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AURORA LODGE, NO. 100, A. F. & A. M., Brainerd.
Special communications of this Lodge will be held on the 1st and 4th Fridays in each month.
Special Communications will be held on the 2d and 4th Fridays in each month.
The Lodge meets at half past 7, in the evening.
All M. M., in good standing are fraternally invited.
By order of the W. M.,
F. H. HARVEY, Secy.

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LAKE SUPERIOR AND MISSISSIPPI DIV.
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M. C. RUSSELL, Editor.

"Render Unto Cesar the Things that are Cesar's."

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
C. K. DAVIS, of Ramsey.
For Lieutenant-Governor,
A. BARTO, of Stearns.
For Secretary of State,
S. P. JENNISON, of Goodhue.
For Treasurer,
MONS GRENAGER, of Fillmore.
For Attorney General,
GEO. P. WILSON, of Winona.
For Judge, Seventh Judicial District,
JAMES M. McKELVY.

Legislative Ticket—30th District.

For Senator,
GEO. W. BENEDICT,
of Benton County.
For Representative,
M. C. RUSSELL,
of Crow Wing County.

A CALL.

Republican County Convention.

There will be a Republican County Convention, for the County of Crow Wing, Minn., held at Bly's Hall, Brainerd, on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10th, 1873, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following county offices, to wit:
Sheriff,
Clerk of the District Court,
Register of Deeds,
Two County Commissioners,
County Attorney,
Coroner.
The various voting precincts of the county will be entitled to representation in the Convention as follows—the basis being fixed at one delegate for each fifty voters or fraction thereof to wit:
First Ward, Brainerd, 5 delegates.
Second Ward, " 4 "
Third Ward, " 4 "
Crow Wing, 1 "
It is recommended that the several precincts hold their caucus at the usual place, on Thursday evening, the 9th of October, at 7:12 o'clock.
By order of Republican Central Committee for Crow Wing County,
H. G. COYKENDALL,
Chairman.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

The Democratic Convention for this 30th Legislative District, which met in Sauk Rapids on Monday last, nominated Hon. A. M. Fridley, of Sherburne County, for State Senator, and Moses Lafond, Esq., of Morrison county, for Representative. Both these gentlemen are worthy citizens of their respective localities, and we dare say will make a strong run. Our friend Lafond having been selected by his party as our political competitor, for the Legislature, we extend him the hand of good fellowship, and assure him that if he wins the race, we shall feel no dishonor in passing him our sword. Let the strife be one of the best of good feeling all around, and rest assured that the differences now existing between us will be properly decided by those most interested, on election day, let the victory fall upon whom it may.

WELL DONE.

At the Legislative District Convention held at Audubon on Tuesday, C. B. Jordan, of Wadena, and K. W. Mason, of Fergus Falls, were nominated Representatives to the Legislature. Mr. Mason we do not know, but we hear of him as being an excellent citizen and representative man. Mr. Jordan we know well, and he is well and favorably known throughout this section, and will, without doubt, command a giant vote in his District. Friend Jordan is a man in whom the people can place the utmost confidence; for he will be true to their interests, and has the pluck to fight for his rights. He is no two-faced man, either, but will make a bold legislator, on the true principle, "Be sure you are right, then go ahead." We congratulate Jordan upon the honors bestowed on, and in waiting for him, as we also congratulate the people of his District in their selection of two such worthy men to represent them in our next Legislature.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic State Convention held at St. Paul on Tuesday, after organizing, passed resolutions not to make any nominations, but instead, endorsed the Owatonna Ticket already in the field.

SEWING MACHINES.—Mr. E. Merkt,

on Fifth Street, besides having put in a stock of beautiful millinery goods, this week, has now the agency for this section of four of the leading sewing machines—the "Davis," Grover & Baker, "Domestic" and "Singer." All these machines are standard, and our people desiring machines, can now have these four styles to select from. He also keeps needles, extras, oils, silks, etc., for each kind. Call into his parlor and see them work, and look at the millinery goods, etc.

Go to A. A. White's for all kinds of Dry Wood. 19-ft.
Fresh Oysters at Trudell's Restaurant.

THE "CHICAGO TRIBUNE" AND THE NORTHERN PACIFIC—A FEW FACTS VERSUS A SCORE OF UNMOTIVATED FALSEHOODS.

The Chicago Tribune of the 19th has an editorial commenting upon the failure of Jay Cooke in the outstart, and which soon switches off on the past, present and future condition of the Northern Pacific Railroad, with elaborate comments on the character of the country and the climate of that part of the United States tributary to this road. We are unable to find words, in any language, of sufficient strength to convey our opinion of a newspaper that has become so debased and so lost to common decency as to go on and make comments and statements of so desperate a character, right in the face of a thousand facts to the contrary that must be perfectly familiar to the conductors of that journal. We can account for its madness and meanness in only two ways: its paid interest in some other western road and consequent jealousy of the grand country being opened up to settlement by the construction of the Northern Pacific, and because of the fact that it is being peopled by the best of citizens as fast as possible; and because, having proved recreant to its trust as a Republican newspaper, it was very justly read out of the party a year ago, and having ever since been sored with the acid of remorse, it loses no opportunity to malign the acts of Congress and the party—as in this instance concerning the act of Congress in conferring the Northern Pacific Land Grant; but in doing so it forgets consistency altogether. For, after repeating the "gross outrage perpetrated by Congress upon the people and country in donating 47,000,000 acres of the VALUABLE PUBLIC DOMAIN to the Northern Pacific enterprise," it goes on to say that "if the road should ever be completed, by hook or by crook, all those furnishing the \$36,000,000 required will receive in return, is 47,000,000 acres of BARREN, UNSALABLE land, as the road will never pay expenses even when completed" from lake to ocean. It says "the completed portion now consists of 600 miles of poorly constructed road." This is the first lie, and a mean lie it is too, for the fact is, no stretch of 600 miles of railroad west of Chicago is better or more substantially built, with easier grades and better curves; further, it is 25 per cent. the smoothest, solidest track we ever traveled over, west of Chicago, with the best and most comfortable rolling stock, and such a thing as accidents, of any character, is comparatively unknown. So much for that particular falsehood.

"Hundreds of poor, starving people, deceived into coming into this country, from Europe and elsewhere, by Northern Pacific Agents." This is lie No. 2, and is scarcely worthy of notice, from its sheer ridiculousness. Although two years has scarcely passed since the country between here and the Red River has been opened to settlement, there are now thousands of people snugly ensconced in comfortable homes, not one in a hundred of whom could be induced to sell for less than a good round price, and why? Because, without exception, they are all self-sustaining, even so soon, while those who have been there a second season have this year a fine surplus of grain and other products to sell; and this year, from here to the Red River, there will be shipped at least a million bushels of surplus grain to Duluth, where (and right here let the lying Tribune stick a peg) they will realize as much per bushel as they could in Chicago; and this fact, coupled with the unequalled fertility and productiveness of the country in question, will densely people the Northern Pacific country, over all other sections of the West, south of us, in spite of the combined efforts of all the journals of Illinois and Iowa to the contrary. The Northern Pacific, too, has heretofore, and we doubt not will continue for all time to come, to carry the products of the country tributary to it at a close margin, in order to give the producer the greatest advantages possible to realize largely on what he raises—an advantage not offered the "starving" farmers of Iowa and Illinois, by any means.

"The road is months in arrears, in the payment of its employees, and the workmen only remain because they are too penniless to get away." To this stupid lie, No. 3, we need only say, that the Company pays its employees, of every class, from one end of the road to the other, each month, every dollar due them. Hence, if they remain with the Company, it must be as a matter of choice, and not otherwise. Further, in every one of the operating departments of the line, there are none but first-class men employed, and men who would be sought after wherever they went.

"The interest on their bonds cannot be paid in future, save by the sale of new bonds." This statement needs confirmation in a sad degree, and after the Company proves unable to pay said interest when due and demanded, would be the most seeping time for

such an assertion. The interest will, no doubt, be fully provided for in ample time to meet all demands. The road will not pay when completed." The Company will, no doubt, be very thankful to the Tribune for this highly important prophecy, at so opportune a moment. Among men who know the general character of the country skirting this gigantic enterprise, and the available resources, it is believed that from the time the first train reaches Puget Sound, the local business alone will pay running expenses, and in two years thereafter the dividends will be highly satisfactory to all concerned. And further, that it will be the only and most paying trans-continental railway for several decades to come.

The Tribune goes on with a long article composed of assertions and appellations of which the foregoing are only specimen bricks, such as, "A bubble that can never be repeated in history," "Woeful condition of the Northern Pacific, owing to the failure of Jay Cooke & Co.," when the fact is, that the failure of that firm will not even stagger the Northern Pacific, nor materially impede its progress, completion, and final proud success.

"As desolate a waste and bleak a climate as is under the canopy of heaven," says the Tribune. To which we only answer, that during all last winter, when a dozen roads in Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois and Southern Minnesota were blockaded and dead for days and weeks at a time, the trains on the Northern Pacific failed to run its whole length but about three days, all told; and even this insignificant loss was caused only by the "great storm" that alone laid all the roads below here up for from one to three weeks. It cost \$30,000 more to keep a single little road open 35 miles long, in New Hampshire, last winter, than it did to clear the snow from the entire length of the Northern Pacific track. So far as the "desolate waste" goes, we will say that the country along the Northern Pacific, for fertility of soil, healthfulness, beauty, and natural advantages, can, and does compare with any equal extent of country in any portion of the civilized or uncivilized world, and so far as climate is concerned, it stands head and shoulders above any equal stretch, in anything near the same latitude, on this continent; and is far preferable, as a place of habitation, to almost any location we ever visited in all our travels east or west, north or south, when everything of any importance is considered.

NOTE.—We publish these answers to some of the grossly false statements of the Tribune, simply as an act of justice, and on the principle of "give the devil his due." And do so, too, as an individual citizen on the line of the Northern Pacific, with a desire that this great enterprise, (the success of which will be a pride to the nation) and the fine country it is developing, may be protected from the designing slanders of newspapers and men who have interests elsewhere that they fear may suffer if the Northern Pacific country gets its fair and merited proportion of immigration, and the enterprise meets with the success it is fairly entitled to.—Ed.

THE LOWER DEPTHS.—Mr. Ed. French, proprietor of the Le Bon Ton saloon, Laurel Street, on coming to his place Tuesday morning, found, to his surprise, two large lights of glass smashed out of his front—one in the door and one in the large window. This was an astonisher to start with; but what was his surprise upon looking through, at seeing the head and shoulders of a woman protruding from behind the bar, as she lay flat on the floor in an unconscious state of intoxication. He could scarcely believe his eyes; but upon opening the door and going in, he found it to be even so. There lay a middle-aged woman—perfectly dead drunk and helpless as a stick. It proved to be a woman who had been cooking at some of our hotels, and who was known to be an opium eater. We do not know her name, but we afterwards learned that a few days previous she had run out of opium, and not being able to get any, she had become almost deranged for want of some stimulant to take the place of it. It seems she must have become so wild from the want of it, that she took this means to satisfy the unnatural cravings of her appetite, and, upon getting into the saloon in this desperate manner, she drank so much that she fell almost in her tracks. The police carted her off to the jail, where, after many hours of stupor, she finally came out from the effects of her "awful drunk." Comment is unnecessary or uncalled for.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. D. F. Webster, late of Michigan, will preach at the Baptist Chapel to-morrow, (Sunday), morning and evening. Doors open to all—seats free.

QUESTION.—What department of the State Fair was Frank Dagget (642) on exhibition in?
FRANK OYSTERS at Trudell's Restaurant.

THE STATE FAIR.

The Fair came off very creditably at St. Paul, all departments being well filled, and thousands of visitors from all quarters were present. Of course, the display of the products of the Northern Pacific country were this year, as last, the great center of attraction in that line, and our grains and vegetables carried off the palm of victory over the products of many other sections of the country there represented.

THE PANIC.

Since our last issue, there has been a score or so more failures among the stock gamblers' institutions in the eastern cities, and to them alone belongs the credit(?) of the panic, and they alone, comparatively speaking, will be the sufferers. The collapse has been the direct result of rotten transactions in stocks, and what was a week ago considered a national disaster, is very likely to prove a national blessing.—There have been no failures in any legitimate line of business, and there is no likelihood that there will be any. The general prosperity of the country produces a universal confidence in the evanescence of the present flurry, and that the business of the country will be relieved by the recent catastrophe of an unwholesome and perilous element.

How's THIS!—Mr. Tru. Moore,

who lives ten miles west of here, near the old Hole-in-the-day farm, raised excellent crops this year. Among others he raised a large field of corn that was all ripe and ready to be ground into meal in just seventy-five days after it was planted. The usual time allotted to the maturity of corn, down in Illinois, the Egypt of America, is one hundred days. So, it will be seen that Northern Minnesota can discount Illinois twenty-five days in the production of its own staple product. This is accounted for in this way: In this latitude we have more daylight and sunshine than they have in Illinois. During mid-summer it gets light here at three o'clock in the morning, and is not dark till nine o'clock in the evening. Hence the rapid growth and maturity of all grains and other vegetables. All vegetables here are far superior in quality to those grown in Illinois, too, owing to the same causes.

THE ST. PAUL PRESS says as much as, that if we cannot understand the difference between tweedle-dee and tweedle-dum, we are destined to make a devilish small mark if elected to the Legislature—that we are not the man for the emergency. That is mighty bad, to say the least. Had we known that our "parts" were insufficient to make an average legislator, we should certainly have had common sense enough to refuse to become a candidate. It is the way with latter-day humanity, however, to get a little stuffed up with self-importance, and we presume that is what was the matter with us when we aspired to a seat in the next Minnesota Legislature. Still, we shall see what we shall see. IF the Press, in the OUTSTART, didn't apply the term "Potato Bugs" to the body of farmers composing the Patrons of Husbandry at large, and then, after seeing that this appellation "wouldn't work" very well, IF it didn't try to wriggle out of it by swearing it only meant the few old broken down politicians, when it said "Potato Bugs," why, then, the Press will be kind enough to write us down an ass, and we shall freely acknowledge that we did it a stupid injustice.

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THOS. P. CANTWELL.
RAIN.—On Tuesday night last this section was visited by a steady, hard rain, which lasted till Thursday. It was the "economical" storm, and was accompanied by "economical" gales of considerable severity. Although gloomy and cold, it was quite reliable, after so long a time of beautiful sunlight and balmy air—just by way of a change, you see.

RECEIVER FARLEY, accompanied by Engineer MORRIS, of the St. Paul & Pacific Railroad, were on a trip this week over the unfinished portions of the Pembina and Brainerd Branches. They came up from Brokenhead to Glynndon, and north of Glynndon, thence to Brainerd, and south to Sauk Rapids. Whether this official peak at the situation will complete the Brainerd Branch this fall, we are not informed. We rather guess it didn't, however.

THE NEW BELL.—The Congregational Society here have raised enough money to purchase a bell for their fine church building, and it is now on the way from Marietta, Ohio. The one ordered is an eight hundred pound bell, and a beautiful toned one, costing between four and five hundred dollars. This will be the first church bell put up in the city. When its mellow tones ring out through the pine groves, it will sound like Christian civilization, for a fact.

The St. Paul Press gives notice to the editor of the Brainerd Tribune that unless he will vilify the farmers' movement and slander the agriculturists 'he is decidedly not the man for this emergency,' and the Press will defeat his election to the House. How is that for party whip, Morris!—[Minneapolis Times.]

We take the Press's own idea, as asserted by it last winter, that though a paper may be a party paper, it does not follow that it cannot be an independent paper as well. That's us. As for "party whips," we neither fear nor respect them; and propose to say and do just as we please, so long as we feel that our position is right and just.

TEMPERANCE.

The temperance lecture that was to have taken place last Wednesday evening at the Baptist chapel, was postponed till next Friday evening at the same time and place. The cause of temperance has been taken hold of with commendable zeal, in Brainerd, and we are pleased to notice that much good is being wrought by the noble little band engaged in the work. We believe temperance to be the leading evil of the age; and those who will strive to stay its desolating work among men, deserve to be ranked as chiefs among human benefactors. The addresses next Friday will be delivered by Rev. Mr. Crist, and Hon. Chas. McCabe. Go and hear them.

At a County Convention of the Democrats of Crow Wing, held on Monday last, Jose Hare was elected delegate to the State Convention, and the County Committee appointed for the ensuing year, was Henry Drevin, Chairman, Jose Hare and T. C. Biss.

PERSONAL.—Col. Howard, of Chicago, and representing the Chicago Tribune, stopped over a day in Brainerd this week. The Colonel is a general gentleman, and can make an hour "red hot" with sociability. He went west as far as Bismarck, to look the thing over and write it up. Call some more, Colonel, when you pass this way.

We had the pleasure of a call from Mr. H. P. Robie, editor of the Pine City News, on Tuesday. Mr. R. was on his first visit to Brainerd, and was as astonished as he was pleased at the proportions of our beautiful city, the fine residences, and the evidences of thrift and refinement everywhere visible. Mr. Robie is a young man of culture, gets up a good paper, and we are much pleased at having made his acquaintance. Our latch string is always out for such men as friend Robie.

J. H. ROWELL, Esq., representing the Minneapolis Evening Times, dropped in upon us Thursday evening. Mr. R. was up looking over the situation, and "gathering" for the Times, which, by the way, is a very red-hot newspaper; and how could it be otherwise with Frank Mead at the bellows, to "blow" through its columns.

A GALA-DAY, or two, was enjoyed at Crow Wing last week, by a party of jolly cranberry buyers. They bought up all the cranberries they could see, and waked up the denizens of that ancient town with their juvenile gambolings in a most enjoyable manner.

NEW GOODS AT BLY'S.—E. H. Bly has been receiving his mammoth fall and winter stock of new goods the past week, and his gentlemanly assistants have now got them all on exhibition and sale. Dry goods, clothing, hats, caps, general supplies, and, in short, everything needed in a community, in wonderful profusion. A full line of all the fashionable dress goods, shawls, etc., for the ladies, making a sight as rare as it is beautiful. Let everybody call and fix themselves out for the coming cold snap. Prices on all goods just to suit the times and shrunken wallets.

NOTICE.—An adjourned meeting of the County Board of Commissioners, for the County of Crow Wing, will be held at the County Auditor's office, on Tuesday, Sept. 30, 1873, at 2 o'clock p. m., of which all interested will take the notice.
C. B. SKERRETT, W. M. FALCONE, Clerk, Ch'm Co. Board.

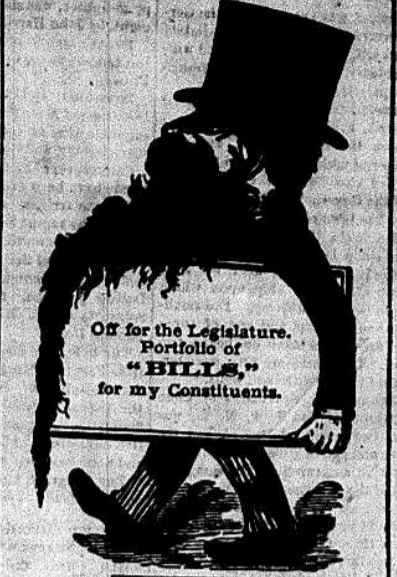
Second Ward Caucus.
The Republican electors of the Second Ward, City of Brainerd, are requested to meet at Bly's Hall, on Thursday evening, Oct. 9, 1873, at 7:12 o'clock, to elect four delegates to attend the Crow Wing County Republican Convention to be held Oct. 16, 1873.
M. C. RUSSELL,
Chairman Ward Committee.

Third Ward Caucus.
The Republican electors of the Third Ward, City of Brainerd, are requested to meet at Bridges' office, on Thursday evening, Oct. 9, 1873, at 7:12 o'clock, to elect four delegates to attend the Crow Wing County Republican Convention to be held Oct. 16, 1873.
A. F. MCKAY,
Chairman Ward Committee.

FOR SALE.—TWO NEW BABY COCK
Fire Extinguishers,
In perfect order. Can be had cheap by calling at H. A. BILLS & Co's old stand.

POLITICAL AMBITION.

The Career of Our Next "Member" if Elected.
On the War-Path.



OUR "MEMBER" RESIGNS BUSINESS.
The Speech of the
SESSION.
AN ACT for the removal of the State Capitol from ST. PAUL to BRainerd,
"OR BUST"



COOLER, BUT QUITE AS DETERMINED.



He talks to the House more philosophically, and touches upon the subjects of water-power improvements, State roads, etc.—in monopolies, and winds up with a short chapter on
"HAY-SEED."

Our Member's Return.
PORTFOLIO OF
"Unpaid" and "Unpassed"
"BILLS."



He returns home a worn out public servant, with no one to love and none to care—ah. That noble man and hopeful look with which he started out, has all been "swept" out of him by an ungrateful constituency, and there having been no U. S. Senator to elect is also poor in himself. He can have his choice now—commit suicide, or be a danger.

FRANCE, was evacuated by the German troops Saturday morning. Immediately after they had left, the streets were filled with rejoicing residents, and numbers of French flags were displayed on the buildings.

The intendants-general made another sortie from Chartres, Friday, and met with more success than on the day before. They captured a number of mules and several pieces of artillery. They also burned the Fiascos of a works of the Government forces.

A dispatch has been received at the British Admiralty from the commander of the British steam sloop Dolphin, announcing the capture of the Indian Ocean, near the Zanzibar Islands, of a slave ship, upon which three had been horrible suffering. The small vessel had ragged on the ship, and out of three hundred and fifty slaves taken on board two hundred died. The remaining fifty were terribly emaciated from disease and want.

The vault containing the remains of Chanler Livingston, at Red Hook, N. Y., was broken open, two coffins destroyed, and the silver handles and plates stolen.

The project of an American pilgrimage to Rome, of the "shrine" of Europe and to Rome, has been under consideration by those who would probably be leaders in it.

There were three railway accidents in England on Wednesday, and the alarming frequency of disasters of this class has become the subject of much comment.

A fire occurred at the citizens' oil refinery at Pittsburg, Thursday afternoon, the fire destroyed the oil tanks, and the refinery was a total loss. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gas tank. Six bricklayers, who were at work, were seriously burned.

Gen. E. S. McCook, Secretary of Dakota Territory, was shot and killed at Tanton by a banker named Wintermute.

Prince Charles, only son of the late Prince Alexander, the Austrian statesman, committed suicide at Paris, Friday.

George Giggles told a horrible story of his sufferings and torture by the officers of the ship.

News has been received that the brig Eliza Bonfield, sunk at her anchorage in Casco Bay during the late gale, and all on board are supposed to be lost.

Grave doubts are entertained for the safety of the crew of the Polar, three months having elapsed since they left camp.

A. V. Wilson absconded from Hartford, Conn., on the night of the 9th inst., with a large amount of money stolen from Adams Express Company.

Ninety-six thousand people attended the centennial exposition during the eight days ending Thursday.

None of the persons attacked by yellow fever at New York have recovered. Nearly two hundred deaths have occurred since the appearance of the fever.

The Oregon Republican State Convention, after a stormy session, nominated Hiram South of Lewiston, for Congress, and endorsed Hippie-Mitchell.

Mrs. Margaret Evans, of Lumberville, Dunn county, Wis., was injured internally by the accident on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, near Pittsburg, Mo., Thursday.

A NUMBER of assassinations and outrages of almost unparalleled atrocity have recently been perpetrated in the Red River parishes of Louisiana, the scene of the Colfax massacre.

In the parish of St. Landry, a family named Goulet, residing in the Colfax affair, and guilty of twenty other known murders, were exterminated by the citizens. In Richland parish, a few nights ago, a wealthy planter named Thomas Archibald was called by his wife to two men, who asked, "Are you Archibald?" and when he replied, "Yes, shot him and rode away."

The express train which left Victoria Friday morning for Madrid, while going at full speed, ran off the track. The cars were badly wrecked, and many passengers killed, among them General and several other persons of eminence. The cause of the disaster is unknown. Obstructions were placed by the Carletons, Thursday, on the railway from Saragosa to Pantano, and a train was thrown from the track near Tufal. One was killed.

Extensive preparations are being made for a reunion of boys educated at the Ohio Reformatory School, at the farm near Lancaster, October 16th.

An examination of 3,200 pass-books of the Broken Savings Bank has discovered a deficiency of \$113,000.

A LARGE meeting was held in Cooper Institute, N. Y., in favor of cheap transportation. Mayor Havemeyer presided. Addresses were made by Francis P. Blood, of the Produce Exchange; L. Bradford Prince, Seymour, L. Hunted, George W. Hmit, A. C. Tenny, and others. The resolutions adopted begin with the organization of an association to be known as the New York Cheap Transportation Association. They claim that the Government should protect producers' interests and non-interference from corporations and monopolies.

Efforts are being made to secure the rights of the people. Double-track railways exclusively for freight were pronounced all-Ohio railroads, and reform in the management of railroads is demanded. The frequent and arbitrary changes in freight-rates are denounced, and uniform rates demanded.

JAMES DAY, a dairyman near Des Moines, was on Monday so badly gored by an infuriated bull that his life is in danger. Seven ribs are broken, and the horns of the animal pierced his head and body in many places.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA—RAMSEY COUNTY—PROBATE COURT.—In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Woodbury and Nancy Jane Woodbury, minors. Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a license, dated July 30th, 1873, issued by said Probate Court to me, as the guardian of the above-named minors, I shall sell, as such guardian, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash: 1. At the Register's office in Birkholm, in Sherburne County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of September, 1873, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate of said minors, situated in said Sherburne County, Minnesota, to-wit: the undivided one-half of the southwest quarter of section two (2), in township thirty-eight (38), and range twenty-eight (28), II. At the Register's office in West Brainerd, in Cass County, Minnesota, on the 13th day of September, 1873, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate of said minors, situated in said Cass County, Minnesota, to-wit: the undivided one-half of the west half of the north-west quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred and thirty-four (134), of range thirty (30), and also the undivided one-half of the north-west quarter of section eleven (11), in township fifty-four (54), of range twenty-six (26). Dated August 8th, 1873. MARY WOODBURY, Guardian.

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