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Choice

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Always on hand.

... ALSO ...

Pork, Mutton, Lamb, Poultry, and Everything kept in a First Class Market

Ground Bone

To make your hens lay.

Clearing-up Sale.

RELIABLE SHOES.

Saturday, January 19,

We will start a Shoe Sale that ought to attract ALL wearers of Shoes.

We have placed on our center table a few of our SPECIAL BARAINS and ticketed them at prices that can't fail to interest all who want Shoes.

Included in this lot are Men's, Women's, Boys, Misses and a large assortment of CHILDREN'S SHOES. Also the balance of our winter stock of felt and lisle goods. Remember there is an especially low price put on all this lot. Call in and look them over, you may find "Just what you want." If you don't find what you want on this table, you can find it on the shelves, and the entire stock will be offered during this sale at "Clearing-up" prices.

Remember you have a \$4500 stock of Reliable - no shoddy-Shoes to select from, and the prices are lower than you have paid elsewhere for shoddy goods.

R. F. WALTERS, BIG SHOE STORE, 9 6th St.

CHURCH WORK AND SERVICES.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. B. K. Fullerton, on 7th street north, next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 22, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The Y. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will give a sleigh ride social on Friday evening, Jan. 25, 1901, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Jackson, on 7th street south. Tickets for ride and lunch 25 cents.

There will be meetings held at the Salvation Army Hall on Sunday as follows: Holiness meeting in the morning at 10:30, and a Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. and a Christian praise meeting at 3 p. m., and a Salvation meeting at 7:30 in the evening. Subject "Kiss in the Dark," and on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22nd, there will be a cake and coffee social. Tickets 10 cents. All are invited.

Services will be held at St. Paul's Episcopal church next Sunday as follows: Holy Communion 9:45 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 12:15; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "A Life of Sunshin." In the evening there will be a special sermon to young men. Every young man is particularly invited. The offertory at the morning service will be a duet by Miss Grace Barker and Mr. Haverill. Mr. S. F. Alderman has kindly consented to sing the offertory piece at the evening service.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's.

THE SCHOOL BOARD MEET

To Compel Them to Admit An Unvaccinated Pupil to the Schools.

Action has been brought against the school board to compel them to admit Elsie Warren, a pupil of the Lowell school, to attendance without vaccination contrary to the rule adopted by the board making vaccination compulsory. The suit is said to be instituted by several East Brainerd parties, who have selected the case of the Warren girl, who was sent home on that account, to test the right of the board to make such a rule.

W. A. Fleming is the attorney for the parties, and County Attorney S. F. Alderman will represent the board. The action is in the nature of an application to the court for a writ of mandamus compelling the board to admit her. The hearing will be next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Thousands Best Info Exile. Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and who are unable to get to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be so easily when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all throat and lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astonishing cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at McEldred Drug Co's and H. P. Dunn & Co's. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

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

REPAIR THE DAM BRIDGE.

A Petition of Citizens to that Effect—Must Be Repealed at Once if at All.

The DISPATCH is requested to give publicity to the following:

To THE TAXPAYERS OF CROW WING COUNTY: A petition signed by more than a hundred of the prominent tax payers of this county, many of whom pay heavy taxes, asking that the bridge across the Mississippi river at the dam be repaired and a road be opened between the river and Gilbert lake, to connect with the public road near Billing's saw mill, was presented to our commissioners at their meeting in December. Our commissioners did not give this petition a hearing. There was not even a mention of it being presented to them, in their proceedings, as published in the county papers. Every one familiar with the bridge of our city and county will recognize at once the great need of the improvement, as asked for in the petition, for the benefit of the whole county. It is a link in the chain of thousands of citizens of Brainerd and the surrounding country who wish to visit Gilbert lake every summer. If a settler anywhere in this up-country village is to go to the Brainerd Lumber Co.'s mill for lumber, he being on the bill opposite the dam, is half a mile from the mill; but without this bridge, he is obliged to travel half way around the lake, always in sight of it, though unable to get into it, until he has traveled over three miles and then another three miles back through the city to the mill, making more than twelve miles travel to go one mile. Signed by some of the tax payers: L. E. Camp, M. D., J. A. Arnold, Mrs. E. E. Forsyth, Edward Crust, W. B. Clark, D. W. Billings, Brainerd Lumber Co., R. R. Waco.

The bridge at the dam ought certainly to be repaired and put into shape for use. It will require considerable outlay as the bridge is in very bad shape, but it will be money well expended, as it is public need. But repairing the bridge will not be sufficient. A good road should be built up the side hill, so that access to the bridge may be had without endangering one's life. And the matter will have to be attended to at once, if at all, as the piling can only be renewed while the river is frozen, hence the commissioners should take action not later than the next meeting. Let the bridge be repaired.

Committee Assignments.

Hon. A. P. Ferris, of this city, fared well in the make-up of the house committee. He was made chairman of the railroad committee, the most important committee in the gift of the speaker and is a member of the following important committees: Banks, corporations and taxes and tax laws. Dr. Homestead being a member of the minority received no chairmanship, but is a member of the following committees: Isaacs hospitals, general legislation and corporations. Senator Buckman is chairman of the labor committee, and a member of several other important ones.

Notice To Water Consumers.

On and after this date, whenever it is necessary to shut off the water to stop leaks, make repairs, or for any other purpose, the pump house whistle will blow four times a half hour before, and again four times 15 minutes before the water is shut off, to warn all consumers of the fact, instead of serving personal notice, as at present.

MINNESOTA WATER CO.

Comrade Healy's Candidacy. The Minneapolis Times' G. A. R. Department contained the following notice on Monday: The Times suggestion that with Captain Harris of California as department commander, and Comrade Perry Starbuckmaster of Minneapolis as senior vice, the junior vice should come from the northern part of the state has met with a response in the candidacy of George W. Healy of Brainerd. Comrade Healy has a host of friends everywhere he is known and should be the choice of the department. He will make an active and efficient officer. The department might do much worse. A hallions of Comrade Healy will appear in "The Veterans and His Friends" next Monday morning.

PLAYING THE HOG.

State Oil Inspector Heinrichs Discharges Deputy Inspector Reilly of This City.

Last week Deputy Oil Inspector T. M. Reilly received the following letter, which explains itself:

OFFICE OF STATE OIL INSPECTOR, MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 6, 1901. T. M. REILLY, Esq., Brainerd, Minn. DEAR SIR—You are hereby notified that I have appointed Mr. H. C. Harrows as my deputy for certain counties in this state, including the county of Crow Wing. Said appointment will take effect on the 5th day of January, 1901, from which day oil for said county will be inspected by him at the Minnesota Transfer, and your term of office will then expire. Yours truly,

State Inspector of Oil.

The deputy appointed by Mr. Heinrichs to inspect the oil at the Minnesota Transfer that has heretofore been inspected by Mr. Reilly in this city, is Mr. Harrows, an employee of his office, hence Heinrichs action in thus summarily dismissing Mr. Reilly is taken simply to hog all the fees himself. He turns the term of office just expired just as soon as Gov. Van Sant can name his successor, and in his anxiety to line his own pockets before being fired, he discharges old and faithful party workers like Mr. Reilly to do so. The deputies at St. Cloud and Duluth, the latter father of Charles Towan, received the same treatment. Such indecent exposure to suck the public teat will condemn Mr. Heinrichs in the eyes of all decent citizens as well as Republicans. Had Mr. Reilly not been discharged he probably would have been retained for some time, and throughout the present administration, as he has made a very careful and efficient official, and is not well to do and needed the reputation of the office. It is particularly unfortunate at this time, as Mr. Reilly would have made more out of the office during the next two months while electioneering lighters were up than during the balance of the year. Heinrichs' indecent action in this matter shows how badly Lind's hand is being played, and in a few moments, gentlemen, I will re-duce him to contest the election.

Installed Officers.

A joint installation of the new officers of Pap. Thomas Post No. 30, G. A. R. and W. R. C. No. 47, both of this city, was held in I. O. O. F. hall on Saturday evening the 12th inst. Past Commander, Andrew E. Veon installed the officers of the Post as follows: Commander John C. Congdon; S. V. C., Albert Fox; J. V. C., John Welch; Chaplain, Sidney Hockridge; Surgeon, Joseph W. Britton; O. M., Wm. F. Murray; O. G. Thomas H. Britton. Mrs. Louisa Congdon, was the installing officer for the corps, and installed: President, Mrs. Bertha Theorist; S. V. P., Mrs. Cornelia Cooley; J. V. P., Mrs. Annie T. Wilson; Trésaurer, Mrs. Flora Burrell; Sec'y, Mrs. Nellie Parks; Chaplain, Mrs. Clotilde Smith; Conductor, Mrs. Ida Forsyth; Guard, Mrs. Henrietta Fox; Asst. Conductor, Mrs. Gertrude Smith; Asst. Guard, Mrs. Emma French.

The corps color bearers are Mesdames Effie Seal, Louisa Cale, Louisa Congdon and Augusta Palne. At the end of the installation ceremony a substantial lunch was furnished by the ladies, and highly appreciated by all. Both police and corps, are now equipped with good officers, are in good condition, and should continue for a number of years, yet, G. W. H. Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema, or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment is what you need. It's the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

BRUNS.

The Optician, will be at the Arlington Hotel, 29th and 30th. Eyes examined free. See the bargains in shoes on center table at R. F. Walters, Big 9 shoe store, 6th street.

JUDGE HOLLAND RETIRES.

Judge W. S. McClanahan Begins His Official Duties in This District at Grand Rapids.

From the Grand Rapids Herald Review.

Those present last Monday morning at 9 o'clock when district court convened were very agreeably surprised with what took place before the regular order of business was begun. Judge Holland had said goodbye to Saturday noon previous, but he was on hand Monday morning, and the purpose of his presence is best told by the judge himself in the following: He said: "I was surprised 'Court come to order: 'Gentlemen, when I adjourned court Saturday last until nine o'clock this morning I did not expect then to ever open court again in Itasca county or elsewhere, but some of my friends suggested that I had better stay in the Rapids over Sunday, and as I wanted to see Mr. McClanahan after he arrived, and as Grand Rapids is a very pleasant place in which to stay, I concluded to remain here until today."

"Mr. McClanahan came to Brainerd from Baltimore about sixteen years ago; went into my office and we formed a partnership under the name of Holland & McClanahan and did a law business until I went on the bench in 1889. He then took an office in the same building on the same floor, across the hall from my office. He had a key to my office and has had access to my library files. I speak of this simply, gentlemen, to show you the regard I had for his integrity and honesty, which still remains the same as at any time in the past. I went to Brainerd and commenced the practice of law in October 1871; I was elected county attorney of Crow Wing county that year, and have since elected and continued to perform the duties of that office with the exception of two years, until I went on the bench in 1889. I performed the duties of county attorney of Crow Wing county for fifteen years and as judge of the Fifteenth judicial district for twelve years, making 27 years that I have performed the official duties of county attorney of Crow Wing county and judge of the district court of the Fifteenth judicial district, and in a few moments, gentlemen, I will retire to private life and do so with pleasure. Not, however, to remain idle, but to give my attention exclusively to my private business. And now, Mr. McClanahan, take the chair and commence the performance of the duties of judge of the Fifteenth judicial district. If the people of this county and the attorneys of this village trust Judge McClanahan as nicely as they have treated me, and Judge McClanahan treats you as nicely as I have tried to treat you, you will pass down the pathway of life pleasantly and satisfactorily to you all. And may the people of Itasca county and the attorneys of Grand Rapids and my stenographer, who has been with me so long and whom I respect so highly, be blessed with health, wealth and prosperity, and may God, in his infinite goodness, protect, guide and always be with you, Judge McClanahan, in the performance of your official duties as judge of the Fifteenth judicial district of Minnesota. Good Bye.

MARRIED.

Mr. John G. Clenniston, of Minneapolis, and Miss Agnes E. Hewitt, of this city, were united in marriage last Saturday evening at the rectory of St. Francis church, Rev. Father Lynch conducting the marriage ceremony. The bride is the handsome and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howe, and has resided here from childhood. She is an artist of considerable ability; her paintings, both in oil and water color meeting with great praise wherever shown. The groom is a traveling salesman of the North Star Feed and Cereal Company, of Minneapolis, and has as traveled through this city for several years he has numerous friends and acquaintances here, who all respect him highly. Both have the best wishes of all in their new relation. They will make Minneapolis their home.

CHAS. H. POLKY AND MISS CHRISTINA MILLER WERE JOINED IN WEDLOCK ON MONDAY, JAN. 14th, at the rectory of St. Francis church, Rev. Father Lynch being the nuptial knot.

Have you been at Kate's Bargain Sale? It will pay you to take advantage of it. "It was almost a miracle. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible bleeding out all over the body. I am very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge, West Cornwall, Conn. Rubbers, socks, duck coats, caps, mitts, etc., at cash at Kate's. Monarch over pain, burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store. The fire apparatus at the Central house has been put in runners. Uncle Sam has the earth. Heed has the tools to work it.

REORGANIZATION HELD LAST FRIDAY EVENING UNDER THE ABOVE NAME.

For several years past Brainerd has had one of the best bands in the state, and it has been a benefit to the city in that its merits as a musical organization has advertised the city extensively. When Professor Dresselk went away some weeks since, the band, which was known as Dresselk's City Band, ceased to exist, as Professor Dresselk owned all the property of the organization, even to a majority of the uniforms. The gentlemen remaining in the city who composed the band, being desirous of reorganizing, held a meeting on Friday evening last, and an organization was perfected by electing the following officers:

President—Frank Sykes.

Vice President—Geo. Whitely.

Treasurer—Henry Krause.

Manager—John Imgrund.

Librarian—Barney Matson.

Leader—Wm. Graham.

The names chosen for the new organization is "The Brainerd City Band," and Pausley Hall was engaged for a place of meeting to hold rehearsals. At the same meeting it was also decided to give a concert and dance at Garçon Hall, on Friday evening, for raising funds to buy the necessary furnishings of the organization, and arrangements are now being made to make it a success. A good band in an important addition to any town, and this city has for years enjoyed the exception of to perform the duties of that office with the exception of two years, until I went on the bench in 1889. I performed the duties of county attorney of Crow Wing county for fifteen years and as judge of the Fifteenth judicial district for twelve years, making 27 years that I have performed the official duties of county attorney of Crow Wing county and judge of the district court of the Fifteenth judicial district, and in a few moments, gentlemen, I will retire to private life and do so with pleasure. Not, however, to remain idle, but to give my attention exclusively to my private business. And now, Mr. McClanahan, take the chair and commence the performance of the duties of judge of the Fifteenth judicial district. If the people of this county and the attorneys of this village trust Judge McClanahan as nicely as they have treated me, and Judge McClanahan treats you as nicely as I have tried to treat you, you will pass down the pathway of life pleasantly and satisfactorily to you all. And may the people of Itasca county and the attorneys of Grand Rapids and my stenographer, who has been with me so long and whom I respect so highly, be blessed with health, wealth and prosperity, and may God, in his infinite goodness, protect, guide and always be with you, Judge McClanahan, in the performance of your official duties as judge of the Fifteenth judicial district of Minnesota. Good Bye.

We Have It... FOR THAT LAME BACK... FOR THAT RHEUMATISM... GREAT BLOOD & RHEUMATISM CURE... A Harmless Cure No Poisonous Drugs... Cures all Blood Troubles and Rheumatism... 6088... McFadden Drug Co., And H. P. Dunn & Co.

S. & J. W. KOOP, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Flour and Feed. Brick Manufacturer. Railroad Ties Bought For Cash. Goods Promptly Delivered to All Parts of the City.

Table with columns for various cities and their respective agents or locations. Includes cities like St. Paul, Duluth, and Chicago.

For Anything in the Grocery Line... Call on P. M. LAGERQUIST... We Carry the finest Stock in the Northwest, and our Goods are always Fresh and up-to-date... Staple and Fancy Groceries... FLOUR AND FEED... Lagerquist Block, South Sixth Street.

C. B. WHITE, DEALER IN Stoves and Storm Sash, Also Guns and Ammunition, All Hunter's Supplies. If you need anything in these lines give us a call. All work and orders promptly attended to. I. U. WHITE, Manager.

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Professional Cards. W. S. MOLENAER, ATTORNEY AT LAW. H. MANTOR, Attorney at Law. C. BLAWITT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. J. H. WARNER, ATTORNEY AT LAW. W. H. CROWELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW. CLYDE A. ALLBRIGHT, ATTORNEY AT LAW. DR. CAMP & THABES, Physicians and Surgeons. DR. S. C. RIMESDAD, PHYSICIAN and SURGEON. J. L. FREDERICK, D. M. D., DENTIST. DR. A. F. GROVES, Physician & Surgeon. N. C. BAUDETTE, TONSORIAL ARTIST. R. K. WHITELEY, CURE BRUISES AND SCORCHS.

WANTS. Advertisements of various services and goods for sale, including a typewriter, a car, and a house.

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

Arthur Knief has returned to the Normal at St. Cloud. The Kaitira school closes Friday. Mrs. L. E. Garrison, teacher. We acknowledge a very pleasant call from Mr. Edgar Walker and his mother. The lumber camp at Klondike is reported quiet, with three cases of small pox. The lakes don't seem to be very good highway this winter, many roads breaking through. R. J. Maghee has a contract to lay oak logs at Mille Lacs lake for Con O'Brien, of Brainerd. The lumbermen in camp on Sec. 17 and south Bay Lake are uneasy. Looks like a general outbreak. C. A. Hunt has started the hard wood logs to Mr. Miller's mill. Many others will soon join the procession. Miss Burns, teacher at Bay Lake, closed her school Friday. She will return to her home at Clouquet Wednesday. Rev. Farish submitted the proposition of building a church to his hearers Wednesday. Have not learned what the general expression of the people is, churches have to be built by donations. In discussing the fistio encounter between ex Gov. John Lind and the editor of the St. Paul Dispatch, a young Swedish woman quite emphatically remarked that "An Eye, be a regular cracker yack." What he meant by the term "cracker Jack" we don't know. In the army the man that had charge of the crackers was called a "quarter master." He never got to the front with our camp, but was always found in the rear. "We would like to trade roosters," so says one of the scribers. Evidently "something wrong" with that old rooster. Probably covered for Bryan during the campaign. Don't trade him off. "Give the boy a chance," he may have been a creature of circumstances. Environments are a wonderful factor, and might affect even a rooster. If you would have him "revived" and restored, it might make a difference with that old "waste basket."

"Care the rough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures cough and colds down to the very verge of consumption. A Deep Mystery. It is a mystery why women endure Boobies, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting, and Dizzy Spells when thousands of them are cured by Electric Bitters. It will cure such troubles. I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. F. B. Oberholser, of Peterson, Ia. "and a lame back. I could not rest or sleep. I cured myself, but Electric Bitters cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do my house work." It overcomes Constipation, Improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50¢ at McPherson Drug Co's and H. P. Dunn & Co's.

STAPLES ITEMS. From the World. R. Arundel was at Brainerd Sunday to see Harry Edwards, father of Mrs. Arthur Winstley, who fell and broke his leg on Christmas day. C. E. McMullew was in town Friday for a few hours. He was just returning from a business trip to the coast. His health is better now than it has been for years. Miss Della Bell is here from Brainerd taking care of the children of her sister, Mrs. Thos. Loftus, while the latter is having some dental work done in the City of Pines. H. D. Wright, who had been book-keeper in the Commercial Bank and afterward in the First National Bank at this place, has gone to Brainerd to accept a similar position with the Brainerd Lumber Co. Advertisements. The following is a list of the names appearing in the "Wanted" column of the 14th issue of the "Journal":

TURN HIM DOWN

Advice of Lord Roberts is Not Heeded by British Government Officials. Recommendation for More Troops Voted Because of the Expenses Involved. Lord Kitchener Reports a Boer Force Concentrating in the Transvaal. New York, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London, says: Military men are disappointed by the heedlessness of the measures adopted by the war office for easing the situation in South Africa. They assert that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is again at fault, as he was before the campaign, in withholding financial supplies which are indispensable. He is most exact and a man of business, but insists at every turn that the war cost should be kept down to the lowest possible point. Lord Roberts is credited with having advised the military staff to send 50,000 fresh troops and to withdraw an equal number of men from lines of communication. Military men assert that this was the true policy, since it would have relieved the Boer army of its main strength in the field and have encouraged those left behind to believe that the army would come. The expenses would have been considerable but the army would have been kept in the field, some invigorated. The chancellor of the exchequer is currently reported to have objected strenuously to this course and small relief measures, such as fresh issues of the promissory and Australians have been substituted for a comprehensive policy.

BOIS MOVE IMPENDING. Kitchener Concentrates Thousands of Troops at Pretoria. London, Jan. 18.—The exact position in South Africa continues at most completely hidden from the public, two or three isolated telegrams published seems to indicate that important developments are impending in the Transvaal. A dispatch from Pretoria reveals that General Kitchener is making a big concentration of troops there, and other correspondents report that the Boers are gathering strictly in the Bethel and Ermelo districts. The report that General Buller is marching north is doubtless connected with this movement. Significant Statistics shown by the German Census. Washington, Jan. 18.—United States Consul Mason at Berlin has transmitted to the state department a report embodying a statement of the census returns for Germany for last year, accompanied by the results of the next previous census taken in 1895, respectively. The report is of great value in regard to the increased population of the cities of the empire. The statement sets forth the results in the cases of the 25 principal cities of the empire, which shows more than 100,000 inhabitants in only one instance, that of Crefeld, which has a decrease. Berlin naturally leads all German cities in the increased number of its people, but its percentage of male citizens is less than that of Nuremberg, Frankfurt, Halle, Mannheim and Posen, all of which owe their rapid growth to the development of manufacturing industries within their respective limits.

BRITISH CRUISER ASHORE. Mishap to the Sybille While Landing Bluejackets. London, Jan. 18.—The British admiral has received a dispatch from the commander-in-chief at the Cape reporting that the cruiser Sybille, which was landing bluejackets to intercept the Boers, is ashore at Simon's baken, near Lambert's bay, and is being towed to assist her. The official dispatch does not say the Sybille was wrecked. A great dispatch from Cape Town says the crew of the Sybille were saved. STEAMER KALARI WRECKED IN A HURRY. Port Louis, Mauritius, Jan. 18.—The British steamer Kalari, which sailed from Pangosa Nov. 23 for Reunion, has been wrecked at Reunion. Twenty-five of the persons on board the vessel, including the captain, lost their lives. The disaster to the Kalari may have been due to the hurricane which swept over the island Jan. 15, causing a number of vessels to be driven ashore. Work of a Runaway Engine. Council Bluffs, Ia., Jan. 18.—A runaway engine on the Rock Island railroad coach on a Washburn train, killing Jesse Bell, porter, and injuring a woman passenger and two children, and an engine on the Rock Island train, which destroyed a passenger coach, was reported to be the cause of the disaster.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN.

Ex-Governor Mount of Indiana a Victim of Heart Disease. Indianapolis, Jan. 18.—James A. Mount, who retired Monday afternoon from the office of governor of the state of Indiana, died very suddenly late in the afternoon at the DeWitt hotel. He had attended a reception given by Mrs. Mount to a number of prominent ladies of the city, shortly after the guests departed he started out for a walk upon his return. He said nothing about being ill and after throwing his hat and overcoat at his feet he fell and never rose. He was in the room and said: "I am sick; it's my heart. Send for a doctor at once." Mr. Mount was assisted to reach his bed and a doctor was summoned, but was unable to do anything to aid the governor, as he was already dead. James Atwell, Mount, ex-governor of Indiana, was a native of the state, having been born in Montgomery county in 1818. His parents were poor and the family led a life of pioneer simplicity, that characterizing the life of the Civil war he enlisted in the first second regiment, Indiana volunteers and later a massachusetts, who returned Wilder brigade. At the close of the war he settled on a farm in Montgomery county, Ind. He was married to Kate A. Boyd in 1857.

ROASTED BY DICK. Chairman of Boer Investigation Committee Sees Gaiety. West Point, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The congressional committee put in a good report at the West Point school camp. Three witnesses were examined during the day. They were Capt. M. H. Dyer, Dr. J. H. Dyer, and Dr. J. H. Dyer. All three were thoroughly examined by Congressmen Wagner, Driggs, Smith and Clayton. Not a mistake was made by these gentlemen, but what the witness received at the hands of these investigators was as nothing to their experience in the hands of the chairman of the committee, Dick, Ohio. Many general questions them in his quiet, easy manner and led them on by easy stages to the point he desired. He like a bolt from the clear sky let loose his torrents of scathing, every word of which cut deeply and made each of the witnesses wince. All three of them body and soul were in a terrible condition and in a worse state of mind and body than they had ever been in before. The witnesses were so completely overcome by the force of the investigation that they were unable to give any further information. The witnesses were so completely overcome by the force of the investigation that they were unable to give any further information.

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STAGE GLINTS.

Kilmichael is to have a made ball. Countess Russell has arranged for an early procession on the American stage. Victoria Barton is hard at work on a new spectacular show for the Victoria St. Martin. Richard Mansfield laid the cornerstone of the new Garrick theatre, Philadelphia, on Dec. 20. Chauncey O'Brien is an enthusiastic member of the order known as the Knights of Columbus. "Sweet Anna Paul" the comic opera in which John Glaser has been trying to star, is to be shelved. Roland Reed, who has been in previous health as a result of several serious operations, is reported to be on the mend. Mrs. J. J. Mansfield, although appreciating the honor, has declined to accept an invitation to enter the Edwin Forrest Home For Actors. New York has a law prohibiting Sunday theatrical performances, but the theatre houses give their regular programmes and call them sacred occasions. Ada Heahan has bought the American and English rights to a drama based upon the life of the late General Sherman, which might be described as a "Theater of the Stars." Carl Hauptmann, a young brother of the author of "The Broken Bell," has a drama in the hands of the managers without giving any promise of duplicating the success of the latter. An Atlanta short time ago a theater doorkeeper refused to admit two detectives in the name of the manager, but the charge against him was dismissed by the managers and the detective company rebuked.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN. Cover with paint all wounds made in pruning. Bestwood makes a fairly good match for the best of the world. Starvation and neglect are great causes of mutilation. Many young apple trees are ruined in consequence of allowing too many branches to start. Peach trees should not be pruned until in the spring. Then cut off about one-half of the new growth and the old wood. Gooseberries and currants need an annual pruning to preserve the form, as well as to remove useless wood. In order to have flowers continuous, the flowers and vines must be kept from flowering completely by not allowing the bushes to remain and go to seed. Collect the essence of the leaves and burn them. They may be found hanging on many of the shades and ornamental trees, particularly the red cedar. There are three requisites to longevity of chest trees and to success in cultivation—namely, perfect union with the quinion, systematic pruning and good care always. In many cases decay or rot in trees can be stopped by removing all decayed portions and covering the wounds with liquid sheath or compound, being careful not to paint the bark—St. Louis Republic.

THE GLASS OF FASHION. Hand painted designs decorate the toes of some of the new slippers. The latest evening gloves are supplied with Jewel fastenings and silk linings. The latest silk mittens show only two seams, one in front and one in the center of the back. The blouses and bolero jackets of baby lamb are so much worn and so much in demand that the skins are becoming scarce. The rapin overcoat, so fashionable for men, appears among the tailor garments for women, but only the fashionable with sporting proclivities venture to don one of these most unbecoming of all outside garments possible to women—New York Sun. APHORISMS. Example is more efficacious than precept—Johnson. Nothing is more disgraceful than inactivity—Cicero. To those whose god is honor distrust the man who is not afraid of poverty—St. Hier. Courtesy is a duty public servants owe to the humblest member of society.—Lord Lytton. The highest order of man that was ever instilled on earth is the order of faith—Henry Ward Beecher. There is no great excitement that is not the result of patient waiting and waiting—W. G. Ireland. The silence of a friend communicates more than any words. It is not daring to say anything in one's behalf, implies a tacit confession—Hawthorne. The power of civilization is the flesh, man, the man of sense, of force, Henry Ward Beecher. There is a beautiful hardness about the soul that never breaks under contact and concussion with other, however humble—Washington Irving.

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PERSONALITIES.

Mr. Martin Davis—the only member of the 100 best men and women of John Brown, is a resident of a little town in Michigan.

Senator Pettus of Alabama always wears a brilliant red bandanna, the first and only one ever in the state since the days of Thurman.

Mr. James MacIver, the librarian of the Honorable Society of the King's Inns, Dublin, who died recently, was one of the most accomplished men of the present generation.

The will of the late G. P. Huntington discloses that the only property bequeathed to him in San Francisco was a mortgage interest in real property in the value of \$5,000.

Senator Hanna's regular appearance day after day with a pink carnation in his buttonhole reveals the same habit of his illustrious predecessor.

Major Alexandre Alberto da Rocha Sepia Pinto, the African explorer, is dead. He was born April 23, 1866, and contributed largely to contemporary knowledge of African geography.

The case of Hanna, has revealed the physician in attendance upon him by confounding with Dr. Hirsch the order of Alexander-Newski and by making Professor Popoff his body physician.

Dr. Nicholson has a well known consulting engineer and chemist of Canada, who died the other day in Denver, after a long illness.

General Michael J. Butler, who died the other day at Davenport, Ia., was a student of the University of Michigan, being 100 years of age.

When St. President Kruger was in Paris some of his warmest admirers were the women of the city.

When Great, the 5-year-old son of Graham, 2138, took a record of 2:19 1/4 at Philadelphia. He was driven by a boy that had never driven in a race before.

DINING ROOM SPLENDOR.

Landon's Latest Table Decoration—Brighter, more colorful, and more artistic. The dinner table in London for girls occasions is brighter by the most magnificent seen for many a long day.

Only on the tables of the very wealthy will this splendor be met, though even in London's best hotels, the fashionable dinner is perfect.

The old method of using a centerpiece has fallen into disrepute, and for this winter military service is to be the rage, decorated with gold braid.

At a less conventional party—for example, at luncheon—one sees all sorts of quaint centers, designed to make the table look novel and also to encourage conversation of a brightly and agreeable character.

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Those fine hats at Katz's are going fast. You can have one at cash, if you hurry. P. E. Low's mother is very low on Superior and he will go up Sunday to see her.

Miss Maude Davis is ill with typhoid fever, and has been taken to the Sanitarium for treatment.

The condition of Miss Belle McKay, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has not improved.

If you want to spend a most enjoyable evening attend the Barber's masque ball at Gardner Hall Wednesday evening.

A new postoffice has been established at Hultburg, on the Plow river road near A. T. Kimball's, with George Frost as postmaster.

4,000 pairs of shoes to select from and a specialty low "cleaning up" price put upon every pair. R. F. Walters, Big shoe store, 6th street.

The Little Falls base ball team has reorganized and is getting into shape for the coming season. It is to be hoped they can play better ball than last season.

Numbers secured of the Chicago Directory Co. are guaranteed to be correct. They also meet the requirements of the city ordinance, as they are a standard size.

YOU must have good glasses if you wish to enjoy your eye work. Prof. Brus, the eye expert, will be at the Arlington Hotel January 29 and 30. Eyes examined free.

Mrs. Viola Eggleston, pupil of Prof. Cheney Emerson College, Boston, would like a few more pupils in voice culture. For information as to terms, etc., inquire of Mrs. J. N. Sanborn.

A. M. Peterson has filed a lien of \$50 on the new N. P. shop buildings, yards, etc., for a claim of \$50, which he claims the contractors, Butler & Ryan, owe him for labor performed thereon.

Dr. Hemstead expressed a belief that Moses E. Clapp has the best of the senatorial fight and would be elected. As the doctor is a democrat and not in the fight, his view is probably correct.

The party at Walker Hall last Friday evening by the Twentieth Century Club, composed entirely of married people, was a most successful occasion, all present enjoying themselves immensely.

A full page picture of A. E. Frost, formerly of this city, adorns the front page of the January number of the Speaking Leaf, a new monthly publication of St. Paul in the interests of the Improved Order of Redmen. Mr. Frost is the Supreme Representative of Minnesota to the supreme council.

H. J. Spencer, register of deeds, has submitted a report of the fees collected by his office the past year, as required by law. According to the report his aggregated the past sum of \$2,135. The year previous the fees were \$1,622.25, making a very handsome increase for this year.

Aside from the office of sheriff it was, probably, the best paying office in the county.

Alvin Age: Henry Wise and Melvin Peters, who claim Brainerd as their home, are boarding at the Hotel de Newstrom this week. They were arrested here Sunday for stealing some jewelry from the news agent on the early morning passenger train. The young men were arraigned before Justice Harrison Monday morning and the case was continued until Jan. 22.

A meeting of the Public Library Association was held on Monday evening and it was decided to hold the Second annual ball of the association in Gardner Hall in the near future. During the past year, the library reached an enormous circulation of 15,000 volumes, and the proceeds of this ball will be used for the purchase of new books, of which they stand greatly in need. Such figures, which, considering the size of the library, cannot be duplicated in the state of Minnesota, show the library to be a public institution worthy of the support of every reader in the city. Go, and help the library along. Tickets \$1.

PERTINENT PERSONAL NOTES.

W. K. Seelye went to Minneapolis on Tuesday. Mrs. W. G. Cameron, of Staples, is in the city.

A. E. Mosberg was in Minneapolis the first of the week. Mrs. C. E. Willson went to St. Paul yesterday noon.

Attorney P. J. Murphy went to Minneapolis on Monday noon. Mike Colles, of Staples, was in the city on Monday and Tuesday.

Postmaster Ingersoll is in St. Paul watching the senatorial fight. G. W. Massy, the Little Falls insurance man, was in the city the first of the week.

Dr. Thabes went to Ft. Ripley yesterday to investigate a supposed case of small-pox.

Hon. A. F. Ferris, Hon. W. Hemstead and G. H. Spear came up from their legislative duties on Friday and returned on Monday.

Wadsworth Tribune: Rev. J. H. Muehlenhaus goes to Brainerd tomorrow to conduct quarterly meetings. He will remain over Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Gennell is enjoying a visit from an old school mate, Mrs. Alice Berlinggett, of St. Joseph, Mo., who arrived in the city yesterday.

G. H. Coughlin, at one time a resident at Brainerd, and for several years superintendent of music in the St. Paul schools, was in the city on Wednesday. He is now traveling for a Chicago music house.

Miss Cattie Blanchard, of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of Miss Clotilde McCullough for some days, returns home today in her father's private car. Miss Clotilde will accompany her, visiting for a few days in Minneapolis, and then go to Clinton, Iowa, to visit friends for some time.

Mrs. W. C. Smith and children left Brainerd on Tuesday for Moran Park, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Smith, who is now employed by Guthrie Bros., the railroad contractors, was in the city over Sunday and arranged for their removal. They have resided here for the past five years, and have made many warm friends who greatly regret their departure. Mr. Smith has property interests here that will require his return occasionally.

DEER

Miss Rae Campbell, of this city, daughter of Mrs. D. Campbell, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Hurd, in Minneapolis, on Saturday last, of cerebral cancer, aged 29 years. She has been afflicted for more than a year past, and went to her sister's in Minneapolis last summer to receive expert treatment in that city but failed to find relief and death ended her sufferings on Saturday. Her remains were brought to this city on Monday for interment. The funeral services occurred at the home of deceased's sister, Mrs. E. A. McKay, on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. A. H. Carver officiating. Deceased was a most estimable Christian lady, whose death will be deeply mourned by her many friends.

Her mother, Mrs. Campbell, two sisters, Mrs. A. E. McKay, of this city, and Mrs. Hurd, of Minneapolis, and a brother, Ed. Campbell, who resides in Washington, survive her. Mrs. McKay was summoned to her death bed in Minneapolis, on Saturday, and arrived in time to bid her a last farewell.

Theodore Stampf, aged 39 years, died at St. Joseph's Hospital late yesterday afternoon of appendicitis, and his remains were shipped to Roxbury, Wis., last night for burial. A wife and child survive him; the former being at his bedside when death came. She returned to Wisconsin with the remains.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Parker went to St. Paul on Saturday called there by the death of Mrs. Parker's sister, Mrs. E. L. Merrill, who died at six o'clock that evening of diabetes. Mrs. Merrill has frequently visited Mrs. Parker in this city, and had made many friends who will deeply regret her death. Mrs. Parker has the sympathy of the community in her affliction. Concerning Mrs. Merrill's death and burial the St. Paul Dispatch says:

The funeral of Mrs. Jeannette Ambrose Merrill, wife of E. E. Merrill, was held this afternoon from Mrs. Merrill's late home, 520 Hennepin avenue. Rev. Alexander McGregor, of the Park Congregational church, officiated. Mrs. Merrill has been sick about a year with diabetes, but her illness did not assume a serious form until Friday morning. Death ensued late Saturday. She is survived by her husband and two little daughters, Bertha and Lucia. Deceased was about 35 years of age and before her marriage was Miss Jeannette Ambrose Emerson. She was known to a large circle on St. Anthony Hill.

Morrison county will not assist in the building of a bridge across the Crow Wing near the mouth, but the \$500 appropriated by that county to assist in bridging the Crow Wing, will be expended on a bridge at Pillager. This was decided by Commissioner Sullivan, of Morrison, who had the matter of expending the money in his own hands, because if a bridge is built where desired by Brainerd merchants they will have to do it themselves. The bridge at Pillager will cost between \$2,000 and \$3,000, and the balance of the money will be raised by bonding the town for \$1,000 or \$1,500, and private contributions. This is the situation as explained by the Little Falls Transcript.

A lamp explosion in the kitchen of E. H. McCullough's residence on Monday evening called out the fire department, but their services were not needed, as Mr. McCullough extinguished the flames caused by the burning oil before the boys arrived. The damage was very small.

A camp of Modern Woodmen with 20 members was organized at Vioand, on Millie Falls lake, last Saturday evening, and a large delegation of Woodmen from this city attended. Among those who attended were: Thos. Canan, A. L. Hoffman, C. E. Peabody, C. A. Wilkins, Geo. Abbott, J. J. Cummings, B. D. Wilkins, O. P. Erickson, S. R. Adair and others. A very interesting trip is reported.

James Sullivan, a laborer employed by the contractors at the shops, was arrested and arraigned in municipal court on Wednesday charging by Adolph Witmer with robbing him of a \$20 gold piece in a Laurel street saloon. Witmer was arrested by the police as a drunk, but he was sober enough to inform the police that he had been robbed by Sullivan, and the latter was arrested and the gold coin found concealed in his hat. Sullivan's case was continued until 3 o'clock this afternoon. The charge against him is robbery in the second degree.

Hoffman negotiates chattel loans.

Little Falls Transcript: Chas. Beugnot, who was taken to the Brainerd hospital some time ago, had the misfortune to fall down stairs at the hospital and hurt his injured foot. Charley is having more than his share of bad luck.

The annual meeting of the directors of the N. P. Bank was held last Saturday and the old officers were re-elected as follows: Warner Hemstead, president; J. F. McEntin, vice president; H. D. Treghlaw, cashier, and W. H. Lineman, assistant cashier. The bank, under its new management, has enjoyed increased prosperity.

The first annual ball of the Elks will be held on February 16th, instead of the 14th, as announced last week, owing to a Masonic entertainment on the former date, and tickets of admission will be \$1.00. The various committees are hard at work and will make it as promised the social event of the season.

Since the above was put in type the Masons have evinced a desire to give way to the Elks, and the ball will be held on Feb. 14th, (Valentine's day) as first announced.

Genuine Rocky Mountain Tea is never sold in bulk by peddlers or less than 25c. Don't be fooled, get the tea made famous by the Madison Medicine Co. McFadden Drug Co.

Mrs. Middleton, who has been in our city for some time, representing the Vienna company, has secured the services of Mrs. Butterfield, of Minneapolis, who will give a course of lectures on "Health" and the diseases of women. The first lecture will be given in the M. E. church on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Butterfield understands her subject thoroughly and is a very pleasing speaker. Let all the ladies turn out and give her a full house. Admission free.

Wm. Hoy, the Fifth street saloon keeper, was arrested on Saturday last, on complaint of Frank Stevens, a lumberman, charged with stealing a railroad ticket from Walker to Bemidji from the latter. His hearing occurred on Tuesday, and the case was dismissed on motion of the county attorney. Stevens owed Hoy \$1.00 and the latter snatched the ticket from him to get his pay.

Special bargains in shoes. See ad. R. F. Walters, Big shoe store, 6th street.

Shown to Adams. The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only at Major's Drug Co.'s and H. F. Dunn & Co's.

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