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LADY THORN'S WILL.

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General News.

General News. Down in Florida they are picking oranges. A man cannot see the point of a joke when he is the butt...

THE JUDGE'S STORY.

THE JUDGE'S STORY. "I don't see how I could have done more for him than I have done..."

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

THE CUBAN QUESTION. Late dispatches from Washington are not favorable to a speedy settlement of the Cuban question...

Death of the Inventor of the Magnetic Telegraph.

Death of the Inventor of the Magnetic Telegraph. From the Dayton (O.) Herald. Joseph Saxton, an elder brother of the veteran editor of the Urbana (O.) Citizen...

A Terrible Fight in Texas.

A Terrible Fight in Texas. The Kansas City Journal has had a private letter from Crockett, Texas, stating that a party of Texas desperadoes attempted to break up a performance of John Robinson's circus...

Beautiful Incident.

Beautiful Incident. While in Oberlin, the Rev. Newman Hall was the guest of President Fairchild...

Spurgeon on Starch.

Spurgeon on Starch. "That dreadful ministerial starch" attracts the attention of Spurgeon, who says to his brother clergyman...

Proposed Enlargement of the Erie Canal.

Proposed Enlargement of the Erie Canal. Mr. Fulton's bill to provide for better protection of the northwestern frontier provides for a loan of \$5,000,000...

Gov. Foster's Absence.

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That portion of the Louisiana reorganization as applied to Pinebluff was laid over...

From the world's temptations: From tribulations: From the world's temptations: From tribulations...

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My cousin told a lie, on account of which I was severely rebuked...

Prayer. Thou, who dost dwell above: Thou, who dost dwell above: Thou, who dost dwell above...

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Lady Thorn's Will. Some chapters from the life of a famous woman—curious provisions in her will in regard to a diamond tiara...

Lady Thorn was a niece of William J. May, and by his will became legal heir to a large amount of real estate...

Joseph Saxton, an elder brother of the venerable editor of the Old Dominion (O.) Citizen, died in Washington...

The Kansas City Journal has had a private letter from Crockett, Texas, stating that a party of Texas desperadoes occupied a ranch...

Mr. Fenton's bill provide for better protection of the Northern and Western frontiers...

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OUR NAVY

Report of Secretary Robinson to the President. The Secretary of the Navy, in his report to the President says there are in the navy 165 vessels, carrying...

representatives, who cannot fail to remember that our naval condition is the result of causes which have been constantly pressed upon their consideration...

A TERRIBLE STORM. The mill at Monday, Monday and Wednesday last, followed on Wednesday night by one of the most violent hurricanes...

A WHICH STRUCK BY GOLF. A Which struck by Golf, which was a sharp division of the wind...

THE MARKET. NEW YORK. New York - Pair to price... 1 1/2 @ 1 3/4. New York - Live... 1 1/2 @ 1 3/4.

WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS. No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed...

WEEKLY WISCONSIN. REDUCED RATES! The WEEKLY WISCONSIN will now appear for the Fourth Quarter. It is the leading weekly newspaper of the West and Southwest...

Continuation of the 'OUR NAVY' article, discussing naval equipment and shipbuilding progress.

Continuation of the 'A TERRIBLE STORM' article, describing the damage to the mill and surrounding area.

Continuation of the 'A WHICH STRUCK BY GOLF' article, detailing the incident and the golfer's experience.

Continuation of the 'THE MARKET' article, providing financial news and market analysis.

Advertisement for 'GARGLING OIL', describing its benefits for various ailments and its availability at local drugstores.

Advertisement for 'WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS', emphasizing its effectiveness for digestive and general health issues.

Advertisement for 'GUINON LINE' shipping services, listing routes to New York and Liverpool.

From the New York Herald

A serious blow to the projected exploration in 1874 of the North Polar region is the failure in Greenland, caused by the failure of the seal and whale fisheries.

We learn from a dispatch to the Herald, that the inhabitants of one entire village, consisting of one hundred and fifty persons, was swept away by starvation.

There has been amazing activity among the learned societies of Europe to induce their governments to fit out a creditable and co-operating fleet to take up the highway left by Captain Hall, at latitude 82 deg. 16 min., and follow it out until the Pole should be reached.

POTATOES at J. C. Walters, reduced to 1 per bushel. Onions at J. C. Walters, reduced to 60 cts per bushel.

Brainerd House, Front Street, Brainerd, Minn., DENNIS McANNAY, Prop.

DR. J. C. ROSSER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office at Headquarters Hotel, BRAINERD, MINN.

NEW ARRIVAL! A Grand Display!

EBER H. BLY, AT HIS GREAT DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, AND SUPPLY STORE.

Winter Stock, Consisting in part of the following goods: Fancy Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods.

In The Grocery Department, Every thing is fresh and Quality No. 1.

Look here EVERYBODY! NOW OR NEVER!

STRAY STEER. One to be sold with other cattle, or for sale on 1/2 year's credit.

Dr. Hooper's Female Pills. A positive cure for irregularity, suppression, leucorrhoea, etc.

WOOD FOR SALE! I AM prepared to furnish GOOD, DRY Sound Cord Wood to citizens.

BRANCH LAND OFFICE. Soldier's Homestead, AND PRE-EMPTIONS.

PRACTICAL BRICK LAYER, Plaster and Stone Mason.

NEIGHBORS' GARGLING OIL. IS GOOD FOR Sore Throat, Croup, etc.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. Notice is hereby given that the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of Thomas Cahoon, deceased.

STATE OF MINNESOTA—COUNTY OF CROW WING. ss—IN JUSTICE COURT.

JOHN B. CONANT, Justice of the Peace.

NEVER & MATHES. Merchant Tailors, AND DEALERS IN Ready-made Clothing and Furnishing Goods.

W. M. MURPHY, FIFTH STREET, Brainerd, - - Minnesota.

WOODBRIDGE & FORBES, WHOLESALE STATIONERS, BOOKSELLERS, SEBASTIAN MUSIC, Wrapping Paper and Twines.

JO LAMONT, (Laurel Street, east of Sixth.) Dealer in Family Goods.

DR. COOK'S WIND OF TAIL. This is a most valuable medicine for the cure of all kinds of wind, flatulency, etc.

THE CRUICK & WOOD PATENT VERTICAL PORTABLE ENGINES AND SAW-MILLS.

Every description of work done in the best manner, and at moderate prices.

STENCIL CUTTING. Of all kinds, including key checks, baggage checks, linen markers, and in fact every thing in the stencil business.

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FRANCS M. PECK, Agent, v2n11-6m, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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Progress of the Northern Pacific.

In little more than twenty-four months of working time, the Northern Pacific Railroad Company has accomplished the following results:

1. It has built and opened to business more than 500 miles of its line of Road, besides an additional section of one hundred miles put under contract and now being constructed.

2. It has completed the entire Eastern Division of its Road, uniting the commerce of the Lakes with the navigation of the Upper Missouri, and has formed favorable connections with lines of steamers eastward from Duluth to Buffalo, Erie and Cleveland, and westward from Bismarck (where the road strikes the Missouri) to Fort Benton in Western Montana, thus opening a new and direct east and west route of travel and transportation 2,500 miles in length by lake, rail and river, between the Atlantic States and the New Northwest.

3. It has secured—by reason of the shortness and directness of its line—the trade of the Northwest, including the transportation of Army and Indian supplies.

4. It has earned title to nearly ten million acres of the lands granted by the Government to aid in the construction of the road, and these consist mainly of good prairie, farm and grazing lands in Central Minnesota and Dakota, and valuable timber lands about Puget Sound.

5. It has fully organized its Land and Emigration Department, and successfully begun the work of selling and settling its land grant. It has realized from lands thus far sold an average price of nearly six dollars per acre, and from the proceeds has already begun the purchase and cancellation of its 7-35 first mortgage bonds.

6. It has opened to the landless citizens of this and other countries, and to the markets of the world, 200,000 square miles of the grain belt of the continent, from which the bulk of the wheat export of the United States must, ere long, be drawn.

The work of construction is progressing satisfactorily, mainly in Washington Territory, where the connection is being completed between Puget Sound and the Columbia River.

The Company's engineers, escorted by U. S. troops, are now making a final location of the line of the road from the crossing of the Missouri to the crossing of the Yellowstone, and up the valley of the latter to the mountains—this being the only portion of the route not yet determined.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Edward Blander, Robert Kassman, and Saline Kassman, on the first day of August, A. D. 1872, and running to Horace A. Hills, and which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the first day of August, A. D. 1872, at 9 o'clock p. m., in book "A" of Mortgages, on pages 270, 271, and 272. Said mortgage was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note given for the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, which is over due, and upon which there is remaining due and unpaid at the date of the first publication of this notice, the sum of four hundred and thirty-four and ninety-nine one hundredth (434.99) dollars. Said Horace A. Hills is still the holder and owner of said mortgage, and by virtue of a power of sale therein contained, and the statutes in such cases made and provided, the property in said mortgage described, to wit: lot No. eight (8), in block No. forty-nine (49), in the town of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, according to the recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county and State, will be sold at the front door of the Sheriff's office, in the City of Brainerd, county and State aforesaid, on Tuesday, the 25th day of November, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said sum of four hundred and thirty-four and ninety-nine one hundredth (434.99) dollars, together with interest thereon from the date of this notice, and costs of foreclosure, and fifty dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated at Brainerd this 4th day of October, A. D. 1873.

HORACE A. HILLS, Mortgagee.

SLEEPER & HOLLAND, Attorneys.

CHICAGO & ST. PAUL THROUGH LINE "HILROY ROUTE."

WEST WISCONSIN AND CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RY.

DAY EX. NIGHT EX. Pullman Palace Day and Night Coaches on all trains.

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THE PIONEER ROUTE RUNNING EXPRESS TRAINS DAILY FROM ST. PAUL TO CHICAGO, CARRYING ALL CLASSES OF PASSENGERS THROUGH WITHOUT CHANGE OF CARS.