge fund	300 00
Craig & Craig, road work	17 00
Geo D LaBar, interest on road and bridge orders	1 44
John Bubar, overseeing road work	5 40
A P Farrar, overseeing road work	3 00
H E Moorehouse, work on road	6 00
Chas Shepard, appraising Edquist road	2 00
L J Cale, overseeing road work	12 00
Refunding Orders No. 40, 41 and 42	3 66
Total	[illegible]

SPECIAL ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

ACCOUNT CONSTRUCTION OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER BRIDGE.

O F Lowith, engineer	$150 00
R K Whiteley, superintendent of work	50 00
Clinton Bridge & Iron Works, part payment of contract price	4460 57
J W Slipp, surveying	9 00
J W Jones, grading	14 00
R K Whiteley, superintendent	58 00
Joel Smith, money advanced	2 50
Clinton Bridge & Iron Works, part payment of contract price	3551 40
K K Whiteley, superintendent	58 50
O F Lowith, engineer	350 00
Clinton Bridge & Iron Works, part payment of contract price	5437 75
James Baker, grading	9 00
R R Whiteley, superintendent	2 75
James Holmes, grading	15 00
Wm Summers, grading	10 00
William Holmes, grading	1 50
Wm Holmes, Jr., grading	4 00
Thos Cromwell, grading	29 50
Thos Cromwell, jr., grading	9 50
Clinton Bridge & Iron Works Co., part payment of contract price	4190 44
Chas F Lowith, engineer	275 00
T Barrett, grading	26 00
Jno Bubar, making alterations	20 00
Larson & Walters, cement	3 05
W Bennett, work grading	8 00
Ed Siveny, work grading	80
G S McCulloch, hauling rock	185 87
Thos Cromwell, grading	17 26
James Baker, grading	1 00
Conney Bros., balance due on substruction	141 73
Frank Deal, grading work	3 13
O Edwards, grading work	13 75
Louis Alyea, grading work	10 67
W C Finley, grading work	38 75
Jos Deshaine, grading work	6 25
Bert Baker, grading work	10 87
Thos Cromwell, grading work	35 75
Walter Bennett, grading work	23 75
C Y Beckley, grading work	14 37
John T Zeller, grading work	75
W E Auskin, grading work	3 25
D W Fellon, grading work	5 00
St. Paul Foundry Co., angle irons	50 40
Joel Smith, freight on angle irons	5 50
Wm Meehan grading work	6 25
Wm Fellon, grading work	4 00
L Spencer, grading work	11 00
W C Finley, grading work	13 25
Bert Baker, grading work	4 50
S M McCall, grading work	9 00
O Edwards, grading work	21 50
J R Zellers, grading work	1 00
Frank Baker, grading work	10 84
Bert Baker, grading work	6 00
James Lease, work	3 75
E B Kinsman, work	19 25
Pioneer Press Co., advertising bids	19 50
Silas Hall, drayage	2 25
Joseph Deshaine, work	1 12
Jacob Derosier, work	75
A P Farrar, appropriation for grading	75 00
B Baker, grading	6 87
The Journal Printing Co., bids	22 55
A Hart, work	17 13
W C Finley, work	57 50
F A Martin, work	1 10
A P Farrar, money advanced, part appropriation	60
Clinton Bridge & Iron Works, balance due on contract	30 00
First National Bank of Brainerd, interest on certificates of indebtedness	1800 00
Amount borrowed from the road and bridge fund to pay O F Lowith, engineer	225 00
Total	$32981 89

GENERAL COUNTY FUND.

DISTRICT COURT—WITNESS FEES.

F H Tilley	$2 12
David Powny	1 96
W I Maxim	1 96
Louis Anderson	2 12
Chas Duval	4 04
John Budwin	1 60
Wm Plummer	2 12
W H Hardin	5 08
Geo Gibson	4 80
George Johns	2 12
R Plummer	2 12
John Vanderworker	4 04
Arthur Lambert	4 04
H T Vanderworker	4 82
Guy Raymond	2 20
Thos Percy	2 12
Ole Isaakson	2 12
Mary J Orth	3 12
Jenny Orth	3 12
Melvin Peters	6 12
Henry Hurley	5 12
Wm Barron	5 12
A G Michie	2 12
Erick Kronberg	2 12
S F Alderman	1 12
F A Farrar	6 12
E O Parks	6 12
Geo H Stratton	3 12
Lewis Jermo	4 12
John Liljindal	4 12
O B Hamlin, talesman	4 00
Ed Bane, talesman	4 00
A Hall, talesman	4 00
Chas Barnett, talesman	4 20
Total	$120 04

GRAND JURORS.

A Eastman	$6 20
J J Ellis	13 40
Jerry Root	7 60
S E Putnam	8 40
Jno H Gibson	7 00
F E Tiffany	4 80
A R Cass	5 80
James Towers	4 80
J R Westfall	4 80
L W Burrell	4 80
S R Adair	4 80
D M Clark	4 80
W D McKay	4 80
Thos McMaster	4 00
Con O'Brien	4 00
Dan Doran	4 20
Iver Benson	4 20
James Rhodes	4 80
Dan Doran	3 00
R Parker	6 20
Walter Davis	4 20
P M Lagerquist	4 20
O Hagberg	3 20
R Parker	3 20
Wm Dresskell	3 20
Total	$130 60

PETIT JURORS.

W W Craig	$19 60
Geo Sargent	16 20
F C Kerr	17 60
W H Erb	16 20
Martin Ovig	18 20
H C Hughey	17 60
C A Krech	19 20
Geo Abbott	16 20
A E Whitney	16 20
D W Smiley	16 20
Geo A Keene	16 20
Jens Molstad	18 20
J Jamieson	16 20
Martin Drake	16 40
Nels Peterson	16 20
J K Pearce	16 20
J H Gibson	16 20
Victor Gustafson	16 20
E Archibald	21 60
A Hall	4 00
A G Trommald	4 20
Ed Bane	4 00
O B Hamlin	4 00
H E Brooks	4 00
J G Smith	2 20
James Wickham	4 12
Total	$390 92

CLERKS AND DEPUTIES.

S H Parker	$427 00
W A M Johnston	27 00
S H Parker	302 75
S H Parker, postage	12 01
Total	$768 76

DISTRICT COURT STENOGRAPHER.

George W Moody, stenographer	$10 00
George W Moody, stenographer	90 00
George W Moody, stenographer	20 00
George W Moody, stenographer	85 10
Total	$125 10

JUSTICE AND MUNICIPAL COURT.

WITNESS FEES.

C B Thompson	$1 00
Mary McElroy	1 12
Julius Sylvester	1 12
Owen McElroy	1 12
F M Briggs	3 20
John Vanderworker	2 04
H K Lanbart	2 44
Luther Eldred	3 00
Mrs J Orth	1 12
John Budwin	1 20
James Guyett	1 00
A Armstrong	1 12
Mrs Robt McMeekin	1 12
Mrs P Canfield	1 12
Pat Canfield	2 12
Willis Bowen	2 04
Fred Howe	1 12
John Guyett	1 12
Amanda Darmer	7 00
Wm Paine, Jr.	1 12
Nicholas White	1 12
T M Reilly	1 00
Geo Peaslee	1 84
R Parker	1 00
Walter Dovig	1 00
H H Peterson	7 00
W H Slack	7 00
Total	$80 44

JURORS—MUNICIPAL COURT.

J T Sanborn	$1 00
Chris Olson	1 00
E J Livingood	1 00
F C Kerr	1 00
Peter Anderson	1 00
Mons Mahlum	1 00
Peter Olson	1 00
John Chrisholm	1 00
Frank Rose	1 00
Fred Norton	1 00
W F Holst	1 00
John A Dennis	1 00
W H Erb	1 00
E E Phelps	1 00
J M Hayes	1 00
Aug Halquist	1 00
P M Lagerquist	1 00
H I Cohen	1 00
Jerome Keleher	1 00
O B Hamlin	1 00
Total	$20 00

JUSTICES FEES.

L R Lothrop	$13 75

CONSTABLES.

Lee O Rose	$5 75
D F Dussette	15 95
J W Holsapple	6 40
E Chaunard	3 20
A J Phillips	3 40
Michael Seagen	1 10
H G Butterfield	3 00
J W Richardson	3 40
H S Cameron	2 45
Total	$44 65

CORONER.

I T Dean, fees as coroner	$21 00
I T Dean, fees as coroner	21 00
I T Dean, fees as coroner	15 00
I T Dean, fees as coroner	5 00
Total	$62 00

SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES.

Henry Spalding, fees as jailer	$600 00
Isabel Spalding, fees as matron	120 00
Henry Spalding, boarding prisoners and fees in state cases	2519 80
Henry Spalding, fees in insanity case of Ella Hanson	47 90
Henry Spalding, fees in insanity case of Mrs. N. Day	46 00
Henry Spalding, fees in insanity case of Henry Craig	26 50
Henry Spalding, fees in insanity case of Wm. O'Connor	46 50
Henry Spalding, fees in insanity case of D S Smith	31 50
Henry Spalding, fees as sheriff during district court session	97 00
J W Slipp, fees as deputy sheriff during district court session	27 00
D D Smith, fees as deputy sheriff during district court session	24 00
A Brockway, fees as deputy sheriff during district court session	36 00
Wm Barron, watching at jail	24 00
O C Foster, watching at jail	50 00
Henry Spalding, money advanced for day watch at jail	160 00
Total	$3441 50

PRINTING.

Brainerd Dispatch	$22 45
Brainerd Tribune	4 60
Weekly Journal	5 50
Brainerd Dispatch	73 00
Brainerd Dispatch	64 10
Brainerd Tribune	15 75
Brainerd Dispatch	22 45
Brainerd Dispatch	156 80
Brainerd Dispatch	73 50
Brainerd Tribune	5 60
Brainerd Dispatch	26 80
Total	$479 45

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Pioneer Press Co.	$179 97
Mankato Blank Book Co.	99 50
Geo D Barnard & Co.	14 50
Mankato Blank Book Co.	15 00
Pioneer Press Co.	58 85
Mons Mahlum, stationery	1 35
G D Barnard & Co.	288 61
O F Jewett	10 75
Geo D Barnard & Co.	62 80
Total	$675 33

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

PER DIEM AND MILEAGE.

Harry Patterson, attending two meetings	$13 60
Joel Smith, attending two meetings	8 80
A P Farrar, attending two meetings	6 40
Henry Mahle, attending two meetings	6 40
Henry Mahle, attending one meeting	3 20
Jno Bubar, attending two meetings	10 80
Henry Mahle, attending one meeting	3 20
A P Farrar, attending two meetings	6 40
Harry Patterson, attending two meetings	12 80
Harry Patterson, attending four meetings	22 20
L J Cale, attending two meetings	6 20
L J Cale, attending four meetings	12 60
Total	$109 80

FIRE WARDEN ORDERS.

Joseph Friedsam, fire warden, Oak Lawn	2 00
Herman Dullom, fire warden, Oak Lawn	4 00
Geo Keough, fire warden, Oak Lawn	2 00
T T Haalund, fire warden, Deerwood	2 25
J McCarvill, fire warden, Deerwood	75
Cuyler Adams, fire warden, Deerwood	75
Salisbury Adams, fire warden, Deerwood	75
Total	$20 25

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

Louis Tache, county auditor	$1400 00
John T Frater, treasurer Cass Co.	30 75
W H Onstine, deputy county auditor	300 00
N L Linnemann, deputy county auditor	205 44
C E Chipperfield, county attorney	300 00
J A Wilson, superintendent of schools	300 00
M McFadden, judge of probate	475 00
Total	[illegible]

ELECTION RETURNS.

Eugene Witham, election Pillager	6 00
Wm Doffering, election, Pillager	6 00
S M Dinwiddie, election, Garrison	6 00
W H Hallett, election, Ransom	20 00
G A King, election, Gull River	11 60
N J Palmer, election, Swan Creek	28 40
Samuel Martin, election, Swan Creek	7 14
Jas T Martin, election Swan Creek	3 85
J W Roberts, election, Davenport	8 20
Geo H Whipple, election, Pillager	11 20
J B Summers, election, Pillager	8 20
N E Tuttle, election, Ransom	4 10
T C Pointon, election, Pointon's	13 10
J Gallon, election, Daggett Brook	4 00
Jacob Shew, election, Pointon's	8 10
G A Hunt, election, Bay Lake	14 90
O E Johnson, election, Pillager	12 20
M H Smith, election, Range 138, Township 32	30 35
G W Hall, election, Towns 135, 136, 137, Range 31	34 18
A M Bratt, election, Fort Ripley	21 70
A A Oliver, election, Walker	20 60
G B Gregory, election, Hayner	6 60
F L Hanscom, election, Gull River	9 60
Simon Weaver, election, Leech Lake	20 50
Sivert Olsen, election, Pointon's	18 10
F L Hazelton, election, Kennedy	7 86
Martin Flint, election, Pillager	8 20
John Stees, election, Gould's	20 80
Leonard Dade, election, Gull River	9 60
Fred Stropp, election, Kennedy	8 20
Seth Phillips, election, Gull River	9 60
H M Dye, election, Pointon's	9 10
Thos Burns, election, Ransom	12 60
John Bailey, election, Pillager	8 40
H K Lanbart, election, Daggett Brook	8 40
Frank Meely, election, Maple Grove	8 60
Ole Lawson, election, Fort Ripley	7 90
W H Harrison, election, Township 144 Range 25	26 20
J A Gilberg, election, Hayner	29 70
E Collins, election, Collins	3 60
A J Collins, election, Collins	19 28
Martin Kappel, election, Fairbanks	10 95
E M Phelps election, Fairbanks	6 70
B B Bartlett, election, Walker	19 50
J J Frost, election, Walker	20 60
J E Chase, election, Jenkins	6 40
K J Nesheim, election, Long Lake	2 00
Robert Maghan, election, Bay Lake	18 90
E L Garrison, election, Bay Lake	6 15
J M Young, election, Bay Lake	9 40
M Kobe, election, Ransom	4 10
J W Hawkins, election, Jenkins	6 45
L O Alfsperg, election Ransoms	8 85
W D Welsh, Township 136, Range 32	7 20
F W Zaffke, election, Jenkins	12 45
F O Kerr, election, Fairbanks	3 20
E A Johnson, election, Fairbanks	4 65
Wm Bonga, election, Fairbanks	6 40
C S Skillings, election, Fairbanks	4 40
S Heath, election, Pointon's	9 95
Louis Nelson, election, Davenport	7 96
Total	$726 60

MISCELLANEOUS.

Minnesota Water Works Co., water rent	$95 00
Minnesota Water Works Co., water rent	25 00
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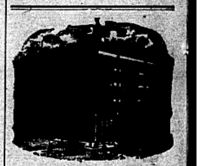
Louis Nelson, part payment assessing attached territory	100 00
W F Holst, repairs at the county jail	5 50
City of Brainerd, electric light globes	3 00
B P Nelson, janitor at the court house	135 00
A P Farrar, board of equalization	30 20
Joel Smith, board of equalization	30 40
Harry Patterson, board of equalization	48 40
Henry Mahle, board of equalization	30 20
John Bubar, board of equalization	41 40
J A Wilson, expressage and postage	3 05
A Mahlum, part transcribing 17 towns	50 00
Leon E Lum, money advanced account of 17 towns	40 50
Dr A F Groves, fees insanity Ella Hanson	5 20
Dr G S McPherson, fees insanity Ella Hanson	5 20
D M Clark & Co., goods for court house	80 05
A Mahlum, part transcribing 17 towns	200 00
C P Porter, assessing Cass county	200 00
Martin Flint, assessing 17 towns	200 00
George H Smith, summer training school	25 00
Louis Nelson, balance assessing attached territory	100 00
Brainerd Telephone Exchange Co., rental	9 00
D Archibald, assessing unorganized territory	180 25
City of Brainerd, electric light rental	28 31
Joel Smith, money advanced, account of 17 towns	20 00
C B Thompson, janitor of the summer training school	25 00
C B White, repairs court house	2 70
C B White, building scaffold, Pryde execution	124 00
Silas Hall, drayage	1 00
W Hemstead, insanity Wm O'Connors	5 20
Westfall Bros., goods for county jail	19 45
Dr. A F Groves, insanity Mrs O'Connors	5 20
Jno Boyle, wood for court house	1 50
Werner Hemstead, insanity H Craig	5 20
A Mahlum, part transcribing 17 towns	200 00
C G Mooers, teams fighting fire	5 00
W A Fleming, attorney for state case	10 00
D M Clark & Co., awnings for county court house	10 50
W H Crowell, attorney fees state cases	10 00
P A Stendal, ice for county court house	12 00
Slipp Bros., goods for county jail	11 45
Jerry Root, rent for booths election, Fort Ripley	10 00
A Mahlum, balance transcribing 17 towns	282 00
H J Spencer, spring water court house	7 00
Louis Tache, canvassing board	8 00
S F Alderman, canvassing board	8 00
Larson & Walters, coal for court house	280 50
Jno L Berg, rent for booths, election, Fort Ripley	1 25
A Mahlum, part transcribing 17 towns	200 00
Joel Smigh, canvassing board	8 40
Thos McMaster, goods court house	25 70
G S McPherson, insanity cases	10 00
A F Groves, insanity cases	5 20
Brainerd Telephone Exchange, rental	15 00
Robert Coffin, canvassing board	6 40
G S McPherson, insanity D L Smith	5 20
Joel Smith auditing board	8 00
S H Parker, auditing board	8 00
Louis Tache, auditing board	8 00
City of Brainerd, electric light rentals	81 66
J M Hayes, goods for the court house	1 75
Jno T Frater, expressage and postage	11 61
Slipp Bros., repairs court house	1 75
Chas Blunt, wood for the court house	7 96
McFadden Drug Co., goods for court house	1 30
H I Cohen, goods for the court house	3 30
Johnson's Pharmacy, goods for court house	3 35
Mary Headla, fees insanity, L Hendrickson	5 00
A F Ferris, interest on county orders	6 93
C B Thompson, interest on county orders	8 34
F W Wieland, interest on county orders	20 00
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on county orders	28 37
M McFadden, interest on county orders	62
Geo D LaBar, interest on county orders	300 31
J M Elder, interest on county orders	3 97
C A Krech, interest on county orders	2 16
Jno T Frater, interest on county orders	3 50
Jno T Frater, expressage and postage	19 00
W A Fleming, interest on county orders	1 18
Mrs G Eastman, interest on county orders	17 07
H H Barber, interest on county orders	3 73
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on county orders	1 87
Mrs S L Sleeper, interest on county orders	9 26
Ole Isaakson, interest on county orders	98
W P Johnston, interest on county orders	20 08
James L Dow, expenses account of Ella Anderson, blind	24 01
A C Rogers, expenses account Louis Miller, blind	48 05
M McFadden interest on county orders	13 48
Northern Pacific Bank interest on county orders	36 97
First National Bank interest on county orders	605 00
Geo S McPherson, interest on county orders	3 94
J T Sanborn, interest on county orders	3 97
Jno T Frater, expressage and postage	14 74
John Wetz, interest on county order	6 79
Dan Doran, interest on county order	84
First National Bank, interest on county order	6 66
Wadena County Bank, interest on county order	84
First National Bank, Wadena, interest on county order	6 75
H L Casey, interest on county order	22 00
John Bubar, balance due on hogs	6 65
C B White, work on county jail	20 75
C E Chiperfield, postage	10 60
J M Elder, interest on county orders	3 80
Lee O Rose interest on county orders	75
O B Thompson, interest on county orders	95
F W Wieland, interest on county orders	10 50
A F Ferris, interest on county orders	77 35
R P Nelson, interest on county orders	38 14
A F Ferris, interest on county orders	266 90
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on county orders	98 74
Northern Pacific Bank, interest on county orders	74 30
M McFadden, interest on county orders	1 00
Leon E Lum, interest on county orders	4 85
D O Collins election returns, Collins	27 40
Refunding orders, No. 40, 42 and 43	35 75
Total	$6000 70

ASSETS.

Court house and jail, including fixtures	$50000 00
Office furniture	800 00
Lot 8, Block 62 (old jail lot)	500 00
Court house and jail grounds, Block 48	8500 00
Poor farm, buildings, stock, etc	15000 00
Two road machines	500 00
Taxes due and unpaid, tax list 1897, and prior years	$91750 00
Liabilities over assets	41814 00
Total	$218000 00

LIABILITIES.

Court house bonds, at 8 per cent	$15000 00
Court house bonds, at 7 per cent	30000 00
Bridge bonds, at 6 per cent	50000 00
Railroad bonds, at 8 per cent	100000 00
Certificates of indebtedness on account of the construction of the Mississippi river bridge	23000 00
Total	$218000 00



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2:15	lv-Hubert-ar	11:10
3 32	lv-Pine River-ar	10:21
3 53	lv-Backus-ar	9:5-
4 25	lv-Lothrop-ar	9:20
5:10	ar-Walker-lv	8:55
6:21	lv-Nary-ar	7:35
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Items of Interest in Neighboring Towns Gleaned from Exchanges and from Special Correspondents.

The Wadena Journal says that ties have been twice found on the Northern Pacific tracks one mile below Becker station, but were removed in time to prevent accidents. An investigation is being held.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Iltis came up from Brainerd Saturday night to visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. C. Iltis. Mr. Iltis left Sunday evening for Cavalier, N. D., where he is going into the drug business, and his wife will remain in the city for a couple or three weeks, when she will follow him.—Wadena Pioneer.

KLONDIKE NUGGETS.

W. S. Hanks has the la grippe.

Christ Wilson has been on the sick list during the past week.

G. A. Hunt has been seriously ill at Minneapolis, and is not yet able to return home.

One of the teamsters lost a good horse last week at the "landing" by slipping down the hill under the load of logs.

G. W. Scott was summoned to his home at Elk River by a telegram announcing his daughter had met with an accident and had broken a rib.

There are many inquiring for land in this vicinity. There is not a better piece of garden ground in Crow Wing county where you can raise apples, grapes, raspberries, strawberries, currants, etc., equal to any in the state.

DEERWOOD NEWS.

The town election was a quiet affair. All the old officers were re-elected.

John E. Horing, roadmaster on the Fergus Falls branch, was a Deerwood visitor last Sunday.

Invitations are out for a basket social in the Methodist church next Friday evening. Music and song will be the program for the evening.

There is a rumor that a hideous crime has been committed in the east part of the town. If it proves true we hope justice will be meted out to the guilty ones.

Mr. Cooms, father of Mrs. D. E. Whitten, was taken suddenly ill last Monday. Dr. Kelley, of Aitkin, was sent for and pronounced it heart failure, and he died Friday morning. The funeral took place on Sunday at the Methodist church, and the remains were laid to rest in the Scandia cemetery. Mr. Cooms came here last fall from Idaho, and has made his home here with his daughter, Mrs. Whitten, up to his death. He was 83 years old.

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THE RIGHTFUL HEIR

By M. T. CALDOR.

CHAPTER I.—(Continued.)

He who had named himself Bernard watched her with feverish eyes.

"And what shall I do with it?" asked she, as she folded the narrow slip of paper.

"Ah, if I could help it—believe me, I would rather cut off my right hand than ask it of you, but it is for the sake of another—better, purer than I. I must implore you to carry it yourself to the foot of the great craig that overhangs the river, at the end of the chestnut woods, in the evening. Will you, dare you do it, Lady Violante? when I assure you no earthly harm can come of it to you; and much, very much anxiety may be spared me, and another who is very dear to me."

Lady Violante drew a long breath, but said firmly: "Certainly, I will do it. why do you doubt it? I have often strayed as far, with only a servant in attendance."

"Ah, yes, but there must be no servant near to see or suspect anything. You must promise no living thing shall see that, hear a word of this conversation, or know aught that may be hereafter connected with the cliff in your mind."

The mystery was growing startling! Lady Violante's cheek blanched, and for the first time she hesitated.

"Ah!" said he, bitterly, while his glittering eye followed the changes of her face. "I knew it would be so—you promised to trust me, but you are already doubting me, and are ready to retreat."

"No, no!" exclaimed she, impetuously—"I will not retreat, I will do all you ask of me."

"And no one—not even your father—most of all, Count Germain, your lover, shall know what I have said to you?" asked he, eagerly.

"No one," repeated she, firmly. "I take your assurance, that there is nothing in the transaction to compromise my character or station, and I pass over your allusion to a lover, where there is no such relation. Now tell me what else there is for me to know."

He had closed his eyes wearily, and his lips writhed with a spasm of pain.

The pity again overpowered reserve—"You are ill, you are suffering, oh, that I could aid you, could bear half the suffering myself. Shall I call Julie?"

"No, no," said he, hurriedly, "let me be assured the note has reached its place, I shall be easier at once. You have but to fasten it to the bough of the lopped larch tree, the only one there, first being sure no one is near, give a low blast on this whistle three times, and then you may return as speedily as you please. My errand will be performed."

He disengaged an ivory whistle from a chain around his neck, and held it toward her.

She received it with a gentle assuring smile, adding:

"Have no fears. I will find means to obey your injunction to the letter."

"Heaven bless you!" said he, turning his face to the pillow to hide its agitation.

And Lady Violante glided softly from the room.

Early the next morning she came again, and taking advantage of the momentary absence of the attendant, she laid the whistle on his pillow, saying quietly:

"I have performed your first task, now show your gratitude by growing more cheerful, and settling me another."

He looked up anxiously.

"And no one saw you? you are sure of that?"

"Quite certain. Moreover, I took an early ride that way this morning, and the note was gone."

He drew a long breath of relief. A smile, so rarely beautiful it almost startled her, lit up his pallid face, and with a soft sigh, he whispered:

"Now I am ready to obey my nurse, and rest."

CHAPTER II.

SIX weeks had elapsed since Beauvais Chateau had sheltered the stranger, who had rescued its heiress from a terrible death. Still he was as much a stranger to the Count and all the household as at first, and was only known as M. Bernard. He was now able to cross his chamber, by the aid of crutches; and was rapidly regaining vigor and strength.

The strange melancholy that so darkened his fine countenance only vanished when Lady Violante came to while away, with her bright presence, the tedious hours of confinement. Then a new existence dawned upon him, another temperament to banish his old self, and he was gay and sparkling in his conversation as the most light-hearted of the cavaliers who sought her favor.

"I have come to scold you," said she merrily one afternoon as she entered his apartment, and was greeted with a brightening eye. "Why did you so suddenly vanish from the window, as we rode up the avenue! Count Germain is much interested in you and longs to see you. Why do you so obstinately refuse to receive any visitors? He might so much enliven these dreary hours. Promise me I may bring him here to-morrow."

Bernard was gnawing his lip fiercely.

"Never!" exclaimed he, in so deep a tone it startled her. "Have patience, Lady Violante, I am fast growing stronger, you will soon be rid of me. Till then you must remember the promise you gave that I should be indulged in this one imperative demand."

"Now you are unjust as well as unkind. You know nothing is further from my thoughts than the wish to be rid of you. It is only that I cannot bear to think of you immured here in the dreary loneliness of this chamber, that makes me press upon you other acquaintances. Besides, I am vexed that others should so misunderstand you, the Count—"

"What of him?" demanded Bernard with a flashing eye.

"Nay, do not look so angry. He does not understand it—and jests a little about the misanthropical hermit who saved my life. He will not comprehend my explanations."

"I beg you will not make any explanations to Count Germain on my behalf!" began Bernard haughtily; but her beseeching glance arrested him.

"Ah," said she, reproachfully, "why will you not allow others to know you as good and noble as you appear to me? What is this mystery that surrounds you?"

The black cloud came sweeping over his face, the gloomy fire lent its gleam to his eye, and with a bitter, bitter sigh, he said:

"It is my fate. I cannot help it. I wonder that you do not also shrink from me. You who know more of the mystery than any other. Do not let pity keep you here, Lady Violante."

"Alone!" sighed she in return. "I would there was less concealment—and yet I must own it is not pity, not even gratitude, that draws me toward you."

"What then?" demanded he eagerly.

"Sincere, earnest friendship," replied she in clear, steady tones—the sincere eyes never blenching from his impassioned gaze. "I like you, I see so much that is good and noble beneath this cold mask you strive to wear. There is genuine affinity between our minds—and it grieves me that others cannot share in my appreciation of your worth."

He checked a bitter smile, to say mournfully:

"It is your own surpassing goodness—not any worth of mine; and you know nothing of me—not even my name—if I be noble or peasant, rich or poor, innocent or guilty."

"Nay," said she, catching only at one idea, "no one could think of you as a peasant—your very carriage assures one of noble blood!"

Again, a scornful, cynical smile was repressed as he turned his face from observation—and then he said, with a gravity that was almost solemn:

"Lady Violante, I am a mysterious being—isolation and danger and mystery are my portion; but again I assure you it is my misfortune, not my deserving. Very sweet and precious to me is the sympathy you have given—these days, filled with pain though they have been, are the happiest of my sorrowful life. That I was the humble instrument of saving you from a frightful death, will be a cause of thanksgiving and rejoicing to my dying day—and yet I am so proud that any attentions shown to me by you out of gratitude to that, become hateful and repulsive. O, Lady Violante, I, so unloved and alien to all the rest of the world, cannot afford to lose the sweet drop in my bitter cup. Think not of what is due your preserver, but care for me for my sake."

The fair girl looked at him wistfully. The rapidly blushing and paling cheek betrayed the agitation he strove to conceal. The starting tear that only for a moment dimmed the eagle eye, moved her deeply.

"Strange mortal!" said she, holding out her hand with the tenderness of a woman, and yet the dignity of a queen. "How many times already have you extorted from me that aside from all I owe you I cannot help admiring and loving you."

He bent over her little hand, and with the one respectful kiss fell a burning tear.

"God bless you! come what will hereafter, I shall be able to say, the cup of joy has once been lifted to my lips, and the memory of this moment shall have power to banish my gloom."

"Come," said Violante, taking up a book from the table, "you shall finish the poem we began yesterday. Never heard I reader before, who could so magnetically charm the ear. All through my ride with the Count, I was longing to return and finish the book with you. Let us not waste the time—for when my father is free from the old Count's visit in the library, he will make his usual call here, and interrupt us."

M. Bernard took the book, but paused to say:

"The old Count Germain! I have heard of him; what sort of a character do you give him?"

"Indeed I can hardly tell. He is certainly variable. At one time, genial, courteous and charming—and then again, so morose, reserved and suspicious—he quite frightens me from him. But his son—"

"Never mind his son!" interrupted her companion with a frown.

"Poor, young Count Germain! what persistent dislike you manifest for him!" said Violante, laughing—"while he is so extremely anxious to know you."

"A single meeting would suffice for us both," muttered Bernard.

"Do you know him?" asked the girl, with a new suspicion.

The abruptness of the question startled him, and he faltered:

"I did once—that is, I have heard—" and then waiting to collect his thoughts, he added, bitterly—"be sure, if you are a friend to either of us, you will never bring about a meeting, or mention the name of one to the other."

Lady Violante was lost in deep and evidently painful meditation. He watched her face uneasily, and ventured meekly:

"I told you I was made up of mysteries—do not try to pierce them, and vex yourself over what will be unfathomable and unsatisfactory. Let the Germains be banished from our conversation henceforward, and it will be pleasanter for us both. Now for our poem."

But another interruption come from a servant, who brought in a small basket of fruit, which he said an old woman had left at the door, saying it was for the sick stranger at the Chateau.

Lady Violante saw from her guest's face the basket was of no common significance, and dismissing the servant, she herself handed it to Bernard.

The moment the door closed upon the servant he hastily rolled out the fruit, and drew forth, as she had already anticipated, a small slip of paper, over which his eye darted hastily, while he muttered, evidently forgetful of his auditor:

"Selfish that I have been! in the intoxication of my own happiness, I have forgotten how much she must suffer from suspense and anxiety. It was rash and reckless for her to venture here in any disguise."

Lady Violante rose in embarrassment; she did not wish to hear what was intended only to be spoken in his own mind—but with a mournful smile he returned to the present, and tossing her the note, he said abruptly:

"You will see why I must appeal to you once more for your aid. I did not mean to compromise you again, in the slightest way, but you see what frantic alarm it is needful for me to calm."

The note was written in a delicate female hand, and ran thus:

"I can bear my agonized suspense no longer. Why do you not write to me again? I heard from passing gossipers what has happened, and what detains you at the Chateau; but a thought and fear assails me. I see our enemies going thither every day! How will you escape their eyes? It was noble in you to save the beautiful young lady—but oh, it was rash to risk so much in remaining at the Castle. I tremble for you lest you fall into their hands. Bernard, Bernard, come back to me as soon as possible!"

Lady Violante read it through, and then in a slightly constrained voice said:

"I am only more bewildered. Surely I can truthfully assure you no enemies to you come near the Chateau. The lady's fears are groundless."

He shook his head impatiently.

"Let us have no further discussion concerning them. I will not conceal from you, so much faith have I in your generous sympathy with misfortune—that it is the Germains to whom she refers—nor deny that my careful avoidance of the young Count is to prevent the unpleasant results of his recognition. I know all I say plunges you yet deeper in baffled conjecture, yet I would fain implore you to have faith in me; not as a right, but as a favor I ask it."

She sighed even while she smiled.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A QUEEN'S "SEA DOGS."

The Voyages of the Elizabethan Seamen Extended to Every Part of the World.

During most of Queen Elizabeth's reign there was no open war with Spain. On the contrary, there was nominal friendship. But the privateering captains were not slow to perceive that the queen and her council had no objection to their expeditions, provided they did not so openly violate the law of nations as to create great embarrassments for the government.

The voyages of the Elizabethan seamen extended to almost every part of the world. In the last days of Edward VI. Sir Hugh Willoughby had perished in the northern ice, and Richard Chancellor had made his way through the White sea to the country and the court of the czar of Muscovy. Elizabethans followed in their wake. Under Frobisher and Davis they explored Meta Incognita and Greenland and Hudson's straits. With good Sir Humphrey Gilbert they attempted the planting of Newfoundland; with Lane and White they went out to Raleigh's colony of Roanoke. They followed the Portuguese and the Dutch to the East Indies, and with James Lancaster's wonderful voyages began the English trade with Java and Sumatra and Malacca. They went with Hawkins in the Solomon or the Jesus of Lubeck to gather slaves upon the African coast, or lay off Flores and Corvo to intercept the annual silver fleets that brought to the King of Spain the wealth of Mexico and Peru, or burned his ships in the harbor of Cadiz. But most famous of all were the adventures that marked their freebooting expeditions to the Spanish Main, lured on by fabulous tales of El Dorado or by knowledge of the more substantial wealth which the Spaniards had derived from their rich and abundant provinces in the new world.

Fair Collateral.

A soldier in the guards came to me in Queen's Square to swear to his having lost his duplicate. I looked at the affidavit to see if it were military accoutrements, etc., that he had pawned, when, to my surprise I found that he had pawned a £2 bank note for 10s 6d. On asking an explanation of this odd circumstance he said he received the £2 note and was resolved to pass a jolly evening but not to spend more than a half guinea, and to insure this he pawned the note for that sum, and destroyed the duplicate afterward that he might not be able to raise money on it in case his resolution should give way while he was drinking with his companions.—Cornhill Magazine.

FARM AND GARDEN.

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURISTS.

Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cultivation of the Soil and Yields Thereof—Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

The Question of Soil Moisture.

An Oklahoma Experiment Station report says:

The heavy rainfall of 1898 had its influence on the farm crops. In general plants grew ranker and taller. Under similar conditions in plowed land the soil moisture was 1.5 per cent higher for the whole year than in 1897. In ordinary prairie sod there was almost 2 per cent increase. The differences in soil moisture and yield of crops on plats under different treatment was not so marked as in a dryer season. Of eight plats plowed at different depths, one plowed four inches deep and one subsoiled to a depth of fifteen inches gave smallest yields. The subsoiled plat contained more moisture than any other of the eight. Two plats containing 17.6 per cent of moisture during March were plowed similarly one week apart. The plats plowed April 4 contained 16.3 per cent during April; that April 11, 14.1 per cent. Stubble ground plowed about June 15 had 14.9 per cent of moisture July 15; while that not plowed had 10.9 per cent. Wheat stubble plowed July 28 had one-fourth more moisture on August 30 than stubble not plowed. September 9 the stubble that was plowed July 28 had one-third more moisture than stubble plowed September 1. Rolling the soil in the spring did not increase the moisture in the surface foot. Bottom land planted in corn had more moisture in the surface during July and less during the first half of August than upland with the same crop.

Oats sown March 14, at the depth of one and two inches came up several days sooner and 10 to 30 per cent better than when planted four to six inches deep. Planted March 25 there was but little difference in the number that came up when planted one, two, four or six inches deep, but the deepest plantings came up slower. Indian corn planted March 14 came up very poorly. None planted six inches deep came up. Planted March 25 there was a fair stand at different depths. Planted March 28 one and two inches deep gave almost a perfect stand, while that planted four and six inches deep gave a poor stand. April 4 and 11 the best stand was secured from planting four inches deep. For later plantings corn came up better when planted one and two inches deep. In general it is best to plant shallow in moist soil and early in the season. In late planting and in dry soil a more satisfactory stand can be had and the corn will come up sooner if planted about four inches deep. Kafir corn is much more easily harmed by wet and cold weather than Indian corn and should be planted about a month later. Planted one or two inches deep it will come up better than if planted deeper. It may be counted a good stand if 50 to 75 per cent of the grains planted come up.

Hardiness of Trees.

From Farmers' Review: The Department of Horticulture has for several years been co-operating with the division of forestry of the Department of Agriculture to test the hardiness of trees produced from seeds sent from various sections of the country, north and south, east and west. The seeds were planted in plats having the same soil and exposure and have been subjected to the same conditions. On March 7, 1898, notes were made on the effects of the winter upon the trees, and some striking facts were revealed. As a rule no injury was to be noted from the winter on trees grown from seed sent from states either north or west of this point. On the other hand, trees from seed sent in from points southeast of this were very generally injured from the cold. The injury varied with both the species of trees and the location. Black walnut showed the greatest injury of any species and was most affected when the seed had come from the southeastern coast region—Georgia and Alabama. This point, besides being of scientific interest in showing the decided effect of climate on the constitutionality of plants, has also a practical value for the tree planter. It shows that trees from seed grown at southeastern points must suffer more or less when subjected to this climate, and suggests that young trees transplanted from the same regions would be even more seriously affected. Further experiments along the same line are in progress under direction of the department.

Prevention of Smut in Wheat.

The Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station has, for several years past, conducted experiments in the prevention of the smuts in wheat. There are found on wheat in Ohio, loose smut and stinking smut. The loose smut is that noticeable at blossoming time, which destroys, usually, the entire head. It is, perhaps, more general, though usually much less destructive than the stinking smut, which converts the kernels of wheat into masses of dark brown, ill-smelling fungus spores. This station has been successful in preventing both of these smuts and recommends the following methods:

For stinking smut in wheat.—In all the methods employed for stinking smut it is probably advisable to immerse the grain first in cold water, with stirring, and to skim off the smut balls which will, in this manner, rise to the top of the water. After this is completed either of the following treatments may be employed:

1. Hot Water. Immerse this skimmed seed, contained in gunny bag or suitable wire mesh vessel, for ten minutes in hot water, at a temperature of 133 degrees Fahrenheit. Then dry on smut-free surface, cooling quickly by thoroughly stirring, or cold water may be employed to cool the grain. Remember, these temperatures are to be determined by a thermometer; longer immersion than ten minutes, at that temperature, may injure the grain.

2. Bluestone, Copper Sulfate. Make a solution at the rate of one pound to five gallons of water; in this solution immerse the seed wheat, freed from the smut balls as before described, for ten minutes. Allow to stand ten minutes in sack to drain, then spread and dry with air-slaked lime, shoveling over frequently.

Or by sprinkling, use the above solution at the rate of one gallon to one bushel of grain in heap. Apply by sprinkling-can at intervals of five or ten minutes; stir the whole so as to be uniformly wet; at the end, say, of one hour, shovel over and dry with lime, if desired.

3. Formalin. This may be used at the rate of one pound to fifty gallons of water and the seed treated by sprinkling or by immersion for thirty minutes.

For loose smut of wheat.—Modified hot water treatment as follows: Soak the seed grain for four hours in cold water, let stand four hours more in the wet sacks; then immerse for five minutes in hot water at a temperature of 133 degrees Fahrenheit; spread at once on a smut-free surface to dry, and sow. Use one-half more seed to replace that injured by the treatment.

Fruit Growing in Northern Michigan.

At a farmers' institute held recently at Gand Traverse, Mich., A. P. Gray gave his ideas upon "Fruit Growing in Northern Michigan." He said he would not present his remarks as a lawyer does, from one side only, but would give both the advantages and disadvantages. Said he: "One advantage we have in northern Michigan is that we have one hour more sunlight than Ohio and Indiana. Some of the disadvantages are the cold climate, long winters and dry soil. Location is a great subject to be considered. High ground is important for fruit trees; the cold sinks into the valleys, and the heat from the valleys rises and keeps the trees from freezing. The years we have had the least rain we have had the best fruit, and the grain those years was of the very best quality. It takes a long drouth to affect a tree. Fruit trees do not yield much real profit under ten years of age. Slow growth, however, is our salvation, for when trees mature early they decay early. The farther north fruit will mature, the better its quality. Fruit growing is being pushed farther north each year. We are gaining in this respect."

Make Your Own Plant Cuttings.

The cuttings of the plants to be used in the flower garden should be rooted during the months of February or March. Geraniums made during these months should be covered with blooms during the summer months if they are given proper care. Other plants that add greatly to the beauty of the garden, and which may be propagated by cuttings, are the Coleus, Iresine, Althermanthera and Centaura. These plants all root readily from cuttings, they can be started in a cutting box in the window, which should be as long and wide as desired, for the limited space and about four or five inches deep. It should be filled with clean river sand. When the cuttings are first made they should be shaded during the heat of the day and sprinkled several times a day until the cuttings become thoroughly established. The sand should always be kept moist, but never wet. Cuttings are often rooted in a deep plate filled with moist sand. There are various contrivances used for rooting cuttings, but in each case the rooting medium is clean moist sand. Soil is apt to become soggy.—W. H. Moore in Farmers' Review.

How to Kill the Leaf Hopper.

From Farmers' Review: Leaf hopper, Thrip and Erythroneura vitis are all different names for one small insect, which is often very numerous on grape vines during summer. It is about an eighth of an inch long, of a light color, and marked by three dark red bands. They fly from their position on the under side of the leaves when the vines are shaken and soon light again. To combat them in the summer when their destructive work is noticeable is difficult. Now is the time. They may be found under the leaves near the vines. If the vineyard is cleaned of all litter and this promptly burned many will be destroyed. The insects remaining on the ground can be killed by a spray of coal oil emulsion.

American-Grown Chicory.—American-grown chicory has to contend against strong prejudice upon the part of ignorant foreigners who have become accustomed to a certain brand in the mother country, and insist upon having it here. There is also bitter opposition on the part of men who have established factories in this country for finishing the root imported from Europe, in some instances from their own estates or farms. As far as quality is concerned the American root is fully equal to the imported article, and would win its way upon its merits were it not for the two mentioned forces opposing it. The department feels confident that, were the opposition overcome, the American market could be supplied with home-grown chicory, and the money which has been annually going abroad could be retained among our own people. It is gratifying in this connection that progress is being made, and that American chicory is now seen upon the market in fair quantity.—Rural New Yorker.

Her Chance.

Miss Passe—They say marriages are made in heaven.

Miss Pert—Ah, then, you have one more chance.—Syracuse Herald.

1,000,000 Sailors From One Ship.

The U. S. Receiving Ship Vermont, now over 50 years old, has been the schoolhouse for over 1,000,000 sailors. The age and accomplishments are much the same as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has been before the public for 50 years, and has cured innumerable cases of malaria, fever and ague, besides dyspepsia and indigestion.

A Makeshift.

Bobbie Bingo—Are you a member of congress?

Mr. Pinger—Yes, my boy.

"Father was once; but he says that was before he learned to earn his own living."—Life.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Eby R. Applin, Minneapolis, Minn., seal for safes; Barnett Baker, Minneapolis, Minn., darning apparatus; John C. Barber, St. Paul, Minn., car truck; Harry R. Brown, Minneapolis, Minn., picture support; Wilson T. Cole, Minneapolis, Minn., addressing machine; Anton E. Phillips, Sioux Falls, S. D., mechanism for shocking grain; Jay C. Seymour, Ashton, S. D., thill coupling; Louis Wigen, Afton, Minn., wash boiler; Samuel H. Merrill, Fairmount, Minn., scraper (design.)

Merwin, Lothrop & Johnson, Patent Attorneys, 910 Pioneer Press Bldg., St. Paul.

Raison d'Etre.

Prohibition Mermaid—I hope you are in favor of prohibition, Mr. Sea Serpent?

The Sea Serpent—Great Scott! woman, don't you know that alcohol is the only thing that keeps me alive?—Puck.

"Goodyear Rubber Company Believes in Expansion."

The Goodyear Rubber company came to St. Paul in 1885, locating at 181 East Third street, subsequently moving into the stores Nos. 98, 100 and 102 East Seventh street, the buildings having been extended on the first floor in order to give them facilities for their wholesale business.

The jobbing business of the company in St. Paul has increased steadily each year for the past four years, and they have now rented the upper part of the adjoining building, giving them two floors of Nos. 92, 94 and 96—size of rooms 50x90 feet—which really adds 50 per cent to the space they formerly had for carrying stock. The variety and quantity of goods necessary to meet the demands of the trade in this section of the country made it necessary for the company to have more room. Their brands of goods have become well and favorably known; so that in many instances dealers are seeking the agency for the sale of the goods.

Any dealers who have not had business relations with this company can obtain, by sending for it, one of their catalogues of overshoes mackintoshes, mechanical goods or sundries. Their catalogues are furnished only to dealers. Ninety-five per cent of the business of the company at St. Paul is wholesale.

The Cheerful Idiot.

"The railroad engineer," said the smart boarder, "must be a happy man. He whistles at his work."

"Begging your pardon," said the Cheerful Idiot, promp to crush all possible rivalry, "he works at his whistle."—Indianapolis Journal.

Likely.

Jones—Wonder what made Columbus first think that the world wasn't square?

Johnson—Reckon somebody put up a job on him.—Ex.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Frugality is a fair fortune; and habits of industry a good estate.—Franklin.

As the moth is to the flame, so is the fool skater to the danger sign.

"Out of Sight Out of Mind."

In other months we forget the harsh winds of Spring. But they have their use, as some say, to blow out the bad air accumulated after Winter storms and Spring thaws. There is far more important accumulation of badness in the veins and arteries of humanity, which needs Hood's Sarsaparilla.

This great Spring Medicine clarifies the blood as nothing else can. It cures scrofula, kidney disease, liver troubles, rheumatism and kindred ailments. Thus it gives perfect health, strength and appetite for months to come.

Kidneys—"My kidneys troubled me, and on advice took Hood's Sarsaparilla which gave prompt relief, better appetite. My sleep is refreshing. It cured my wife also." Michael Boyle, 3473 Denny Street, Pittsburg, Pa.

Dyspepsia—"Complicated with liver and kidney trouble, I suffered for years with dyspepsia, with severe pains. Hood's Sarsaparilla made me strong and hearty." J. B. Emerton, Main Street, Auburn, Me.

Hip Disease—"Five running sores on my hip caused me to use crutches. Was confined to bed every winter. Hood's Sarsaparilla saved my life, as it cured me perfectly. Am strong and well." Annie Roberts, 49 Fourth St., Fall River, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and the only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MRS. COOPER.

The Most Famous Sculptress in the World, Entirely Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. M. C. Cooper of the Royal Academy of Arts, London, England, is undoubtedly one of the greatest living sculptors. She has modeled busts of half the nobility of England, and is now in Washington making busts of distinguished Americans. Mrs. Cooper has just completed a bust of Mrs. Belva Lockwood, which is now in the

Mrs. M. C. Cooper.

Corcoran Art Gallery. Ruskin, the great artist, placed Mrs. Cooper as one of the greatest sculptors and painters of this century. Mrs. Cooper is an ardent friend of Pe-ru-na and in a letter dated January 26, written from Washington, says the following: "I take pleasure in recommending Pe-ru-na for catarrh and la grippe. I have suffered for months and after the use of one bottle of Pe-ru-na am entirely well."—Mrs. M. C. Cooper.

Send for a free book on catarrh entitled "Health and Beauty." This book is written especially for women, and will be found to be of great value to every woman. Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

Candor is the brightest gem of criticism.—Disraeli.

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The Pains and Aches of
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CONSUMPTION

HER BONNET.

Caught Afire While the Speaker Was Addressing an Audience.

New York Sun: At a meeting of the Society for Political Study yesterday the bonnet worn by the speaker of the day, Mrs. Belle Gray Taylor, caught fire from a drop-light on the speaker's desk, and had it not been for the presence of mind and fleet-footedness of Mrs. Almon Hensley would have been totally destroyed. Mrs. Taylor said afterward that there was no insurance on the bonnet, although there were several other things, including gold braid, blue velvet and black ostrich tips. When the accident happened the speaker was prefacing her talk, which was on woman's intuition, with a few remarks about five-minute papers, she having been asked to prepare one of that length.

"A long, dull paper is intolerable in this rapid history-making age," she was saying, "while a long, good paper has so much in it that you wish to consume"——

"Oh! Oh!" "Gracious me!" "Fire! Fire!" cried feminine voices from every part of the room, and the one man present looked at Mrs. Taylor's flaming headgear helplessly. He said afterwards that he might have known what to do if a woman had been in danger in a burning building, but that he was absolutely paralyzed at sight of a burning bonnet. But no one better knows the value of a fine bonnet than Mrs. Hensley, and before the lone man had recovered sufficiently to open his mouth she rushed to the platform and smothered the flames.

"What is it?" asked the speaker, calmly, when the danger was passed.

"Your best bonnet on fire," exclaimed many voices.

"Well, for once I've created a sensation," retorted Mrs. Taylor. "For once I've been actually brilliant. Ladies, the last word I uttered was consume," and then she went on with the remarks that had been interrupted by the threatened conflagration.

CLEVER LITTLE STORIES.

Judge Wheaton A. Gray, recently elevated to the Supreme court commission, was hearing a criminal case in Fresno, and on a warm day, at the end of a long harangue by the prosecuting counsel, he noticed one of the jurymen asleep. As soon as the argument was completed, the judge addressed the jury in this peculiar manner: "Gentlemen of the jury, the prosecuting attorney has completed his argument; wake up and listen to the instructions of the court!"

Since Joseph Choate's appointment as ambassador to England one of his wittiest sayings is being retold. It was made over a private dinner table at which he and Mrs. Choate were guests. Someone inquired of him who he would like to be if he could not be himself. He paused a few seconds, as if thinking over the list of world celebrities, and then his eye rested upon his wife. "If," he answered, "I could not be myself, I should like to be Mrs. Choate's second husband."

Senator Caffery's constitutional argument was listened to at one time by six senators. One of these was Mr. Spooner of Wisconsin. Senator Caffery read an extract in the course of his remarks, which attracted Mr. Spooner's attention. Perhaps it had a familiar sound. At any rate he began to manifest some curiosity. "From what is the senator reading?" he asked Mr. Caffery. The Louisiana senator turned around with a surprised, not to say an injured, air. "I am reading," he said, with crushing emphasis, "from the constitution of the United States."

Mme. Modjeska and her company were playing one winter in the extreme north, much to the discomfort of Count Bozenta, the Polish star's husband, who hates the chilly northern climate. But at that time the show business was at a very low ebb in the south. One particular cold day Mme. Modjeska found the count shivering from head to foot, in spite of the steam heat in the hotel. "Oh, my dear, my dear!" he implored, "let us go south for the rest of the season. This climate will kill us." "But, my dear," replied Madame, "the south is dead." "Yes," said the count, "but she is such a be-autiful corpse.

Favorite Pastime of Children.

The fish may be represented by oblong pieces of cardboard (if mamma has time, pictures of fish may be pasted on these), the under side of each having a number to tell the child the weight of the fish he has caught. On the upper side place small double-pointed tacks, into which the hook is caught. The fishing hook may be made of a bent pin, and for the pole a long pencil will answer. On a rainy or snowy day the little ones will enjoy this sport hugely, and there will be no catching cold.

The Age of Wind.

"Mars, I watch affairs on earth closely," began the exalted Pluto, as he fanned himself with a section of halo in the midst of the great hereafter, "and I have become of the opinion that you are losing vigor. Everything warlike, from pugilism and the Spanish wars up to the general warcloud that you have had hanging over Europe for the last forty years, ends about the same way." "That is true," replied the illustrious god of war, "but, the fact is, I have sold out my whole business to Aeolus."

Why the Job Suited.

Merchant—What are your qualifications for this business? Applicant—I can't get anything else to do.—Puck.

No Carriage.

One of the most amusing instances of misunderstanding a word is told by an old church warden of Wallingford, England.

At one time the Bishop of Oxford sent round to the church wardens inquiries, among which was:

"Does your officiating clergyman preach the gospel, and is his conversation and carriage consistent therewith?"

To this the church warden of Wallingford replied:

"He preaches the gospel, but he does not keep a carriage."—Chicago Democrat.

Sound Philosophy.

"A mean man," said Uncle Eben, "does a heap o' hahm in settin' a standard by which his deservin' fellow humans is li'ble ter be jedged. I reckons one balky hoss is 'sponsible foh a heap o' beatin's dat yuthuh hosses git when dey is honestly played out."—Washington Star.

"I just saw a touching scene."

"What was it?"

"Two fat men in a 4x6 elevator. They touched on all sides."—Chicago News.

To Avoid Labor.

Village Cousin (showing his city cousin around the hamlet)—That fellow lounging over there has just completed a table top composed of 4,763 separate pieces of wood.

City Cousin—What did he do that for?

Village Cousin—Oh, just to keep from working.—Judge.

At the Table.

Mr. Weddling—Ah, darling, I see you have prepared something new with your own little hands. It's luscious, too, dear. What is it?

Mrs. Weddling—That—that's—that's bread!—Judge.

New French Fad.

A new fad in French jewelry is a flexible chain with a pearl set in each end. This is wound around the necktie and tied in a bow, as if it were a ribbon.

Had Gained Notoriety.

Dentist—Did you ever take gas before?

Farmer Haycede—Look here smarty, that joke's gone fur enough, b'gosh almighty! Reckon that consarned hotel clerk's bin tellin' you about it, too.—

Modern Science Recognizes
RHEUMATISM
as a Disease of the Blood

There is a popular idea that this disease is caused by exposure to cold, and that some localities are infected with it more than others. Such conditions frequently promote the development of the disease, but from the fact that this ailment runs in certain families, it is shown to be hereditary, and consequently a disease of the blood.

Among the oldest and best known residents of Bluffs, Ill., is Adam Vangundy. He has always been prominently identified with the interests of that place. He was the first President of the Board of Trustees, and for a long time has been a Justice of the Peace. He says: "I had been a sufferer of rheumatism for a number of years and the pain at times was very intense. I tried all the proprietary medicines I could think or hear of, but received no relief.

"I finally placed my case with several physicians and doctored with them for some time, but they failed to do me any good. Finally, with my hopes of relief nearly exhausted I read an article regarding Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which induced me to try them. I was anxious to get rid of the terrible disease and bought two boxes of the pills, I began using them about March, 1897. After I had taken two boxes I was completely cured, and the pain has never returned. I think it is the best medicine I have ever taken, and am willing at any time to testify to its good merits."—*Bluffs (Ill.) Times.*

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Busy People.

"I tell you," said the unobtrusive man, "that a Paris mob must be made up of wonderfully well-informed people."

"But they merely parade the streets and shout."

"Yes; but think of how often they turn out and how much study it must take to know exactly what they are shouting about every time."—Washington Star.

Georgia Wedding "Invite."

Here is an invitation. It is a wedding invitation. It comes all the way from Washington county, and it's just as it was "wrote:"

"Miss Lizzie Wicker you are to have an interpretation on the 9th of febary to Miss Hattie Hanna and Mr. Boston Stephens weddin, a present if it aint But 15 cent worth."—Atlanta Constitution.

Sculpture as a Fine Art.

"I think I could have been a sculptor," remarked Whinger, in the bosom of his family.

"Do you, now? Just think of that," exclaimed Mrs. Whinger, admirably.

"Yes," continued the great man, musingly, "all it needs, you see, is a big hunk of stone, and then you just knock off what you don't want, and that's all."—Judy.

Another Three Entirely.

Mr. Dukane—Although Mr. Depew has been elected a senator of the United States, he will not shake the plum tree.

Mr. Gaswell—What sort of a tree will he shake?

Mr. Dukane—The chestnut tree.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

As It Seemed to Him.

"How shall we govern the Filipinos?" asked the interviewer.

"I don't know," answered the busy military man. "It will be time enough to think of that when we get them out of the notion of trying to govern us."—Washington Star.

The Way of the World.

"And so you were a member of that dead-locked legislature?"

"Yes, sir."

"Some men are born rich, some achieve riches and some have riches thrust upon them."—Chicago Daily News.

An Outlet.

"After all," said the hopeful philosopher, a business failure isn't half as bad as a bad marriage."

"No," replied the vicious bachelor; "in a business failure a man may take hope and try again."—Philadelphia North American.

Away Ahead.

"My wife," said the minister, "often help me out with my sermons."

"Hum!" said Henry Peck, "my wife preaches all the sermons in our house."—Philadelphia North American.

To tremble before anticipated evils is to bemoan what thou hast never lost.—Goethe.

Probably the worst mistake a man can make is to correct the mistakes of his friends.

Creeping Consumption

Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way.

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First, you think it is a little cold; nothing but a little hacking cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats.

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Knew a Good Thing.

Mr. Miggs—My, but isn't that baby restless at night. He's bound to use my head for a pillow.

Mrs. Miggs—Of course. He wants something soft, I suppose.—Chicago Daily News.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address
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Mere Matter of Convenience.

Watts—Do you always ride home in a hack?

Lushford—Oh, no. Sometimes I take the —hic—boiled owl cars.—Indianapolis Journal.

Have used DR. SETH ARNOLD'S COUGH KILLER in my family for 25 years. Mrs. A. Suchaneck, Minneapolis, Minn. 25c. a bottle.

Jealousy.

Maude—What a plain, commonsense girl Alice is?

Ethel (coldly)—She is unquestionably plain.—Somerville Journal.

Where Reason Totters.

Husband—What! another hundred dollar gown. Didn't I tell you that you must keep within your allowance?"

Wife (triumphantly)—You said unless in case of absolute necessity!—Puck.

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To persevere in one's duty and be silent, is the best answer to calumny.—Cecil.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is the only cough medicine used in my house.—D. C. Albright, Mifflinburg, Pa., Dec. 11, '95.

There is a limit at which forbearance ceases to be a virtue.—Burke.

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Have you seen those beautiful ovals in all sizes at Marie A. Canan's, over the post office? They are the latest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilbur are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a new son last Sunday.

C. C. Lightfoot, late of Staples, has opened a meat market at Bemidji says the Wadena Tribune.

Buy one of those tabourettes and make your wife happy. For sale at Marie A. Canan's over post office.

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

Wanted—Good dairy butter, 20 cents per pound, at the Co-operative store. Wm. Palzer, Prop.

Now is the time to think about re-framing your pictures. An up-to-date stock at Marie A. Canan's, over the post office.

For Sale—80 acres of good farming land for sale cheap, 1½ miles south of Brainerd, for further particulars apply at this office.

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

Mr. Peter Grondin and Miss Lena Aggerter were united in marriage on Monday morning at the Presbyterian parsonage, by Rev. A. H. Carver. Both are residents of this city.

Miss Jessie Tyler gave a party at the home of her parents on 9th street north on Monday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Carrie Perkins, who returned to her home the following day.

John Call, a lumberman employed in Nelson & Tenny's camp, was on Saturday brought to the Lumbermen's hospital for treatment, his right leg being broken between the knee and ankle.

Mrs. Ursula Senti, wife of Florian Senti, aged 47 years, died at her home in this city on Tuesday, March 14th, of consumption. The funeral services will occur at 1:30 this afternoon at the German Evangelical church, Rev. Simon, the pastor, officiating.

Mrs. B. A. Ferris entertained the Pleasant Hour Euchre Club on Friday evening. A delightful evening was enjoyed. Mrs. Henry I. Cohen won the head prize, and Mrs. J. M. Elder the lone hand prize. Light refreshments were served.

Willie Phyle has signed a contract with the Chicago league club as pitcher for the season. Mr. Phyle at first refused to sign it because it contained a temperance clause, but he finally did so, as under the rules of the league he had to play with Chicago or not at all.

On Thursday evening of next week Ascalon Commandry No. 16, Knights Templar, will be inspected by the grand commander of the state, Sir Wm. E. Richardson, of Duluth. After the lodge ceremonies a banquet will be served by the Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church.

A lumberman by the name of Ed. Finney was before the municipal court on Wednesday charged with petit larceny. He was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $20, or serve 20 days in jail. He stole a Winchester rifle from Gust Wideman, another lumberman, while the latter was buying a ticket to Minneapolis at the N. P. depot.

Brainerd has been accused of not being a good bicycle town, yet A. L. Hoffman sold 87 bikes last season. This year his line consists of 15 different makes, which you can purchase on easy payments if you wish. He also has a few of his last year's livery wheels which he will close out cheap to make room for a dozen new '99 single and tandems which will be kept for rent this summer.

Harry Hardy, who has been confined in the county jail for several weeks on a charge of stealing a horse from J. P. Saunders, and who was released by the late grand jury, was re-arrested and brought before the municipal court yesterday, this time charged with bringing a stolen horse from another county, and selling it to Fred Ayott, of the Last Turn saloon. The preliminary examination was set for Tuesday, March 21st.

Wanted—Jack Pine ties.
M. J. Reilly.

WANTED—Jack Pine Ties.
S. & J. W. Koop.

Get a wheel at D. M. Clark's. Strictly high grade machines at low prices.

Leave orders for our meat wagon to stop at your door. You can pick out what you want at surprisingly low prices for cash. Bane & Bane.

Highest Price for Grain.

Farmers, you will get the highest market price for your grain by bringing it to Beck & Remmels, 8th street, near railroad track.
Beck & Remmels.

Ladies, clean your kid gloves with Miller's Gloveine, for sale only by H. I. Cohen, headquarters for dressed and undressed kid gloves, all the latest shades in lace and clasp.

SEAMLESS SHOES.

To introduce these splendid shoes for men, boys and youths wear, the manufacturers will permit us to give a liberal discount on the first pair you buy. We want every body to see them. We feel sure those who see them and learn the price will have a trial pair. We also have them in women's, suitable for light farm wear and for a comfortable house shoe and in heavy grain leather for men and boys farm wear. Call and see them at the Big "9".
R. F. Walters, 6th street.

District Court.

The March general term of the district court closed on Wednesday morning, the calendar having been disposed of and the jury discharged the previous evening. Several very important cases have been disposed of since since our last issue. The case of Libbie E. Everest vs. the N. P. Ry was on trial when going to press last week. The jury in this case returned a verdict of $1000 for plaintiff. The defendant was granted a stay of 30 days pending an appeal.

The pleas in the cases of the state vs. Chas. Smith, indicted for forgery in the second degree, and Nels Bender, for grand larceny second degree were changed to guilty, and a sentence of one year at hard labor imposed in each case.

The case of the state vs. Harry Resse, indicted for robbery in the first degree, was tried by a jury, and the defendant was found guilty in the second degree.

Wm. Boisvin and Chas. Landry, indicted for robbery in the second degree, were tried by jury separately, and each were found guilty as indicted.

On Wednesday morning Judge Holland sentenced all three, giving each a sentence of ten years at hard labor in the penitentiary at Stillwater.

CHURCH NEWS.

Items of Interest Concerning the Churches and Church Societies.

Rev. W. E. Loomis held quarterly meeting in the Deerwood church on Wednesday evening for Rev. Dr. Forbes.

The Rev. S. A. Jameison, of Duluth, will conduct services at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Craig on 9th street north, next Wednesday afternoon, March 22nd, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a birthday social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stratton, 6th street north, on Friday evening March 24th.

Last week it was announced that a festival would be given by the Swedish Lutheran church in the Y. M. C. A. The place has since been changed to Walker's hall on Front street over Mahoney's bakery.

Rev. Gallagher will conduct services at the Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening. The reverend gentleman has been suffering during the week with a badly inflamed eye, but is now much better.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Tuesday afternoon, March 21, at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred Wilkins, No. 59, Grove st. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be transacted.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church having reconsidered the matter have decided to give a supper and sale at Walker's hall on Wednesday, March 29. Decorated Easter eggs will be a specialty. This is to take place of the "Orange Medley" previously announced.

Services will be held at the M. E. church on Sunday, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: 'Christian Service.'' Evening subject: "Spiritual Suicide." Epworth league at 6:30. These services are increasingly interesting and profitable, and all are cordially invited. Seats free. Good singing and everything comfortable and inviting.

PERTINENT PERSONAL NOTES.

Hon. A. F. Ferris came up from St. Paul this noon.

Mike Cullen, of Staples, was in the city Wednesday.

J. M. Elder was a Twin City visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. J. T. Sanborn went to St. Paul on Tuesday to visit friends.

Wm. Holst went to Minneapolis yesterday to be absent several days.

Dr. Roberts, of Little Falls, came to Brainerd on Monday to visit his children.

Miss Nellie M. Loomis is home from White Fish Lake, visiting for the week.

Mrs. T. C. Bivins went to Minneapolis on Monday to visit friends a few days.

Mrs. Jas. O'Connors went to Duluth on Monday to visit friends for a few days.

Rev. W. E. Loomis and E. W. Lynch made a business trip to White Fish Lake on Monday.

Miss Midge Hagadorn visited with Little Falls friends on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. J. H. Koop and daughter, Miss Rose, returned from their trip to Chicago on Monday.

Joel Smith went to Duluth on Monday. He will also visit the Twin Cities before returning.

Attorney W. S. McClenahan was a St. Paul visitor the first of the week, returning yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Gruenhagen went to St. Cloud yesterday noon, called there by the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. F. Hoffman left Brainerd on Wednesday for Pine City, where she will visit her daughter for a week or ten days.

C. H. Cross left Monday noon for St. Paul, where he has accepted a position as draftsman in the N. P. general offices.

Mrs. N. P. Osgood, of Fargo, was in the city from Saturday until Thursday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Parker.

Mrs. J. K. Pearce went to the Twin Cities on Monday to purchase a new stock of spring millinery. She will return Saturday.

Mrs. C. Grandelmyer left yesterday for Chicago, where she will purchase a new stock of millinery in the latest styles, for the spring trade.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Skinner left Brainerd on Wednesday for Berlin, Wis., where they will visit Mr. Skinner's parents for a couple of weeks.

Thos. Gavin, for several years fireman on the Morris train, left here on Tuesday for Glendive, Montana, where he will take charge of an engine.

Miss Carrie Morrison returned on Tuesday from Minneapolis, where she has been for a couple of weeks studying the latest things in millinery.

Miss Carrie Perkins, who has been visiting Miss Jessie Tyler for the past two months, returned to her home at North Branch, Minn., on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. G. Gallup and daughter went to Livingston, Mont., today, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Gallup has been at Livingston some months working for the N. P.

Oscar Parks arrived in the city on Wednesday from Tacoma to visit his brother, E. O. Parks and family. Mr. Parks went to St. Paul yesterday, but will return here Saturday and remain over Sunday.

Adam Bardsley, for several years master mechanic of the N. P. shops in this city, arrived here yesterday. He is now located at Rochester, N. Y., and is superintendent of machinery of the B. R. & S. R'y at that point.

G. M. Walker returned on Sunday from Livingston, Mont., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Walker, a couple of weeks, after an absence of nearly two years. "Mac" appears hale and hearty, and his many friends here are delighted to meet him again.

Mrs. Chas. Peabody returned home on Monday from a trip to the Hot Springs, Arkansas, where she went with her daughter, Leonora, for treatment for the latter. Mrs. Peabody reports that Miss Leonora is receiving great benefit from the treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Corwin and daughter, Miss Lucile, visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loomis this week. They left for their home in Jamestown, N. D., on Wednesday, from which they have been absent for three months, having spent most of the time in California.

Odillon Caron, who spent last summer in the Klondike country and returned here in the fall, will again go to Alaska, this time to Skagaway. He left on Tuesday for Belle Prairie, from which point he will start on Saturday for the coast. Mrs. Caron and the children, he expects, will follow him in a few weeks.

WANTED.

Wanted—20,000 jack pine ties, 6 and 7 inch face, 7 inches thick.
Con. O'Brien.

BRUNS, the Optician,

will be in Brainerd, at the Arlington Hotel, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 20th, 21st and 22nd, for the purpose of correcting eye refractions. If your sight blurs, eyes water or burn, glasses you have don't fit, or are suffering from headaches that medicine does not cure, consult him. Eyes examined free.

MYSTERIOUS CASE OF POISONING

Susie Nelson, a Domestic in the Family of J. W. Blake Dies of Irritant Poisoning.

Was it Suicide or Accidental? Is the Question that Cannot Be Settled.

Susie Nelson, a comely domestic in the employ of Mr. J. W. Blake, the milkman, died on Tuesday night in a very mysterious manner. According to Mr. Blake and the other members of the household, Susie retired at the usual time between 9 and 10 o'clock in the best of health, and when Mr. Blake called her about five o'clock in the morning she did not respond. He went into her room to arouse her, and a horrible sight met his view. She was lying on her side on the bed dead, with her limbs drawn up and features distorted as though she had died in great agony. Coronor Reimestad was summoned and a post mortem examination was held Wednesday noon, at which Drs. Groves, Hemstead, Thabes and the coronor were present. The organs of the body were all found in a healthy condition, but the stomach was filled with blood, and a condition existed which could only be produced by an irritant poison, hence the doctors were unanimously of the opinion that death was produced by poisoning. Just what the poison was can only be ascertained by a chemical analysis of the stomach, and as this would cost a hundred dollars, and there are no funds available for the coronor for the purpose it has not been done.

It is a great mystery as to how or why she took the poison. The member's of Mr. Blake's family say she was apparently in the best of health and spirits before retiring, and absolutely no reason exists why she should have tried to kill herself. There is also no evidence that she took poison, as no vial or flask or even a scrap of paper in which poison could have been wrapped, was found in her room, and it has been ascertained that no poison has been sold to her or anyone of whom she could get it, by any dealer in the city. It is also rather remarkable that no member of the family heard the struggles she must have made as indicated by the disordered condition of her room while suffering the agonies of death. The fact that she slept down stairs in a bed room off the dining room, and the family, including Mr. and Mrs. Blake and son, and a Mr. Wallbridge, slept upstairs, may possibly account for it.

Deceased has a sister, Mrs. Mahan, living in this city on 5th street south who is grief stricken at the sudden and mysterious death of her sister. Her parents reside on a farm near Gardiner, N. D.

The funeral services will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church to-morrow morning, March 18th, Rev. Growe officiating.

A Midnight Bell.

Mr. Hoyt's "A Midnight Bell" is to be presented at Gardner Hall Thursday, March 23rd, by L. R. Stockwell, the very funny comedian and his own company. The following is taken from the San Francisco Post of Dec. 26th: Hoyt's "A Midnight Bell" charmed as many people as could be accomodated at the Alcazar yesterday.

There was appropriatness in the selection of this play for a holiday attraction. Its New England winter scenes, its merry school children, its sewing circle, its church choir, its whole rural environment and atmosphere of domesticity, find peculiar appreciation.

The production was worthy of the approbation it received from the packed audience. Stockwell, who created the character of the Deacon took the role again and made it just as amusing as it was in the years agone. Mr. Fred Fairbunk assumed his old character of the Squire and played it admirable. Henry Napur was well suited as the lawyer, and Scott Seaton did very well as the young parson. The bad boy presented by Augustus Tabe was as funny as the bad boy portrayed by Eugene Caufield, was an amusing characterization. Miss Nanna Heffron as the school marm, Etta Staffover as the minister's sister and Miss Nellie Truedeman as the village spinster carried the feminine leads.

Wood will be taken on subscription at this office. If you are in arrears bring us in a load.

STATEMENT

Of the condition of County Treasury of Crow Wing County, on the 28th day of February, in the year 1899, made and published in accordance with the provisions of Section 753, General Statutes Minn., 1894

To Credit of Tax Collection Fund	[illegible]
To Credit of General School Fund	4.54
To Credit of State School Land Fund	87.15
To Credit of Tax Redemption Fund	[illegible]
To Credit of Sinking Fund	1,219.87
To Credit of Surplus Fund	[illegible]
To Credit of Poor Fund	184.64
To Credit of Special Poor Fund	408.85
To Credit of Building Fund	91.69
To Credit of County Revenue Fund	2,079.44
To Credit of Bond Interest Fund	486.12
To Credit of School Text Book Fund	209.43
To Credit of Town (all) Fund	21.90
To Credit of School District Fund	295.51
To Credit of Special Road and Bridge Fund	586.90
	85,554.92
Less Overdrafts	9.54
Total Cash in Treasury	$85,545.38

CONSISTING OF

Deposits in First National Bank	$74,454.56
Deposits in Northern Pacific Bank	10,220.47
Cash, Checks and Cash Items.	870.05
Total as above	$85,545.08

The undersigned, Auditor and Treasurer of Crow Wing County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true, and that the same, as above printed and written, has been duly published in the Brainerd Dispatch, the official paper of this County, in accordance with the provisions of the law.

A. MAHLUM, Auditor.
J. T. FRATER, Treasurer.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1899, at Brainerd, Crow Wing County.

CONCERT AND BALL.

First Important Social Function After Lent. A Fine Display of New Gowns Expected.

Ascalon Commandry No. 16, Knights Templar, will give a fine concert and uniform ball at their spacious lodge room in the Columbian block on the evening of Monday April 3rd, which will undoubtedly be the great social event of the season. The entertainments and balls of this popular organization have in the past been among the most pleasant social events of the city, and the coming event will be no exception. It will be the first important social function after Lent, and will be the occasion of a display of feminine finery that will delight the eye.

The evening's entertainment will begin with a splendid concert by the Star and Æolian quartettes, without doubt the best musical organizations in the state north of the Twin Cities. The programme has been carefully selected with a view of pleasing all, and will contain many new and sparkling musical gems. The concert will commence about 8 o'clock and will occupy about an hour when the floor will be cleared and the ball will begin, and all lovers of the terpsichorean art can enjoy themselves to the utmost. Invitations have not yet been issued, but they are eagerly looked for by all socially inclined.

County Fair Matters.

The meeting of citizens called at the Y. M. C. A. last Saturday afternoon to consider the matter of holding a county fair was not held, as the number of citizens in attendance was not as large as desired. However a meeting has been called for Tuesday evening, March 21, at J. M. Elder's office, and it is desired that all interested in a county fair be in attendance. Certificates of membership, entitling the holder to a voice in all matters concerning the management of the fair, and also admission to the grounds at all times during the fair, have been printed, and the first ten will be auctioned off on Tuesday evening at the meeting. Mr. Elder has already been offered $10 for No. 1, and a great rivalry for them is expected. The rest of the certificates will then be sold at $1.00 by the board of managers, one of whom will be appointed from each township in the county.

It is the intention of the officers to make a large cash premium offer for the best township display at the fair, all exhibits from a township to be considered. It is hoped by creating a friendly rivalry between the various towns of the country to get a better display.

Henry I. Cohen

Henry I. Cohen
Has received New Spring Dress Goods.

Henry I. Cohen
Has received New Spring Hosiery.

Henry I. Cohen
Has received New Muslin Underwear for Ladies. New and Complete Stock of Shirt Waists.

Henry I. Cohen
Has received New Wash Goods of all grades.

Henry I. Cohen
Puts on Sale New Dress Skirts at $1.00 each.

Henry I. Cohen
Shows a Complete Stock of New Petticoats from 65 cents each, and upwards.

Henry I. Cohen
Has now the MOST complete stock of New Boy's Clothing in this city.

Henry I. Cohen
Sells Dry Goods for Cash, cheaper than any house in Brainerd because he sells FOR CASH ONLY.

Henry I. Cohen
Now can show you the BEST MADE and BEST WEARING SHOES ever offered in this city.

Henry I. Cohen
Has the most complete stock of New Lace Curtains ever imported into this city.

Henry I. Cohen
Calls your attention to his very New Stock of Spring Capes and Jackets.

Henry I. Cohen
Sells Ladies' Wrappers as Low as 50 cents each.

Henry I. Cohen
Has taken special care to select the Latest Styles in Dress Braids for this season.

Henry I. Cohen
Has a Line of Black Dress Goods on sale.

Henry I. Cohen
Has a magnificent line of Dry Goods bought in eastern markets. We quote New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Fort Wayne, Ind., Scranton, Pa., Norristown, Pa., Chicago, Ill., St. Paul and Minneapolis. Don't miss our goods and prices. Cash prices talk.

Henry I. Cohen
Sleeper Block.

Guns and Ammuition. | C. B. WHITE, | Fishing Tackle.

Contractor and Builder.

HARDWARE

Let us furnish Plans and Specifications for your New House. At the same time get Our Prices on

Sash, Doors and Builders' Hardware.

Paints and Oils. | I. U. WHITE, MANAGER. | Fence Wire.