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This Week's Advertisements.

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For State Auditor, O. P. WHITCOMBE, of Olmsted. For Clerk of the Supreme Court, SHERWOOD HOUGH, of Ramsey. For President, U. S. GRANT. For Vice President, HENRY WILSON.

OUR CANDIDATES.

It is our pride and glory to-day to hoist to the mast head of the TRIBUNE the candidates of the Republican Union Party of the nation...

A MONSTER MANUFACTORY. A character for enterprise induces its like, and it is only a natural consequence that it is our pleasure to-day to announce that early next week ground will be broken on Laurel street...

THE RICE POINT FINE.—The fire of Shoemaker & Bryant's Rice Point Machine and Car Building Works, on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, was more serious than we imagined.

MULE MEAT. A supply of mule meat was dished up for the nomads in the vicinity of Detroit Lake on Monday.

DULUTH SAVINGS BANK. Our readers will see elsewhere an advertisement of the Duluth Savings Bank...

GENERAL U. S. GRANT RENOMINATED FOR PRESIDENT.

The long looked for Philadelphia Convention was organized on Wednesday the 5th of June as per previous announcement.

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New York Headquarters, 120 Broadway; Minnesota Headquarters at Brainerd, Minn. President—Hon. J. Gregory Smith. Vice-President—Judge Rice. Secretary—Samuel Wilkinson. Treasurer—A. H. Barney. Chief Engineer—W. M. Roberts. Assistant Chief Engineer—D. C. Linsley. General Manager—Chas. W. Mead. Superintendent—C. T. Hobart. General Freight Agent—R. W. Chase. Land Commissioner—John S. Loomis. Districting Agent—Geo. P. Lee. Superintendent of Machinery—G. W. Cushing.

PRESIDENT GRANT'S POLICY.

I would sum up the policy of the Administration to be the thorough enforcement of every law; a faithful collection of every tax provided for; economy in the disbursement of the same; a prompt payment of every debt; a reduction of taxes as rapidly as the requirements of the country will admit; reduction of taxation and tariff to be so arranged as to afford relief to the greatest number; honest and fair dealings with all other peoples to the end that war, with all its blighting consequences, may be avoided, but without surrendering any right or obligation due to us; a reform in the treatment of the Indians, and the whole civil service of the country; and, finally, in securing a pure and untrammelled ballot where every man entitled to vote may do so just once at each election without fear of molestation or proscription on account of his politics, faith, nativity or color.

U. S. GRANT.

THEN AND NOW.

The enemies of President Grant, who have put Greeley forward as their representative and their embodiment of what a President should be, are commended to the careful study of the following terse and emphatic utterances of Horace on the 5th of January, 1871, which occurred in a speech at the reorganization of the Republican Committee of New York:

As to the administration of General Grant I recognize no one as a Republican who is not grateful for his judicious, successful, energetic and patriotic administration of the Fifteenth amendment, that keystone of our political arch, whereby the fruits of our great triumph over the rebellion and slavery are assured and perpetuated.

While asserting the right of every Republican to his untrammelled choice of a candidate for next President until a nomination is made, I venture to suggest that General Grant will be far better qualified for that momentous trust in 1872 than he was in 1868. Such gentlemen, are the ideas and convictions which have impelled me to take my place among you, and accept the responsibility which you have imposed upon me.

In the banking house of Coutts & Co., London, none but college educated men find positions as clerks.—They must pass the most rigid examination. After a clerk is admitted, he is requested to wear side whiskers, without a moustache, and dress simply, but elegantly. Miss Burdett Coutts delights in making everything as pleasant as possible for those connected with the bank, and has, at her own expense, provided daily lunch for the clerks, to be served in the bank. Of the famous people and nobility banking there, of course, Queen Victoria comes first.—Her pass book is a superb affair, inlaid with gold. It is the duty of one clerk to attend to her account, and all the entries made in her book are in the most ornamental writing.

Mexico has an area of about one million square miles, with a population of about eight millions—5,000,000 of whom are Indians. The revenues of the country are less than fifteen million dollars. The last year of the Spanish rule it was \$91,000,000; under Benito Juarez, in 1861, it was \$11,000,000; and in 1864 it was \$16,000,000, against an expenditure of \$29,000,000. The present debt of Mexico is \$820,000,000. No principal of this debt is paid, and the only part of which any interest is paid is on about seven millions.

There seems to be a remarkable mortality among the old merchants of New York; just now, five of whom died last week, none of them possessed of less than a million dollars, while all had long occupied prominent places in commercial circles.

An Arkansas Judge advertises to marry a couple the first time for a quarter; subsequent marriage ceremonies, ten cents each.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

—George, a young son of Isaac West, was drowned at Hokab.

—An unmarried mother in St Paul killed her child on Sabbath and threw the body into a vault.

—"Never was there a better show for good crops of wheat in this section than now," says a Chaffield correspondent.

—The wedding of the daughter of Bishop Whipple, at Fairbault, last week was a very elegant affair.

—Wm. KoNnelly, living near Preston, caught a large catamount in a trap which he had set for other vermin.

—Sarato township voted a bonus of fifteen thousand dollars, Saturday, in aid of the Winona & Southwestern railroad.

—A daughter of Silas Lund, living about three miles from Spring Valley, committed suicide by hanging on Saturday the 24th ult.

—A fire at Owatonna destroyed the residence of J. W. Dresser, and the family had barely time to escape. Little or nothing was saved. Loss \$7,500; insurance \$4,000.

—Mr. M. Doud, of Dodge county, has set out one and one-half miles of willow outtings this spring, which he expects to grow into a good fence in a few years. A good investment.

—J. B. Clark, Esq., has set out this spring, an orchard of 1100 apple trees over Bears creek in East Rochester. He has put out as a wind-break for his orchard a belt of Lombardy poplars and other trees.

—A constant stream of emigration is passing through, if not into Rochester. We have seen fourteen springs in this latitude and have never seen as much emigration, so early in the season as we have seen during the present one.—Record

—Geo. Strach, of the 20th Infantry Band at Fort Snelling, made desperate efforts to commit suicide on Sabbath last. He cut his throat with a razor and also his wrists. He was laboring under delirium tremens at the time.

—On Thursday, the 2d ult., the residence of J. W. Dresser, of Owatonna, with most of the contents, was destroyed by fire. The family, who were sleeping in the upper portion of the building, had barely time to escape, so rapidly did the flames spread. Loss \$7,500, insurance \$4,000.

—On Tuesday last week, Miss Jennie W., daughter of Bishop Whipple, was married at Fairbault to Mr. H. A. Scammett, of Uniontown, Pa. The wedding was quite an elegant affair. The ceremony was performed by the Bishop, and the young couple started on the evening train the same day for the East.

—The Monticello Times says a little child of John E. Allen, of Buffalo, thrust its arms up to the elbows into a kettle of hot water and was so badly scalded that it died the next day.—L. McDonald, of Osego, fired three shots at a man named Emery, one of which inflicted a wound, not serious, in the arm. Cause, jealousy.

—Mr. J. H. Davis, of Mankato, purchased a few days since of David Freer of Fairbault county, a pair of beef cattle which weighed 3,700 pounds. The price paid was 50cts. per pound, netting Mr. Freer the sum of \$185 for his cattle. It pays to raise good stock every time.

—The Minneapolis Linsseed Oil Company have manufactured since 1871, 75,000 gallons of oil, consuming 88,000 bushels of seed. The company has distributed among the farmers throughout the State for this year—sowing, 14,000 bushels of seed, and should the season prove favorable, they hope next fall to realize therefrom 140,000 bushels.

—A novel wedding took place at Plainview the other day, the parties being Mr. S. O. Seymour and Miss M. Watson. The ceremony was performed in a dancing hall, the floor of which was filled for dancing except one set. Then the to be made happy couple, followed by three newly married couples stepped forward, and formed the lacking set. Rev. Mr. Bowditch stepped into the center of the circle, and performed the ceremony, the music struck up, and the dance went forward as if nothing had happened. Plainview for style, take the lead.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

—The weather in England is favorable for the crops.

—A dispatch from Trieste announces the death in that city of Chas. Lever, the Irish novelist, aged 62.

—It is believed that the British ship John Tomparry, from Baltimore to London, has foundered with her entire crew.

—The Dominion House of Commons has passed the bill authorizing the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

—David Crum, of Keokuk, Iowa, heir to \$200,000, died in the calaboose lately of intemperance.

—The ruins of Fort Sumter will shortly be removed, and a new fort constructed on the site.

—George Armstrong, of Tremont N. J., received forty days in the county jail for trying to hang his wife, Cheap enough.

—There are but three farms in Massachusetts having over 1,000 acres of land—one of them is in Bristol, one in Dukes and one in Norfolk county.

—The reduction of the public debt during the month of May was about \$7,000,000 less than last month, on account of money expended by the pension bureau.

—The oldest Postmaster in the United States is John Seiberling, of Lynnville, Lehigh county, Pa., who has held his office continuously since Feb. 2, 1820—fifty-two years and a quarter.

—The British army, exclusive of commissioned officers, contains 117,678 men, of whom 117,701 are English 44,072 Irish, and 15,885 Scotch. The proportion of Irish is very large in the infantry regiments of the line.

—Ex-President Andrew Johnson is in Washington, to testify before the House Committee on military affairs relative to the missing Buell military commission documents. He says he knows nothing about them.

—English journals express a very high estimate of the character of Prince Arthur, one of the younger sons of Queen Victoria. He is said to resemble the Prince Consort in the earnestness of his views and the solidity of his character more than any of his brothers who have yet come before the public.

—A dispatch from Gen. Howard states that at a council held with Mexicans, Papagues, Prios and Apaches, peace has been agreed upon, the Indians agreeing to stop further raids and aid Gen. Crook in capturing incorrigible Indians. Gen Howard says success now appears sure.

—Peria—the name that once called up visions gorgeous and rich—is still suffering from the terrible famine which has raged so long. Business has been almost entirely given up, and the country is fast becoming depopulated. Of the comparatively few remaining, not a twentieth part can be fed by home produce, and unless outside aid is rendered the suffering will be unprecedented. England sends a ship-load of supplies this month, and other countries will follow her example. Let the United States go to work and give generously.

—The London newspapers have been congratulating themselves and the public on the fact that the British national debt has been reduced within the past three years by sixty million dollars. But Sir John Lubbeck, M. P., pricks this bubble. Some thirty million dollars of this sum, he says, was only a transfer from the chancery and bankrupt funds, so that the real reduction has been only thirty millions, or ten millions a year. The government must this year borrow seventeen and a half millions, so that the debt of Great Britain is only twelve and one half millions less than it was three years ago. During the same period the national debt of the United States has been reduced about three hundred and seventeen millions of dollars. If anything could prove the ability and frugality of the government in the administration of the national finances, it is to be found in these figures.

—Old boots and shoes are now out on small pieces, and put into chloride of sulphur for a few days. This makes the leather hard and brittle, and after it has been washed and thoroughly dried, it is ground to powder and mixed with a sort of gum or glue. It is pressed into moulds, and buttons, knife handles, and similar articles are the result.

"THEY SAY."

"They say." A more sneaking cowardly, scoundrel liar than "They say," does not exist. That personage is a universal scape-goat for personal gossip, envy, spite, and malice; without form of flesh and blood, when evoked, and yet stalking bodily in every community. The character is a myth, and yet real; intangible, and yet clenching its victim with remorseless power. It is unseen, and from an exhaustless quiver wings its poisoned arrows from day to day. And no mail is proof; no character, position or sex escapes; no sanctuary is too sacred; no home is bulwarked against its assaults. When one base heart wishes to assail some person's character, "They say" is always invoked. That is the assassin who strikes in the cloud; the Thug who haunts the footsteps of the offender, tortures from careless word or deed, an excuse for the stiletto. Men dare not always reveal their own feelings. With smiles and pretended friendship, they present the venomous shaft as coming from "They say." Be sure, reader, that when some villainous tale is told you and the relation cannot give an author more tangible than "They say" for the slander is the creation of the heart by your side, reeking with the poison of envy and hatred, and earnest with a wish to have the falsehoods of "They say" bud into reality and become current coin in the community.

THE "TROPHY"

As a number of our readers in this vicinity have planted the Trophy tomato, the following paragraphs from a correspondent of the N. Y. Tribune may be of interest:

"With the writer the Trophy holds the same position for home use that the Smooth Round Red does for market purposes. The Trophy is by far the best table tomato every introduced. For garden culture it has only one fault, and that is its tendency to "sport." It is to be regretted that Col. Waring sent it out before this tendency was cured.

"The plant is vigorous in habits of growth, prolific in bearing, producing a large yield of remarkable large tomatoes, which are superior in quality. Under the same treatment for the past two years the Trophy is two weeks later than the Smooth Round Red. This fact, coupled with the very large size of the tomatoes, are objections against it for a market variety.

"The first would deter the gardener on account of losing the highest price, and the last is the complaint of the hucksters, who says the Trophy is too large for 'small measures.' "These objections amount to nothing for garden culture, and those who are fond of tomatoes will find the Trophy of a very superior quality. For a late crop seeds may be sown as late as the 20th of May in open border and transplanted in July, four feet apart each way."

OLD MAIDS.

A quaint and gallant writer of some fifty years ago, says:—"I love an old maid—I do not speak of an individual, but of the species—I use the singular number, as speaking of a singularity in humanity. An old maid is not merely an antiquarian, she is an antiquity; not merely a record of the past but the very past itself, she has escaped a great change, and sympathizes not in the ordinary mutations of mortality. She inhabits a little eternity of her own. She is Miss from the beginning of the chapter to the end. I do not like to hear them called Mistresses, as is sometimes the practice, for that looks and sounds like the resignation of despair, a voluntary extinction of hope. I do not know whether marriages are made in heaven; some people say they are, but I am almost sure that which is not of the earth, earthy. They are spectators of the world, not adventurers nor ramblers; perhaps guardians; we say nothing of talismans. They are evidently predestinated to be what they are. They owe not the singularity of their condition to any lack of beauty, wisdom, wit, or good temper; there is no accounting for it but on the principle of fatality. I have known many old maids, and of them all not one that has not possessed as many good and amiable qualities as ninety and nine out of a hundred of my married acquaintances. Why, then, are they single? It is their fate!"

HO RA.

HO RA is dying as well as the year, And mine is the end, sweetest, bid To smooth her pillow and sit by her side, And tell what her soft eyes seek. The tresses over my fingers glide As I braid her long brown hair, And twice it around her gleefully flows, Ere the death damps settle there. HO RA is dying—be leaving the world— Is passing out to the night, The one brief night that lies between us And the more of eternal light. HO RA is dying, but I am calm, I will singy let her go— It is not best all women should live, God and the angels know. Some women must suffer, some women must weep And 'tis better that they should die Than harrow the hearts of those they love, With a breaking heart's long cry. HO RA is dead, as well as the year, Silent and white she lies, And the beautiful light of her beautiful soul Has gone from her beautiful eyes. Close them gently, and press a last kiss On her lips, O heart of despair, Then leave me alone to twine the white flowers In the braid of her long brown hair. And let them bring me her bridal dress, HO RA is dead, and yet I am calm, I will singy let her go, It is not best all women should live, God and the angels know. (The Evening Post publishes the above poem, with a paragraph stating that it was received with a note not from the author, informing us that it was written "as a dirge for a friend—a young, gifted and highly cultivated woman—who, after a long struggle with poverty and wasting sickness, just as she had found shelter in a loving, manly heart, died on New Year's eve, and on New Year's Day, 1866, lay dead in her bridal robes in the chapel of the New York University.)

—The balance of trade between this country and England is at the present decidedly so. A late London Economist enumerates the leading articles of export to the United States, showing that on twenty-two articles the increase has been, in the first four months of this year, more than three and a third millions of pounds in value. On the other hand, in the imports of cotton and breadstuffs, the articles which we sell most largely to England, the decrease has been more than three quarters of a million of pounds, making a difference at both ends of more than ten millions of pounds, or fifty million dollars. "Meanwhile," says the Economist, "we have not received from America our last year's supply of bullion," and it confidently looks for a considerable quantity of gold very soon. It is probable that our merchants, who have begun to pay up for their purchases in England and by extensive shipments of specie, will have to continue this mode of liquidation for some time to come.

"Well, Sambo, is your master a good farmer?" "O yes, he is very good farmer; he make two crops in one year." "How is that, Sambo?" "Why, he sell all his hay in de Fall, 'and makes money once; den in de Spring he sell all de hide ob de outle dat die for de lack ob hay, and makes money twice."

BISHOP & MARTIN, Front Street, BRAINERD, MINN., Dealers in Family Groceries & Provisions, LIQUORS, CIGARS, SHIRTS, SOCKS, TRAPS, NOTIONS, &c., &c. Country Produce Bought and Sold. St. Paul Prices paid for FURS, FEATHERS, and other productions incident to this region bought at highest market price. Goods sold cheap for cash. MEAT MARKET, MARTIN & CO., Proprietors, Fourth Street, BRAINERD, MINN. Hotels, families and others, furnished with the choicest meats of every kind; a full supply always on hand, and for sale in quantities to suit purchasers, at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. Come and see. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Brainerd, Feb. 18, 1873.

J. P. DUNN, DRUGGIST, DEALER IN Drugs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Glass, &c., &c. CORNER FIFTH AND FRONT STREETS, BRAINERD, MINN.

MILT ASKEW'S BILLIARD HALL, Front Street, Brainerd, Minn. This Billiard Hall is furnished with Brunswick's Champion Tables, and is elegantly fitted up throughout, for the entertainment of the public. At the bar may be found the choicest Wines, Liquors & Cigars to be found West of Chicago. Call and see.

City Restaurant! FRONT STREET, BRAINERD, MINN. DENNIS McHANNAY, Prop. The City Restaurant has been thoroughly outfitted through-out and no pains will be spared TO MAKE GUESTS COMFORTABLE. Conveniently situated to Business. Tables furnished with The Best the Market Offers. Meals at all hours, and board by the week at reasonable rates.

SAINT PAUL HOUSE, BRAINERD, MINNESOTA. P. GREENE, Proprietor. This house is finely situated, and is a thorough repair. GUESTS WELL CARED FOR. Tables furnished with all delicacies the market affords. Convenient to Business. Prices moderate.

Office: P. Russell & Co., 49 Park Row, New York...

County Officers.

- The following are the County Officers of Crow Wing county...

Wallace Beane, chairman, F. W. Peake, M. C. Kimberty, Surveyor, Brainerd...

THE OLD-TIME PONY EXPRESS OF THE GREAT PLAINS.

BY MARK TWAIN.

However, in a little while, all interest was taken up in stretching our necks and watching for the "pony-rider"...

There was no idling time for a pony-rider on duty. He rode forty miles without stopping...

Both rider and horse went flying tight. The rider's dress was thin and fitted close; he wore a "roundabout"...

The stage coach traveled about a hundred to a hundred and twenty-five miles a day...

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neck is stretched further, and every eye strained wider. Away across the endless dead level of the prairie a speck appears against the sky...

Well, I should think so! In a second or two it becomes a horse and rider rising and falling—sweeping nearer and nearer—growing more and more defined—nearer, and nearer...

And man and horse burst past our excited faces, and go winging away like a flash of unreal fancy...

EXPERIENCES OF AN INVENTOR.

About forty years ago, Mr. Dixon invented a process, which is now called zineography. He could take a bank-note or a written letter, and by transferring it to the smooth surface of a zinc-plate...

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NOTES ON THE PEACE JUBILEE.

The International Peace Jubilee, which has created so much comment and which among musicians, is to commence in Boston on the 17th of June...

The building of the Jubilee Coliseum is going on as if by magic. Over seven hundred carpenters are at work...

Arrangements have been made by Mr. Gilmore with Maj. D. H. Follett, of the artillery battalion for the cannon likely to be needed at the Jubilee...

Mr. W. Kierross, under the direction of Mr. Gilmore, has engaged all the operatic chorists in America—Italian, German, English and French—some two hundred in number...

An experienced grocer in Kalamazoo, who has watched the manoeuvres and strategy of rats for many seasons, solves the problem of how rats carry eggs...

Half the ills we heard within our hearts are ill because we heard them.

The ruin of some men dates from some little hour. Occupation is an armor to the soul.

An industry proffers for their better than by giving them a fortune.

An Inebriate Democrat was dining at the Ives House the other day. "Beef, pork, mutton, veal or chicken," said the polite waiter...

It is said that lettuce seed scattered on the cucumber hills at the time of planting will prevent the ravages of the yellow bug...

TRAPPING SQUASH BUGS.—A gardener thus tells how he traps squash bugs and the striped bugs infesting cucumbers...

FRIED HOMOIN.—Take boiled hominy, hot or cold. If cold warm it. Add a decoction of butter, a little salt, half a pint of cream...

SPONGE GINGERBREAD.—Take two cups of molasses, one of milk, two tablespoons of melted butter...

The London Times places the number of cattle in Great Britain, annually available for the butcher, at 2,386,000 and sheep at 11,038,000.

THE CULTIVATION OF CORN.

A correspondent of the American Rural Rochester, gives the following directions in regard to raising corn:

For the benefit of young farmers, I wish to give a statement of some important facts, learned by long experience and observation in raising corn...

I doubt if much is gained but for cross-plowing for a corn crop. If the seed is sown in April or May (the latter the better), provided the planting is done by May 20th...

Use the double-shovel plow, or cultivator and keep them going. Don't stop to hoe but plow.

Never use fodder by topping corn, but cut it below the ear. I commenced topping the first corn that I ever raised...

THE TIME TO BREAK SOIL.

That any one should prefer fall breaking is astonishing indeed. Breaking done before the grass is up will grow up soon...

GRAIN FOR HORSES.

It is generally considered that oats make the best feed for horses, but it is not the cheapest. Corn and barley are used in the West more corn is used to feed farm horses than oats...

TRAPPING OUT WORMS.—It is very annoying after having set out a nice lot of sweet potato or cabbage plants...

At Minneapolis, trains to Chicago from St. Paul, via Chicago, St. Louis, and New Orleans...

A SUCCESS!

Call and see the New "Davis" Vertical Feed Sewing Machine.

Live Agents wanted in Northern Minnesota, to whom unparalleled inducements will be offered.

We have the Simplest Machine in the world.

GILDS & MULFORD, State Agents, 216, Third Street, St. Paul.

Railroad Time Tables.

[Explanatory text regarding time tables and publication corrections]

The First Division of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad

1872. SUMMER TIME TABLE. 1872. To take effect on and after Monday, April 29th, 1872.

MAIN LINE.

Table with columns for GOING WEST and GOING EAST, listing stations like St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, and arrival/departure times.

ST. PAUL & LITFORD FIELD TRAIN.

GOING WEST. GOING EAST. Lists times for St. Paul, St. Anthony, Minneapolis, Duluth.

BRANCH LINE.

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Passengers must get their baggage checked before the train starts. The Company will not be responsible for the safety of any baggage after it is checked.

E. Q. SEWELL, Superintendent. J. H. RANDALL, General Ticket Agent.

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Direct Route to Stillwater, Duluth, Northern Pacific Railroad, and Minneapolis, St. Paul, and Chicago.

At Minneapolis, trains to Chicago from St. Paul, via Chicago, St. Louis, and New Orleans.

At Chicago, stage to Union, America and Glenora. At Stillwater, stage to Hudson and points on St. Croix River.

At Wyoming, stage to Chicago City and Taylor Falls. At North Branch, stage for Searles City, Carver, and Grand Island.

At St. Paul, stage for Brainerd. At Pine City, stage for Brainerd. At Duluth, stage to Superior and Bayfield.

At Duluth, stage to Superior and Bayfield. On and after Monday, April 29th, 1872, Trains will run daily, (Sundays excepted) as follows:

St. Paul Division Trains. Lists times for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Stillwater, and Carver.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

On and after February 12th, 1872, at 1 o'clock a.m. trains will move according to the following time-table, until further notice:

Table with columns for GOING WEST and GOING EAST, listing stations like Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and arrival/departure times.

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ALL RAIL LINE FOR MILWAUKEE, CHICAGO, NEW YORK, NEW ENGLAND AND THE CANADIAN.

Including all Eastern, Southern, and Southwestern points. Trains leave St. Paul depot, foot of Robert street, at 10:00 a.m.

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and connecting with the S. & P. M. trains in Chicago on all Pacific Coast routes.

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The best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars always on hand, and in fact everything usually kept in a first-class saloon.

TO CALL AND SEE ME.

W. B. ALEXANDER, Gen. Ticket Agent.

N. P. R. R.—Pacific Division. The following vessels discharged their cargoes of iron for the N. P. R. R. on the coast during the last week of May:

Table with columns for ship name, tonnage, and date. Includes Ship Annie E. Small (1400 tons), Bark Corea (774), Bark Zonave (1000), Enos Smithe (225), Nimbus (280), Bridgewater (160), Colorado (160), Asa Elvridge (250), Lady Blessington (200).

This makes an aggregate of 5140 tons—sufficient for sixty miles of track. The Kalama (Washington Territory) Beacon says: On the eastern section of the Pacific Division, in the line from the mouth of Palouse, to Pen d'Oreille lake, Spokane Bridge and Lake Chelan, Separation is making for an active railroad campaign this summer.

In Kalama, the company car shop is well advanced toward completion. The roof is shingled, and siding, flooring, etc., is all in rapid state of progress, under the supervision of Mr. D. W. Treat, who is hurrying to finish before he is invaded by the inevitable June flood, which makes its advent from the first to the tenth.

When finished, the car manufactory, with its machine shops, will be a structure 325 feet long. The raising of grade in front of town along the river bank, in charge of H. C. Hale, Resident Engineer, is going on as fast as the section force can put away the sand and gravel.

Shannon's blasting train has reached this side of Carroll's, where it has considerable work, and cannot get over the road very fast; but he calculates to be into town before the inundation arrives. He has the two large passenger locomotives with between thirty and forty platform cars.

On Montgomery's ten mile extension there is now an aggregate force of 382 men, and every department of grading, bridge work, rock cut, pile driving, etc., is going on at a satisfactory rate. For white labor, the price along the line, 10th on company and contract work, is \$2.25 in coin per day; teamsters on the grade at the front, employed with carts and scrapers, receive \$2.50 in coin.

Parlett advertises for 500 more lands on his thirty mile contract towards Olympia.

Get Your News FROM DULUTH!

The Duluth Daily Tribune, a handsome and wide-awake Republican journal, largely devoted to the development, and to the news of the region along the line of the Northern Pacific, and containing the regular Associated Press Despatches, reaches Brainerd on the day of its publication, furnishing the people thereof with the telegraphic news 24 HOURS AHEAD of the St. Paul dailies, which renders it emphatically THE PAPER FOR BRAINERD.

Terms, 1 year \$7.00, 6 mos. 3.50, 3 mos. 1.75, 1 week .60. Address: MITCHELL & REES, Duluth, Minn.

P. S.—The Tribune is kept for sale in Brainerd at the news depot of J. P. Dunn.

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House and Sign Painting and Graining. Work done in first class style and with promptness. Shop corner Front and Fourth Streets.

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Special Attention Given to Paying Taxes, and Land Commission Business in the counties of Crow Wing, Cass, Wadena, Itasca, and Aiken.

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Low Prices Guaranteed. We do business on a strictly cash system, and persons desiring of making close bargains will find it to their advantage to call and see us before purchasing elsewhere.

HOTELS. Scottie House, Corner Fifth and S. Laurel streets, Brainerd, Minn. This is a large, new, and well furnished house, and the traveling public will find the "Scottie" a pleasant and comfortable stopping place, centrally located. Stages arrive and depart daily from this house. SCOTTIE & AYLMER, n1-ly

Hotel Sven, Corner Laurel St., and Broadway, BRAINERD, MINN. Wick & Mahlum, Proprietors. This hotel is the finest in the city, and is beautifully located, with an abundance of water, and good stabling on the premises. Everything new, convenient and comfortable. Charges moderate. The public cordially invited to call. 8-ly

American House, This House has recently been fitted out and remodeled and is now open for the accommodation of The Traveling Public and Transient Custom. Attached to the "AMERICAS" is a good Billiard Table, while at the Bar may be found the CHOICEST WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS, AND BEST LAGER BEER. n1-ly E. U. RUSSELL.

Globe Hotel, and Oyster Saloon. N. R. BROWN, Proprietor. Corner Laurel and Fourth Streets, Brainerd, Minn. The "Globe," is well located, and guests will receive every attention necessary to their comfort. TERMS MODERATE.

Pine Restaurant, Front St., Brainerd Minn. W. M. FALCONER, Proprietor. First Class Accommodations in the Restaurant Line.

Tables furnished with all the Good things incident to the season, and courteous attention paid to guests. MEALS AT ALL HOURS, And regular Board and Lodging furnished when desired, AT REASONABLE RATES.

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Northwestern Hotel. L. B. COMBS, Prop'r. Brainerd. West Front Street. This is a new and finely furnished house, located in a pleasant and quiet part of town. The tables are always furnished with the best of the season. Rooms fitted up with every convenience, and good beds.

The traveling public will find the "Northwestern" a good place to stop. TERMS MODERATE. Eating House AND Confectionery. N. P. JUNCTION. J. M. SMITH, Prop.

"Square Meals" at all hours and at moderate prices. Fruits and Confections, Newspapers and Periodicals. At the Post-office, just north of Depot. Railroad travelers, and others, please take notice. n8-ly

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FIRST class work and courteous attention to customers. Charges reasonable. I have the finest furnished saloon on the line of the N. P. Railroad, and a beautiful show case, containing Hair Dyes, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, Toilet articles, Collars, Ties, Cigars, and all the novelties incident to my trade. Ladies supplied at short notice and best rates. Ladies can leave orders at my shop for all kinds of hair work. Remember I keep with me the Old Pioneer Barber, Mr. Theo. Smith. Don't forget to call at the "O. K." See the sign. n11

First Class Hair Dressing, Shaving and Shampooing Saloon, Newly Opened. Having long experience in my line of business I guarantee promptness and satisfaction to all my customers and patrons.

Special attention given to shapering and setting razors. Charges reasonable. Shop on Front street, next door west of Mr. Holland's Law Office. n8-ly HENRY DRESSEN, Prop'r.

Fashionable BARBER SHOP. NELSON AYLER, Proprietor, Front street, first door east of Bishop & Martin's stores. Shaving, Hair cutting and Dying in the highest style of the art. n1-ly

Enos M. Briggs, Fashionable Boot and Shoe Maker, FRONT ST., (north side) BRAINERD. Boots and Shoes made in No. 1 Style, and Warranted. Sewed Boots, only \$13 00. Pegged Boots, only 10 00. All other work proportionately cheap. All kinds of Repairing done neatly and promptly.

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The Bonds, which after full investigation, we strongly recommend as a reliable and especially profitable investment, and which now stand among the most solid and favorite securities, have the following leading features:

1. The issue is limited to \$50,000,000 per mile of road; holders are exempt from United States tax; the Principal and Interest are payable in Gold—the Principal in thirty years, and the interest (at the Banking House of Jay Cooke & Co., New York City) semi-annually, first of January and July, at the rate of 7-10 per cent. per annum—nearly 8 1-4 per cent. currency. Denominations: Coupon, \$100, \$500 and \$1000; Registered, \$100, \$500, \$1000, \$5000 and \$10,000. Present selling price, PAR. AS ACCREDITED INVESTMENT BY CURRENCY.

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3. They are at all times receivable at PAR. They are also receivable in payment of Government bonds or temporarily in the payment of interest thereon, if necessary. This provision will make the Railroad Company itself a constant and heavy purchaser of its own securities in the open market from the time the Road is completed until the bonds mature, or are all bought in. The effect of this will naturally be a steady rise in the value of the bonds.

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All marketable stocks and bonds will be received (by express or otherwise), at current prices in exchange for Northern Pacific seven-thirties, without expense to the investor. Pamphlets and full information will be furnished on application.

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